

To Whom It May Concern,

For many years I have watched the RFD TV channel. I am currently 22 years old now and I can remember the day, the very first day that I discovered the RFD TV channel. I was so excited, happy to see that there was a channel devoted to the rural way of life. We have always had Direct TV and as the seasons have passed; my family and I usually make the RFD broadcasting schedule part of our evenings. We value our family time spent with the RFD channel. It is an educational channel, it's a religious channel, and most importantly it keeps this farming family up to date on industry news. New production practices and conservation improvement methods are all broadcast through this wonderful station.

I could continue rambling about how much my family and I truly value the RFD TV. The point of my writing today is to express my extreme sadness and disappointment in learning that corporate executives merging these two companies want to discontinue the RFD channel! This is the most American channel on Direct TV's scheduling. America is my country; I take pride in knowing that I am a citizen of this great country and that I have the privilege to view the content of the channel. Please don't ruin my childhood excitement that I have held onto for oh so many years, my RFD TV channel is very important to me. I and my grandfather farm together in Kentland, Indiana and I cherish my farm and the rural television that I get to watch in the evening. Please Please Please do NOT ruin this channel that many people love to watch.