

## TROUBLESHOOTING

PROBLEM	SOLUTION
<b>THE ENGINE WILL NOT START</b>	
The fuel tank is empty	Fill the fuel tank with properly-mixed fuel
The primer bulb was not pressed enough	Press the primer bulb 10 times
The engine is flooded	Squeeze the throttle control and pull the starter rope until the engine starts
The fuel is old (over 30 days) and/or improperly mixed	Drain the fuel tank and add fresh, properly-mixed fuel
The spark plug is fouled	Replace the spark plug
The choke lever was not flipped	Refer to <i>Starting Instructions</i> in the <i>Starting and Stopping</i> section
<b>THE ENGINE WILL NOT IDLE</b>	
The air filter is dirty	Clean or replace the air filter
The fuel is old (over 30 days) and/or improperly mixed	Drain the fuel tank and add fresh, properly-mixed fuel
The idle speed is incorrect	Adjust the idle speed
<b>THE ENGINE WILL NOT ACCELERATE</b>	
The fuel is old (over 30 days) and/or improperly mixed	Drain the fuel tank and add fresh, properly-mixed fuel
The air filter is dirty	Clean or replace the air filter
<b>THE ENGINE LACKS POWER OR STALLS</b>	
The fuel is old (over 30 days) and/or improperly mixed	Drain the fuel tank and add fresh, properly-mixed fuel
The air filter is dirty	Clean or replace the air filter
The spark plug is fouled	Replace the spark plug

**If further assistance is required, contact an authorized service center.**