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Lab tests results show that GMO crops cause deformities and illnesses in lab animals. GMO crops are poisonous to human beings. Monsanto and other huge companies, by law, do not have to label their products as containing pesticides. If consumers were educated as to what was in the food, they would be rioting in the streets. Since dollars are votes, I vote by supporting Organic growers.

GMO seeds will not reproduce themselves. The Monsanto plan is to own the world's food supply. Monsanto claims that 'he who owns the food, owns the world'. By making a farmer purchase new seed every year, Monsanto secures its own profit, not the health and well being of humans.

Monsanto threatens farmers who do not use its seeds. Monsanto is against a free market. Their commercials in TV reflecting their assistance to farmers is insulting to those of us who are educated regarding their intent of securing the food supply, using poison, and killing millions of people as a result.

GMO crops do not produce more. GMO crops contain dangerous pesticide residues, and use massive amounts of toxic and climate-destabilizing chemical fertilizers. GMO are not drought-resistant. Organic crops out-produce chemical and GMO crops by 70% under drought (or heavy rain) conditions. Non-organic chemical, water, energy-intensive, and GMO crops are a recipe for disaster in this era of unpredictable weather.

There is a revolving door of personnel between corporate lobbyists and government regulators. No wonder the government has lost its desire to help the people. The government is there to increase the profits of large evil corporations like Monsanto.

Monsanto needs to go back to just selling a little weed killer and leave the seeds alone. Seeds do not need to be changed to be able to produce in spite of weed killers. Seed belongs to every human being as God made it. There needs to be an end to companies like Monsanto and any other company that is harming every human being and the future generations to come.

I am so proud of the countries who have outlawed Monsanto to sell their product in their land. Our government has not outlawed Monsanto products due to our revolving door of personnel between corporate lobbyists and government regulators. There are too many government personnel who personally profit by receiving large incomes from companies like Monsanto while in government office.

Due to personal profit, our land in the U.S. will become poisoned and the people will become ill and diseased. Other countries will be strong and healthy. If Monsanto is not stopped soon, we need to move our children to countries which have clean soil and organic food. We have nothing without health, and health begins with pesticide free food.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

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