



## The Bio of Diversity

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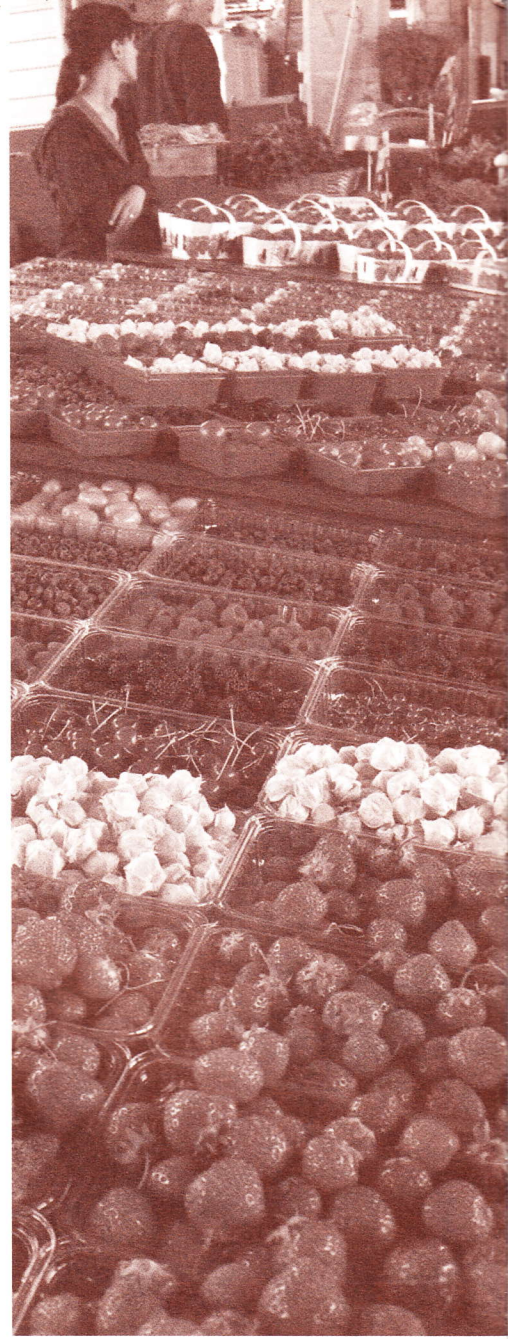
In the beginning  
Elemental ev'rything  
Primordial ooze

Ten thousand BC  
Limits and controls food life  
Domestication

In middle-aged Earth  
Let's all industrialize!  
Waning variety

Soy corn rice and wheat  
Break them down to molecules  
Rebuilt with branding

Phoenix trussed and cooked  
But was it our goose instead?  
Blackened bio-d.



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