

## **SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE**

### **Book & Information Resources**

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**Whatley, B.T. 1987. How to Make \$100K Farming 25 Acres.**

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## Online Book & Information Resources

**Agroecology.** <http://www.agroecology.org/index.html>

**ATTRA** <http://attra.ncat.org>

**E~~X~~TENSION** <http://www.extension.org/>

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**Kerr Center for Sustainable Agriculture.** <http://www.kerrcenter.com/>

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**Rodale Institute.** <http://www.rodaleinstitute.org>

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**Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education.** <http://www.sare.org/>

**UF/IFAS/FAMU Small Farm and Alternative Enterprise Program.**

<http://smallfarms.ifas.ufl.edu/>