

## Softail Shock Tool Instructions

### Part #32-5507

The Progressive Suspension Softail Shock Tool (#32-5507) is designed to disassemble and assemble Progressive Suspension and stock Harley Davidson Softail shocks.

- Clamp the tool in a vise at the tab welded to the frame (D).
- For models up to 1999, place the shock in the tool, (see figure 1) securing the long eye end with the bolt. Tighten the nut finger tight (A).
- For 2000 models, hand tighten the square adapter on the post mount. Place the shock in the tool, securing the adaptor with the bolt. Tighten the nut finger tight (A) (see figure 2).
- Tighten the threaded rod (B) with a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " wrench until the eye has compressed about 4".
- Remove the exposed wire ring (C) with a suitable pick.
- Slowly loosen the threaded rod (B) with a wrench, releasing spring pressure until there is no tension. The bolt can now be removed (stock Harley Davidson shocks will extend fully due to their gas charge).
- The shock can now be disassembled.
- Reassembly is the reverse of these steps.

