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Question1:

Question2: Outlaw genetically modified crops which no one in their right mind would buy, and the only reason agribusiness can sell them in the US is because we do not have mandatory labeling for this "ingredient."

Question3: Cap subsidies at \$250,000. The big corporate farms have become monsters destroying our true agriculture base of family farms. Big corporate farms DO NOT NEED SUBSIDIES.

Question4: Encourage small farms which usually do not monocrop. Diversity is healthy. Encourage organic farming. Outlaw genetically modified organisms. Protect Americans and those to whom our agribusinesses sell from ingesting pesticides in the genetically modified crops. Protect us, don't allow us to be polluted.

Question5: Eliminate subsidies over \$250,000 so the corporations will not have an unfair advantage. Outlaw the vertical monopolies that corporations have -- buy our seed and plant it, and use our pesticide or gmo seeds and our fertilizer or we won't buy your crops. It is this "company store" corporate strategy which is causing small family farmers to have to sell or accept what they know is bad for the land and the consumer. You don't have to invest in new technologies, you have to eliminate the unfair competition.

Question6: Make GMO labelling mandatory. Then the public will create the market for true organically grown crops. Support the farmers who will produce organic crops.