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Copes & combats cancer, cutting corn

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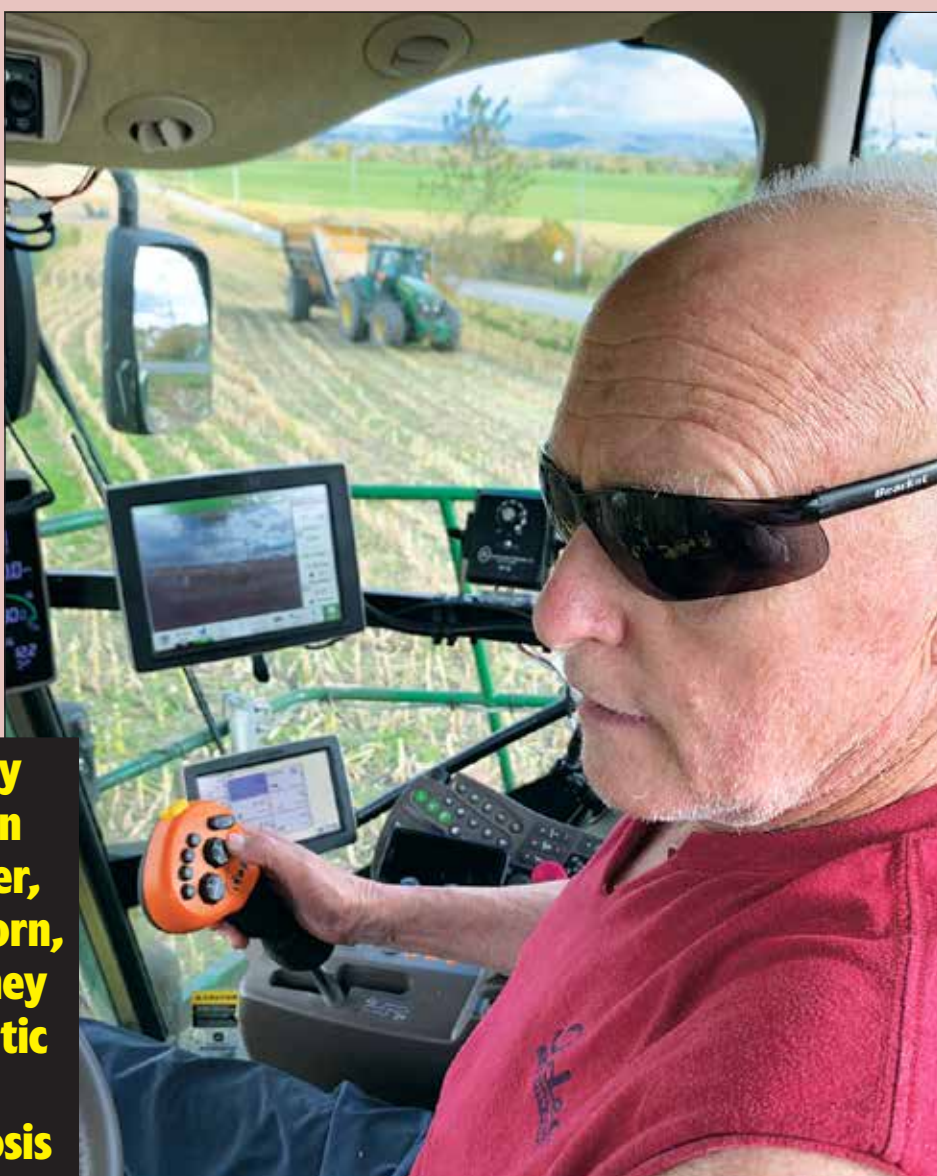
I've been friends with Randy Getty for about 40 years. Kingsbury dairy farmer. Great guy, hard worker, hilarious. We met in a group of us that flew into an isolated Adirondack lake on 4th of July's to camp.

Randy left a message on my cellphone a few weeks back. Offering the chance to ride beside him in the harvester as he cut corn.

I didn't immediately grasp the thrust or the implications.

Randy was doing a fund-raiser, charging \$50 for a half-hour

Randy Getty gave rides in his harvester, chopping corn, raising money vs. pancreatic cancer; his own diagnosis



ride as he cut corn, to benefit **The Pancreatic Cancer Action Network and The Glens Falls Hospital Foundation.**

Randy has pancreatic cancer. Stage 4. Incurable. Found

out in February. Started on a course of heavy chemotherapy.

So there I was in the cab with him Monday. Same Randy. Speaking frankly. Making me

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Halloween happenings!



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Q&A: Readers' take on Israel, Gaza, Hamas

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In our Thursday letter to digital subscribers, this week's question was: What's your take on Israel, Gaza and Hamas — in the aftermath of Hamas's attack on Oct. 7 and what's ongoing?

Many replies. Here are some.

'Good vs. evil exceedingly clear: Democracy or baby beheaders'

This is a tragic mess. But in this case, good and evil are exceedingly clear. You are either with a democratic country; or you are with baby beheaders. There is ABSOLUTELY no middle ground.

The UN established the Israeli state in 1948. Since the first day of its existence, various terrorists have tried to destroy Israel. Of course now, even the UN is in on the act, having

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Webster Ave. resident: Don't ban parking; do 'sharrows' instead

Dear Mark,

My husband and I are residents of Webster Ave. and have been to 2 Common Council meetings that concerned the improvements that are to take place in 2024 to our street. We, as well as all of the residents contacted on Webster, have presented a

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