philosophy on raising animals

We believe that animals should be allowed to live as naturally as possible. We confine them as necessary to protect them from predators and from traffic, but all of our animals have room to move and a chance to forage foods from our fields, brush and woods, which have not been treated with chemical fertilizers.

We feed all of our animals natural grains without antibiotics, plus scrap produce from local businesses. Most of our grains are milled in New England.

We process our chickens ourselves, and our larger animals are butchered at USDA facilities.



live animals for sale

American Guinea hogs are an endangered farm animal. They are great foragers. They are small (our largest boar is approximately 300 pounds) and easy to handle.

WE HAVE BREEDER PIGLETS READY TO SELL: BOARS @ \$200 AND GILTS @250. They are friendly and used to human contact.

We also sell feeder pigs and feeder lambs. Contact us and we will let you know when any become available.

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Phoenix Farm

pasture-raised meat lamb pork chicken

free-range eggs chicken duck

breeder and feeder pigs and lambs

eggs

"Your eggs are AMAZING!"

Our laying hens and ducks are all free range and enjoy plants and insects from around the farm. This results in richly colored, nutritious yolks



Chicken eggs - \$4 a dozen Duck eggs - \$5 a dozen Goose eggs - \$1 each

Duck and goose eggs are seasonally available

We sell a limited number of **egg shares**: prepay for ten dozen eggs, get a discount and free delivery in selected local towns.

chicken

"Flavorful & satisfying tastes like my grandmother's chicken"

After raising Cornish Crosses and experimenting with other breeds, we have chosen to raise **Freedom Rangers.** This breed was developed for the French "slow food" movement. They grow more slowly than the Cornish Crosses, but have fewer health problems, are more pleasant to work with and taste better, especially when they can forage for bugs and plants for a significant part of their diet. We raise ours on pasture protected by electric netting.

Whole broilers: \$4.75/lb. Discount for purchases over 15 pounds



pork

"Succulent & tender, full of flavor."

When we decided we would add pigs to our farm to help us reclaim overgrown areas, we were delighted to find a heritage breed, American Guinea Hogs, which are smaller than commercial hogs, and well suited to forage feeding. They are a perfect hog for a small operation, and their meat is more flavorful than grocery store pork. Our USDA processed cuts range from \$5 to \$9 a pound, with a discount for purchases over 15 pounds.

lamb

We raise mixed-breed sheep with an increasing percentage of Polypay, a breed developed to be raised on grass. Our sheep help us keep our pastures clear through rotational grazing in temporary electric fencing. Our USDA processed cuts range from \$9 to \$12 a pound with a discount for purchases over 15 pounds.