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TNC Volunteer Restoration Corps

The healing process of making whole and integrating also includes a return to one's origins...

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*Original Blessing*

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*Johnny Appleseed turned restorationist, a volunteer stoops to plant an acorn inside a protective screen at the site of a riparian restoration project being carried out by The Nature Conservancy along California's Cosumnes River. The project is one of several being carried out by the Conservancy, signalling the organization's growing involvement in restoration--and in working with volunteers--in its efforts to carry out its conservation mission. A story about projects on the Cosumnes and Kern Rivers begins on page 3*

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