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I grew up working in the farms of this prosperous country and our dad had just enough to feed and pay our bills. If anyone in our house need any dental or medical care we turned to herbs and home remedies. Sometime they worked other times it did not. I still remember having a tooth ache and keeping my parent up all night because we had no money for a dentist.

It is a struggle paying the rent and other bills on minimum wage. Farmworkers struggle daily just to put food on the table. Imagine if they did not have to put out money for doctor and dentist bills. This would be a huge saving and more farmworkers would stay in the area where they could afford a livelihood.

Thank you so much for working on this very important issue, muchas gracias.

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