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Since then, John and his son, Ben, have tried techniques like cover crops and extending their grazing season into November, December, and even January.

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John and Bernadette Snyder have been farming near Preston, Minn., for about 20 years. They raise corn and soybeans, as well as cattle, hogs, and chickens. Over time, John got concerned about some things he was observing on the farm. His animals were sickly, and the soil was showing signs of compaction. The animals got happier and healthier after implementing John’s strategies. Now, they graze on row crop land.

Read more about the Snyder’s journey here: The Wonder of Farming With Nature