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Allowing Monsanto to continue to dominate the market is akin to turning over Americans' health and welfare to a rich, greedy, devious subset of Good Old Boys. How dare you allow their growth to continue unabated and to let them extort farmers and consumers? I want to know what's in the food I buy with my hard-earned money to keep my family healthy. You're allowing a preposterously large corporation to decide that it's OK for Americans to consume chemicals because it increases their profit margins. You're allowing this giant to pollute the environment and poison our food because you've given them a free pass to do so. Do you even care what the long-term effects are on human beings or the environment? The U.S. is in a downwards spiral to hell because of corporate greed and because agencies such as the DOJ have allowed it. Monsanto will soon be termed "too big to fail and regulate" , but it'll be too late for the humanity poisoned by their profit-making exploits.

Do you have grandchildren you feed modified food? Do you care what happens to their environment when monsters such as Monsanto are let go unchecked.

Check your conscience, if you have one.

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