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Hi Anna

I would just like to say a GREAT BIG THANK YOU. I read an article in the Yorkshire Post which featured you and your free range pigs, which grabbed me for starters as I love home grown local food which tastes of what it should be. i.e. I have an allotment here in North Ferriby and the vegetables I grow just taste like when I was a little girl, if I could have some chickens on it I would but we are not allowed. Admittedly I do have failures but what manages to survive our topsy turvey weather tastes great.

Anyway back to the article. The last sentence or so told us where to buy your pork in the area and lo and behold, Gary Alden was one of the butchers, Fabulous, I go to Gary's every week for my meat and am always questioning him on the source. So last weekend as usual I went off to do my weekly shop at Gary's and bought a joint of Anna's happy trotters pork. Oh my word, it tasted just as I remember when my grandma cooked up a Sunday roast for us, it was the best pork my husband and I have ever tasted. Truly.

I just want you to know, (although I am sure you don't need me to tell you) that there are people out there who appreciate good food, local food, tasty food and live to eat food and don't mind paying more for it. It is such a shame to see in our area pig producers struggling and going under because the general public expect cheap meat from the supermarket with no concern for animal welfare. I look forward to my meals every day and take pleasure in planning, shopping and cooking them. I don't want to waste that time by ending up with a meal that was flavourless.

Many thanks, I wish you continued success and tell everyone who enjoys food as much as me about your pigs.

Kind regards,
Carolyn Taylor