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**Wow .... Getting some SunShine** at Home Office-Gooding St right now !!!

🙏🙏 Thank You Lord 🙏🙏 Thank You Lord 🙏🙏

..... **Some Items for Discussion ...Thnx for the Feed-Back ...**

I recently mentioned **Alicandros** Big Spring Spray Meeting comin up March 3 - Tuesday - in Ontario New York .... and I inadvertently forgot to mention Lindsays Husband Earl .... As most of you know, Earl is a Key component of that Agr.Assistance Organization... He is the Hands-On-GittRDunn Guy that is doing virtually ""All-of-It-Outside-the-Office"" !!! And he is a very good Dad--Hubby--Fruit Grower--Team Manager !!! Earl is a Cool Cat and we are proud to be Associated with him & Lindsay and Jeff and Jeffs Better-Half Dottie... They have been such a Blessing to so many Grower Friends..... hugely Appreciated.

Thanks so Much to one of our NY-Readers that brot my over-sight to my attn.....👍😊

Many of You---**Hopefully** all of you remember in 2012 when Jeff told Earl to get out there and spray 1 pint-Ac-Perlan as soon as the Temp reached 55°F...??? ...after the 22°F-5am-Temps during Full-Bloom...??? They set a Full-Crop .... All the Neighbors had 5% - 10 % of a Crop.... some had 1% of a Crop...

Earl & Lindsay paid for the Farm in that 1 Year !!!! They has just bought that Farm 2 or 3 years before that !!!!!

**Yes ...Actually** you can go to ""[wunderground.com](http://wunderground.com)"" every 2 - 3 Hours and most likely see changes in their 10-Day-Forecast..... and days that show 'Partly-Cloudy' with some Sun right now, might show those same days with a bunch of Rain or Snow 3-4-5 Hours from now. Its a Forecast.... constantly changing.... Our Great God likes to keep it interesting... and keep us on our toes !!!!!

**OK.... Yup....** Everyone understands that we **Do Not** want to put any Nutrients on Trees in a 'Ring' around the Tree.... and that its important to do Nutrients into the entire Weed-Control-Strip..... to increase Root System Development. This is very critical in Runted-Stunted-Youngns....

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Of course if you're into the Redox Strategy you are doing Ground-Applied with Your Weed-Sprayer and with Fertigation... and Foliars. Actually mostly Foliars for most of You Guys..... As High-Density-Tight as most of these Plantings are NowaDays, the Foliar-Blow-By is doing huge good wherever it lands....

And.....

**\*\*\*Small Fruits -- Strawberries -- Cane & Bramble Crops --** Yes -- Our CSRs are Up-to-Speed ... Alan Hulkonen--231-357-5175 ... has a bunch of "Hands-On" .... but so do most all the other CSRs !!!

Have a Great Wednesday ....

