

**Thinking Beyond Our Plates:
* Tools & Sources for Finding Good Food, Food Truth & Justice for All ***

"Eternal vigilance is the price of freedom." --- Thomas Jefferson

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