

Grant and his wife Della and two daughters Alexa and Mataea run a small grazing/cow-calf operation where Grant tests what he learns from producers, scientists and extensionists.

Grant has worked in Central Alberta with Alberta Agriculture in varying roles: Forages/Grazing/Livestock/Economics Extension for over 30 years. Those efforts are almost always related to trying to realize the value from seizing the opportunity of managing forages and grasslands to be a highly productive crop. His forage management thought is from the plant, to the soil, to the livestock, to the people, and to the consumer.

The systems he works towards are managed in ways that consider finances, the environment, the people, and the community. This Holistic Management decision making approach is done simultaneously and strives to be regenerative.

Grant is now working part-time with Union Forages and also free lancing doing various forages projects.

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