

Nevin and Denise Horning — with Destinee, 11; twins Marcia and Monica, 9; Austin, 6; and Vanessa, 4 — farm 55 acres and milk 90 cows in Lititz.

New Dairy Thrives With Well-Planned Facilities 'Meant To Be Farm' Herd Tops 31,000 RHA

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LITITZ (Lancaster Co.) — Nevin and Denise Horning are unique in this day of escalating land costs and fickle milk prices. Neither Nevin nor Denise were raised on farms, but today this young couple own 55 acres of prime Lancaster County farmland, 90 milking

cows, and replacements.

How did they attain a farm without the benefit of taking over a family-owned operation?

"It was meant to be," Denise said with a bit of awe still evident in her voice from the purchase that took place in 2001.

"Meant To Be Farm" is the farm's working name.

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