



# Augustine Family Farm John Augustine & Family Farmer, Father, Purveyor of Happiness Waimanalo, O'ahu



## WHO WE ARE/Mission

- Health & Happiness.
- Bringing it back to where we should be.
- After surviving cancer for the second time I knew that something had to change. What we feed our bodies matter, and eating farm fresh organic fruits and veggies is where I want to start.

## WHY WE FARM

- I love the lifestyle.
- I love being outside.
- I love working with my hands.
- I love getting dirty.
- I love being super tired at the end of the day and sleeping well.
- I love the fact that my kids get to be involved.
- I also love the community out here.

## OUR FARM FUTURE

I want to pass this down to my children if they'd like to stick with it.

Move up to 5 acres, keeping it a small farm.

Moving into animals and fruit trees and diversifying a little bit more.

## WHY GOFARM HAWAII

Left my job in Florida. Wanted to be a farmer. Happened to be in Hawaii on Kauai. I Found GFH online. We packed our bags and moved here so I could do the program. Went thru the program for one year, learned everything you could possibly know about farming and producing and starting a business. What really interested me was the Incubator side of things, where you actually have a chance to be on your own.



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## WORD TO THE WISE

- Its cool to see the local food movement really taking off now. I believe it's a really good business to be in. The demand is high.

## WHAT WE GROW & OFFER

- Banana
- Papayas
- Lilikoi
- Diversified Vegetables
- Beets

## WHERE YOU CAN FIND US

- Instagram @augustinefamilyfarm
- Watch Augustine Family Farm full interview at [www.gofarmhawaii.org](http://www.gofarmhawaii.org)
- Friends with Farms
- [www.augustinefamilyfarm.com](http://www.augustinefamilyfarm.com)