

## 2022 End of December Update

### Dear Friends and Customers

I am not yet ready to accept 2023 orders but will be by mid-January.

You will receive an emessage from us then.

Gail and I are driving south for a week or so in a few days. (It is warmer there.)

There is no special reason for delay except that I would refer to be home to handle the hundreds of emessages that will come with your orders.

Just so you know, our offering of beef, bison, and pork will be unchanged. We intend to accept and fill all of your orders for beef, bison and hogs. (Plus some lambs.)

### **A number of you still have late season orders at Quality Meats.**

ALL orders are ready for pick up.

Gail and I made a metro drop off trip yesterday and plan another and probably final trip for Friday, January 13<sup>th</sup>.

Granddaughter Ella and I spent a couple hours this morning hauling stockpiles of hay to the bison and horse herds this morning. Enough to last for a couple weeks during our absence.

The cattle already have a month's supply of hay in their paddocks.

All the pasture animals, including Gail's ewes, have access to our Snake River for water. The river never completely freezes as it meanders through the farm.

The river is a great blessing winter and summer. We never have to struggle with freezing water supplies once the hogs are gone in November.

We do not give the pigs access to the river. In concentration, they would be too destructive to the river banks and channel.

I hope your winter is as comfortable for you as it is for the animals of Snake River Farm. Good food, clean fresh water and clothes that suit the weather.

Best wishes for 2023 to you all.

Tom

p.s. I attached a winter photo for you. We get to live in a beautiful place.

p.p.s. Email me if you have questions.

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