



COMPANY BACKGROUNDER

Oregon's Wild Harvest is an independently owned and operated herb farm in Sandy, Oregon. Throughout the company's history, their philosophy has been driven by the desire to naturally heal the body and the earth. Certified organic since its inception in 1994, the farm is now **growing the most sustainable herbs in the United States...** Demeter® Certified Biodynamic. The founders, Pamela Martin and Randy Buresh (certified R.N. for more than 30 years), have built the company on a strong foundation of validated scientific methodology and environmental stewardship.

Oregon's Wild Harvest is proud to offer more than 300 pure, safe and effective medicinal herbal supplements and products. Many of these are manufactured within minutes of harvest, mere steps from where they were grown. And because they responsibly process and package all the herbs right on their farm, they can guarantee that their products are the safest you can buy.

Since 2009, Oregon's Wild Harvest has been Demeter Certified Biodynamic, which is one of the original forms of organic farming, and remains the highest grade of organic farming. The entire farm is treated as a living organism, making it a sustainable and self-nourishing ecosystem. The farm also produces its own compost, seeds and livestock feed by recycling all the organic materials generated on the farm. The seasons, weather patterns, sunrises and sunsets are also used to enhance the growing process. This holistic approach to farming improves the health of the soil, seeds and plants to create a growing environment that's ideal for producing the highest nutrient values possible in soil. There is also a considerable reduction in the need to transport, mine and refine the earth's natural resources, resulting in one of the smallest carbon footprints of any agricultural method.

And with these organic and Biodynamic certifications in place, you can be sure that their products are guaranteed to be grown without harmful pesticides or chemicals, and free of any genetically modified organisms (GMOs). For nearly two decades, the farmland that is home to Oregon's Wild Harvest has nourished many herb varieties including Ashwagandha, Astragalus, Echinacea, Ginkgo, St. John's Wort and Valerian.

The quality and purity that defines each Oregon's Wild Harvest product is backed by a comprehensive array of highly trained scientists, whose specialties include pharmacognasy (the study of medicine from natural sources), food science, biochemistry, nutrition, botany and organic/Biodynamic farming. A highly educated Quality Assurance department oversees every step in the processing, manufacturing and production of each supplement, allowing Oregon's Wild Harvest to guarantee the purity and identity of all plant material.

The highest standards equal the best results!

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FACT SHEET

Company

- Independently-owned and operated medicinal herb farm located in Sandy, Oregon.
- The founders and operators are Pamela Martin and Randy Buresh (R.N. for over 30 years).
- A certified Organic Grower since inception in 1994.
- Since 2009, Oregon's Wild Harvest has been **growing the most sustainable herbs** in the United States... Demeter® certified Biodynamic.
- Company philosophy: naturally protecting and healing the human body and the earth.
- The manufacturing and production facility is located on the farm
- Oregon's Wild Harvest farms many herb varieties including: Ashwagandha, Astragalus, Echinacea, Ginkgo, St. John's Wort and Valerian
- Every facet of Oregon's Wild Harvest follows strict Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP's), from soil preparation to quality control.
- Certification by Oregon Tilth ensures that herbs from Oregon's Wild Harvest are free from contamination by herbicides and pesticides.
- Many herbal supplements and products are manufactured within minutes of harvest, and mere steps from where they were grown.

Biodynamic® Farming

- This is the original form of organic agriculture. It treats the farm as a single living organism with interrelated parts that encompass everything from the soil to the solar system.
- Demeter® certified Biodynamic is the highest grade of organic farming.
- Demeter® is the only organization world-wide to certify Biodynamic growers.
- A Biodynamic farm is highly sustainable, because all organic material generated on the farm is recycled and returned to the soil.
- The Biodynamic farming method has one of the smallest carbon footprints.
- Biodiversity is fundamental, because at least 10% of the farm must be left as a natural habitat.

Products

- Oregon's Wild Harvest offers more than 300 herbal supplements and products available in health stores nationwide, as well as online at www.ShopOregonHerbs.com.
- The few herbs that are not grown on the OWH farm are always thoroughly tested to ensure quality. Oregon's Wild Harvest uses Fair Trade principles, and only partner with farmers that are committed to sustainable organic agribusiness and supporting local farms.
- Oregon's Wild Harvest offers gluten-free and vegan products: capsules are 100% vegetarian, chemical-free, starch-free, GMO-free, preservative-free and quick-dissolving.
- In addition, Oregon's Wild Harvest offers organic herbal extracts, teas, bulk herbs, specialty organic products, topical herbal applications as well as a variety of specialized herbal products for children, men and women.

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KEY PERSONNEL

Randy Buresh

Co-founder and President

Randy Buresh is a licensed registered nurse, organic farmer, and herbalist. As the co-founder, owner, and operator of Oregon's Wild Harvest, he is passionate about health and healing, naturally.

Randy's career in healing began in the Midwest, where he grew up learning to farm as a responsible steward of the land. He first earned a degree in surgery technology, and then later returned to Central Methodist College (Fayette, Missouri) where he earned his R.N. (Registered Nurse) degree. He has worked as a Certified Surgical Nurse, a R.N., a Physician's Assistant and an E.M.T.

He began researching less invasive treatments for health conditions, which led him to natural herbal medicine. An opportunity to serve in a technical position with an Oregon Tilth Certified Organic herb farm and herbal supplement manufacturer reaffirmed his commitment to healing with organically grown herbal remedies. Randy began growing his own herbs in 1990, and started Oregon's Wild Harvest's, complete with certified organic manufacturing and production facilities, in 1994.

Randy's desire to help more people understand their health issues, combined with his extensive knowledge on the subject and his passion for herbal medicine, frequently leads him to giving presentations to retailers and health practitioners. He has lectured at Bastyr University in Seattle, WA, and the National College of Naturopathic Medicine in Portland, OR.

Pamela Martin

Co-founder and Co-owner

Pamela Martin is the co-founder, owner and operator of Oregon's Wild Harvest with her husband, Randy. Combining Randy's herbal expertise and Pamela's business savvy, Oregon's Wild Harvest has grown tremendously since they opened their certified organic manufacturing and production facility in 1994.

Shortly after starting their business, Pamela took a trip to Mexico that would change her life and strengthen her resolve to provide customers with only the highest quality of pure, organic herbs. During her trip, Pamela became very ill after coming in contact with an unknown toxin. For months following her trip, she was unable to eat, lost twenty-five pounds, felt nauseous all the time, and had virtually no energy or ability to focus on anything besides how miserable she felt.

For months, Pamela was treated by infectious disease specialists, GI specialists, a naturopath, her regular MD, and an acupuncturist. During this time, Randy also tried to determine the cause of his wife's illness and how to treat it. Eventually, after many tests, a lot of rest, and the regular use of herbal supplements and detoxification drinks, she was finally able to detoxify her system of whatever poison afflicted her.

Since then, Pamela's commitment to safety, purity and quality herbs has never wavered. Pamela's experience reinforced her passion to offer only the purest quality herbs to people. Realizing how negatively the body, and the nervous system in particular, could be affected by toxins - knowledge gained from her research as well as her own personal experience-- Pamela became adamant about enforcing the highest level of quality assurance possible on each herbal product her company would offer to consumers.

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PRODUCT FACT SHEET

Oregon's Wild Harvest has been growing and manufacturing herbal supplements for nearly two decades, offering more than 300 herbal products. Fresh from their Demeter® certified Biodynamic® and organic farm, many herbal supplements and products are manufactured within minutes of harvest, and are mere steps from where they were grown. The journey from seed to bottle is a short one at Oregon's Wild Harvest, allowing them to ensure an optimal level of health for their soil, seeds and plants –producing the purest organic herbal supplements available. And because they responsibly harvest, process and package their herbs right on the farm, they can guarantee their products are the safest and freshest from seed to plant to you.

Because a customer's health is one of their highest priorities, Oregon's Wild Harvest puts research and validated scientific methodology into every step, far exceeding industry standards. Oregon's Wild Harvest also uses a greater amount of each plant to ensure more health-giving beneficial compounds.

Oregon's Wild Harvest is also the first to provide potential contradictions, drug interactions and herb allergies on their labels, to help customers choose wisely.

Please visit www.OregonsWildHarvest.com for complete product offerings.

- **Bulk Herbs: Oregon's Wild Harvest offers** an extensive selection of dried herbs in whole, cut and sift, and powdered form. Herbs are sold in ¼ lb (113 g) and 1 lb (454 g) bags for convenience and are now packaged in new bags. Bulk items include Alfalfa, Astragalus, Ginkgo, and American Ginseng, among others.
- **Capsules, Non-GMO and Vegetarian:** Oregon's Wild Harvest is proud to be one of the few companies in the world to offer these capsules, which are 100 percent vegetarian, starch-free, gluten-free, GMO-Free, preservative-free and quick-dissolving. Encapsulated products include Ashwagandha, Fenugreek, Milk Thistle and many more.
- **Children's Herbs:** These alcohol-free herbal products have been formulated especially for children using modified doses appropriate for children. Products include Children's Ear Drops, Children's Echinacea, Tummy Aid and Tranquil, to name a few.
- **Culinary Herbs and Organic Spices:** Oregon's Wild Harvest offers an extensive selection of dried culinary seasonings including Basil, Cayenne, Cinnamon, and Cumin, among others.
- **Herbal Extracts with Organic Alcohol:** Oregon's Wild Harvest's herbs are the product of the art of extract production - they are always harvested at their peak potency. Items include Astragalus, Echinacea, Valerian and more.
- **Herbal Extracts, Alcohol-Free:** Glycerites are an alternative to alcohol-based herbal extracts. The alcohol-free herbal extracts include Echinacea Goldenseal, Ginkgo, St. John's Wort, and more.

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- **Men's Herbs:** Men's herbal products include Prostate Health with Lycopene, Saw Palmetto, Nettle Root and others.
- **Organic Teas:** Oregon's Wild Harvest's premium natural tea blends and single herb teas are a pleasant way to take quality herbs. Blends include the popular Immuni-Tea and Rene's Tea, as well as Happi-Tea, Menopositivi-Tea, Maternal Sereni-Tea, and Digestivi-Tea. Single teas include Japanese Green Tea and Holy Basil Tea.
- **Topical Herb Applications:** Oregon's Wild Harvest manufactures herbal oils and salves using certified organic olive oil without the use of artificial additives and preservatives. Topical herbs include Calendula Tea Tree salve, Herbal Ear drops, St. John's Wort herbal oil and more.
- **Women's Herbs:** There are many herbs that can support a woman's well-being during the periods of menstruation, pregnancy, nursing or menopause. Women's herbal products include Dong Quai, Wild Yam, Fenugreek, Black Cohosh, Chaste Tree (Vitex), Menopause Formula, and Red Clover.

Oregon's Wild Harvest believes that the whole herb is comprised of thousands of active constituents whose entire effect is greater than the sum of its individual parts. For centuries, whole herbs have been traditionally used for the following:

- Cardiovascular Support
- Digestive Tract and Liver Support
- Immune Support
- Mind Support
- Healthy Inflammation Response
- Seasonal Respiratory Support



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Oregon's Wild Harvest Introduces Eye Shield™ to Its Line of Herbal Supplements

Sandy, Ore. – March 1, 2010 – Oregon's Wild Harvest releases Eye Shield™, a new product that helps protect the eyes from age-related vision concerns. It's specific blend of herbs and vitamins have been designed to provide protection from the effects of free radical damage that accumulate with age, as well as from environmental hazards such as UV-radiation. Eye Shield™ contains two scientifically effective antioxidants Lutein and Zeaxanthin, as well as vision-supporting organic herbs.

Eye Shield™ contains EZ Eyes brand of Zeaxanthin -- the only natural form of Zeaxanthin -- the same kind found in fruits and vegetables. These powerful antioxidants -- Lutein and Zeaxanthin -- work together, literally sitting on the macula of the retina, providing a shield of protection for the eye. Organic herbs-- Bilberry and Ginkgo -- are also included, and are important for healthy blood flow and capillary health.

Eye Shield™ is one of many 100% vegetarian, gluten-free, GMO free, artificial-additive free and preservative-free herbal supplements made by this certified organic and Biodynamic® company.

"As we age, the body's natural defenses against free radical damage become weaker. And in the case of our vision, we know that our eyes are particularly vulnerable to free radical damage as the aging body produces less Zeaxanthin naturally. It becomes more important than ever that we receive antioxidant support to help fight this free radical damage," said Randy Buresh, Co-founder of Oregon's Wild Harvest, and a certified R.N. "A diet rich in antioxidants will provide a great deal of protection. But most of us are not eating six cups of spinach a day, or bowls full of yellow and red peppers, which is why we developed Eye Shield. It includes the scientifically accepted amounts of Lutein and Zeaxanthin that are nearly impossible to consume in our daily diets."

Additionally, Eye Shield™ is made with gluten-free NP capsules that Oregon's Wild Harvest uses for all of its capsule herbal supplements, which comprise a majority of their 300 different products produced in the company's certified organic manufacturing facility.

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Oregon's Wild Harvest Introduces Inflammation Shield™ to Its Line of Herbal Supplements

Sandy, Ore. – March 1, 2010 – Oregon's Wild Harvest releases Inflammation Shield™, a new capsule product that helps promote a healthy response to inflammation.

A leading underlying cause of many health problems, as well as the cause of most muscle and joint pain, inflammation is a concern of many adults. In an effort to combat the effects of inflammation, many turn to drugs which can be very hard on the liver and other organs.

Inflammation Shield™ contains scientifically accepted ingredients which can naturally protect the body from inflammation: The organic Rosemary and Oregano provide powerful antioxidant protection- important in the maintenance of healthy connective tissue and in cellular health. And the synergistic blend of organic herbs-- Green Tea, Ginger, Turmeric and Nettles --all support a healthy response to inflammation.

Inflammation Shield™ is one of many 100% vegetarian, gluten-free, GMO free, artificial-additive free and preservative-free herbal supplements made by this certified organic and Biodynamic® company.

"If we can begin to restore the normal inflammation process, naturally, we can begin to control a lot of the damage it can cause," said Randy Buresh, co-founder of Oregon's Wild Harvest, and a certified R.N. "Responding to inflammation with Nature's powerful herbs, exercise, adequate rest, and a healthy diet is a much healthier – and more effective – remedy than a daily dose of your favorite anti-inflammatory drug, because studies show that those drugs can do long-term damage to the liver and stomach."

Additionally, Inflammation Shield™ is made with gluten-free Capsugel NP capsules®. Oregon's Wild Harvest only uses this ideal type of capsule for their herbal supplements, which comprise a majority of their 300 different products produced in the company's certified organic manufacturing facility.

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Oregon's Wild Harvest Introduces Stress Guard™ to Its Line of Herbal Supplements

Sandy, Ore. – January 22, 2009 – Oregon's Wild Harvest introduces a new herbal supplement called Stress Guard™, a new product that promotes a healthy response to the physical effects of stress. Stress Guard™ contains a unique blend of organic herbs that work to reduce stress related reactions, and restore balance to the hormonal, immune and nervous systems. It's one of many 100% vegetarian, gluten-free, GMO free, artificial-additive free and preservative-free herbal supplements made by this certified organic and Biodynamic® company.

Stress Guard™ includes a blend of responsibly grown and harvested whole herbs that are processed on the company's Biodynamic farm in rural Sandy, Oregon. Holy Basil, Ashwagandha and Licorice are included in Stress Guard™ as well as organic Skullcap and the amino acid L-Theanine, which assist in relaxation and reduction of anxious feelings. The B-vitamins also support brain function and energy systems. *

"Many people feel the physical effects of stress. Modern lifestyle, exposure to pathogens and environmental toxins all disturb the body's ability to cope physically and emotionally," said Randy Buresh, co-founder of Oregon's Wild Harvest. "This is why we developed Stress Guard™ to include clinically proven ingredients that can help protect people from the effects of stress." *

Additionally, Stress Guard™ is made with gluten-free Capsugel NP capsules®. Oregon's Wild Harvest only uses this ideal type of capsule for their herbal supplements, which comprise a majority of their 300 different products produced in the company's certified organic manufacturing facility.

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Oregon's Wild Harvest Goes Beyond Certified Organic Farm Status

By Achieving Biodynamic® Certification

Certification represents highest level of sustainable farming by an Oregon herb farm

Sandy, Ore. – August 25, 2009 – Continuing to define the standards of best practices in organic farming, Oregon's Wild Harvest has achieved Biodynamic® certification of its herb farm located outside of Portland, Ore. Certified by Demeter USA, the Biodynamic certification represents the highest level of sustainable farming, recognizing the approach of Oregon's Wild Harvest to holistic farming practices that exceed the requirements of organic certification.

A family-owned producer of certified organic herbal supplements, the farm operated by Oregon's Wild Harvest was officially certified Biodynamic on August 12.

"For Oregon's Wild Harvest, Biodynamic farming represents the highest level of commitment to alternative farming for alternative medicine," said Randy Buresh, Co-founder of Oregon's Wild Harvest. "Three years ago we undertook this process of achieving Biodynamic certification as part of our commitment to provide our customers with the healthiest herbal supplements available."

Defined in 1924 by noted Austrian philosopher Dr. Rudolf Steiner, Biodynamic farming is founded on the principle that the farm is a living organism capable of meeting its needs without the use of synthetic fertilizers and pesticides. It is the highest paradigm of sustainable farming, offering one of the smallest carbon footprints of any agricultural method.

"Biodynamic farming has been called holistic land stewardship at its best," said Buresh. "Our land and our farm are extremely important to us, allowing us to grow quality plants for use in our products. We were already a certified organic farm and we were ready to take our farm further along this path as a self contained living organism."

In practice, Biodynamic farming focuses on the interdependence of the soil, plants, animals and humans working together in harmony. Practices including on-farm recycling, composting and water conservation are all considered to be an integral part of the life of the farm. Additionally, the gravitational pull of the moon on the earth's moisture is an important holistic consideration of a Biodynamic farm.

"Demeter is pleased to welcome Oregon's Wild Harvest into our family of Biodynamic certified farms," said Jim Fullmer, Executive Director of Demeter USA. "We applaud their commitment to the environment, their land, their family and their customers in creating a truly sustainable farm."

Already certified as an Organic Grower, to maintain its Biodynamic certification Oregon's Wild Harvest's farm will be inspected annually to ensure it is adhering to Demeter farm standards. The company intends to pursue the Demeter processing standard, which will allow Oregon's Wild Harvest to market its products as Biodynamic. Currently, Demeter's product list includes dairy, grains, wine, distilled spirits, oils, coffee, tea, personal care products, meats and breads as well as medicinal herbs.

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About Demeter-USA

Worldwide, Demeter is known for having the most rigorous standards for certification of any of the organic certification organizations. Demeter USA, a non-profit organization, is the only certification agent for Biodynamic farms, processors and products in the United States. Demeter inspectors personally visit farms and processors each year. To learn more visit www.demeter-usa.org.

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