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Good wishes for the New Year 2015 to all our friends and associates!



In 2015 G-BIACK will continue our mission to reach out to poor farming communities and to empower farmers by teaching them our methods for producing high yields of healthy organic food and improved soil fertility. Over 13,000 farmers have attended our programmes and that is proof of the need that we want to address. In the six years that have passed since we first opened our doors, G-BIACK has built a strong foundation for our services and we have learned a lot along the way that will help us to do more in the future.

In 2015, G-BIACK will focus on these two broad themes:

1. Continuing: Consolidating and strengthening our existing programmes, especially the Food Security Program, the Women Programmes, and the Youth against Poverty Programmes (YAPPS). We will be able to expand our internship programme because we are now able to accommodate interns at our hostel.
2. New: Developing a project to offer market avenues for our farmers' produce. After several years of training, many of our farmers are producing high quality organic farm produce. By partnering with us for value addition, they will compete favorably in the market. Besides income generation for the farmers and for G-BIACK's sustainability programme, this will expand the number of population consuming healthy farm produce.

We know that our readers have plans for the New Year too and we wish you all success in 2015!

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