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My name is Terry Greenwood.

In 2008, my farm in southwestern Pennsylvania was affected by gas well drilling. My drinking water turned brown in January, and in April four calves were stillborn and six others

had birth defects and died within hours of their birth. Their eyeballs were white or blue without pupil or iris. Their mothers had been drinking from a pond near where the casing failed on a shallow gas well while it was being drilled in February 2008. When I notified the Pennsylvania Department of

Environmental Protection that ten calves were dead, they said "that's a farmers luck"!

At that time I said, "Now its the cattle, soon it will be the people".

On March 7, 2014, after I had an episode of double vision and was extremely tired, an MRI at the hospital revealed that I have multiple brain tumors.

A biopsy on March 11 proved them cancerous.

I currently receive radiation and two forms of chemotherapy. The tumors are inoperable.

I am fighting as hard as I can.

Regretfully, on Sunday June 8, 2014, after a brave three month battle with his brain tumors, Terry Greenwood passed away. His motto, "water is more important than gas" lives on.

Terry helped to pave the way for anti-fracking activists worldwide to continue to strive to protect our environment.

His struggles should not be in vain. ~~There~~ ~~They~~ must be a wake-up call for law makers everywhere to realize that those who drill the gas wells don't have all of the information necessary to protect the people.

Families in rural areas should not

have to worry that the well water  
they drink may now flow from a  
gas well drill tainted aquifer.