Stop the engine.
Install the drain plug.

**Throttle Pedal**

If the throttle pedal has excessive play due to either cable stretch or misalignment, it will cause a delay in throttle response, especially at low engine speed. Also, the throttle may not open fully. If the throttle pedal has no play, the throttle may be hard to control, and the idle speed may be erratic. Check the throttle pedal play periodically in accordance with the Periodic Maintenance Chart, and adjust the play if necessary.

**Inspection**

- Apply the parking brake.
- Put the gear shift lever in the N (neutral) position.
- Start the engine, and warm it up thoroughly.
- Measure the distance the throttle pedal moves before the engine begins to pick up speed. Free play should be 10 ~ 15 mm (0.4 ~ 0.6 in.) at the middle of the pedal.
A. Throttle Pedal  
B. 10 ~ 15 mm (0.4 ~ 0.6 in.)

Adjustment
- Lift the cargo bed and support it with the hook.
- Loosen and turn the throttle cable mounting nuts on the engine near the carburetor until the proper amount of throttle pedal play is obtained.

- Tighten the mounting nuts securely.