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DEAR SIR:

SINCE 1998 I HAVE WRITTEN THE USDA AND OUR LEGISLATORS ABOUT DOWNER COWS. I ALSO WROTE ABOUT THE DANGERS OF MAD COW DISEASE. I WROTE MANY LETTERS OVER THE YEARS AND NOTHING IN RETURN. CATTLE ARE VEGETARIANS AND SHOULD NOT BE FED ANIMAL REMAINS. CANNIBALS HAD ALMOST THE SAME KIND OF DISEASE BECAUSE THEY CONSUMED HUMAN FLESH.

WE STRONGLY URGE YOU TO RETAIN YOUR BAN ON DOWNER COWS AND WE ALSO URGE YOU TO EXPAND THE BAN ON DOWNERS TO INCLUDE OTHER SPECIES, SUCH AS SHEEP AND PIGS. IF FARM ANIMALS WERE TREATED HUMANELY AND GIVEN THE RIGHT KIND OF FOOD, THERE WOULDN'T BE ALL THIS SUFFERING, SICKNESS AND DISEASE.

SINCERELY,

Frank & Faye Evans
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