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guest:

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Calling All Beings



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00:00:32,950 --> 00:00:08,710
calling all beings y'all

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00:00:38,950 --> 00:00:36,470
and welcome back to calling all beings

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00:00:42,869 --> 00:00:38,960
on a saturday afternoon i'm your host dj

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00:00:46,310 --> 00:00:42,879
along with my amazing co-host nathan at

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00:00:47,590 --> 00:00:46,320
a wave soul he's secret baby

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00:00:50,709 --> 00:00:47,600
what's up y'all

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00:00:53,350 --> 00:00:50,719
yes and today we are very happy

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00:00:56,549 --> 00:00:53,360
to uh to welcome on one of the people

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00:00:58,470 --> 00:00:56,559
that we admire somebody from uap uh uap

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00:01:00,709 --> 00:00:58,480
media uk

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00:01:02,310 --> 00:01:00,719
this man has written a book called

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00:01:06,230 --> 00:01:02,320
nathan

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00:01:07,910 --> 00:01:06,240

ufos before roswell can i get amen amen

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00:01:11,270 --> 00:01:07,920

amen

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00:01:14,230 --> 00:01:11,280

so party people put your hands together

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00:01:16,469 --> 00:01:14,240

for northumbria's own the ucha to

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00:01:17,749 --> 00:01:16,479

bevenburg in the uk

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00:01:19,429 --> 00:01:17,759

graham

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00:01:21,749 --> 00:01:19,439

randall

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00:01:23,030 --> 00:01:21,759

yes

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00:01:25,109 --> 00:01:23,040

hello

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00:01:26,390 --> 00:01:25,119

how are you doing

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00:01:28,149 --> 00:01:26,400

what's up graham

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00:01:31,030 --> 00:01:28,159

good to see you hey great to see you

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00:01:32,789 --> 00:01:31,040

both finally i get somebody uh on air

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00:01:36,789 --> 00:01:32,799
the same age as me because rick doed he

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00:01:41,429 --> 00:01:39,670
dude that guy said he said he was 84.

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00:01:43,830 --> 00:01:41,439
71. he's not now hey you're doing it oh

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00:01:46,310 --> 00:01:43,840
he said 71. for a tall tale now yeah

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00:01:49,030 --> 00:01:46,320
okay 71. he lies about his age does he

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00:01:50,630 --> 00:01:49,040
yeah oh that was cold graham that was a

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00:01:53,030 --> 00:01:50,640
cool thing

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00:01:54,710 --> 00:01:53,040
you just put a shot right across his bow

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00:01:55,990 --> 00:01:54,720
gonna be like yo we gotta turn into the

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00:01:57,749 --> 00:01:56,000
wind

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00:01:59,510 --> 00:01:57,759
that's true no no one knows how old he

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00:02:01,990 --> 00:01:59,520
is that's fair yeah that's a good yeah

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00:02:03,749 --> 00:02:02,000

it's a state secret yeah and after we

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00:02:06,310 --> 00:02:03,759

get into the meat and potatoes of this

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00:02:07,990 --> 00:02:06,320

interview if you have something if you

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00:02:09,350 --> 00:02:08,000

want to discuss that or you have some

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00:02:11,430 --> 00:02:09,360

questions i don't know if you saw the

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00:02:14,229 --> 00:02:11,440

episode but um

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00:02:16,630 --> 00:02:14,239

we were we were quite moved and and with

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00:02:19,030 --> 00:02:16,640

what not only what he revealed but the

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00:02:21,430 --> 00:02:19,040

con the contrition that he showed

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00:02:24,790 --> 00:02:21,440

relative to the campaign he was involved

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00:02:26,550 --> 00:02:24,800

in uh which was a a part of his job

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00:02:28,790 --> 00:02:26,560

yeah i watched i watched the first um

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00:02:29,830 --> 00:02:28,800

half of it um so and i had i had a

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00:02:31,670 --> 00:02:29,840
little time to actually watch the rest

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00:02:32,470 --> 00:02:31,680
of it before advancing this but yeah he

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00:02:37,350 --> 00:02:32,480
came

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00:02:40,150 --> 00:02:37,360
um as he said he was quite contrite um

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00:02:41,750 --> 00:02:40,160
how much of that is enact and how much

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00:02:44,710 --> 00:02:41,760
is that is that kind of programmed into

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00:02:46,630 --> 00:02:44,720
him yeah i don't know you know so i have

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00:02:48,070 --> 00:02:46,640
to bear that in mind i think when i hear

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00:02:48,869 --> 00:02:48,080
everything that comes out of people like

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00:02:53,910 --> 00:02:48,879
that

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00:02:56,710 --> 00:02:53,920
he's a mystery wrapped inside an enigma

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00:02:59,190 --> 00:02:56,720
that's for sure yeah

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00:03:00,869 --> 00:02:59,200

sorry go on no no no you go ahead please

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00:03:02,470 --> 00:03:00,879

sorry if you said it was raining would

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00:03:04,149 --> 00:03:02,480

you have to go outside and check you

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00:03:06,390 --> 00:03:04,159

know it's that kind of thing you know

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00:03:07,670 --> 00:03:06,400

sort of thing no i guess that's that's

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00:03:09,990 --> 00:03:07,680

being unfair to him isn't it yeah i

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00:03:11,430 --> 00:03:10,000

think it's being unfair because uh he

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00:03:14,149 --> 00:03:11,440

said he was quite

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00:03:15,830 --> 00:03:14,159

uh candid when he said uh how much how

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00:03:17,910 --> 00:03:15,840

much information do you think that the

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00:03:19,270 --> 00:03:17,920

us government should should reveal to

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00:03:20,630 --> 00:03:19,280

the american people and he was quite

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00:03:22,229 --> 00:03:20,640

candid and saying you know what there's

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00:03:24,229 --> 00:03:22,239

a lot of things that they can't people

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00:03:26,229 --> 00:03:24,239

can't know there's a lot of classified

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00:03:29,430 --> 00:03:26,239

programs that are going on at all these

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different sites that he mentioned uh and

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00:03:32,550 --> 00:03:30,239

that

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00:03:33,430 --> 00:03:32,560

the reverse engineering and we just

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00:03:35,350 --> 00:03:33,440

wouldn't want to release that

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information but he said the history of

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00:03:39,910 --> 00:03:38,319

it from roswell until now and crashes

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that happened and what we actually

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00:03:44,149 --> 00:03:42,319

really know a hundred percent and i

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think that's fair i think that's very

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00:03:47,830 --> 00:03:46,319

fair because if you ask me that question

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00:03:49,509 --> 00:03:47,840

i'd say the same thing

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00:03:51,110 --> 00:03:49,519

oh very true the only the only thing was

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00:03:52,470 --> 00:03:51,120

with rick doty is that because of his

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track record and what he said in the

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past and what's been sort of approved

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00:03:59,350 --> 00:03:57,040

then you have to take everything he says

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00:04:01,990 --> 00:03:59,360

with a pinch of salt so therefore you

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00:04:03,350 --> 00:04:02,000

can be telling the truth 99 of the time

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00:04:05,110 --> 00:04:03,360

it's not one percent and you don't know

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00:04:07,509 --> 00:04:05,120

what that is and that's the only thing

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that spoils it for me is when i hear

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00:04:09,910 --> 00:04:08,640

them and when i've heard them being

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00:04:11,589 --> 00:04:09,920

interviewed by other people and by

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00:04:13,990 --> 00:04:11,599

yourselves but they're just in the back

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00:04:15,910 --> 00:04:14,000

of my mind that that's always yes but he

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said this before and it's not a trust

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00:04:20,390 --> 00:04:17,759

issue it's just you know a historical

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00:04:21,670 --> 00:04:20,400

issue and obviously because i i look at

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00:04:23,350 --> 00:04:21,680

kind of things where they've

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00:04:25,590 --> 00:04:23,360

subsequently been proved to be false in

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00:04:27,990 --> 00:04:25,600

my book whereas before they were taken

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00:04:29,909 --> 00:04:28,000

as paragons of virtue or rock-solid

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00:04:32,469 --> 00:04:29,919

pieces of evidence and they turned out

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00:04:34,390 --> 00:04:32,479

subsequently not to be uh whereas you

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know mr doty is you know he's actually

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had you know been proved that he

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00:04:41,030 --> 00:04:37,520

actually did lie on behalf of the

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00:04:43,189 --> 00:04:41,040

government on the air force or afosi and

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00:04:44,629 --> 00:04:43,199

therefore you have to then just take

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00:04:46,390 --> 00:04:44,639

with a little pinch of salt everything

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00:04:48,469 --> 00:04:46,400

he says again he could be telling the

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00:04:50,629 --> 00:04:48,479

truth but how do you know exactly how

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00:04:52,629 --> 00:04:50,639

much truth that is well i can point one

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00:04:54,469 --> 00:04:52,639

example he's in direct contrast with

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00:04:57,189 --> 00:04:54,479

what the official statement by the

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00:04:59,510 --> 00:04:57,199

government was what he told us i said

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00:05:02,310 --> 00:04:59,520

give us your percentage he told us about

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how he was briefed into uh the crashes

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00:05:07,029 --> 00:05:04,800

and the being that was recovered uh and

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00:05:09,590 --> 00:05:07,039

the fact that there was two and one in

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an even more remote area of new mexico

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00:05:13,670 --> 00:05:11,759

then corona which is very remote and

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00:05:15,830 --> 00:05:13,680

that's in direct contrast to what the

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government's party line is

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so

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00:05:21,590 --> 00:05:19,840

i mean yeah yeah

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00:05:25,270 --> 00:05:21,600

it's interesting because i think i feel

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that the rick dodi thing to me sort of

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00:05:28,710 --> 00:05:26,960

symbolizes where we are just in general

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00:05:30,390 --> 00:05:28,720

with the topic right so it's it's almost

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00:05:31,270 --> 00:05:30,400

like he's dodied himself right so like

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00:05:33,510 --> 00:05:31,280

we

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00:05:34,790 --> 00:05:33,520

you know you've created uh

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00:05:36,230 --> 00:05:34,800

we've gone to this place and i think he

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00:05:38,150 --> 00:05:36,240

talks about this a little bit in that

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00:05:41,270 --> 00:05:38,160

interview but he hints at it that we've

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00:05:43,430 --> 00:05:41,280

gotten to this place where we all are

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00:05:44,870 --> 00:05:43,440

distrustful of what we hear and i think

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00:05:47,270 --> 00:05:44,880

we we need to be you know we've got to

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00:05:49,350 --> 00:05:47,280

be skeptical uh from what we hear from

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00:05:52,070 --> 00:05:49,360

no matter who is saying it you know just

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00:05:52,950 --> 00:05:52,080

you can't go into this topic without a

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00:05:55,029 --> 00:05:52,960
sort of

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00:05:56,230 --> 00:05:55,039
curiosity and also a healthy dose of

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00:05:57,909 --> 00:05:56,240
skepticism

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00:05:59,990 --> 00:05:57,919
i think we kind of in that way to

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00:06:01,590 --> 00:06:00,000
certain degree we kind of owe rick a

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00:06:03,110 --> 00:06:01,600
little bit of a favor because he's

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00:06:05,510 --> 00:06:03,120
ensured that we're going to look at

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00:06:07,830 --> 00:06:05,520
everything from this uh vantage point

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00:06:08,629 --> 00:06:07,840
and not take it as gospel right out the

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00:06:10,070 --> 00:06:08,639
gate

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00:06:13,029 --> 00:06:10,080
and i will

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00:06:14,390 --> 00:06:13,039
go ahead go ahead go ahead

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00:06:16,070 --> 00:06:14,400

i just want to say one thing i wouldn't

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00:06:17,990 --> 00:06:16,080

ask that you take the totality of what

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00:06:18,710 --> 00:06:18,000

he said and say i'm going to base it on

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00:06:20,550 --> 00:06:18,720

that

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00:06:22,230 --> 00:06:20,560

we're also basing it on all the

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anecdotal evidence from the people that

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were present at the time that did

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00:06:28,070 --> 00:06:26,240

interviews at the time the fact that

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00:06:30,390 --> 00:06:28,080

they actually told us that that it

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00:06:32,469 --> 00:06:30,400

happened by the way was the first thing

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00:06:34,309 --> 00:06:32,479

and then they changed the story and if

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00:06:35,909 --> 00:06:34,319

it's not true it's if it doesn't make

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00:06:37,749 --> 00:06:35,919

sense it's because it's not true then

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00:06:39,990 --> 00:06:37,759
they built this whole stupid campaign

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00:06:42,070 --> 00:06:40,000
that i just like

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00:06:44,390 --> 00:06:42,080
i laugh at when they talk about weather

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00:06:45,350 --> 00:06:44,400
balloons and the secret program over it

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00:06:49,110 --> 00:06:45,360
so

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00:06:50,390 --> 00:06:49,120
when you compile all of that with him

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00:06:51,909 --> 00:06:50,400
look at it from that angle what do you

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00:06:53,350 --> 00:06:51,919
think about that graham

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00:06:54,550 --> 00:06:53,360
i think it's true

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00:06:56,070 --> 00:06:54,560
they've built up so as you say they

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00:06:57,510 --> 00:06:56,080
built up so many stories and for him

187
00:06:59,830 --> 00:06:57,520
just maybe to cut through that and say

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00:07:01,189 --> 00:06:59,840

look it's just that then that's got to

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count for something i think he's

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incredibly brave actually to come

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00:07:06,469 --> 00:07:04,960

forward and keep coming forward after

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00:07:08,790 --> 00:07:06,479

all that's been said and written about

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00:07:10,390 --> 00:07:08,800

him over the years for somebody to still

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00:07:12,150 --> 00:07:10,400

to be there and to take you know for

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00:07:14,150 --> 00:07:12,160

people to take pot shots at him uh in

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00:07:16,070 --> 00:07:14,160

public and in private you know that you

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00:07:18,390 --> 00:07:16,080

know that's a brave man that i would be

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so you have to give him that at least

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00:07:22,390 --> 00:07:20,000

but i still come back to the you know

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the kind of i'm not entirely convinced

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00:07:26,070 --> 00:07:24,160
about everything he says and that's all

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00:07:28,309 --> 00:07:26,080
i can say yeah

203
00:07:30,150 --> 00:07:28,319
that's fair enough but he might do he

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00:07:33,110 --> 00:07:30,160
said he doesn't scare easily he told us

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00:07:35,270 --> 00:07:34,150
would you

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00:07:36,870 --> 00:07:35,280
yeah i mean just what he was talking

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00:07:39,270 --> 00:07:36,880
about he's part of the the kind of um

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00:07:40,790 --> 00:07:39,280
the combat controller um yeah exactly

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00:07:43,029 --> 00:07:40,800
and he's talking about the power jumpers

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00:07:44,469 --> 00:07:43,039
as well but the combat control it was

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00:07:46,629 --> 00:07:44,479
quite intensive and it was quite a kind

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00:07:48,629 --> 00:07:46,639
of well quite dangerous for you know in

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00:07:49,909 --> 00:07:48,639

a sum of dangerous positions it was one

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00:07:51,830 --> 00:07:49,919

of the most dangerous because you were

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00:07:53,830 --> 00:07:51,840

right in the front at the first you know

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00:07:55,430 --> 00:07:53,840

the first hurdle so

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somebody to actually do that from the

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00:08:01,029 --> 00:07:57,039

get-go in the air force must have taken

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a bit of bottle um to to to kind of a uk

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phrase but you know so somebody like

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that then to be picked up by air force

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intelligence you know you're gonna have

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to have a bit of you know have some some

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00:08:13,670 --> 00:08:11,039

metal um that you're not gonna you know

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00:08:15,670 --> 00:08:13,680

take kind of sort of slingshots and and

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00:08:17,350 --> 00:08:15,680

you know harsh words you know and just

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00:08:19,589 --> 00:08:17,360

going to shrink them off aren't you so i

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agree yeah yeah i agree i mean hey he's

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he's got uh his place in ufo history and

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that is something

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00:08:25,909 --> 00:08:24,720

we can't change and i do think it's

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00:08:28,550 --> 00:08:25,919

interesting that he is willing to

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00:08:30,790 --> 00:08:28,560

continue to engage uh i get a sense that

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00:08:32,870 --> 00:08:30,800

that is a mixture of

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you know genuine interest in the topic

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itself as well as

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00:08:39,509 --> 00:08:37,120

uh at least if you take him at his word

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00:08:40,709 --> 00:08:39,519

a sense of um

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00:08:42,310 --> 00:08:40,719

you know trying to write some of the

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wrongs of the past so that he's there's

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a little bit of a guilty conscience

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there i at least that that that's the

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00:08:48,790 --> 00:08:46,640

way that i interpret what he's doing

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00:08:50,389 --> 00:08:48,800

that's possible yeah but also he was

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00:08:52,790 --> 00:08:50,399

obviously quite heavily invested in in

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00:08:54,710 --> 00:08:52,800

terms of you know maybe the lies but he

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00:08:57,110 --> 00:08:54,720

also might have come across some truths

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00:08:58,630 --> 00:08:57,120

on on the road and he and he says he did

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00:09:00,550 --> 00:08:58,640

so therefore that must pick your

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00:09:02,389 --> 00:09:00,560

interest even if you you come into the

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00:09:04,150 --> 00:09:02,399
into without any kind of preconception

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00:09:05,269 --> 00:09:04,160
or even just a negative view of the

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00:09:07,590 --> 00:09:05,279
phenomenon

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00:09:09,269 --> 00:09:07,600
that must change your opinion surely

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00:09:11,350 --> 00:09:09,279
all of us have lied in our lifetime

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00:09:13,670 --> 00:09:11,360
every one of us has been deceptive for

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00:09:15,590 --> 00:09:13,680
one reason or another he passed

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00:09:16,710 --> 00:09:15,600
polygraphs that

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00:09:18,310 --> 00:09:16,720
basically

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00:09:20,949 --> 00:09:18,320
the highest level polygraph you're going

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00:09:23,750 --> 00:09:20,959
to get is like federal law enforcement

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00:09:27,030 --> 00:09:23,760
uh somebody like elizondo that gets that

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00:09:28,389 --> 00:09:27,040

level of of of polygrapher um i've been

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00:09:30,389 --> 00:09:28,399

through one of those by the way it's not

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00:09:31,910 --> 00:09:30,399

a very pleasant experience because you

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00:09:34,470 --> 00:09:31,920

have to talk about your deepest and

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00:09:38,389 --> 00:09:34,480

darkest secrets and the key is not what

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00:09:39,829 --> 00:09:38,399

you did you could tell them

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00:09:42,470 --> 00:09:39,839

let's just say there's there's a there's

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00:09:44,150 --> 00:09:42,480

a wide gulf of things you could talk

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00:09:45,910 --> 00:09:44,160

about that you did wrong but you better

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00:09:47,509 --> 00:09:45,920

talk about them because if you don't

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00:09:48,790 --> 00:09:47,519

they're going to say is that all and

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00:09:51,990 --> 00:09:48,800

that's when the little thing goes like

275

00:09:54,790 --> 00:09:52,000

that yeah so um he he's obviously proved

276

00:09:57,269 --> 00:09:54,800

that he could tell the truth his uh his

277

00:09:59,269 --> 00:09:57,279

job was to not tell the truth and he's

278

00:10:02,150 --> 00:09:59,279

paid the price for that both you know

279

00:10:03,990 --> 00:10:02,160

with but uh the man's had uh you know

280

00:10:07,829 --> 00:10:04,000

state police after that and then

281

00:10:10,470 --> 00:10:07,839

teaching college now uh and and uh so i

282

00:10:12,550 --> 00:10:10,480

find some credibility particularly when

283

00:10:15,110 --> 00:10:12,560

you combine that with all the

284

00:10:17,269 --> 00:10:15,120

significant research and anecdotal

285

00:10:18,550 --> 00:10:17,279

evidence and the fact that the air force

286

00:10:20,710 --> 00:10:18,560

admitted it and when you put all that

287

00:10:21,910 --> 00:10:20,720

together did roswell happen

288

00:10:25,190 --> 00:10:21,920

i believe it

289

00:10:26,790 --> 00:10:25,200

oh yeah 100 percent yeah yeah me too not

290

00:10:29,110 --> 00:10:26,800

necessarily in the exact way that's

291

00:10:30,550 --> 00:10:29,120

portrayed by most people but that's

292

00:10:33,030 --> 00:10:30,560

that's you know that's just

293

00:10:34,230 --> 00:10:33,040

neither here i think people like richard

294

00:10:35,670 --> 00:10:34,240

you know should

295

00:10:37,590 --> 00:10:35,680

should be there we should have people

296

00:10:38,949 --> 00:10:37,600

like like we should have skeptics in

297

00:10:40,870 --> 00:10:38,959

this people

298

00:10:42,150 --> 00:10:40,880

everybody that we know and love in that

299

00:10:43,750 --> 00:10:42,160

kind of side

300

00:10:45,430 --> 00:10:43,760

with people which i'm going to mention

301
00:10:47,910 --> 00:10:45,440
names but we also need people like

302
00:10:49,670 --> 00:10:47,920
richard to be part of the conversation

303
00:10:51,750 --> 00:10:49,680
so we can't just lock them away and

304
00:10:53,590 --> 00:10:51,760
throw away the key because they did

305
00:10:55,430 --> 00:10:53,600
something you know questionable back in

306
00:10:57,030 --> 00:10:55,440
the day they as you say they're part of

307
00:10:58,870 --> 00:10:57,040
the ufo legend

308
00:11:00,949 --> 00:10:58,880
if nothing else so they have an

309
00:11:02,710 --> 00:11:00,959
important they have an important

310
00:11:04,389 --> 00:11:02,720
important story to tell and that you

311
00:11:06,389 --> 00:11:04,399
take out of what you what you want and

312
00:11:07,750 --> 00:11:06,399
what you need and what you think is

313
00:11:09,829 --> 00:11:07,760

truthful

314

00:11:12,470 --> 00:11:09,839

and and nathan the thing is is we have a

315

00:11:15,030 --> 00:11:12,480

very limited amount of people that are

316

00:11:17,910 --> 00:11:15,040

out in the public space that no

317

00:11:19,430 --> 00:11:17,920

sure yeah uh i i don't i'm not even sure

318

00:11:21,590 --> 00:11:19,440

graham probably knows how many we have

319

00:11:22,790 --> 00:11:21,600

that are out in that space i don't know

320

00:11:24,870 --> 00:11:22,800

but uh

321

00:11:26,550 --> 00:11:24,880

but rick rick is one of them that's

322

00:11:28,630 --> 00:11:26,560

actually been briefed into a program so

323

00:11:30,069 --> 00:11:28,640

thank god we have a few people that are

324

00:11:31,670 --> 00:11:30,079

willing to come out that are like okay

325

00:11:34,230 --> 00:11:31,680

what are you going to do to me

326

00:11:36,389 --> 00:11:34,240

you know at this point and i'm sure that

327

00:11:38,710 --> 00:11:36,399

he's got his life secured in a way that

328

00:11:40,230 --> 00:11:38,720

if something were to happen to him it

329

00:11:43,430 --> 00:11:40,240

would not be

330

00:11:44,949 --> 00:11:43,440

it couldn't be obfuscated not in 2021

331

00:11:47,509 --> 00:11:44,959

yeah oh yeah i mean the last thing that

332

00:11:50,230 --> 00:11:47,519

i'll say about this and before we uh

333

00:11:51,990 --> 00:11:50,240

change to change topics here is that uh

334

00:11:53,670 --> 00:11:52,000

i think

335

00:11:56,629 --> 00:11:53,680

you know rick doty

336

00:11:59,430 --> 00:11:56,639

is a product of american culture you

337

00:12:00,790 --> 00:11:59,440

know like we we can't disassociate rick

338

00:12:03,670 --> 00:12:00,800

dodie from

339

00:12:05,590 --> 00:12:03,680

the state that he served and so while we

340

00:12:08,310 --> 00:12:05,600

can take issue with the things that our

341

00:12:11,110 --> 00:12:08,320

states do in our name uh we still must

342

00:12:13,269 --> 00:12:11,120

recognize that we whether we like it or

343

00:12:15,750 --> 00:12:13,279

not are citizens

344

00:12:17,590 --> 00:12:15,760

in these state powers who have to do

345

00:12:19,750 --> 00:12:17,600

things that they think are in the

346

00:12:22,230 --> 00:12:19,760

interest of not only state power but

347

00:12:23,829 --> 00:12:22,240

also the protection of their citizens

348

00:12:25,509 --> 00:12:23,839

and we can we can go back and we can you

349

00:12:27,670 --> 00:12:25,519

know hindsight is always going to be 20

350

00:12:29,110 --> 00:12:27,680

20. we can go back and and adjudicate

351

00:12:30,310 --> 00:12:29,120

what they did in the past and say you

352

00:12:31,590 --> 00:12:30,320

know what we i wouldn't have done it

353

00:12:33,430 --> 00:12:31,600

that way and that that wasn't the right

354

00:12:34,949 --> 00:12:33,440

thing to do but at the time given the

355

00:12:36,949 --> 00:12:34,959

mixture of circumstances and everything

356

00:12:38,470 --> 00:12:36,959

that was going on you know people had to

357

00:12:40,389 --> 00:12:38,480

make a decision that to make a judgment

358

00:12:42,069 --> 00:12:40,399

call on how to do how to move forward

359

00:12:43,590 --> 00:12:42,079

and you know i don't know if i like the

360

00:12:45,190 --> 00:12:43,600

call that they made but it is what they

361

00:12:47,110 --> 00:12:45,200

did and now we're gonna we're kind of

362

00:12:48,949 --> 00:12:47,120

all dealing with the downstream

363

00:12:50,629 --> 00:12:48,959

consequences of that and that's always

364

00:12:52,310 --> 00:12:50,639

going to be true generations from now

365

00:12:54,150 --> 00:12:52,320

we'll look back at this time and they'll

366

00:12:55,590 --> 00:12:54,160

look at what we're doing and saying you

367

00:12:56,629 --> 00:12:55,600

know i wouldn't have done that i can't

368

00:12:58,310 --> 00:12:56,639

believe that they did that you know how

369

00:13:00,710 --> 00:12:58,320

did they allow that to happen you know

370

00:13:02,470 --> 00:13:00,720

it we it we're buried you know in the

371

00:13:03,590 --> 00:13:02,480

time that we find ourselves and that's

372

00:13:05,590 --> 00:13:03,600

just the way that that's just

373

00:13:07,350 --> 00:13:05,600

unfortunately the way that life is

374

00:13:09,430 --> 00:13:07,360

we don't know how many other richard

375

00:13:12,550 --> 00:13:09,440

dodies are out there either do we

376

00:13:14,150 --> 00:13:12,560

exactly exactly yeah i mean

377

00:13:17,430 --> 00:13:14,160

you know graham i know you're not like a

378

00:13:18,710 --> 00:13:17,440

u.s government expert but uh i i

379

00:13:20,949 --> 00:13:18,720

basically

380

00:13:24,470 --> 00:13:20,959

the last question i asked him which i

381

00:13:26,230 --> 00:13:24,480

now kind of regret was asking about mj12

382

00:13:28,150 --> 00:13:26,240

in fact nathan and i had a conversation

383

00:13:30,470 --> 00:13:28,160

yesterday about sometimes things are

384

00:13:32,310 --> 00:13:30,480

better left unsaid um that made him

385

00:13:33,990 --> 00:13:32,320

uncomfortable um

386

00:13:36,230 --> 00:13:34,000

and that was the only time in the in the

387

00:13:39,110 --> 00:13:36,240

entire interview that he was out of

388

00:13:41,269 --> 00:13:39,120

comfort which you can read into that i

389

00:13:43,670 --> 00:13:41,279

know what i read into it but what's your

390

00:13:46,150 --> 00:13:43,680

thought about that construct of being

391

00:13:47,110 --> 00:13:46,160

able to deprive people with the need to

392

00:13:49,189 --> 00:13:47,120

know

393

00:13:50,949 --> 00:13:49,199

information that

394

00:13:52,710 --> 00:13:50,959

somebody decided

395

00:13:55,269 --> 00:13:52,720

shouldn't be known by people that have a

396

00:13:57,189 --> 00:13:55,279

need to know and meet that criteria of

397

00:13:58,710 --> 00:13:57,199

of that especially compartmentalized

398

00:14:03,350 --> 00:13:58,720

information

399

00:14:05,590 --> 00:14:03,360

disseminated to the people who need to

400

00:14:07,750 --> 00:14:05,600

know it but then the people who don't

401
00:14:09,910 --> 00:14:07,760
they have this kind of cloak of secrecy

402
00:14:11,670 --> 00:14:09,920
around it but which has been penetrated

403
00:14:13,269 --> 00:14:11,680
quite a few times over the over the

404
00:14:15,269 --> 00:14:13,279
course of history now if you're talking

405
00:14:17,030 --> 00:14:15,279
about mj12

406
00:14:19,509 --> 00:14:17,040
that's a different kettle of fish

407
00:14:20,710 --> 00:14:19,519
entirely because its own provenance is

408
00:14:23,509 --> 00:14:20,720
questionable

409
00:14:26,470 --> 00:14:23,519
the delivery method that it got into

410
00:14:29,110 --> 00:14:26,480
ufologist hand again is questionable

411
00:14:31,350 --> 00:14:29,120
talking about photocopied documents in

412
00:14:32,550 --> 00:14:31,360
brown paper envelopes shoved under hotel

413
00:14:34,790 --> 00:14:32,560

room doors

414

00:14:36,870 --> 00:14:34,800

or pebbles or people's

415

00:14:38,550 --> 00:14:36,880

houses

416

00:14:40,389 --> 00:14:38,560

wasn't it yeah so you've got this kind

417

00:14:42,069 --> 00:14:40,399

of weird way that it was

418

00:14:43,829 --> 00:14:42,079

you know they got it out there if that's

419

00:14:45,990 --> 00:14:43,839

what they did and it's all setting up

420

00:14:47,110 --> 00:14:46,000

maybe just to set people up for a fall

421

00:14:48,389 --> 00:14:47,120

that's right and i know people like

422

00:14:50,790 --> 00:14:48,399

kevin randle have done you know

423

00:14:52,470 --> 00:14:50,800

significant amounts of work in testing

424

00:14:55,110 --> 00:14:52,480

you know the kind of what what the the

425

00:14:56,629 --> 00:14:55,120

layout and the text and the signatures

426

00:14:59,030 --> 00:14:56,639

and everything else to do with it i'm

427

00:15:00,870 --> 00:14:59,040

not an mj12 expert but for what i read

428

00:15:03,269 --> 00:15:00,880

from him and other people

429

00:15:04,949 --> 00:15:03,279

it's again one of those things that you

430

00:15:06,310 --> 00:15:04,959

know it's been put out there basically

431

00:15:08,550 --> 00:15:06,320

just to send people off you know in the

432

00:15:10,230 --> 00:15:08,560

wrong in the wrong direction yeah for a

433

00:15:12,150 --> 00:15:10,240

lot of things and the best way of

434

00:15:13,590 --> 00:15:12,160

actually hiding kind of truths is to

435

00:15:15,189 --> 00:15:13,600

hide them between you know sorry as to

436

00:15:17,750 --> 00:15:15,199

how to have lies it's tied in between

437

00:15:19,670 --> 00:15:17,760

truths so therefore there'll be quite a

438

00:15:21,430 --> 00:15:19,680

lot in there which is truthful but that

439

00:15:23,189 --> 00:15:21,440

won't be the important stuff you know

440

00:15:25,509 --> 00:15:23,199

it'll be the you're all the kind of way

441

00:15:27,829 --> 00:15:25,519

out there stuff is other lies and it'll

442

00:15:30,710 --> 00:15:27,839

be possibly done for a reason i'm i'm

443

00:15:32,949 --> 00:15:30,720

really when i first heard about m2 mj 12

444

00:15:34,230 --> 00:15:32,959

back in the 90's in the early 90s it was

445

00:15:35,509 --> 00:15:34,240

one of those things that was like wow

446

00:15:37,350 --> 00:15:35,519

you know because i was a bit of a sponge

447

00:15:39,269 --> 00:15:37,360

back then and critical thinking when i

448

00:15:41,590 --> 00:15:39,279

was younger yeah i still had to develop

449

00:15:43,269 --> 00:15:41,600

that um but

450

00:15:44,629 --> 00:15:43,279

that that still kind of thought this is

451

00:15:46,470 --> 00:15:44,639

too good to be true

452

00:15:48,230 --> 00:15:46,480

and i still think that now

453

00:15:50,389 --> 00:15:48,240

um and i've never come across anything

454

00:15:51,990 --> 00:15:50,399

that's sort of like maybe go no actually

455

00:15:54,710 --> 00:15:52,000

there is something to this and it's

456

00:15:57,189 --> 00:15:54,720

probably real um i i just think it was

457

00:15:58,790 --> 00:15:57,199

very convenient at the time because

458

00:16:00,389 --> 00:15:58,800

ufology was on a bit of a downward

459

00:16:02,710 --> 00:16:00,399

spiral at that time and this kind of

460

00:16:07,030 --> 00:16:02,720

perched up not as much as maybe as the

461

00:16:09,350 --> 00:16:07,040

the as the 2000 or the 24 2004 nimitz

462

00:16:10,949 --> 00:16:09,360

counters when they came out in 2017. but

463

00:16:12,069 --> 00:16:10,959

at the time it was quite a big thing i

464

00:16:13,590 --> 00:16:12,079

mean we didn't have the internet we

465

00:16:15,430 --> 00:16:13,600

didn't have social media back then but

466

00:16:17,189 --> 00:16:15,440

for books and magazines it was a huge

467

00:16:19,189 --> 00:16:17,199

thing that's right um

468

00:16:21,590 --> 00:16:19,199

but i just wonder whether it came out

469

00:16:24,150 --> 00:16:21,600

because it was a need to feed you know

470

00:16:25,590 --> 00:16:24,160

this kind of sort of ufology with

471

00:16:27,670 --> 00:16:25,600

something just to throw them off the

472

00:16:29,670 --> 00:16:27,680

call because maybe people were getting

473

00:16:30,949 --> 00:16:29,680

too close to the truth and here oh yeah

474

00:16:32,389 --> 00:16:30,959

you know here's something that sends you

475

00:16:34,150 --> 00:16:32,399

off in a completely different direction

476

00:16:36,230 --> 00:16:34,160

so we'll hide this even further that you

477

00:16:38,310 --> 00:16:36,240

actually got quite close to maybe

478

00:16:39,590 --> 00:16:38,320

something like that well i don't know

479

00:16:41,269 --> 00:16:39,600

i'm just you know talking off the top of

480

00:16:43,829 --> 00:16:41,279

my head here but i still don't

481

00:16:45,590 --> 00:16:43,839

i can't i don't find nj 12 credible

482

00:16:47,350 --> 00:16:45,600

enough to go yeah

483

00:16:50,550 --> 00:16:47,360

definitely something to that right let

484

00:16:52,710 --> 00:16:50,560

me let me disassociate the name um of of

485

00:16:54,870 --> 00:16:52,720

the program and and look at it like this

486

00:16:57,350 --> 00:16:54,880

one of the things that that i used to do

487

00:16:58,710 --> 00:16:57,360

like when i was in town twos is like the

488

00:17:01,030 --> 00:16:58,720

flight doctor would come around and

489

00:17:03,189 --> 00:17:01,040

they'd say or some dv would come around

490

00:17:05,510 --> 00:17:03,199

they'd say hey the person wants to

491

00:17:07,909 --> 00:17:05,520

understand how this works and people

492

00:17:10,470 --> 00:17:07,919

would say hey dj would you explain to me

493

00:17:12,069 --> 00:17:10,480

how it works okay you give me 120

494

00:17:14,630 --> 00:17:12,079

seconds we're going to go up to the nose

495

00:17:16,710 --> 00:17:14,640

of the aircraft and by the time 120

496

00:17:19,350 --> 00:17:16,720

seconds is elapsed i'm going to have you

497

00:17:21,829 --> 00:17:19,360

understand how the tfta radar works and

498

00:17:23,829 --> 00:17:21,839

i go ready go and i and i explain to him

499

00:17:25,990 --> 00:17:23,839

how tfta radar works i'm not gonna do

500

00:17:28,069 --> 00:17:26,000

that here but i like to break things

501
00:17:30,070 --> 00:17:28,079
down to their simplest form because

502
00:17:31,750 --> 00:17:30,080
quite frankly i'm a special ed student

503
00:17:33,350 --> 00:17:31,760
i'm not you know i didn't grow up that

504
00:17:35,669 --> 00:17:33,360
bright uh

505
00:17:38,230 --> 00:17:35,679
but uh and i mean that

506
00:17:40,630 --> 00:17:38,240
but here's what i want to explain to you

507
00:17:42,870 --> 00:17:40,640
if you have to try to hide information

508
00:17:44,150 --> 00:17:42,880
that people have a need to know how do

509
00:17:45,430 --> 00:17:44,160
you do that

510
00:17:47,029 --> 00:17:45,440
because

511
00:17:48,549 --> 00:17:47,039
lou should have known

512
00:17:51,510 --> 00:17:48,559
lou should have been briefed on every

513
00:17:53,669 --> 00:17:51,520

single thing that we had related to ufos

514

00:17:55,430 --> 00:17:53,679

not just oh i went to bigelow lab and

515

00:17:57,430 --> 00:17:55,440

they showed me a piece of material but

516

00:17:58,630 --> 00:17:57,440

anything and everything that we have he

517

00:18:01,990 --> 00:17:58,640

should have known as part of this

518

00:18:03,990 --> 00:18:02,000

program the sec deaf has a need to know

519

00:18:05,669 --> 00:18:04,000

the service the joint chiefs of staff

520

00:18:07,909 --> 00:18:05,679

have a need to know

521

00:18:10,310 --> 00:18:07,919

um the directors of the different what

522

00:18:11,909 --> 00:18:10,320

there's 18 intelligence agencies all

523

00:18:13,270 --> 00:18:11,919

have a need and some may know for all i

524

00:18:15,270 --> 00:18:13,280

know but

525

00:18:17,190 --> 00:18:15,280

you know lou indicates you know kind of

526

00:18:19,270 --> 00:18:17,200

like what he's heard and then supposedly

527

00:18:21,110 --> 00:18:19,280

two guys came in his office that didn't

528

00:18:22,470 --> 00:18:21,120

present credentials and opened a folder

529

00:18:24,390 --> 00:18:22,480

and then closed it and then left and

530

00:18:25,270 --> 00:18:24,400

showed him something and then left

531

00:18:27,590 --> 00:18:25,280

um

532

00:18:30,230 --> 00:18:27,600

so the way that i would do that is i

533

00:18:31,990 --> 00:18:30,240

would create a construct whereby a

534

00:18:34,070 --> 00:18:32,000

certain group of people

535

00:18:35,350 --> 00:18:34,080

would know and compartmentalize this

536

00:18:36,230 --> 00:18:35,360

information

537

00:18:38,789 --> 00:18:36,240

and

538

00:18:40,150 --> 00:18:38,799

that way it would only this group of

539

00:18:42,390 --> 00:18:40,160

people would know whatever you want to

540

00:18:45,830 --> 00:18:42,400

call that group and then people that do

541

00:18:47,750 --> 00:18:45,840

have a need to know won't know

542

00:18:50,230 --> 00:18:47,760

that's where there's efficacy i don't

543

00:18:51,750 --> 00:18:50,240

know if it's called maryjane12 i don't

544

00:18:54,230 --> 00:18:51,760

know what the hell it's called or care

545

00:18:55,029 --> 00:18:54,240

what it's called but that's how you

546

00:18:57,029 --> 00:18:55,039

would

547

00:19:00,789 --> 00:18:57,039

keep things locked away in different

548

00:19:02,630 --> 00:19:00,799

facilities around the country without

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00:19:04,070 --> 00:19:02,640

for example someone on the intelligence

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00:19:06,230 --> 00:19:04,080

committee who would ever need to know

551
00:19:08,310 --> 00:19:06,240
the senate intel committee what that

552
00:19:09,750 --> 00:19:08,320
what those materials are and what kind

553
00:19:11,990 --> 00:19:09,760
of funding they're getting and you heard

554
00:19:14,789 --> 00:19:12,000
christopher merlin say there's stuff out

555
00:19:17,190 --> 00:19:14,799
there and we don't know where it is

556
00:19:19,350 --> 00:19:17,200
christopher mellon the under secretary

557
00:19:22,070 --> 00:19:19,360
of defense for intelligence so to me

558
00:19:23,510 --> 00:19:22,080
that says somebody created something i

559
00:19:26,549 --> 00:19:23,520
don't know how many people it could have

560
00:19:29,270 --> 00:19:26,559
been 27 people i have no idea but

561
00:19:32,390 --> 00:19:29,280
somebody created a construct whereby you

562
00:19:34,630 --> 00:19:32,400
could compartmentalize a program that

563
00:19:37,110 --> 00:19:34,640

everything could be under that program

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00:19:39,029 --> 00:19:37,120

and then everyone who had a need to know

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00:19:40,230 --> 00:19:39,039

wouldn't have the ability to know like

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00:19:42,630 --> 00:19:40,240

the president

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00:19:45,669 --> 00:19:42,640

the original the oca the original

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00:19:47,750 --> 00:19:45,679

classification authority because

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00:19:49,190 --> 00:19:47,760

what can the original classification

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00:19:51,590 --> 00:19:49,200

authority do if he learns that

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00:19:53,909 --> 00:19:51,600

information guys

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00:19:55,669 --> 00:19:53,919

they can declassify it thank you he can

573

00:19:58,230 --> 00:19:55,679

declassify it because he can

574

00:20:00,310 --> 00:19:58,240

declassified any piece of information

575

00:20:01,909 --> 00:20:00,320

that he gets that he wants

576

00:20:03,510 --> 00:20:01,919

so he's the last person that would have

577

00:20:05,510 --> 00:20:03,520

knowing anything about the program

578

00:20:06,470 --> 00:20:05,520

because he has that power

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00:20:11,270 --> 00:20:06,480

it's

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00:20:13,029 --> 00:20:11,280

of subterfuge and things locked away in

581

00:20:14,950 --> 00:20:13,039

these what special access programs and

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00:20:17,350 --> 00:20:14,960

the um and the usaps as well as can't

583

00:20:19,350 --> 00:20:17,360

remember the use of knowledge sorry so

584

00:20:21,110 --> 00:20:19,360

and they're great because apparently in

585

00:20:23,430 --> 00:20:21,120

terms of like disclosure because they're

586

00:20:24,950 --> 00:20:23,440

free from uh fire aren't they

587

00:20:27,110 --> 00:20:24,960

they don't have to and submit to that

588

00:20:29,270 --> 00:20:27,120

process so they're the perfect place to

589

00:20:31,350 --> 00:20:29,280

hide things away and have people signed

590

00:20:33,190 --> 00:20:31,360

into those programs where there's no

591

00:20:34,789 --> 00:20:33,200

public acknowledgement of what they do

592

00:20:36,470 --> 00:20:34,799

and that could be something that's gone

593

00:20:37,510 --> 00:20:36,480

on i don't know i'm not entirely sure

594

00:20:39,270 --> 00:20:37,520

when special

595

00:20:41,510 --> 00:20:39,280

access programs were invented or when

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00:20:43,909 --> 00:20:41,520

they started but that must be something

597

00:20:45,029 --> 00:20:43,919

that's been ongoing for you know quite a

598

00:20:47,510 --> 00:20:45,039

long time

599

00:20:50,549 --> 00:20:47,520

um and that'll be where all these things

600

00:20:52,549 --> 00:20:50,559

hide and reside and the people who as

601
00:20:53,909 --> 00:20:52,559
you say need to have a need to know

602
00:20:56,110 --> 00:20:53,919
that's where they read into and say

603
00:20:57,909 --> 00:20:56,120
right this is what you have but

604
00:20:59,350 --> 00:20:57,919
compartmentalized information i mean

605
00:21:01,190 --> 00:20:59,360
that goes back to what the manhattan

606
00:21:03,029 --> 00:21:01,200
project isn't it so that was a way where

607
00:21:04,549 --> 00:21:03,039
they had you know people didn't know

608
00:21:06,149 --> 00:21:04,559
what other people were working on even

609
00:21:07,909 --> 00:21:06,159
though we're working on on overall the

610
00:21:09,590 --> 00:21:07,919
same thing and of course you have you

611
00:21:11,270 --> 00:21:09,600
know there'll be other projects like

612
00:21:13,350 --> 00:21:11,280
that throughout history where people

613
00:21:14,950 --> 00:21:13,360

were working on little bits of a set of

614

00:21:16,630 --> 00:21:14,960

an overall problem

615

00:21:17,990 --> 00:21:16,640

because that's the best way to stop

616

00:21:19,350 --> 00:21:18,000

everybody from knowing actually what's

617

00:21:21,990 --> 00:21:19,360

happening and you have just have a few

618

00:21:24,149 --> 00:21:22,000

people who who actually know the gist of

619

00:21:25,750 --> 00:21:24,159

it um so they'll probably learn from all

620

00:21:27,510 --> 00:21:25,760

the stuff back in the war in terms of

621

00:21:29,190 --> 00:21:27,520

the manhattan project how to set up

622

00:21:30,470 --> 00:21:29,200

something really secret and keep

623

00:21:32,630 --> 00:21:30,480

everybody from knowing what everybody

624

00:21:34,710 --> 00:21:32,640

else was doing and the general public

625

00:21:36,549 --> 00:21:34,720

from knowing at all what was happening

626
00:21:38,950 --> 00:21:36,559
yeah that's it and then you put out what

627
00:21:40,789 --> 00:21:38,960
you want you chaff what you want you

628
00:21:43,029 --> 00:21:40,799
could put out a whole disinformation

629
00:21:44,950 --> 00:21:43,039
thing that's called mj12 that maybe

630
00:21:46,310 --> 00:21:44,960
there's as i said there could be 27

631
00:21:48,470 --> 00:21:46,320
people there could be five people who

632
00:21:51,270 --> 00:21:48,480
knows i have no idea i'm just saying

633
00:21:53,990 --> 00:21:51,280
that you would have to have a construct

634
00:21:56,830 --> 00:21:54,000
like that to opt to obscure that

635
00:21:59,830 --> 00:21:56,840
information from people who have a

636
00:22:02,310 --> 00:21:59,840
legitimate need to know and i if you

637
00:22:04,230 --> 00:22:02,320
want me to answer that i will get back

638
00:22:07,029 --> 00:22:04,240

with you personally graham and i'll find

639

00:22:09,510 --> 00:22:07,039

out uh from my intel friends when uh

640

00:22:11,590 --> 00:22:09,520

saps were created and and and all that i

641

00:22:14,070 --> 00:22:11,600

just i don't know that answer because i

642

00:22:16,870 --> 00:22:14,080

was too focused on my tasks

643

00:22:18,630 --> 00:22:16,880

when i was in the game so

644

00:22:19,909 --> 00:22:18,640

nice well i see we have a special guest

645

00:22:21,990 --> 00:22:19,919

in the background should we should we

646

00:22:23,909 --> 00:22:22,000

bring bring this person on bring him on

647

00:22:25,350 --> 00:22:23,919

and say something to graham rendell here

648

00:22:28,870 --> 00:22:25,360

we go

649

00:22:30,870 --> 00:22:28,880

hello hey hey graham hey hi chris hey

650

00:22:31,990 --> 00:22:30,880

graham how's it going hello i'm fine

651
00:22:33,430 --> 00:22:32,000
thank you

652
00:22:35,590 --> 00:22:33,440
we spoke on the phone a few weeks ago

653
00:22:38,070 --> 00:22:35,600
didn't we yeah yeah thanks for help and

654
00:22:39,750 --> 00:22:38,080
uh it's good to see you in in person see

655
00:22:41,350 --> 00:22:39,760
yeah you too thank you happy beer i was

656
00:22:43,430 --> 00:22:41,360
just trying i was traveling i'm in uh

657
00:22:45,669 --> 00:22:43,440
colorado springs actually

658
00:22:47,830 --> 00:22:45,679
yeah dj is like hey can you can you come

659
00:22:50,630 --> 00:22:47,840
on this podcast i was in bed i was

660
00:22:57,830 --> 00:22:50,640
totally i was still asleep yeah uh jet

661
00:23:01,909 --> 00:22:59,510
are you going to speak at the academy

662
00:23:04,230 --> 00:23:01,919
what are you doing no not at all it's uh

663
00:23:05,830 --> 00:23:04,240

it's a reunion it was my 20-year reunion

664

00:23:07,350 --> 00:23:05,840

well it was actually uh last year but it

665

00:23:09,029 --> 00:23:07,360

got cancelled

666

00:23:10,470 --> 00:23:09,039

so there was two classes here it was fun

667

00:23:12,549 --> 00:23:10,480

to come back i hadn't been back and

668

00:23:14,549 --> 00:23:12,559

since i got married here actually

669

00:23:17,190 --> 00:23:14,559

um so it's been nice you got married in

670

00:23:19,430 --> 00:23:17,200

the chapel we did

671

00:23:23,029 --> 00:23:21,029

yeah the swords you know they hold the

672

00:23:25,190 --> 00:23:23,039

swords up and you go underneath and then

673

00:23:27,270 --> 00:23:25,200

the last guy slaps your wife's butt with

674

00:23:28,470 --> 00:23:27,280

a sword

675

00:23:31,830 --> 00:23:28,480

that's great there's no way that's going

676

00:23:36,310 --> 00:23:33,669

that tradition yep they've done away

677

00:23:38,789 --> 00:23:36,320

with that that is awesome man oh that's

678

00:23:40,950 --> 00:23:38,799

great to be here thank you um so

679

00:23:42,549 --> 00:23:40,960

nathan's gonna dive in christy do you

680

00:23:44,149 --> 00:23:42,559

have a question you just kind of want to

681

00:23:45,669 --> 00:23:44,159

be part of i was just watching catching

682

00:23:48,549 --> 00:23:45,679

up um i haven't read your book graham

683

00:23:50,630 --> 00:23:48,559

i'm excited to read it actually um

684

00:23:52,630 --> 00:23:50,640

my question was do you think

685

00:23:54,070 --> 00:23:52,640

you know kind of on that same

686

00:23:54,870 --> 00:23:54,080

that same strain you were just talking

687

00:23:57,110 --> 00:23:54,880

about

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00:23:59,190 --> 00:23:57,120

uh do you think that these are

689

00:24:00,549 --> 00:23:59,200

uh human systems you know has it could

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00:24:02,149 --> 00:24:00,559

it be possible that some of this

691

00:24:03,750 --> 00:24:02,159

technology has been

692

00:24:05,990 --> 00:24:03,760

you know squirreled away and then

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00:24:08,230 --> 00:24:06,000

actually stolen if you will to the

694

00:24:09,350 --> 00:24:08,240

public sector you know private

695

00:24:11,430 --> 00:24:09,360

essentially

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00:24:13,269 --> 00:24:11,440

uh through some you know i guess rogue

697

00:24:16,149 --> 00:24:13,279

bands is is that what you're kind of

698

00:24:18,630 --> 00:24:16,159

thinking what do you think is uh is all

699

00:24:20,549 --> 00:24:18,640

all these sightings that we're seeing

700

00:24:21,669 --> 00:24:20,559

in terms of some of the the recent

701
00:24:23,830 --> 00:24:21,679
things then

702
00:24:25,669 --> 00:24:23,840
the the sort of distinction between what

703
00:24:26,950 --> 00:24:25,679
you know it can be man-made and what

704
00:24:28,149 --> 00:24:26,960
people are seeing that's getting quite

705
00:24:29,990 --> 00:24:28,159
blurred now

706
00:24:31,590 --> 00:24:30,000
so the technology in terms of drones and

707
00:24:33,430 --> 00:24:31,600
you know and hypersonic vehicles and all

708
00:24:35,029 --> 00:24:33,440
the rest of it that's closing the gap

709
00:24:36,470 --> 00:24:35,039
between what people are seeing and

710
00:24:39,269 --> 00:24:36,480
traditionally have seen throughout the

711
00:24:41,430 --> 00:24:39,279
decades and what we're you know capable

712
00:24:43,190 --> 00:24:41,440
of actually putting together now that

713
00:24:45,110 --> 00:24:43,200

can't be true however for back in the

714

00:24:46,789 --> 00:24:45,120

war which is what i've written about and

715

00:24:48,870 --> 00:24:46,799

for the reasons i go into the book

716

00:24:50,549 --> 00:24:48,880

because if you look at the history of

717

00:24:52,870 --> 00:24:50,559

you know german sticker weapons and what

718

00:24:54,470 --> 00:24:52,880

was built in terms of jet aircraft and

719

00:24:56,070 --> 00:24:54,480

rocket-powered aircraft and then the

720

00:24:58,470 --> 00:24:56,080

types of missiles and other things that

721

00:25:00,310 --> 00:24:58,480

they were coming up with there's no way

722

00:25:02,390 --> 00:25:00,320

that that that technology could have

723

00:25:04,549 --> 00:25:02,400

accounted for the type of sightings that

724

00:25:08,870 --> 00:25:04,559

were being reported not just on a on an

725

00:25:11,350 --> 00:25:08,880

occasional basis but quite quite often

726

00:25:13,830 --> 00:25:11,360

and and could you tell chris uh i i

727

00:25:15,750 --> 00:25:13,840

listened to some of your interviews um

728

00:25:17,750 --> 00:25:15,760

could you tell them about what you know

729

00:25:19,510 --> 00:25:17,760

some of the compelling ones where uh

730

00:25:22,149 --> 00:25:19,520

basically so we're going into graham's

731

00:25:24,710 --> 00:25:22,159

book and and nathan it's it's called uh

732

00:25:25,909 --> 00:25:24,720

say what it is again ufos before roswell

733

00:25:27,190 --> 00:25:25,919

there's what it is

734

00:25:29,350 --> 00:25:27,200

you can see the foo fighters on the

735

00:25:31,750 --> 00:25:29,360

cover it's a you know it's amazing you

736

00:25:33,669 --> 00:25:31,760

did a great job on your cover

737

00:25:34,950 --> 00:25:33,679

the cover there so that's dan zetastrom

738

00:25:36,710 --> 00:25:34,960

and uh

739

00:25:39,590 --> 00:25:36,720

yeah and i'll talk about this one

740

00:25:41,269 --> 00:25:39,600

because this is march 1942. so

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00:25:42,630 --> 00:25:41,279

what was the accepted wisdom about the

742

00:25:45,350 --> 00:25:42,640

start of the foo fighters was november

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00:25:46,789 --> 00:25:45,360

1944 and for about 50 years people

744

00:25:48,950 --> 00:25:46,799

people thought that's when it started

745

00:25:50,950 --> 00:25:48,960

but actually it started a lot earlier um

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00:25:52,950 --> 00:25:50,960

so if you go to the rf records and and

747

00:25:55,029 --> 00:25:52,960

and sightings you'll find that you can

748

00:25:57,350 --> 00:25:55,039

push that date much further back so this

749

00:25:59,190 --> 00:25:57,360

is march 1942. it's a month after the

750

00:26:02,470 --> 00:25:59,200

so-called battle of los angeles where

751
00:26:04,950 --> 00:26:02,480
that mystery object you know had 1400 um

752
00:26:07,029 --> 00:26:04,960
rounds of anti-aircraft fire um you know

753
00:26:09,110 --> 00:26:07,039
aimed at it and fired at it and nothing

754
00:26:11,029 --> 00:26:09,120
happened and it flew all the way down

755
00:26:13,430 --> 00:26:11,039
past long beach and and further south

756
00:26:15,590 --> 00:26:13,440
and then came back again up the coast

757
00:26:17,909 --> 00:26:15,600
and say if that had been a balloon it

758
00:26:18,870 --> 00:26:17,919
would have been shredded by that much uh

759
00:26:20,549 --> 00:26:18,880
aaa

760
00:26:22,310 --> 00:26:20,559
um they didn't send aircraft up after it

761
00:26:23,669 --> 00:26:22,320
for some strange reason uh but again it

762
00:26:25,750 --> 00:26:23,679
was really early in the war for the

763
00:26:27,110 --> 00:26:25,760

american for the local air defenses and

764

00:26:28,950 --> 00:26:27,120

i don't think that

765

00:26:30,549 --> 00:26:28,960

really got their act together at that

766

00:26:31,590 --> 00:26:30,559

stage but there were plenty of war

767

00:26:33,669 --> 00:26:31,600

nerves

768

00:26:36,630 --> 00:26:33,679

this is a month afterwards and this is a

769

00:26:38,950 --> 00:26:36,640

an raf wellington bomber which is flying

770

00:26:40,549 --> 00:26:38,960

to essen in the rura in germany and they

771

00:26:42,070 --> 00:26:40,559

just dropped the bombs on the target and

772

00:26:43,909 --> 00:26:42,080

they're turning for home and they're

773

00:26:45,190 --> 00:26:43,919

just getting out of the target area and

774

00:26:46,710 --> 00:26:45,200

this is actually a polish crude

775

00:26:48,710 --> 00:26:46,720

wellington because there were various

776

00:26:50,390 --> 00:26:48,720

polish volunteer squadrons in the raf it

777

00:26:51,350 --> 00:26:50,400

was 301 squadron

778

00:26:53,510 --> 00:26:51,360

and

779

00:26:56,549 --> 00:26:53,520

the the rear gunner noticed some a

780

00:26:58,070 --> 00:26:56,559

copper-coloured disc shape light coming

781

00:26:59,750 --> 00:26:58,080

up behind them

782

00:27:01,110 --> 00:26:59,760

he shouted a warning to the pilot

783

00:27:03,110 --> 00:27:01,120

through the intercom

784

00:27:05,830 --> 00:27:03,120

and the pilot said to him looking if it

785

00:27:07,190 --> 00:27:05,840

gets you know too close open fire in it

786

00:27:09,430 --> 00:27:07,200

because everybody just thought it was a

787

00:27:11,110 --> 00:27:09,440

night fight it was a luffa night fighter

788

00:27:14,310 --> 00:27:11,120

what else would it be

789

00:27:15,669 --> 00:27:14,320

things like flying saucers ufos all that

790

00:27:17,510 --> 00:27:15,679

kind of thing those words weren't in

791

00:27:19,029 --> 00:27:17,520

people's lexicons they weren't even on

792

00:27:22,149 --> 00:27:19,039

their radar that was for five years in

793

00:27:24,630 --> 00:27:22,159

the future so the gunner julie opened

794

00:27:26,389 --> 00:27:24,640

fire with you know with with the the

795

00:27:28,549 --> 00:27:26,399

bullets from he's three or three uh

796

00:27:29,990 --> 00:27:28,559

point three or three inch machine guns

797

00:27:31,990 --> 00:27:30,000

in the in east um

798

00:27:34,470 --> 00:27:32,000

in his tail turrets and you can see the

799

00:27:36,870 --> 00:27:34,480

tracer um going out at this this light

800

00:27:38,630 --> 00:27:36,880

and the bullets and just went into it

801
00:27:41,029 --> 00:27:38,640
and nothing happened

802
00:27:43,269 --> 00:27:41,039
nothing happened it's crazy it just it

803
00:27:45,510 --> 00:27:43,279
just sat there at a set distance from

804
00:27:46,950 --> 00:27:45,520
the tail of the aircraft and then after

805
00:27:49,110 --> 00:27:46,960
a while so you squirt

806
00:27:50,549 --> 00:27:49,120
they didn't host pipe rounds of these

807
00:27:52,230 --> 00:27:50,559
things you know they conserved

808
00:27:54,549 --> 00:27:52,240
ammunition so it was short bursts of

809
00:27:56,470 --> 00:27:54,559
ammunition but every time the fire

810
00:27:57,190 --> 00:27:56,480
they're gonna fire it it just went in

811
00:27:58,630 --> 00:27:57,200
and

812
00:28:00,630 --> 00:27:58,640
well absorbed it for one of the better

813
00:28:02,870 --> 00:28:00,640

phrase because what else happened there

814

00:28:04,549 --> 00:28:02,880

was no damage the the thing didn't fall

815

00:28:06,870 --> 00:28:04,559

out the sky didn't fall away in flames

816

00:28:08,630 --> 00:28:06,880

it didn't move out the way it just took

817

00:28:10,710 --> 00:28:08,640

the punishment

818

00:28:12,950 --> 00:28:10,720

so after a little while it then moved

819

00:28:14,789 --> 00:28:12,960

around to the wing tip of the aircraft

820

00:28:18,400 --> 00:28:14,799

and sat there

821

00:28:21,669 --> 00:28:19,510

[Laughter]

822

00:28:23,190 --> 00:28:21,679

now according to the pilot who was the

823

00:28:25,510 --> 00:28:23,200

person who it was the witness who

824

00:28:27,669 --> 00:28:25,520

reported the incident he then said that

825

00:28:29,510 --> 00:28:27,679

both the tail and the nose guns because

826

00:28:31,190 --> 00:28:29,520

it was they didn't have dorsal turrets

827

00:28:33,590 --> 00:28:31,200

on these aircraft it was just a front

828

00:28:35,269 --> 00:28:33,600

and a back turret they both could aim

829

00:28:37,510 --> 00:28:35,279

and fire at the object at the same time

830

00:28:39,830 --> 00:28:37,520

i did a bit of trigonometry because the

831

00:28:41,510 --> 00:28:39,840

actual capabilities of the tail turret

832

00:28:43,110 --> 00:28:41,520

so you didn't shoot your tail off meant

833

00:28:45,510 --> 00:28:43,120

that you could only fire to a certain

834

00:28:46,789 --> 00:28:45,520

degree and it was about 89 degrees so i

835

00:28:49,190 --> 00:28:46,799

worked out that this thing had to be

836

00:28:51,029 --> 00:28:49,200

1500 yards off the off the port wing of

837

00:28:52,389 --> 00:28:51,039

the air of the wing of the aircraft

838

00:28:54,149 --> 00:28:52,399

before they could open fire but they

839

00:28:55,510 --> 00:28:54,159

could it was possible but it had to be a

840

00:28:57,190 --> 00:28:55,520

bit of a distance

841

00:28:58,230 --> 00:28:57,200

so i'm reading between the lines here a

842

00:29:00,230 --> 00:28:58,240

bit and it might be a little bit of

843

00:29:01,990 --> 00:29:00,240

exaggeration so at one point either they

844

00:29:03,750 --> 00:29:02,000

were firing together or at separate

845

00:29:06,870 --> 00:29:03,760

stages but at one point certainly the

846

00:29:08,950 --> 00:29:06,880

nose gun started firing at the um at

847

00:29:10,950 --> 00:29:08,960

this light and that would have been the

848

00:29:12,470 --> 00:29:10,960

navigator uh or the bomb aimer because

849

00:29:14,549 --> 00:29:12,480

they had like a dual roll uh there was

850

00:29:16,230 --> 00:29:14,559

no nose gunner as such they had to fill

851

00:29:18,389 --> 00:29:16,240

in for that that detail

852

00:29:19,750 --> 00:29:18,399

and then again it was firing and the

853

00:29:21,269 --> 00:29:19,760

light and the bullets just went into the

854

00:29:22,389 --> 00:29:21,279

light nothing happened it then moved

855

00:29:23,909 --> 00:29:22,399

around the front of the aircraft and

856

00:29:25,510 --> 00:29:23,919

maintained position

857

00:29:27,430 --> 00:29:25,520

a step distance away from the nose of

858

00:29:29,430 --> 00:29:27,440

the aircraft and just you know they were

859

00:29:31,350 --> 00:29:29,440

padding it as it was effectively flying

860

00:29:32,630 --> 00:29:31,360

backwards or whatever because they were

861

00:29:34,389 --> 00:29:32,640

following it through the skies over

862

00:29:36,310 --> 00:29:34,399

germany and then it just shot off in the

863

00:29:38,070 --> 00:29:36,320

distance at a 45 degree angle and it was

864

00:29:44,310 --> 00:29:38,080

lost to sight within seconds

865

00:29:47,830 --> 00:29:46,310

yeah cool yeah do you know um so the

866

00:29:49,510 --> 00:29:47,840

bullets right when they see the bullets

867

00:29:50,950 --> 00:29:49,520

going off and you have the tracers you

868

00:29:52,070 --> 00:29:50,960

know you have bullet jobs so it's pretty

869

00:29:54,310 --> 00:29:52,080

obvious

870

00:29:55,990 --> 00:29:54,320

did they see him stop at the object you

871

00:29:57,350 --> 00:29:56,000

know or did they see it go through you

872

00:29:58,710 --> 00:29:57,360

know because you could if it's like a

873

00:29:59,990 --> 00:29:58,720

light or something you could see it go

874

00:30:01,990 --> 00:30:00,000

through i understand yeah i understand

875

00:30:04,470 --> 00:30:02,000

the bullet job all i can say is that the

876

00:30:05,990 --> 00:30:04,480

tracers they saw them enter the the

877

00:30:07,909 --> 00:30:06,000

lights

878

00:30:09,830 --> 00:30:07,919

i guess or maybe they there's nothing no

879

00:30:11,909 --> 00:30:09,840

nothing coming out the other side or you

880

00:30:13,430 --> 00:30:11,919

know or fragments coming off the light

881

00:30:14,870 --> 00:30:13,440

in case they hit an aircraft or anything

882

00:30:17,190 --> 00:30:14,880

like that it literally just sat there

883

00:30:18,789 --> 00:30:17,200

and took it um which to them was really

884

00:30:21,029 --> 00:30:18,799

strange you know it was terrifying

885

00:30:22,789 --> 00:30:21,039

presumably because if it was any kind of

886

00:30:24,310 --> 00:30:22,799

enemy weapon and you're firing it and

887

00:30:25,269 --> 00:30:24,320

it's invulnerable then you've got a big

888

00:30:26,789 --> 00:30:25,279

problem

889

00:30:29,029 --> 00:30:26,799

um now

890

00:30:31,029 --> 00:30:29,039

not only had that aircraft's crew seen

891

00:30:33,350 --> 00:30:31,039

this light but the wellington bomber in

892

00:30:35,029 --> 00:30:33,360

the format in the stream of aircraft

893

00:30:36,630 --> 00:30:35,039

over germany behind them

894

00:30:38,310 --> 00:30:36,640

might have been a mile or two away but

895

00:30:39,909 --> 00:30:38,320

they saw the light as well behind the

896

00:30:41,750 --> 00:30:39,919

aircraft

897

00:30:44,149 --> 00:30:41,760

when they got back to the to base for

898

00:30:45,510 --> 00:30:44,159

the briefing the pilot of the aircraft

899

00:30:48,310 --> 00:30:45,520

would have the sighting and then fired

900

00:30:50,070 --> 00:30:48,320

at the aircraft they they also talked to

901
00:30:51,350 --> 00:30:50,080
the intelligence officer for the debrief

902
00:30:52,950 --> 00:30:51,360
and he turned around and said to them

903
00:30:57,190 --> 00:30:52,960
have you been drinking because that was

904
00:30:59,750 --> 00:30:57,200
a standard response for things like this

905
00:31:02,310 --> 00:30:59,760
there was a stigma back then yes

906
00:31:04,070 --> 00:31:02,320
that stigma stays today but that was

907
00:31:06,310 --> 00:31:04,080
also this is an early version of it they

908
00:31:08,230 --> 00:31:06,320
were told either you're seeing things or

909
00:31:09,909 --> 00:31:08,240
are you um wanting to get away from

910
00:31:11,750 --> 00:31:09,919
flight duties like lackamora fiber

911
00:31:13,669 --> 00:31:11,760
because you were branded as a coward

912
00:31:14,789 --> 00:31:13,679
because the raf had this particular way

913
00:31:16,230 --> 00:31:14,799

that if you didn't want to do flight

914

00:31:17,830 --> 00:31:16,240

dude anymore because you were

915

00:31:19,590 --> 00:31:17,840

volunteering then you were effectively

916

00:31:21,190 --> 00:31:19,600

unfit for combat but you'd be reduced to

917

00:31:22,789 --> 00:31:21,200

the ranks and that's what they did and

918

00:31:24,470 --> 00:31:22,799

they put like white bands around your

919

00:31:25,830 --> 00:31:24,480

cap and things like that and you were

920

00:31:27,990 --> 00:31:25,840

basically the lowest of the low on a

921

00:31:29,990 --> 00:31:28,000

station so um you know people didn't

922

00:31:32,470 --> 00:31:30,000

want to go through that so people

923

00:31:34,070 --> 00:31:32,480

usually kept quiet about such things

924

00:31:35,909 --> 00:31:34,080

um now

925

00:31:37,990 --> 00:31:35,919

in a lot of fighter squadrons and

926
00:31:39,990 --> 00:31:38,000
particularly 173 squadron which flew

927
00:31:41,909 --> 00:31:40,000
hurricanes on the north african front

928
00:31:44,470 --> 00:31:41,919
they were flying night intruder missions

929
00:31:45,430 --> 00:31:44,480
over um various parts of the western

930
00:31:47,509 --> 00:31:45,440
desert

931
00:31:48,870 --> 00:31:47,519
now they they're pilots and this was a

932
00:31:50,950 --> 00:31:48,880
single-seat fighter for ground attack

933
00:31:52,950 --> 00:31:50,960
aircraft uh ground attack aircraft with

934
00:31:55,750 --> 00:31:52,960
armed with 20 millimeter cannon

935
00:31:57,430 --> 00:31:55,760
now their pilots had seen what they

936
00:31:59,590 --> 00:31:57,440
called the light and that was an raf

937
00:32:01,350 --> 00:31:59,600
nickname for these things

938
00:32:03,350 --> 00:32:01,360

but there was a lot of ridicule in the

939

00:32:04,789 --> 00:32:03,360

squadron because you know if somebody on

940

00:32:06,149 --> 00:32:04,799

your mates when your colleague comes up

941

00:32:07,509 --> 00:32:06,159

and says you know i've been chased

942

00:32:09,750 --> 00:32:07,519

around by this light and i can't get it

943

00:32:10,710 --> 00:32:09,760

off my tail um i fired it and nothing

944

00:32:12,870 --> 00:32:10,720

happened

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00:32:14,389 --> 00:32:12,880

then you know well you know have you

946

00:32:16,070 --> 00:32:14,399

been drinking you know are you seeing

947

00:32:17,190 --> 00:32:16,080

things are you going mad all this kind

948

00:32:18,710 --> 00:32:17,200

of stuff there was there was a lot of

949

00:32:21,190 --> 00:32:18,720

stigma there was a lot of this kind of

950

00:32:23,029 --> 00:32:21,200

uh ridicule and a lot of uh name calling

951
00:32:25,190 --> 00:32:23,039
and all this so people shut up but

952
00:32:27,269 --> 00:32:25,200
actually this particular squadron most

953
00:32:29,190 --> 00:32:27,279
of the pilots ended up seeing it

954
00:32:31,509 --> 00:32:29,200
and there's one particular story it was

955
00:32:33,909 --> 00:32:31,519
actually a letter that one of the former

956
00:32:39,110 --> 00:32:33,919
pilots wrote to the new zealand air

957
00:32:44,389 --> 00:32:42,389
she's probably getting a call oh okay so

958
00:32:45,990 --> 00:32:44,399
what i want to ask and and chris i don't

959
00:32:48,789 --> 00:32:46,000
know if this popped into your mind but

960
00:32:50,470 --> 00:32:48,799
in terms of debrief of a crew aircraft i

961
00:32:52,789 --> 00:32:50,480
know something you're not all that

962
00:32:53,830 --> 00:32:52,799
uh that part of it but did he get back

963
00:32:55,430 --> 00:32:53,840

up on that

964

00:32:57,269 --> 00:32:55,440

like in other words did the rest of the

965

00:32:59,269 --> 00:32:57,279

crew go yeah i saw that yeah that

966

00:33:01,669 --> 00:32:59,279

happened because you get one or two

967

00:33:04,870 --> 00:33:01,679

defectors and you're screwed if you got

968

00:33:05,750 --> 00:33:04,880

like a six or seven person crew

969

00:33:06,950 --> 00:33:05,760

yeah

970

00:33:08,710 --> 00:33:06,960

if one of them says i didn't see

971

00:33:10,470 --> 00:33:08,720

anything does that shut down the whole

972

00:33:12,789 --> 00:33:10,480

discussion you know i've never been in a

973

00:33:13,590 --> 00:33:12,799

crew debrief uh aircraft debrief i don't

974

00:33:15,350 --> 00:33:13,600

know

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00:33:17,430 --> 00:33:15,360

every single flight

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00:33:18,549 --> 00:33:17,440

yeah well at least in afscock every

977

00:33:19,909 --> 00:33:18,559

single flight

978

00:33:22,310 --> 00:33:19,919

so is that what

979

00:33:23,430 --> 00:33:22,320

you guys just talk at the end so i yeah

980

00:33:25,029 --> 00:33:23,440

my question to graham would have been

981

00:33:27,590 --> 00:33:25,039

like how many people is in the is on a

982

00:33:28,950 --> 00:33:27,600

crew you know i'm just curious

983

00:33:30,789 --> 00:33:28,960

sorry about that

984

00:33:33,430 --> 00:33:30,799

you know and then they discuss

985

00:33:35,029 --> 00:33:33,440

no problem yeah they discuss uh

986

00:33:36,310 --> 00:33:35,039

hey did you guys see that off the left

987

00:33:38,389 --> 00:33:36,320

wing and then

988

00:33:40,070 --> 00:33:38,399

you know is it one person that says i

989

00:33:42,149 --> 00:33:40,080

think it was a flying candle you know

990

00:33:43,590 --> 00:33:42,159

right yeah yeah or i didn't see anything

991

00:33:45,830 --> 00:33:43,600

it was just a shiny it was a bright

992

00:33:47,590 --> 00:33:45,840

light or something a star um and then

993

00:33:48,549 --> 00:33:47,600

that shuts it down you know is there

994

00:33:49,509 --> 00:33:48,559

like a

995

00:33:51,430 --> 00:33:49,519

is there a

996

00:33:53,110 --> 00:33:51,440

i guess a mind meld at the end of the

997

00:33:54,470 --> 00:33:53,120

debrief you know which could

998

00:33:56,149 --> 00:33:54,480

could make it go the wrong way you know

999

00:33:57,750 --> 00:33:56,159

if they're like oh one guy's like hey i

1000

00:33:59,430 --> 00:33:57,760

saw a light out there right and you

1001
00:34:01,509 --> 00:33:59,440
could say that well he talked him into

1002
00:34:03,190 --> 00:34:01,519
saying that they see this object you

1003
00:34:06,149 --> 00:34:03,200
know i was just curious how many people

1004
00:34:08,149 --> 00:34:06,159
are on a crew five um okay five people

1005
00:34:09,589 --> 00:34:08,159
awesome yeah but they all saw all of the

1006
00:34:11,510 --> 00:34:09,599
pilots

1007
00:34:13,829 --> 00:34:11,520
according to that it was the the

1008
00:34:15,190 --> 00:34:13,839
the tailgater the the bomb aimer who was

1009
00:34:17,909 --> 00:34:15,200
filling in for the for the nose gonna

1010
00:34:20,710 --> 00:34:17,919
and the pilot they all reported it so

1011
00:34:22,550 --> 00:34:20,720
that they make that what you will um in

1012
00:34:25,270 --> 00:34:22,560
terms of the one sorry the story i was i

1013
00:34:27,430 --> 00:34:25,280

got because my my headphones my earbuds

1014

00:34:29,669 --> 00:34:27,440

decided to give up um

1015

00:34:31,190 --> 00:34:29,679

so 73 squadron in north africa and this

1016

00:34:33,270 --> 00:34:31,200

particular pilot wrote to the new

1017

00:34:34,710 --> 00:34:33,280

zealand air force in 1955 after a

1018

00:34:36,710 --> 00:34:34,720

particular sighting and he said look he

1019

00:34:38,230 --> 00:34:36,720

might be interested in this details and

1020

00:34:40,629 --> 00:34:38,240

he was flying over the desert one night

1021

00:34:42,389 --> 00:34:40,639

on a raid against german targets and he

1022

00:34:44,230 --> 00:34:42,399

was again followed by one of these

1023

00:34:45,750 --> 00:34:44,240

lights and he and it was just setting

1024

00:34:48,629 --> 00:34:45,760

off his wingtip all the time and he

1025

00:34:50,950 --> 00:34:48,639

managed to get because it's he said his

1026
00:34:52,629 --> 00:34:50,960
reactions were slow and slow enough that

1027
00:34:53,990 --> 00:34:52,639
occasionally he could actually get

1028
00:34:56,790 --> 00:34:54,000
behind it

1029
00:34:58,230 --> 00:34:56,800
and open fire at it so several times the

1030
00:34:59,510 --> 00:34:58,240
open fire was with these twenty these

1031
00:35:01,430 --> 00:34:59,520
four twenty millimeter cannon that he

1032
00:35:03,750 --> 00:35:01,440
had under you know on the wings

1033
00:35:05,510 --> 00:35:03,760
again to no effect the light just stayed

1034
00:35:07,750 --> 00:35:05,520
there and it followed him as far as the

1035
00:35:09,750 --> 00:35:07,760
his front line and then it sort of faded

1036
00:35:11,109 --> 00:35:09,760
out but not completely and then he

1037
00:35:13,270 --> 00:35:11,119
turned back to try and resume his

1038
00:35:15,750 --> 00:35:13,280

mission and it was back again

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00:35:17,670 --> 00:35:15,760

so for a german secret weapon it wasn't

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00:35:19,349 --> 00:35:17,680

particularly effective because it wasn't

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00:35:21,829 --> 00:35:19,359

doing anything to him wasn't you know

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00:35:23,589 --> 00:35:21,839

and also with the one over essen you

1043

00:35:25,030 --> 00:35:23,599

know if this was some kind of german

1044

00:35:26,950 --> 00:35:25,040

anti-aircraft rocket or some kind of

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00:35:32,069 --> 00:35:26,960

scared fire device

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00:35:35,190 --> 00:35:33,990

the polish crew dropping their bombs on

1047

00:35:37,030 --> 00:35:35,200

the target

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00:35:39,190 --> 00:35:37,040

it was you know it was there afterwards

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00:35:41,510 --> 00:35:39,200

it didn't destroy the aircraft because

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00:35:42,870 --> 00:35:41,520

they came back to tell the tale so what

1051
00:35:44,870 --> 00:35:42,880
was it you know if it was something

1052
00:35:46,470 --> 00:35:44,880
german what was its purpose other than

1053
00:35:48,230 --> 00:35:46,480
just to give them a bit of a fright well

1054
00:35:49,670 --> 00:35:48,240
they got frights anyway you know that

1055
00:35:51,430 --> 00:35:49,680
was that was just like standard

1056
00:35:53,349 --> 00:35:51,440
procedure for every every night they

1057
00:35:54,950 --> 00:35:53,359
flew over germany or anywhere else you

1058
00:35:56,550 --> 00:35:54,960
know they were scared of their wits most

1059
00:35:58,950 --> 00:35:56,560
of the time so

1060
00:36:00,950 --> 00:35:58,960
it was it was a case of well yeah

1061
00:36:02,150 --> 00:36:00,960
there's so what are these so i go

1062
00:36:04,470 --> 00:36:02,160
through those kind of things in the book

1063
00:36:06,230 --> 00:36:04,480

to say well why why do these things not

1064

00:36:07,430 --> 00:36:06,240

do anything beyond just flying around on

1065

00:36:08,870 --> 00:36:07,440

wing tips

1066

00:36:11,270 --> 00:36:08,880

and scare people they don't do anything

1067

00:36:13,670 --> 00:36:11,280

offensive and that's actually where a

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00:36:15,349 --> 00:36:13,680

lot of the the kind of questioning went

1069

00:36:17,190 --> 00:36:15,359

because some intelligence officers one

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00:36:18,950 --> 00:36:17,200

particular one said look you know did it

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00:36:20,550 --> 00:36:18,960

do anything to your aircraft

1072

00:36:22,310 --> 00:36:20,560

and they said well no it just followed

1073

00:36:23,829 --> 00:36:22,320

us well it's not a very it's not a very

1074

00:36:26,310 --> 00:36:23,839

good weapon then is it you know that's

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00:36:28,630 --> 00:36:26,320

the thing that was saying you know so

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00:36:30,069 --> 00:36:28,640

right it's it's a it's a conundrum it is

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00:36:31,190 --> 00:36:30,079

right

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00:36:33,270 --> 00:36:31,200

and graham i guess i have a question

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00:36:35,190 --> 00:36:33,280

about this so do you in your estimation

1080

00:36:37,829 --> 00:36:35,200

do you feel that over time

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00:36:40,150 --> 00:36:37,839

uh this began to get under reported so

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00:36:41,190 --> 00:36:40,160

because it was benign or deemed to be

1083

00:36:43,270 --> 00:36:41,200

benign

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00:36:47,750 --> 00:36:43,280

after maybe a few reports do you think

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00:36:49,510 --> 00:36:47,760

that the actual record is uh is is less

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00:36:51,510 --> 00:36:49,520

uh stacked than it really

1087

00:36:54,069 --> 00:36:51,520

should have been it's difficult to work

1088

00:36:56,310 --> 00:36:54,079

that out nathan because the nature in

1089

00:36:57,829 --> 00:36:56,320

terms of just looking at royal air force

1090

00:36:59,109 --> 00:36:57,839

records the official records for the

1091

00:37:01,750 --> 00:36:59,119

mission logs

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00:37:03,270 --> 00:37:01,760

it's very patchy so um i've looked at

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00:37:05,349 --> 00:37:03,280

american records so i can i know the

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00:37:08,150 --> 00:37:05,359

difference but in terms of the raf the

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00:37:09,589 --> 00:37:08,160

bomber units then it was all down to

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00:37:11,510 --> 00:37:09,599

almost the whim of the officials who

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00:37:12,790 --> 00:37:11,520

were writing up the reports

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00:37:14,630 --> 00:37:12,800

now i'll say they'll go through the

1099

00:37:16,710 --> 00:37:14,640

debrief process but how much of that

1100

00:37:19,190 --> 00:37:16,720

information went into the official um

1101

00:37:22,230 --> 00:37:19,200

mission sort of statements for each raid

1102

00:37:23,829 --> 00:37:22,240

for each aircraft was very patchy so you

1103

00:37:27,109 --> 00:37:23,839

take one particular bombing squadron and

1104

00:37:29,589 --> 00:37:27,119

you would get a um seven or eight line

1105

00:37:31,030 --> 00:37:29,599

summary for each aircraft on each raid

1106

00:37:32,870 --> 00:37:31,040

and that would include one you know

1107

00:37:34,069 --> 00:37:32,880

takeoff time landing time time to drop

1108

00:37:37,270 --> 00:37:34,079

their bombs whether they saw any

1109

00:37:38,790 --> 00:37:37,280

searchlights flack anything else unusual

1110

00:37:39,990 --> 00:37:38,800

they're kind of targeting flares that

1111

00:37:41,750 --> 00:37:40,000

they use and all this kind of thing that

1112

00:37:43,670 --> 00:37:41,760

was standard practice and then they

1113

00:37:45,430 --> 00:37:43,680

would also have bits of the other stuff

1114

00:37:47,910 --> 00:37:45,440

the anomalous stuff which i've picked

1115

00:37:49,270 --> 00:37:47,920

out for the book now other squadrons you

1116

00:37:51,349 --> 00:37:49,280

would just get a summary for the raid

1117

00:37:52,710 --> 00:37:51,359

which would encompass all the aircraft

1118

00:37:54,950 --> 00:37:52,720

which could be anything up to 18

1119

00:37:56,310 --> 00:37:54,960

aircraft from one squadron

1120

00:37:58,630 --> 00:37:56,320

and that would just be maybe two or

1121

00:38:00,950 --> 00:37:58,640

three paragraphs but for all 18 aircraft

1122

00:38:02,550 --> 00:38:00,960

rather than one per aircraft and then

1123

00:38:03,670 --> 00:38:02,560

some squadrons you hardly got anything

1124

00:38:05,829 --> 00:38:03,680

at all you'd look if you've got a couple

1125

00:38:09,030 --> 00:38:05,839

of lines and then some you got not at

1126
00:38:10,950 --> 00:38:09,040
all so those those last three categories

1127
00:38:12,390 --> 00:38:10,960
which are just described there who knows

1128
00:38:14,230 --> 00:38:12,400
what was in you know behind those

1129
00:38:16,470 --> 00:38:14,240
reports because there's just no

1130
00:38:17,670 --> 00:38:16,480
information to go on so nathan i can't

1131
00:38:19,510 --> 00:38:17,680
really answer that question with any

1132
00:38:22,310 --> 00:38:19,520
degree of certainty because i've only

1133
00:38:24,470 --> 00:38:22,320
got a very small subset of information

1134
00:38:26,950 --> 00:38:24,480
to be able to go on and i don't know

1135
00:38:28,950 --> 00:38:26,960
what's behind the others so

1136
00:38:31,270 --> 00:38:28,960
you could be right but i don't know this

1137
00:38:33,990 --> 00:38:31,280
is actually emblematic of the entire ufo

1138
00:38:36,630 --> 00:38:34,000

topic because when you go to debrief and

1139

00:38:39,109 --> 00:38:36,640

chris chris understands this and intel

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00:38:40,870 --> 00:38:39,119

takes it takes a debrief report or they

1141

00:38:42,870 --> 00:38:40,880

ask you to fill out whatever forms they

1142

00:38:44,950 --> 00:38:42,880

have and then they attach that to

1143

00:38:48,470 --> 00:38:44,960

whatever forms you know whatever you

1144

00:38:51,589 --> 00:38:48,480

told them whatever that intel chief or

1145

00:38:54,230 --> 00:38:51,599

his a or up the line at the squadron

1146

00:38:56,470 --> 00:38:54,240

level group level command level decides

1147

00:38:58,790 --> 00:38:56,480

to do with that is what we're all going

1148

00:39:00,630 --> 00:38:58,800

to see and if somebody decides that that

1149

00:39:02,870 --> 00:39:00,640

information goes away

1150

00:39:04,550 --> 00:39:02,880

because they consider it it looks like

1151

00:39:06,550 --> 00:39:04,560

my crews are crazy

1152

00:39:08,150 --> 00:39:06,560

uh you have three of them that said they

1153

00:39:09,270 --> 00:39:08,160

and we we talked about this when you're

1154

00:39:11,109 --> 00:39:09,280

off headset

1155

00:39:13,829 --> 00:39:11,119

on a crew aircraft it's very important

1156

00:39:15,270 --> 00:39:13,839

to have unanimities so if you if if you

1157

00:39:17,349 --> 00:39:15,280

come back and you debrief something

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00:39:18,710 --> 00:39:17,359

everyone else says hey i didn't see it

1159

00:39:21,270 --> 00:39:18,720

you're kind of standing out there in the

1160

00:39:23,750 --> 00:39:21,280

cold and being the flight engineer out

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00:39:26,310 --> 00:39:23,760

of seven there's two pilots there's navi

1162

00:39:28,310 --> 00:39:26,320

ewo which are basically both navigators

1163

00:39:30,710 --> 00:39:28,320

and two load masters so the flight

1164

00:39:33,910 --> 00:39:30,720

engineers by himself so if you disagree

1165

00:39:35,030 --> 00:39:33,920

they all just go like this

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00:39:37,430 --> 00:39:35,040

and so

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00:39:38,950 --> 00:39:37,440

at debrief what chris was asking that

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00:39:41,270 --> 00:39:38,960

would have been very interesting if you

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00:39:43,589 --> 00:39:41,280

had two or three guys that saw it and

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00:39:45,910 --> 00:39:43,599

and maybe two that said hey i didn't see

1171

00:39:47,349 --> 00:39:45,920

anything now that that attacks the

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00:39:48,390 --> 00:39:47,359

credibility i'm sorry there are no

1173

00:39:50,230 --> 00:39:48,400

that's fine

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00:39:51,829 --> 00:39:50,240

there is another report of another obama

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00:39:54,710 --> 00:39:51,839

crew who saw something anomalous again a

1176

00:39:56,550 --> 00:39:54,720

bit later in the war 1943 but because of

1177

00:39:57,750 --> 00:39:56,560

the positions of some of the crew they

1178

00:39:59,109 --> 00:39:57,760

weren't in a position to be able to see

1179

00:40:00,550 --> 00:39:59,119

it anyway because they would be like a

1180

00:40:02,550 --> 00:40:00,560

navigator it would actually be any

1181

00:40:04,230 --> 00:40:02,560

station in the nose of the aircraft but

1182

00:40:05,510 --> 00:40:04,240

in terms of having windows etc they

1183

00:40:06,550 --> 00:40:05,520

weren't necessarily looking out all the

1184

00:40:08,870 --> 00:40:06,560

time because there were heads over the

1185

00:40:10,230 --> 00:40:08,880

maps and the charts and they were too

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00:40:12,470 --> 00:40:10,240

busy working things out with slide rules

1187

00:40:14,710 --> 00:40:12,480

and all the rest of it back then so

1188

00:40:16,230 --> 00:40:14,720

there's a couple of cases where maybe um

1189

00:40:17,670 --> 00:40:16,240

a navigator but also somebody else's

1190

00:40:19,109 --> 00:40:17,680

aircraft didn't actually see it whereas

1191

00:40:20,550 --> 00:40:19,119

another five did because some of these

1192

00:40:23,510 --> 00:40:20,560

aircraft were have seven crew on board

1193

00:40:25,430 --> 00:40:23,520

like a lancaster or a halifax so you did

1194

00:40:27,670 --> 00:40:25,440

have cash you have cases where you know

1195

00:40:28,550 --> 00:40:27,680

one or two people didn't actually see it

1196

00:40:30,710 --> 00:40:28,560

but

1197

00:40:32,630 --> 00:40:30,720

the majority did so

1198

00:40:34,069 --> 00:40:32,640

you you possibly have to go with that it

1199

00:40:35,430 --> 00:40:34,079

might be a different story nowadays in

1200

00:40:36,870 --> 00:40:35,440

terms of you know seeing something if

1201
00:40:38,309 --> 00:40:36,880
not everybody sees it then there's some

1202
00:40:39,349 --> 00:40:38,319
questions too

1203
00:40:40,950 --> 00:40:39,359
everybody's just playing some kind of

1204
00:40:43,589 --> 00:40:40,960
game or any kind of mind game with

1205
00:40:45,670 --> 00:40:43,599
people but back then if somebody said

1206
00:40:47,349 --> 00:40:45,680
that they saw something then it was it

1207
00:40:48,790 --> 00:40:47,359
was it was taken fairly seriously

1208
00:40:50,550 --> 00:40:48,800
because everything might have been a

1209
00:40:52,790 --> 00:40:50,560
secret weapon and there was a lot of

1210
00:40:54,230 --> 00:40:52,800
that because they all wanted information

1211
00:40:57,510 --> 00:40:54,240
about potential you know new

1212
00:41:00,550 --> 00:40:57,520
developments in in warfare um there is

1213
00:41:02,150 --> 00:41:00,560

actually analysis from 1940 and this is

1214

00:41:04,630 --> 00:41:02,160
going back quite early there's no

1215

00:41:06,069 --> 00:41:04,640
particular information about cases but

1216

00:41:08,069 --> 00:41:06,079
intelligence reports from back then

1217

00:41:09,910 --> 00:41:08,079
state about peculiar incidents and

1218

00:41:12,470 --> 00:41:09,920
that's the phrase they use but they also

1219

00:41:14,950 --> 00:41:12,480
then say that in most of the cases only

1220

00:41:16,790 --> 00:41:14,960
one person in the aircraft saw it

1221

00:41:18,309 --> 00:41:16,800
and then and because some of the crew

1222

00:41:19,990 --> 00:41:18,319
bear in mind the crews were smaller back

1223

00:41:21,109 --> 00:41:20,000
in the early days of the war some of

1224

00:41:22,790 --> 00:41:21,119
those aircraft and the bomber aircraft

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00:41:23,670 --> 00:41:22,800
sometimes only three or four people on

1226

00:41:24,710 --> 00:41:23,680

board

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00:41:26,950 --> 00:41:24,720

so

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00:41:29,190 --> 00:41:26,960

but in in many cases i was thinking it

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00:41:31,750 --> 00:41:29,200

was 92 percent there was only one person

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00:41:33,990 --> 00:41:31,760

involved in the sighting but in so so in

1231

00:41:35,430 --> 00:41:34,000

some they did have multiple witnesses

1232

00:41:36,870 --> 00:41:35,440

but that obviously increases the war

1233

00:41:39,190 --> 00:41:36,880

went on the aircraft got bigger got

1234

00:41:40,870 --> 00:41:39,200

heavier and had more crew on board um

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00:41:42,790 --> 00:41:40,880

and in some of the american there's an

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00:41:44,150 --> 00:41:42,800

american uh anti-submarine aircraft it

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00:41:45,990 --> 00:41:44,160

was actually a u.s army air force

1238

00:41:47,910 --> 00:41:46,000

aircraft not a u.s navy one over the bay

1239

00:41:49,430 --> 00:41:47,920
of biscay in november 1942 and

1240

00:41:51,270 --> 00:41:49,440
apparently everybody on the aircraft saw

1241

00:41:53,109 --> 00:41:51,280
it and they even took pictures of it and

1242

00:41:56,069 --> 00:41:53,119
that was a again something that came

1243

00:41:57,510 --> 00:41:56,079
like a big kind of um object or a disc

1244

00:41:59,510 --> 00:41:57,520
that came up behind an aircraft over the

1245

00:42:01,990 --> 00:41:59,520
bay biscuit of france

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00:42:03,270 --> 00:42:02,000
um and so there's one particular person

1247

00:42:04,870 --> 00:42:03,280
on there and the aircraft took a picture

1248

00:42:06,790 --> 00:42:04,880
of it or several pitches but those

1249

00:42:09,510 --> 00:42:06,800
pictures have never turned up and you

1250

00:42:10,710 --> 00:42:09,520
know djs you say if the higher-ups when

1251
00:42:11,990 --> 00:42:10,720
you get back and you have the debrief

1252
00:42:13,270 --> 00:42:12,000
they swirl it away and they don't want

1253
00:42:14,470 --> 00:42:13,280
anybody to know well of course you're

1254
00:42:16,550 --> 00:42:14,480
never going to find out are you it's

1255
00:42:17,670 --> 00:42:16,560
just going to get locked away now having

1256
00:42:18,710 --> 00:42:17,680
said that

1257
00:42:20,550 --> 00:42:18,720
some

1258
00:42:23,109 --> 00:42:20,560
enlightened i suppose you do that term

1259
00:42:24,870 --> 00:42:23,119
um senior officers not not just at

1260
00:42:27,510 --> 00:42:24,880
squadron level but also at group level

1261
00:42:29,589 --> 00:42:27,520
because um the rf bomber fleet was

1262
00:42:31,190 --> 00:42:29,599
organized into a series of like half a

1263
00:42:33,030 --> 00:42:31,200

dozen or maybe more squadrons that made

1264

00:42:35,030 --> 00:42:33,040

up a group of aircraft and there were

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00:42:37,109 --> 00:42:35,040

several groups of bombers obama in arya

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00:42:38,309 --> 00:42:37,119

obama command during the war

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00:42:40,470 --> 00:42:38,319

there's a particular incident which

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00:42:41,589 --> 00:42:40,480

happened in november 1942 over northern

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00:42:42,710 --> 00:42:41,599

italy

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00:42:44,470 --> 00:42:42,720

where a

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00:42:46,950 --> 00:42:44,480

aircraft flying from england which was

1272

00:42:49,589 --> 00:42:46,960

attacking a engine factory in turin

1273

00:42:53,030 --> 00:42:49,599

came across a 200 foot long

1274

00:42:55,030 --> 00:42:53,040

torpedo-shaped object over the alps wow

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00:42:56,790 --> 00:42:55,040

yeah quite large

1276

00:42:58,069 --> 00:42:56,800

they saw it twice the fur the second

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00:42:59,750 --> 00:42:58,079

time they saw it flying at mountain

1278

00:43:01,109 --> 00:42:59,760

valley

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00:43:03,430 --> 00:43:01,119

much lower

1280

00:43:06,150 --> 00:43:03,440

so independence day stuff right there

1281

00:43:07,589 --> 00:43:06,160

man that is that's wild now

1282

00:43:09,349 --> 00:43:07,599

so take that story you know whichever

1283

00:43:10,950 --> 00:43:09,359

way you want but the the important thing

1284

00:43:12,870 --> 00:43:10,960

is that when they go back to base they

1285

00:43:14,630 --> 00:43:12,880

were taken seriously not just by the

1286

00:43:16,470 --> 00:43:14,640

squadron leader in charge in charge of

1287

00:43:19,030 --> 00:43:16,480

the unit but that information was passed

1288

00:43:20,390 --> 00:43:19,040

up to group level and despite the the

1289

00:43:21,990 --> 00:43:20,400

rejoiner on the on the letter when it

1290

00:43:23,109 --> 00:43:22,000

passed even further of the chain because

1291

00:43:24,870 --> 00:43:23,119

you can only go so far with the

1292

00:43:27,510 --> 00:43:24,880

information in terms of official records

1293

00:43:29,109 --> 00:43:27,520

it communicates but there is a regina on

1294

00:43:31,589 --> 00:43:29,119

the information that they pass on today

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00:43:33,910 --> 00:43:31,599

despite the level of ridiculous crew

1296

00:43:35,430 --> 00:43:33,920

have been subjected to they stand by

1297

00:43:37,430 --> 00:43:35,440

their story

1298

00:43:39,510 --> 00:43:37,440

wow so that's a strong interesting thing

1299

00:43:41,190 --> 00:43:39,520

you know so that was also recognized by

1300

00:43:43,109 --> 00:43:41,200

the senior officers not just at squadron

1301

00:43:45,349 --> 00:43:43,119

level but a group level and they did

1302

00:43:47,589 --> 00:43:45,359

pass it on now what happened to that um

1303

00:43:49,190 --> 00:43:47,599

information and what analysis was done i

1304

00:43:51,670 --> 00:43:49,200

couldn't find anything the paper trail

1305

00:43:53,030 --> 00:43:51,680

goes cold at that point that's a

1306

00:43:56,550 --> 00:43:53,040

surprise

1307

00:43:57,990 --> 00:43:56,560

[Laughter]

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00:44:00,069 --> 00:43:58,000

you mentioned uh

1309

00:44:01,670 --> 00:44:00,079

that they shoot at it you know this is

1310

00:44:05,349 --> 00:44:01,680

it and and actually it's kind of the

1311

00:44:06,550 --> 00:44:05,359

first response i i have

1312

00:44:08,230 --> 00:44:06,560

you know it's kind of like a dog you

1313

00:44:09,510 --> 00:44:08,240

know how does a dog interact with the

1314

00:44:11,270 --> 00:44:09,520

environment it just bites you know

1315

00:44:12,550 --> 00:44:11,280

whatever it is you know it's like

1316

00:44:14,230 --> 00:44:12,560

it's kind of the only way to enter you

1317

00:44:15,750 --> 00:44:14,240

know first i'm not trying the radio you

1318

00:44:17,349 --> 00:44:15,760

know it's a is it communicating at all

1319

00:44:18,790 --> 00:44:17,359

on the radio and then i'll try and maybe

1320

00:44:21,030 --> 00:44:18,800

get closer to it

1321

00:44:22,870 --> 00:44:21,040

you know is it reacting to me

1322

00:44:24,390 --> 00:44:22,880

um but then you know assuming i can

1323

00:44:25,589 --> 00:44:24,400

actually fire my weapon which you know

1324

00:44:27,030 --> 00:44:25,599

in world war ii i think they were

1325

00:44:28,710 --> 00:44:27,040

probably just doing it for fun sometimes

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00:44:31,190 --> 00:44:28,720

or at least tested

1327

00:44:31,990 --> 00:44:31,200

uh then i think i would be shooting next

1328

00:44:33,750 --> 00:44:32,000

you know

1329

00:44:35,270 --> 00:44:33,760

do you find that's the normal reaction

1330

00:44:37,670 --> 00:44:35,280

like is everybody shooting at these

1331

00:44:39,030 --> 00:44:37,680

things or is that no every rare occasion

1332

00:44:40,870 --> 00:44:39,040

it was more to do with the fact that

1333

00:44:42,150 --> 00:44:40,880

because they that everything that they

1334

00:44:43,589 --> 00:44:42,160

thought they saw that they were saying

1335

00:44:45,750 --> 00:44:43,599

was a joke was a german knight fighter

1336

00:44:47,510 --> 00:44:45,760

or some kind of you know aerial device

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00:44:49,190 --> 00:44:47,520

then it got close enough within range

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00:44:51,349 --> 00:44:49,200

and effective range they would open fire

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00:44:53,349 --> 00:44:51,359

in it and also the i think the machine

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00:44:55,270 --> 00:44:53,359

guns they had were effective up to over

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00:44:56,390 --> 00:44:55,280

a thousand yards but sorry they could

1342

00:44:57,990 --> 00:44:56,400

fire over a thousand yards but that

1343

00:44:59,589 --> 00:44:58,000

wasn't an effective range the effective

1344

00:45:01,190 --> 00:44:59,599

range was much closer

1345

00:45:03,430 --> 00:45:01,200

so we'd often wait they would often wait

1346

00:45:05,030 --> 00:45:03,440

until they got you know much much closer

1347

00:45:06,069 --> 00:45:05,040

i think you're talking about 400 yards

1348

00:45:07,510 --> 00:45:06,079

or less

1349

00:45:09,190 --> 00:45:07,520

and and the actual german knight

1350

00:45:11,270 --> 00:45:09,200

fighters themselves would position

1351
00:45:13,510 --> 00:45:11,280
themselves behind and below the aircraft

1352
00:45:15,430 --> 00:45:13,520
and then fire sort of in a diagonal kind

1353
00:45:17,430 --> 00:45:15,440
of like attack at the

1354
00:45:19,349 --> 00:45:17,440
you know the base below the aircraft

1355
00:45:22,069 --> 00:45:19,359
until they got those upward firing guns

1356
00:45:23,430 --> 00:45:22,079
the shiraz music uh the jazz music guns

1357
00:45:25,430 --> 00:45:23,440
that they called them that was a special

1358
00:45:27,510 --> 00:45:25,440
field modification and they were upward

1359
00:45:28,710 --> 00:45:27,520
firing guns at an angle of 45 degrees or

1360
00:45:30,710 --> 00:45:28,720
something and they would just fly

1361
00:45:32,309 --> 00:45:30,720
underneath the fuel tanks between the

1362
00:45:34,230 --> 00:45:32,319
the engines and the fuselage and just

1363
00:45:35,589 --> 00:45:34,240

open fire and that would just blow the

1364

00:45:37,030 --> 00:45:35,599

aircraft up you know sort of thing so

1365

00:45:38,470 --> 00:45:37,040

that was quite an effective weapon so

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00:45:39,750 --> 00:45:38,480

there's different ways they did it but

1367

00:45:40,790 --> 00:45:39,760

anything that they saw closing on the

1368

00:45:42,390 --> 00:45:40,800

aircraft of course they were going to

1369

00:45:43,670 --> 00:45:42,400

open fire in it because it was potential

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00:45:45,670 --> 00:45:43,680

something that would shoot them down you

1371

00:45:47,349 --> 00:45:45,680

know so there was no kind of we'll radio

1372

00:45:48,710 --> 00:45:47,359

them find out who they are we'll we'll

1373

00:45:50,309 --> 00:45:48,720

we'll see how close they get and then we

1374

00:45:52,550 --> 00:45:50,319

can determine what they are if they got

1375

00:45:54,069 --> 00:45:52,560

close enough effective range opened fire

1376

00:45:55,829 --> 00:45:54,079

it was standard practice and you

1377

00:45:57,829 --> 00:45:55,839

mentioned a lot of this was at night you

1378

00:45:59,510 --> 00:45:57,839

know um

1379

00:46:01,430 --> 00:45:59,520

all at night i guess at that time the

1380

00:46:03,750 --> 00:46:01,440

war definitely yes yeah but then we went

1381

00:46:05,430 --> 00:46:03,760

to daylight what is it high altitude

1382

00:46:07,750 --> 00:46:05,440

precision bombing daylight you know

1383

00:46:09,750 --> 00:46:07,760

which was january 1943.

1384

00:46:12,069 --> 00:46:09,760

and so did they see

1385

00:46:13,670 --> 00:46:12,079

do we have continued uh sightings you

1386

00:46:15,829 --> 00:46:13,680

know so you have a different you have

1387

00:46:17,829 --> 00:46:15,839

different phenomenon for the for the us

1388

00:46:20,470 --> 00:46:17,839

army air force flying daylight raids

1389

00:46:22,870 --> 00:46:20,480

over germany now bearing in mind the

1390

00:46:24,630 --> 00:46:22,880

with a few exceptions the the us army

1391

00:46:26,630 --> 00:46:24,640

air force didn't fly at night

1392

00:46:28,550 --> 00:46:26,640

um that much

1393

00:46:30,550 --> 00:46:28,560

it was a terrible idea as well if i

1394

00:46:33,670 --> 00:46:30,560

remember looking back like they just got

1395

00:46:36,390 --> 00:46:33,680

shot shot to hell um yeah yeah the

1396

00:46:38,230 --> 00:46:36,400

attribution the americans did

1397

00:46:41,109 --> 00:46:38,240

sorry no they can say the attrition

1398

00:46:42,550 --> 00:46:41,119

rates were uh scaringly scaringly high

1399

00:46:44,550 --> 00:46:42,560

very high yeah the americans did

1400

00:46:46,550 --> 00:46:44,560

actually try it to start with but they

1401
00:46:47,589 --> 00:46:46,560
they didn't work for them because of the

1402
00:46:49,270 --> 00:46:47,599
particular way they flew and the

1403
00:46:51,430 --> 00:46:49,280
particular equipment they had and the

1404
00:46:53,589 --> 00:46:51,440
aircraft they used what weren't suitable

1405
00:46:55,910 --> 00:46:53,599
really for nighttime operations

1406
00:46:58,309 --> 00:46:55,920
so they did actually decide to do in the

1407
00:47:00,870 --> 00:46:58,319
daytime and from 40 and january 43 they

1408
00:47:02,069 --> 00:47:00,880
flew daylight raised over germany um and

1409
00:47:03,589 --> 00:47:02,079
they were much better suited to that

1410
00:47:05,109 --> 00:47:03,599
than our aircraft because our aircraft

1411
00:47:06,870 --> 00:47:05,119
were optimized for night

1412
00:47:08,710 --> 00:47:06,880
but they started saying strange things

1413
00:47:10,150 --> 00:47:08,720

but not lights because they wouldn't see

1414

00:47:11,270 --> 00:47:10,160

lights in the daytime they started

1415

00:47:13,349 --> 00:47:11,280

things that were called and they had

1416

00:47:15,349 --> 00:47:13,359

some really weird names which actually

1417

00:47:16,550 --> 00:47:15,359

appear in all the official records so

1418

00:47:18,150 --> 00:47:16,560

you're looking at a squadron level

1419

00:47:20,150 --> 00:47:18,160

you're looking sometimes at um at group

1420

00:47:21,270 --> 00:47:20,160

level or even at wing level and you'll

1421

00:47:23,589 --> 00:47:21,280

have things like

1422

00:47:25,430 --> 00:47:23,599

cottonwood cottonwood balls

1423

00:47:26,710 --> 00:47:25,440

swarms of bees

1424

00:47:28,069 --> 00:47:26,720

that's two of the

1425

00:47:30,069 --> 00:47:28,079

and then you know there's other things

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00:47:32,230 --> 00:47:30,079

as well and there was um silver spheres

1427

00:47:34,150 --> 00:47:32,240

they saw now none of these can be sort

1428

00:47:37,030 --> 00:47:34,160

of like sort of attributed to german

1429

00:47:40,470 --> 00:47:37,040

secret weapons any kind of flak rockets

1430

00:47:42,870 --> 00:47:40,480

or aircraft or other kinds of flak just

1431

00:47:44,870 --> 00:47:42,880

like general anti-aircraft

1432

00:47:47,829 --> 00:47:44,880

in terms of the explosions because the

1433

00:47:50,870 --> 00:47:47,839

raf bomber command operational research

1434

00:47:52,549 --> 00:47:50,880

section did huge amounts of research on

1435

00:47:53,829 --> 00:47:52,559

how effective the german anti-aircraft

1436

00:47:55,829 --> 00:47:53,839

defenses were

1437

00:47:57,829 --> 00:47:55,839

not just you know just once once or

1438

00:47:59,589 --> 00:47:57,839

twice but every month

1439

00:48:00,870 --> 00:47:59,599

right through the wall and those reports

1440

00:48:02,069 --> 00:48:00,880

you can read through them and that's

1441

00:48:04,390 --> 00:48:02,079

where you get the reports of all this

1442

00:48:05,910 --> 00:48:04,400

strange stuff as well that's how you

1443

00:48:07,750 --> 00:48:05,920

found the info well that's how you find

1444

00:48:09,829 --> 00:48:07,760

them but also in the american report so

1445

00:48:11,829 --> 00:48:09,839

if you go through the um america the air

1446

00:48:13,589 --> 00:48:11,839

force historical research agency in

1447

00:48:15,990 --> 00:48:13,599

maxwell air force base you can get a

1448

00:48:18,069 --> 00:48:16,000

hold of the american equivalents orderly

1449

00:48:21,030 --> 00:48:18,079

sister from kind of

1450

00:48:23,030 --> 00:48:21,040

squadron group level and they have

1451

00:48:23,910 --> 00:48:23,040

reports of these weird things as well

1452

00:48:25,510 --> 00:48:23,920

and they do a little bit of

1453

00:48:28,390 --> 00:48:25,520

announcements by a squadron and group

1454

00:48:30,069 --> 00:48:28,400

level but they get nowhere um and

1455

00:48:31,829 --> 00:48:30,079

sometime later in the war when they

1456

00:48:33,109 --> 00:48:31,839

started saying things nights the night

1457

00:48:35,670 --> 00:48:33,119

fighter squadrons that were based in

1458

00:48:37,829 --> 00:48:35,680

europa started seeing things over um

1459

00:48:40,790 --> 00:48:37,839

eastern france belgium and western

1460

00:48:42,790 --> 00:48:40,800

germany they then started pushing

1461

00:48:44,630 --> 00:48:42,800

requests up the chain of command to find

1462

00:48:46,390 --> 00:48:44,640

out what these things were

1463

00:48:48,069 --> 00:48:46,400

and actually at the end the us army air

1464

00:48:49,910 --> 00:48:48,079

force in terms of tactical air command

1465

00:48:51,030 --> 00:48:49,920

level passed it on to the british airman

1466

00:48:53,030 --> 00:48:51,040

stream

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00:48:55,030 --> 00:48:53,040

because they didn't have the necessary

1468

00:48:56,470 --> 00:48:55,040

analytical skills presumably why else

1469

00:48:57,750 --> 00:48:56,480

would they pass it to the british they

1470

00:48:59,510 --> 00:48:57,760

they thought they had a particular skill

1471

00:49:00,950 --> 00:48:59,520

set in terms of intelligence to try and

1472

00:49:03,190 --> 00:49:00,960

get a hold of you know get their heads

1473

00:49:04,470 --> 00:49:03,200

wrapped around the problem um the actual

1474

00:49:06,790 --> 00:49:04,480

the british air ministry turned around

1475

00:49:08,390 --> 00:49:06,800

in february in march 1945 and said they

1476

00:49:09,990 --> 00:49:08,400

just mentioned with two six twos that

1477

00:49:10,950 --> 00:49:10,000

was the german jet fighter that's what

1478

00:49:12,390 --> 00:49:10,960

they said

1479

00:49:13,990 --> 00:49:12,400

they weren't yeah

1480

00:49:16,790 --> 00:49:14,000

you know there's there's like three

1481

00:49:19,349 --> 00:49:16,800

other places that that i want to go in

1482

00:49:21,030 --> 00:49:19,359

in general terms uh one of the things

1483

00:49:22,950 --> 00:49:21,040

i'm going to want to do is to try to

1484

00:49:25,750 --> 00:49:22,960

draw a parallel of

1485

00:49:27,589 --> 00:49:25,760

why people should find this important to

1486

00:49:30,069 --> 00:49:27,599

the conversations that we're having

1487

00:49:32,309 --> 00:49:30,079

today about craft we're seeing today and

1488

00:49:34,069 --> 00:49:32,319

i think graham will be able to draw this

1489

00:49:36,790 --> 00:49:34,079

sort of direct line

1490

00:49:38,549 --> 00:49:36,800

from 1943 until now

1491

00:49:40,950 --> 00:49:38,559

and the other part of it is i kind of

1492

00:49:43,030 --> 00:49:40,960

want to get what graham feels

1493

00:49:44,790 --> 00:49:43,040

uh what's it what's important to him

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00:49:47,190 --> 00:49:44,800

what's striking to him

1495

00:49:49,030 --> 00:49:47,200

uh that's that's uh happening in the

1496

00:49:51,750 --> 00:49:49,040

topic overall what

1497

00:49:54,870 --> 00:49:51,760

intrigues him uh what are the areas that

1498

00:49:56,470 --> 00:49:54,880

he's focused on and i also for my

1499

00:49:58,069 --> 00:49:56,480

brother chris

1500

00:50:01,270 --> 00:49:58,079

i think you and i it's gonna be on

1501
00:50:03,670 --> 00:50:01,280
incumbent upon us this is just a way

1502
00:50:05,190 --> 00:50:03,680
aside from this interviews to reach back

1503
00:50:07,109 --> 00:50:05,200
to the air force community and try to

1504
00:50:09,670 --> 00:50:07,119
find out if anything's being briefed

1505
00:50:12,230 --> 00:50:09,680
about hey look out for this hey this is

1506
00:50:13,349 --> 00:50:12,240
a thing or we're not talking about it

1507
00:50:15,030 --> 00:50:13,359
and

1508
00:50:17,109 --> 00:50:15,040
if we can figure out a way without

1509
00:50:20,150 --> 00:50:17,119
looking like crazy people to

1510
00:50:22,790 --> 00:50:20,160
have that discussion which is you know

1511
00:50:24,790 --> 00:50:22,800
people are going to look at us like that

1512
00:50:27,430 --> 00:50:24,800
and i'll try from my end and i'd love it

1513
00:50:29,270 --> 00:50:27,440

if you tried from your end but that's

1514

00:50:31,349 --> 00:50:29,280

out and away from this this particular

1515

00:50:34,069 --> 00:50:31,359

interview but graham what do you think

1516

00:50:36,069 --> 00:50:34,079

that people should draw from

1517

00:50:37,750 --> 00:50:36,079

what happened back then and how

1518

00:50:38,790 --> 00:50:37,760

pertinent that is to what we're seeing

1519

00:50:41,190 --> 00:50:38,800

today

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00:50:42,870 --> 00:50:41,200

because you can sort of

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00:50:44,870 --> 00:50:42,880

in my mind you can sort of draw this

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00:50:46,230 --> 00:50:44,880

line well if they're seeing these kind

1523

00:50:48,549 --> 00:50:46,240

of like tic tac

1524

00:50:49,510 --> 00:50:48,559

shaped craft back then then that means

1525

00:50:51,589 --> 00:50:49,520

or

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00:50:53,270 --> 00:50:51,599

that didn't just appear like in

1527

00:50:55,589 --> 00:50:53,280

2014

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00:50:56,309 --> 00:50:55,599

yeah and and i'm curious too sort of you

1529

00:50:57,829 --> 00:50:56,319

know

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00:50:59,990 --> 00:50:57,839

the theories that you have that that

1531

00:51:01,829 --> 00:51:00,000

seem most plausible and then the other

1532

00:51:04,150 --> 00:51:01,839

thing that comes to mind for me

1533

00:51:05,270 --> 00:51:04,160

is this topic of

1534

00:51:06,710 --> 00:51:05,280

presence

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00:51:09,430 --> 00:51:06,720

and that is that

1536

00:51:11,349 --> 00:51:09,440

in the in the war uh it was probably the

1537

00:51:14,150 --> 00:51:11,359

first time in history where we had a

1538

00:51:16,150 --> 00:51:14,160

high density presence in the air

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00:51:18,069 --> 00:51:16,160

and so we're in an environment that we

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00:51:19,750 --> 00:51:18,079

were not normally in

1541

00:51:20,630 --> 00:51:19,760

and then we were seeing things and so

1542

00:51:23,030 --> 00:51:20,640

that's

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00:51:25,910 --> 00:51:23,040

a similar sort of story we hear now

1544

00:51:28,150 --> 00:51:25,920

about our ability to sense what is in

1545

00:51:30,069 --> 00:51:28,160

our environment our ability to gather

1546

00:51:31,910 --> 00:51:30,079

intelligence about what is occurring in

1547

00:51:33,430 --> 00:51:31,920

our operating spaces and i just wonder

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00:51:34,470 --> 00:51:33,440

if there is some sort of correlation

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00:51:35,670 --> 00:51:34,480

there

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00:51:37,829 --> 00:51:35,680

are we

1551
00:51:39,510 --> 00:51:37,839
navigating in spaces that we're not

1552
00:51:41,430 --> 00:51:39,520
accustomed to but because we are now

1553
00:51:43,270 --> 00:51:41,440
present in them we're now just able to

1554
00:51:44,790 --> 00:51:43,280
see what is happening

1555
00:51:46,630 --> 00:51:44,800
yeah so

1556
00:51:49,510 --> 00:51:46,640
in terms of i'll answer that question as

1557
00:51:52,470 --> 00:51:49,520
well as as djs to

1558
00:51:55,990 --> 00:51:52,480
for 50 years the foo fighters were

1559
00:51:57,589 --> 00:51:56,000
effectively the cinderella of ufology

1560
00:52:00,069 --> 00:51:57,599
there was something that just everybody

1561
00:52:02,870 --> 00:52:00,079
thought was a very very localized

1562
00:52:04,950 --> 00:52:02,880
very narrow focus phenomenon which had a

1563
00:52:07,670 --> 00:52:04,960

few sightings in a certain part of

1564

00:52:09,109 --> 00:52:07,680

europe over a very very constricted time

1565

00:52:10,870 --> 00:52:09,119

frame and that was all because of a

1566

00:52:12,309 --> 00:52:10,880

couple of factors one because there was

1567

00:52:13,589 --> 00:52:12,319

only a limited number of site things

1568

00:52:15,109 --> 00:52:13,599

available to the public and they came

1569

00:52:18,230 --> 00:52:15,119

from a magazine article was published in

1570

00:52:19,990 --> 00:52:18,240

december 1945 by an aide to general hub

1571

00:52:21,910 --> 00:52:20,000

arnold who was the head of the us army

1572

00:52:23,510 --> 00:52:21,920

air force during world war ii

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00:52:25,270 --> 00:52:23,520

and that's with a couple of other

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00:52:27,510 --> 00:52:25,280

sightings in this article it was about

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00:52:28,870 --> 00:52:27,520

nine in total and that was the sum total

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00:52:31,829 --> 00:52:28,880

of everything to do with the foe

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00:52:33,349 --> 00:52:31,839

fighters up until about 1995 with a few

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00:52:35,430 --> 00:52:33,359

exceptions a couple of the stories came

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00:52:37,510 --> 00:52:35,440

out through ufo newsletters and some

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00:52:40,150 --> 00:52:37,520

other uh limited public uh run

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00:52:41,990 --> 00:52:40,160

publications and a few other outlets and

1582

00:52:44,870 --> 00:52:42,000

some ufo books in this in the 80s and

1583

00:52:47,430 --> 00:52:44,880

90s so you had about maybe

1584

00:52:50,549 --> 00:52:47,440

a couple of dozen at the most cases but

1585

00:52:52,470 --> 00:52:50,559

that's all it were until about 1995 and

1586

00:52:55,430 --> 00:52:52,480

there'd be no real attempts to actually

1587

00:52:57,109 --> 00:52:55,440

verify a lot of the details in them

1588

00:52:58,150 --> 00:52:57,119

unlike quite a lot of other cases of

1589

00:53:00,069 --> 00:52:58,160

people that tried to search through

1590

00:53:01,910 --> 00:53:00,079

documents to try and back some of these

1591

00:53:03,670 --> 00:53:01,920

stories up but nothing had been done by

1592

00:53:05,190 --> 00:53:03,680

the foo fighters you were lucky you

1593

00:53:06,790 --> 00:53:05,200

could find a book that actually hadn't

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00:53:09,910 --> 00:53:06,800

mentioned of them never mind any kind of

1595

00:53:11,670 --> 00:53:09,920

analysis now in 1995's uh citizens

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00:53:13,190 --> 00:53:11,680

against ufo secrecy who was a pressure

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00:53:14,630 --> 00:53:13,200

group they managed to get into the war

1598

00:53:16,230 --> 00:53:14,640

diaries for the 415th knight fighter

1599

00:53:18,150 --> 00:53:16,240

squadron which was one of the units in

1600

00:53:20,390 --> 00:53:18,160

europe that actually encountered the foo

1601
00:53:22,710 --> 00:53:20,400
fighters and one of their personnel

1602
00:53:23,990 --> 00:53:22,720
actually came up with that name for for

1603
00:53:25,430 --> 00:53:24,000
the phenomenon actually they called it

1604
00:53:31,190 --> 00:53:25,440
something else that a name at the start

1605
00:53:35,990 --> 00:53:31,910
yeah

1606
00:53:38,230 --> 00:53:36,000
okay so um but that's by the way so

1607
00:53:40,069 --> 00:53:38,240
this kind of limited for not um

1608
00:53:41,829 --> 00:53:40,079
phenomenon like you know it's got this

1609
00:53:43,109 --> 00:53:41,839
50-year baggage behind it where nothing

1610
00:53:45,510 --> 00:53:43,119
really was done in terms of trying to

1611
00:53:47,829 --> 00:53:45,520
work out the scale of it not just in

1612
00:53:49,750 --> 00:53:47,839
terms of its geographical kind of spread

1613
00:53:51,510 --> 00:53:49,760

but also its time frame so everybody

1614

00:53:53,349 --> 00:53:51,520

just thought it was from november 1944

1615

00:53:55,670 --> 00:53:53,359

for six months to the end of the war

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00:53:56,870 --> 00:53:55,680

um and then in 1995 people got into the

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00:53:58,390 --> 00:53:56,880

war diary so they could start to

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00:54:00,470 --> 00:53:58,400

corroborate the stories that were

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00:54:02,790 --> 00:54:00,480

already there and they did that and then

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00:54:03,990 --> 00:54:02,800

some other stories came out as well um

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00:54:08,950 --> 00:54:04,000

now

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00:54:10,470 --> 00:54:08,960

you saying this is a kind of um

1623

00:54:13,190 --> 00:54:10,480

is a progression from the war and it's

1624

00:54:15,589 --> 00:54:13,200

carry on today well that's true probably

1625

00:54:17,030 --> 00:54:15,599

because the spread of the food fighters

1626
00:54:19,510 --> 00:54:17,040
during second world war is much wider

1627
00:54:21,030 --> 00:54:19,520
than people you know sort of believe

1628
00:54:23,030 --> 00:54:21,040
when i started doing some research from

1629
00:54:25,109 --> 00:54:23,040
the book i started digging into the raf

1630
00:54:26,390 --> 00:54:25,119
records quite deeply and bobber

1631
00:54:27,829 --> 00:54:26,400
squadrons that were based in italy that

1632
00:54:30,150 --> 00:54:27,839
were working over the balkans during

1633
00:54:32,230 --> 00:54:30,160
1944 and there are tons of reports of

1634
00:54:34,150 --> 00:54:32,240
mystery lights

1635
00:54:36,069 --> 00:54:34,160
lights that surround aircraft six or

1636
00:54:37,750 --> 00:54:36,079
more at a time sometimes or things that

1637
00:54:40,069 --> 00:54:37,760
are flying whizzing through the skies

1638
00:54:42,390 --> 00:54:40,079

now the air now the germans did actually

1639

00:54:43,510 --> 00:54:42,400

have air-to-air rocket mortars but they

1640

00:54:45,349 --> 00:54:43,520

only ever use them in the daytime

1641

00:54:46,710 --> 00:54:45,359

whereas these are being seen at night

1642

00:54:48,470 --> 00:54:46,720

and they didn't have any operational

1643

00:54:49,589 --> 00:54:48,480

flak rockets so they didn't have any

1644

00:54:51,190 --> 00:54:49,599

aircraft rockets or you know

1645

00:54:52,309 --> 00:54:51,200

service-to-air missiles things like that

1646

00:54:55,030 --> 00:54:52,319

and they didn't have any air-to-air

1647

00:54:56,230 --> 00:54:55,040

missiles either that actually worked so

1648

00:54:58,069 --> 00:54:56,240

you have to wonder what these things

1649

00:55:00,150 --> 00:54:58,079

were and this is in posit part of the

1650

00:55:02,230 --> 00:55:00,160

war where it was a backwater in terms of

1651
00:55:03,829 --> 00:55:02,240
modern technology for the war where you

1652
00:55:06,069 --> 00:55:03,839
know they didn't send all their best

1653
00:55:08,150 --> 00:55:06,079
equipment out to the likes of hungary or

1654
00:55:09,349 --> 00:55:08,160
romania or bulgaria and yet these are

1655
00:55:11,750 --> 00:55:09,359
places where these strange things are

1656
00:55:13,430 --> 00:55:11,760
being seen so you have to take all that

1657
00:55:15,270 --> 00:55:13,440
in the round wow

1658
00:55:17,430 --> 00:55:15,280
okay so then also if you look at some

1659
00:55:18,789 --> 00:55:17,440
other kind of cases they're from the bay

1660
00:55:20,549 --> 00:55:18,799
biscuit which i mentioned before right

1661
00:55:22,390 --> 00:55:20,559
across the eastern front because it was

1662
00:55:24,069 --> 00:55:22,400
seen there that was seen apparently in

1663
00:55:25,589 --> 00:55:24,079

norway right across north africa so

1664

00:55:27,670 --> 00:55:25,599

you're looking right across europe so

1665

00:55:29,829 --> 00:55:27,680

it's not just a few american night

1666

00:55:32,230 --> 00:55:29,839

fighter crews seeing them over a certain

1667

00:55:33,990 --> 00:55:32,240

part of western germany etc etc

1668

00:55:35,589 --> 00:55:34,000

it's much widespread more widespread

1669

00:55:38,230 --> 00:55:35,599

than that rather but also as i mentioned

1670

00:55:40,390 --> 00:55:38,240

before about the march 1942 story you

1671

00:55:42,309 --> 00:55:40,400

can set the time you know frame much

1672

00:55:45,670 --> 00:55:42,319

further back as well as previously been

1673

00:55:47,349 --> 00:55:45,680

sort of suggested so it's widespread and

1674

00:55:48,309 --> 00:55:47,359

then if you take which i didn't cover in

1675

00:55:50,150 --> 00:55:48,319

the book because it's just about

1676

00:55:52,230 --> 00:55:50,160

european cases but they've got all the

1677

00:55:53,349 --> 00:55:52,240

stories from the pacific as well and the

1678

00:55:55,750 --> 00:55:53,359

far east

1679

00:55:57,510 --> 00:55:55,760

and also ones in continental united

1680

00:56:01,349 --> 00:55:57,520

states as well there are other stories

1681

00:56:06,390 --> 00:56:03,030

it just reminds me of uh i was just

1682

00:56:08,549 --> 00:56:06,400

researching a similar case in 67

1683

00:56:10,230 --> 00:56:08,559

uh famous in portugal

1684

00:56:11,430 --> 00:56:10,240

which is just like like you mentioned

1685

00:56:13,349 --> 00:56:11,440

there's these uh

1686

00:56:14,549 --> 00:56:13,359

six lights you know it's around us a

1687

00:56:17,430 --> 00:56:14,559

four ship

1688

00:56:19,349 --> 00:56:17,440

of uh they look like t-37s actually but

1689

00:56:20,309 --> 00:56:19,359

uh anyway around a four ship of their

1690

00:56:22,069 --> 00:56:20,319

fighters

1691

00:56:23,510 --> 00:56:22,079

uh it's a famous case in portugal where

1692

00:56:24,950 --> 00:56:23,520

it just has these six lights you know

1693

00:56:27,589 --> 00:56:24,960

change different colors and they're just

1694

00:56:28,470 --> 00:56:27,599

flying all around um and it just kind of

1695

00:56:30,309 --> 00:56:28,480

thought

1696

00:56:32,950 --> 00:56:30,319

why this is so kind of powerful for me

1697

00:56:33,990 --> 00:56:32,960

your your book graham is because um

1698

00:56:35,270 --> 00:56:34,000

you know

1699

00:56:36,950 --> 00:56:35,280

and again i didn't really believe

1700

00:56:39,109 --> 00:56:36,960

anything until may and then it came out

1701
00:56:41,030 --> 00:56:39,119
these these videos and up until now you

1702
00:56:42,630 --> 00:56:41,040
could just say okay was the pilots just

1703
00:56:43,910 --> 00:56:42,640
seeing things you know they're just

1704
00:56:45,990 --> 00:56:43,920
seeing lights you could you could kind

1705
00:56:47,430 --> 00:56:46,000
of discount it that way but now with the

1706
00:56:48,789 --> 00:56:47,440
videos that came out now they're like

1707
00:56:50,470 --> 00:56:48,799
wait a minute we have videos that

1708
00:56:52,069 --> 00:56:50,480
they're actually seeing something right

1709
00:56:53,510 --> 00:56:52,079
so this is kind of the first we're kind

1710
00:56:54,870 --> 00:56:53,520
of locked down that hey they're actually

1711
00:56:57,430 --> 00:56:54,880
seeing something

1712
00:56:59,270 --> 00:56:57,440
um and now when we go back and look

1713
00:57:01,030 --> 00:56:59,280

uh now you can't just make the argument

1714

00:57:03,349 --> 00:57:01,040

that it was the pilots

1715

00:57:05,750 --> 00:57:03,359

kind of just miraculously seeing

1716

00:57:07,670 --> 00:57:05,760

invisible things in their brains um you

1717

00:57:09,430 --> 00:57:07,680

know now it's like hey

1718

00:57:11,030 --> 00:57:09,440

now we have to go back and and that just

1719

00:57:11,750 --> 00:57:11,040

means so much more to me now you know

1720

00:57:15,910 --> 00:57:11,760

that

1721

00:57:17,750 --> 00:57:15,920

we have video evidence now so when we go

1722

00:57:18,789 --> 00:57:17,760

back and it just makes it so powerful

1723

00:57:20,309 --> 00:57:18,799

because

1724

00:57:21,829 --> 00:57:20,319

uh you can't say it's a hoax either

1725

00:57:23,190 --> 00:57:21,839

right because now in today's age you

1726
00:57:24,150 --> 00:57:23,200
could basically admit you could make an

1727
00:57:25,670 --> 00:57:24,160
argument

1728
00:57:26,789 --> 00:57:25,680
um that there's

1729
00:57:29,270 --> 00:57:26,799
technologies that could have been

1730
00:57:30,870 --> 00:57:29,280
produced by 2021 that you could maybe do

1731
00:57:32,870 --> 00:57:30,880
you can make holograms or there's like

1732
00:57:35,030 --> 00:57:32,880
this laser technology that can like

1733
00:57:36,549 --> 00:57:35,040
supposedly make sounds at a distance you

1734
00:57:38,549 --> 00:57:36,559
could actually transmit sounds at a

1735
00:57:40,950 --> 00:57:38,559
distance through lasers

1736
00:57:42,549 --> 00:57:40,960
um but back then there's no such no such

1737
00:57:44,710 --> 00:57:42,559
piece so no possibility that's really

1738
00:57:46,870 --> 00:57:44,720

what makes it strong for me interesting

1739

00:57:48,549 --> 00:57:46,880

to hear that that these these lights are

1740

00:57:51,030 --> 00:57:48,559

all over all over

1741

00:57:52,549 --> 00:57:51,040

the world as well but by the way chris

1742

00:57:55,030 --> 00:57:52,559

do we have any idea like how many

1743

00:57:57,990 --> 00:57:55,040

sightings the chinese air forces had the

1744

00:57:59,910 --> 00:57:58,000

thai air force the indian air force

1745

00:58:01,589 --> 00:57:59,920

uh i mean i would think we would know

1746

00:58:04,470 --> 00:58:01,599

the new what that's going on in new

1747

00:58:07,510 --> 00:58:04,480

zealand i mean there's so many countries

1748

00:58:08,789 --> 00:58:07,520

that we have no idea the egyptian air

1749

00:58:11,109 --> 00:58:08,799

force i mean we could go on down the

1750

00:58:13,030 --> 00:58:11,119

line with guys that are and gals that

1751
00:58:15,109 --> 00:58:13,040
are flying sorties every single day and

1752
00:58:17,430 --> 00:58:15,119
every night that are having sightings

1753
00:58:19,589 --> 00:58:17,440
and we don't have access to that data

1754
00:58:21,270 --> 00:58:19,599
but i mean come on this is a worldwide

1755
00:58:23,030 --> 00:58:21,280
phenomenon i mean

1756
00:58:26,069 --> 00:58:23,040
you know people could focus on the us

1757
00:58:27,670 --> 00:58:26,079
government all they want there are

1758
00:58:29,430 --> 00:58:27,680
hundreds of governments that are not

1759
00:58:31,109 --> 00:58:29,440
talking about it and we know that

1760
00:58:32,870 --> 00:58:31,119
sightings are occurring because while

1761
00:58:34,470 --> 00:58:32,880
their military's not talking about it

1762
00:58:36,230 --> 00:58:34,480
their civilians are and they're posting

1763
00:58:37,510 --> 00:58:36,240

them on youtube

1764

00:58:39,030 --> 00:58:37,520

why do you think they're not talking

1765

00:58:41,510 --> 00:58:39,040

about it i guess you know what what

1766

00:58:43,510 --> 00:58:41,520

happened between when you said 40 47 i

1767

00:58:45,430 --> 00:58:43,520

guess and then 95 you know what was that

1768

00:58:46,950 --> 00:58:45,440

big gap what do you what do you think it

1769

00:58:48,470 --> 00:58:46,960

may be that they came in in possession

1770

00:58:50,710 --> 00:58:48,480

of some information they just got so

1771

00:58:52,309 --> 00:58:50,720

scared that they want nobody needs to

1772

00:58:54,870 --> 00:58:52,319

nobody can know about this

1773

00:58:57,030 --> 00:58:54,880

but it could be something else um i i'm

1774

00:59:00,069 --> 00:58:57,040

i'm not great at kind of throwing out

1775

00:59:01,510 --> 00:59:00,079

theories about why things happen uh deal

1776

00:59:03,829 --> 00:59:01,520

if you read the book you'll see i deal

1777

00:59:05,670 --> 00:59:03,839

with nuts and bolts things i can prove

1778

00:59:06,390 --> 00:59:05,680

things i can sort of talk with with any

1779

00:59:08,230 --> 00:59:06,400

great

1780

00:59:09,829 --> 00:59:08,240

you know kind of conviction whereas when

1781

00:59:11,990 --> 00:59:09,839

i start to think about things a bit more

1782

00:59:14,549 --> 00:59:12,000

kind of more blue sky thinking i'm a bit

1783

00:59:16,069 --> 00:59:14,559

less like kind of certain about what why

1784

00:59:17,270 --> 00:59:16,079

and i just get the point where i go i

1785

00:59:21,430 --> 00:59:17,280

don't know

1786

00:59:22,950 --> 00:59:21,440

um but that's as far as i get half the

1787

00:59:24,710 --> 00:59:22,960

time because i'm not privy to the

1788

00:59:26,069 --> 00:59:24,720

information i'm not privy to the details

1789

00:59:27,910 --> 00:59:26,079

and sometimes i don't even know the

1790

00:59:29,750 --> 00:59:27,920

motivation you know because i might be

1791

00:59:30,789 --> 00:59:29,760

able to put myself in people's shoes but

1792

00:59:32,150 --> 00:59:30,799

then i might come up with a different

1793

00:59:34,150 --> 00:59:32,160

sort of answer that somebody else does

1794

00:59:35,829 --> 00:59:34,160

back then so i don't know in terms of

1795

00:59:37,589 --> 00:59:35,839

the wartime sightings they're basically

1796

00:59:40,470 --> 00:59:37,599

a microcosm of whatever's happened

1797

00:59:42,549 --> 00:59:40,480

afterwards so yes okay modern neufolgi

1798

00:59:44,789 --> 00:59:42,559

started in 1947 with kenneth arnold and

1799

00:59:46,470 --> 00:59:44,799

with roswell but actually the kind of

1800

00:59:48,470 --> 00:59:46,480

things that were seen during the wall

1801

00:59:50,789 --> 00:59:48,480

the lights the some like kind of

1802

00:59:52,789 --> 00:59:50,799

cigar-shaped objects torpedoes and other

1803

00:59:54,630 --> 00:59:52,799

things or something like an upturned

1804

00:59:57,270 --> 00:59:54,640

bathtub that was seen in russia over

1805

00:59:59,190 --> 00:59:57,280

russia watching a battle one day

1806

01:00:01,109 --> 00:59:59,200

things like that you know they're kind

1807

01:00:02,870 --> 01:00:01,119

of things that have been seen like since

1808

01:00:05,589 --> 01:00:02,880

as well and in various times you know

1809

01:00:06,870 --> 01:00:05,599

from 1947 onwards so really

1810

01:00:08,150 --> 01:00:06,880

maybe if people should think about

1811

01:00:09,030 --> 01:00:08,160

setting that clock a little bit further

1812

01:00:10,870 --> 01:00:09,040

back

1813

01:00:12,309 --> 01:00:10,880

and i know why they do it for 1947

1814

01:00:14,069 --> 01:00:12,319

because what will do with the a bomb you

1815

01:00:15,910 --> 01:00:14,079

know explosions and the tests and all

1816

01:00:16,870 --> 01:00:15,920

that kind of thing but

1817

01:00:18,390 --> 01:00:16,880

really

1818

01:00:21,190 --> 01:00:18,400

you know nuclear fission was invented in

1819

01:00:23,510 --> 01:00:21,200

1938 the the manhattan the manhattan

1820

01:00:25,030 --> 01:00:23,520

project kicked off in 1942 so if

1821

01:00:26,789 --> 01:00:25,040

somebody is let's say for argument's

1822

01:00:28,789 --> 01:00:26,799

sake somebody's watching us and watching

1823

01:00:30,230 --> 01:00:28,799

our development they probably knew that

1824

01:00:32,309 --> 01:00:30,240

you know people were looking about with

1825

01:00:33,430 --> 01:00:32,319

you know atomic fission long before we

1826

01:00:34,870 --> 01:00:33,440

actually managed to get a bomb put

1827

01:00:36,230 --> 01:00:34,880

together so

1828

01:00:38,309 --> 01:00:36,240

you know if you're going to go down that

1829

01:00:39,349 --> 01:00:38,319

kind of road then you have to probably

1830

01:00:40,789 --> 01:00:39,359

credit them with a little bit more

1831

01:00:41,910 --> 01:00:40,799

intelligence and they were probably

1832

01:00:43,349 --> 01:00:41,920

watching this long before that we

1833

01:00:46,309 --> 01:00:43,359

actually you know before the trinity

1834

01:00:47,990 --> 01:00:46,319

test so that that's possibly the way i

1835

01:00:50,230 --> 01:00:48,000

look at it but i don't really go that

1836

01:00:51,670 --> 01:00:50,240

too far into that kind of right realm of

1837

01:00:53,430 --> 01:00:51,680

you know sort of thinking in the book

1838

01:00:55,030 --> 01:00:53,440

i'd rather just limit it to look these

1839

01:00:57,109 --> 01:00:55,040

things happened you know it's in

1840

01:00:58,950 --> 01:00:57,119

historical records never mind people

1841

01:01:00,950 --> 01:00:58,960

just coming forward and telling you know

1842

01:01:02,789 --> 01:01:00,960

their stories you know maybe a few years

1843

01:01:05,430 --> 01:01:02,799

or 10 years 20 years after the after the

1844

01:01:07,670 --> 01:01:05,440

event they are written down in raf

1845

01:01:10,549 --> 01:01:07,680

records and united states army air force

1846

01:01:12,950 --> 01:01:10,559

records and others as well so yeah they

1847

01:01:14,549 --> 01:01:12,960

do appear what they were again that's a

1848

01:01:17,030 --> 01:01:14,559

different question right do you get a

1849

01:01:18,870 --> 01:01:17,040

sense that this is a function of

1850

01:01:21,829 --> 01:01:18,880

uh

1851
01:01:23,270 --> 01:01:21,839
military activity right so you know i

1852
01:01:25,829 --> 01:01:23,280
think about the fact that every day

1853
01:01:27,910 --> 01:01:25,839
we've got thousands of of uh commercial

1854
01:01:29,190 --> 01:01:27,920
airplanes in our skies we're not hearing

1855
01:01:30,549 --> 01:01:29,200
a lot about this because we got a lot we

1856
01:01:31,829 --> 01:01:30,559
got a lot of eyeballs in those planes

1857
01:01:33,349 --> 01:01:31,839
it's not just pilots we have people

1858
01:01:35,190 --> 01:01:33,359
looking out the window all the time

1859
01:01:36,789 --> 01:01:35,200
we're not seeing it what we are seeing

1860
01:01:39,510 --> 01:01:36,799
here in the what you're sharing with us

1861
01:01:41,030 --> 01:01:39,520
is an increase in activity

1862
01:01:44,309 --> 01:01:41,040
correlated with

1863
01:01:45,270 --> 01:01:44,319

presence in the skies of of aggressive

1864

01:01:46,950 --> 01:01:45,280

intent

1865

01:01:48,870 --> 01:01:46,960

and so i wonder you know is there a

1866

01:01:50,710 --> 01:01:48,880

through line there and we certainly hear

1867

01:01:52,630 --> 01:01:50,720

about it with you know the nimitz strike

1868

01:01:53,829 --> 01:01:52,640

group and whatnot but but i'd be curious

1869

01:01:55,910 --> 01:01:53,839

to know and i don't know to what extent

1870

01:01:59,029 --> 01:01:55,920

you've looked at any other

1871

01:02:01,829 --> 01:01:59,039

major conflicts that involved air power

1872

01:02:03,910 --> 01:02:01,839

so uh the korean war vietnam war other

1873

01:02:05,349 --> 01:02:03,920

other you know iraq all these sort of

1874

01:02:07,589 --> 01:02:05,359

different instances where there may be

1875

01:02:09,270 --> 01:02:07,599

have been a high presence of military

1876

01:02:11,430 --> 01:02:09,280

activity in the sky if there was a

1877

01:02:12,950 --> 01:02:11,440

similar uptick in sighting reporting

1878

01:02:14,630 --> 01:02:12,960

it's certainly true that the numbers of

1879

01:02:16,549 --> 01:02:14,640

aircraft in the skies at only one time

1880

01:02:18,870 --> 01:02:16,559

during world war ii was huge and it was

1881

01:02:20,789 --> 01:02:18,880

unprecedented and you didn't just have

1882

01:02:22,470 --> 01:02:20,799

one or two people in an open top biplane

1883

01:02:23,910 --> 01:02:22,480

like you did in the wa in world war one

1884

01:02:26,069 --> 01:02:23,920

you had you know sort of seven eight

1885

01:02:27,430 --> 01:02:26,079

nine people in some cases ten people in

1886

01:02:29,270 --> 01:02:27,440

american aircraft

1887

01:02:31,270 --> 01:02:29,280

on board on the same aircraft you know

1888

01:02:33,190 --> 01:02:31,280

watching the skies all the time so it

1889

01:02:34,630 --> 01:02:33,200

was natural that the number of sightings

1890

01:02:36,230 --> 01:02:34,640

would increase because you have tens of

1891

01:02:37,270 --> 01:02:36,240

thousands of people in the sky at any

1892

01:02:39,029 --> 01:02:37,280

one time

1893

01:02:41,029 --> 01:02:39,039

now in the first world war apparently

1894

01:02:42,710 --> 01:02:41,039

there are sightings i know of a book

1895

01:02:44,710 --> 01:02:42,720

that covers that i've never actually

1896

01:02:47,589 --> 01:02:44,720

read it and i must admit i'm not looked

1897

01:02:49,029 --> 01:02:47,599

into the cases but i'm aware they exist

1898

01:02:50,870 --> 01:02:49,039

and it's not just one or two either

1899

01:02:51,670 --> 01:02:50,880

apparently there are quite a few there

1900

01:02:54,069 --> 01:02:51,680

are

1901

01:02:55,270 --> 01:02:54,079

similar cases from the korean conflict

1902

01:02:57,910 --> 01:02:55,280

as well

1903

01:02:59,589 --> 01:02:57,920

of things being seen there so yeah and

1904

01:03:01,349 --> 01:02:59,599

of course there's also

1905

01:03:04,230 --> 01:03:01,359

sightings from vietnam

1906

01:03:06,710 --> 01:03:04,240

so you can look to the various conflicts

1907

01:03:09,190 --> 01:03:06,720

throughout history in terms of aerial

1908

01:03:10,230 --> 01:03:09,200

participation and you come across

1909

01:03:12,150 --> 01:03:10,240

reports

1910

01:03:15,190 --> 01:03:12,160

i don't know about once from the the two

1911

01:03:16,789 --> 01:03:15,200

iraq wars but i'm sure there will be

1912

01:03:18,710 --> 01:03:16,799

um you might you gentlemen might be able

1913

01:03:19,829 --> 01:03:18,720

to inform me if there is but i'm not

1914

01:03:22,069 --> 01:03:19,839

aware of any but that doesn't mean you

1915

01:03:23,029 --> 01:03:22,079

say there aren't any um

1916

01:03:24,470 --> 01:03:23,039

so

1917

01:03:26,309 --> 01:03:24,480

and there will and the recorded peace

1918

01:03:29,029 --> 01:03:26,319

time during the cold war there were

1919

01:03:31,589 --> 01:03:29,039

reports as well of you know of migs

1920

01:03:34,150 --> 01:03:31,599

going to intercept you know various

1921

01:03:35,910 --> 01:03:34,160

things that the russians saw uh in some

1922

01:03:38,549 --> 01:03:35,920

cases apparently losing aircraft and

1923

01:03:41,270 --> 01:03:38,559

pilots uh there's also a case of a of a

1924

01:03:43,750 --> 01:03:41,280

cuban mig-21 apparently being shot down

1925

01:03:45,109 --> 01:03:43,760

by a ufo at one stage again i'm not

1926

01:03:47,910 --> 01:03:45,119

entirely privy to the details but i've

1927

01:03:49,829 --> 01:03:47,920

heard of the case so there are you know

1928

01:03:51,990 --> 01:03:49,839

other stories but in terms of conflicts

1929

01:03:53,829 --> 01:03:52,000

nathan yes definitely there there may

1930

01:03:55,750 --> 01:03:53,839

well be a correlation between the number

1931

01:03:58,470 --> 01:03:55,760

of people up there and the intensity of

1932

01:03:59,510 --> 01:03:58,480

the kind of conflict and whatever's

1933

01:04:00,230 --> 01:03:59,520

watching

1934

01:04:02,950 --> 01:04:00,240

but

1935

01:04:04,789 --> 01:04:02,960

i mean i don't like to go theorize about

1936

01:04:06,549 --> 01:04:04,799

what these things are but people have

1937

01:04:08,390 --> 01:04:06,559

asked me before and i come up with this

1938

01:04:09,990 --> 01:04:08,400

just as an example i don't necessarily

1939

01:04:11,270 --> 01:04:10,000

subscribe to it but it's something i

1940

01:04:13,510 --> 01:04:11,280

think look you know if had the

1941

01:04:16,390 --> 01:04:13,520

capability i'd love to do this imagine

1942

01:04:17,349 --> 01:04:16,400

the 20 the year 2500 we invent time

1943

01:04:19,029 --> 01:04:17,359

travel

1944

01:04:20,069 --> 01:04:19,039

where would you like to go if it was

1945

01:04:21,670 --> 01:04:20,079

something where you didn't affect the

1946

01:04:23,750 --> 01:04:21,680

past like but the fire effect you could

1947

01:04:25,750 --> 01:04:23,760

just go and watch as a interested

1948

01:04:27,750 --> 01:04:25,760

observer and it was some way of getting

1949

01:04:29,270 --> 01:04:27,760

our presence into that time you know

1950

01:04:30,950 --> 01:04:29,280

where it didn't interact too much but it

1951

01:04:32,470 --> 01:04:30,960

did a little bit but it was a way of

1952

01:04:34,069 --> 01:04:32,480

seeing what happened in the past where

1953

01:04:35,430 --> 01:04:34,079

would you want to go for some people it

1954

01:04:37,190 --> 01:04:35,440

might be roman britain it might be

1955

01:04:38,950 --> 01:04:37,200

watching the roman wall being built what

1956

01:04:40,950 --> 01:04:38,960

could be watched um nelson's victory at

1957

01:04:42,710 --> 01:04:40,960

trafalgar or it could be i don't know um

1958

01:04:44,470 --> 01:04:42,720

you know going to see um armstrong lying

1959

01:04:45,990 --> 01:04:44,480

on the moon or something yeah for me

1960

01:04:47,270 --> 01:04:46,000

it'd be world war two and it would

1961

01:04:49,270 --> 01:04:47,280

actually be the eastern front because

1962

01:04:50,710 --> 01:04:49,280

that's the the actual the the fighting i

1963

01:04:52,710 --> 01:04:50,720

was i'm most interested in and that's

1964

01:04:53,670 --> 01:04:52,720

what i read up a lot but that's where

1965

01:04:54,789 --> 01:04:53,680

i'd go

1966

01:04:56,230 --> 01:04:54,799

whereas other people might have

1967

01:04:57,349 --> 01:04:56,240

different places now could it be

1968

01:04:58,710 --> 01:04:57,359

something as simple as that could be

1969

01:04:59,670 --> 01:04:58,720

people from the future watching us in

1970

01:05:01,750 --> 01:04:59,680

the past

1971

01:05:02,690 --> 01:05:01,760

who knows but i want to be at woodstock

1972

01:05:05,670 --> 01:05:02,700

graham

1973

01:05:06,549 --> 01:05:05,680

[Laughter]

1974

01:05:11,510 --> 01:05:06,559

right

1975

01:05:15,750 --> 01:05:13,029

well interestingly too we're talking

1976

01:05:16,710 --> 01:05:15,760

about periods in history that are that

1977

01:05:18,069 --> 01:05:16,720

have

1978

01:05:19,510 --> 01:05:18,079

very little

1979

01:05:22,309 --> 01:05:19,520

videographic

1980

01:05:24,630 --> 01:05:22,319

evidence of and so this is a fascinating

1981

01:05:27,029 --> 01:05:24,640

theory uh we have less photographic

1982

01:05:28,870 --> 01:05:27,039

evidence of these events less video

1983

01:05:30,390 --> 01:05:28,880

evidence of the these events whereas the

1984

01:05:33,349 --> 01:05:30,400

modern conflicts

1985

01:05:35,029 --> 01:05:33,359

there is more uh data available maybe

1986

01:05:36,789 --> 01:05:35,039

not necessarily like when all looking at

1987

01:05:38,309 --> 01:05:36,799

gun camera footage of what happened in

1988

01:05:40,789 --> 01:05:38,319

you know in the iraq conflicts and

1989

01:05:41,910 --> 01:05:40,799

whatnot in afghanistan but nevertheless

1990

01:05:45,029 --> 01:05:41,920

these are peers that are kind of

1991

01:05:45,750 --> 01:05:45,039

shrouded in a little bit of uh of of uh

1992

01:05:49,670 --> 01:05:45,760

the

1993

01:05:50,630 --> 01:05:49,680

but being able to get back into and just

1994

01:05:53,029 --> 01:05:50,640

see it

1995

01:05:54,950 --> 01:05:53,039

and and and observe that's a fascinating

1996

01:05:56,710 --> 01:05:54,960

theory yeah i mean if you've seen the

1997

01:05:57,990 --> 01:05:56,720

photographs on the internet about the

1998

01:06:00,309 --> 01:05:58,000

foo fighters and you see these kind of

1999

01:06:02,150 --> 01:06:00,319

little amorphous blobs behind what are

2000

01:06:04,309 --> 01:06:02,160

usually japanese aircraft they're often

2001

01:06:05,510 --> 01:06:04,319

labeled as british or american or german

2002

01:06:08,069 --> 01:06:05,520

but don't believe it they're all

2003

01:06:09,430 --> 01:06:08,079

japanese uh or muslim japanese or other

2004

01:06:10,950 --> 01:06:09,440

now those could just be photographic

2005

01:06:12,390 --> 01:06:10,960

defects because there's no context to

2006

01:06:14,069 --> 01:06:12,400

any of these pictures we don't know

2007

01:06:16,230 --> 01:06:14,079

where they were taken who took them

2008

01:06:18,069 --> 01:06:16,240

which squadron which unit you know where

2009

01:06:19,670 --> 01:06:18,079

which raid which date all this kind of

2010

01:06:22,470 --> 01:06:19,680

thing and as far as i'm concerned they

2011

01:06:24,549 --> 01:06:22,480

mean nothing because that could for me

2012

01:06:26,870 --> 01:06:24,559

just be a mark on the film or an or

2013

01:06:28,069 --> 01:06:26,880

error in the development process because

2014

01:06:30,950 --> 01:06:28,079

the technology back there wasn't as

2015

01:06:33,510 --> 01:06:30,960

great um and there is no real evidence

2016

01:06:35,510 --> 01:06:33,520

of the foo fighters beyond testimony and

2017

01:06:37,109 --> 01:06:35,520

beyond information official records

2018

01:06:38,630 --> 01:06:37,119

where as you get later on you get as you

2019

01:06:40,150 --> 01:06:38,640

say gun camera footage you get flare

2020

01:06:41,670 --> 01:06:40,160

footage you know you get all the modern

2021

01:06:43,750 --> 01:06:41,680

technology but those sensors weren't

2022

01:06:47,190 --> 01:06:43,760

available during world war ii airborne

2023

01:06:49,190 --> 01:06:47,200

radar was effectively um a guy in the

2024

01:06:51,029 --> 01:06:49,200

back of an aircraft

2025

01:06:52,630 --> 01:06:51,039

like hunched over a box which the

2026

01:06:54,069 --> 01:06:52,640

display didn't like you know go round

2027

01:06:54,950 --> 01:06:54,079

round circle like you see in the films

2028

01:06:57,029 --> 01:06:54,960

it was like it looked like an

2029

01:06:58,950 --> 01:06:57,039

oscilloscope in terms of the

2030

01:07:00,309 --> 01:06:58,960

display and they had to work out from

2031

01:07:02,789 --> 01:07:00,319

that it was like kind of you know trying

2032

01:07:04,950 --> 01:07:02,799

to work out a puzzle from what whether

2033

01:07:06,710 --> 01:07:04,960

the bearing and the height and the the

2034

01:07:08,390 --> 01:07:06,720

the speed of the aircraft from this kind

2035

01:07:10,470 --> 01:07:08,400

of like little bouncing trace on the

2036

01:07:12,470 --> 01:07:10,480

oscilloscope and it was only it was only

2037

01:07:13,910 --> 01:07:12,480

effective for five miles or so so you

2038

01:07:15,670 --> 01:07:13,920

had to have a ground station that had to

2039

01:07:17,750 --> 01:07:15,680

vector you to within more or less

2040

01:07:19,349 --> 01:07:17,760

striking distance of your target and

2041

01:07:21,029 --> 01:07:19,359

then you could then the airborne set

2042

01:07:23,029 --> 01:07:21,039

would then take over because it would

2043

01:07:25,910 --> 01:07:23,039

you know it was that primitive

2044

01:07:28,390 --> 01:07:25,920

um now most of these foo fighters within

2045

01:07:30,309 --> 01:07:28,400

apart from a couple of cases were never

2046

01:07:32,069 --> 01:07:30,319

picked up on radar so there's another

2047

01:07:34,069 --> 01:07:32,079

thing as well so it wasn't as if they

2048

01:07:36,069 --> 01:07:34,079

had any other kind of cooperation from

2049

01:07:37,510 --> 01:07:36,079

the ground there's one famous story

2050

01:07:40,549 --> 01:07:37,520

about one of the night fighter pants

2051

01:07:42,870 --> 01:07:40,559

over over belgium uh or uh yeah and uh

2052

01:07:45,270 --> 01:07:42,880

sorry over france um in november or

2053

01:07:48,150 --> 01:07:45,280

december 1944 and he's chased by one of

2054

01:07:49,829 --> 01:07:48,160

these red lights um and he radios the

2055

01:07:51,589 --> 01:07:49,839

the ground station to say you know have

2056

01:07:54,150 --> 01:07:51,599

you got it you know you know can he see

2057

01:07:55,510 --> 01:07:54,160

it because we can't and they turn around

2058

01:07:57,190 --> 01:07:55,520

saying but there's nothing up there with

2059

01:07:58,470 --> 01:07:57,200

you you're not you're on your own you

2060

01:08:00,710 --> 01:07:58,480

know and yeah you've been chased around

2061

01:08:02,309 --> 01:08:00,720

by this red light so that even then

2062

01:08:03,750 --> 01:08:02,319

decides well is the washy anything

2063

01:08:05,029 --> 01:08:03,760

anything subs you know was there any

2064

01:08:06,390 --> 01:08:05,039

substance to these lights or whether

2065

01:08:07,910 --> 01:08:06,400

just light

2066

01:08:09,510 --> 01:08:07,920

because nobody could really tell they

2067

01:08:11,430 --> 01:08:09,520

couldn't see anything in any form behind

2068

01:08:12,870 --> 01:08:11,440

them but then of course there's another

2069

01:08:16,309 --> 01:08:12,880

thing which i haven't mentioned at all

2070

01:08:18,630 --> 01:08:16,319

during this conversation but in sort of

2071

01:08:21,269 --> 01:08:18,640

september october 1944 they started

2072

01:08:24,550 --> 01:08:21,279

seeing what they said with jet fighters

2073

01:08:26,789 --> 01:08:24,560

at night this is the america

2074

01:08:28,709 --> 01:08:26,799

started reporting them and in some cases

2075

01:08:30,149 --> 01:08:28,719

they opened fire them and shot them down

2076

01:08:32,149 --> 01:08:30,159

and the gunners claimed them it was

2077

01:08:34,550 --> 01:08:32,159

being destroyed so watching them go down

2078

01:08:36,229 --> 01:08:34,560

in flames some of them would um describe

2079

01:08:38,390 --> 01:08:36,239

as being batwinged some of them were

2080

01:08:40,390 --> 01:08:38,400

just jets but then again the the

2081

01:08:42,390 --> 01:08:40,400

intelligence reports ratify that to be

2082

01:08:44,149 --> 01:08:42,400

fast-moving lights and that's all they

2083

01:08:46,149 --> 01:08:44,159

say but they were called jets because

2084

01:08:47,269 --> 01:08:46,159

the raf crews well intelligence were

2085

01:08:49,110 --> 01:08:47,279

also thinking the germans are going to

2086

01:08:49,990 --> 01:08:49,120

start feeling these night fighter jets

2087

01:08:51,749 --> 01:08:50,000

because they were doing it in the

2088

01:08:53,189 --> 01:08:51,759

daytime but actually the germans didn't

2089

01:08:55,990 --> 01:08:53,199

feel the proper night fighter jet until

2090

01:08:57,110 --> 01:08:56,000

march 1945. so

2091

01:08:58,470 --> 01:08:57,120

you know you have to think well okay

2092

01:08:59,910 --> 01:08:58,480

what were they seeing because they were

2093

01:09:01,669 --> 01:08:59,920

definitely seeing before the germans put

2094

01:09:03,910 --> 01:09:01,679

jets up in the air at night in any case

2095

01:09:05,910 --> 01:09:03,920

even for trials and and did they shoot

2096

01:09:07,430 --> 01:09:05,920

them down is that well

2097

01:09:09,510 --> 01:09:07,440

if you look at the records and you look

2098

01:09:10,709 --> 01:09:09,520

at the raf squadron records they claim

2099

01:09:12,390 --> 01:09:10,719

them as kills

2100

01:09:14,630 --> 01:09:12,400

they have they have fairly detailed

2101
01:09:16,149 --> 01:09:14,640
reports in quite a few cases where they

2102
01:09:17,669 --> 01:09:16,159
say they open fire them they either

2103
01:09:19,749 --> 01:09:17,679
catch fire and they fall towards the

2104
01:09:20,870 --> 01:09:19,759
ground or they dive away

2105
01:09:23,990 --> 01:09:20,880
now

2106
01:09:25,910 --> 01:09:24,000
because again they don't fit profiles of

2107
01:09:28,229 --> 01:09:25,920
anything in terms of the german

2108
01:09:30,070 --> 01:09:28,239
offensive capabilities whether um

2109
01:09:32,149 --> 01:09:30,080
actually put into into combat in the

2110
01:09:35,110 --> 01:09:32,159
operational service on the drawing board

2111
01:09:36,630 --> 01:09:35,120
or or in test nothing nothing like that

2112
01:09:38,789 --> 01:09:36,640
at all is there any questions the idea

2113
01:09:40,550 --> 01:09:38,799

that that could have been uh

2114

01:09:41,990 --> 01:09:40,560

put out as purposeful sort of

2115

01:09:42,789 --> 01:09:42,000

disinformation

2116

01:09:44,550 --> 01:09:42,799

by

2117

01:09:46,470 --> 01:09:44,560

the allied powers

2118

01:09:48,070 --> 01:09:46,480

well that in from those records nathan

2119

01:09:49,510 --> 01:09:48,080

didn't go anywhere there were internal

2120

01:09:51,910 --> 01:09:49,520

records so it's not as if they were

2121

01:09:53,669 --> 01:09:51,920

passed on to anybody it wasn't like uh

2122

01:09:55,750 --> 01:09:53,679

kind of a propaganda news [h__h] or a

2123

01:09:57,830 --> 01:09:55,760

newspaper or a radio boson that would be

2124

01:09:59,350 --> 01:09:57,840

picked up by the german forces and it

2125

01:10:00,870 --> 01:09:59,360

wasn't something that went to like a

2126

01:10:02,709 --> 01:10:00,880

third like a kind of like a friendly

2127

01:10:04,070 --> 01:10:02,719

country to be passed on to the germans

2128

01:10:06,310 --> 01:10:04,080

that way so

2129

01:10:09,510 --> 01:10:06,320

there's no kind of benefit to write this

2130

01:10:10,390 --> 01:10:09,520

kind of thing down in a obscure squadron

2131

01:10:12,229 --> 01:10:10,400

log

2132

01:10:13,430 --> 01:10:12,239

i can i can i can speak i could actually

2133

01:10:17,350 --> 01:10:13,440

speak to this

2134

01:10:18,709 --> 01:10:17,360

um on multi-crew airplanes i have heard

2135

01:10:21,270 --> 01:10:18,719

let us say

2136

01:10:23,270 --> 01:10:21,280

one or two tall tales that have been

2137

01:10:25,189 --> 01:10:23,280

told that the majority of the community

2138

01:10:26,149 --> 01:10:25,199

does not believe what occurred in the

2139

01:10:27,510 --> 01:10:26,159

air

2140

01:10:28,550 --> 01:10:27,520

and

2141

01:10:31,350 --> 01:10:28,560

i won't

2142

01:10:35,910 --> 01:10:31,360

just

2143

01:10:38,149 --> 01:10:35,920

people will

2144

01:10:39,830 --> 01:10:38,159

maybe invent certain events so that

2145

01:10:41,590 --> 01:10:39,840

maybe there's a medal that follows or

2146

01:10:44,550 --> 01:10:41,600

something like that so that's very true

2147

01:10:45,990 --> 01:10:44,560

um

2148

01:10:47,910 --> 01:10:46,000

if it was one or two you know

2149

01:10:49,590 --> 01:10:47,920

occurrences you could probably accept

2150

01:10:51,350 --> 01:10:49,600

that was the case but actually there's

2151

01:10:53,669 --> 01:10:51,360

quite a few of them

2152

01:10:55,910 --> 01:10:53,679

and it's not just in september october

2153

01:10:58,709 --> 01:10:55,920

1944 this actually goes right through to

2154

01:11:00,149 --> 01:10:58,719

about february and march as well so i

2155

01:11:01,590 --> 01:11:00,159

think you missed my inference my

2156

01:11:03,590 --> 01:11:01,600

influence is not that it didn't happen

2157

01:11:05,030 --> 01:11:03,600

but then they splashed it

2158

01:11:07,030 --> 01:11:05,040

right because they destroyed it that

2159

01:11:09,510 --> 01:11:07,040

part yeah that's what i mean

2160

01:11:12,229 --> 01:11:09,520

if you if you say i saw something is

2161

01:11:13,350 --> 01:11:12,239

okay yeah if you say we killed it and we

2162

01:11:15,350 --> 01:11:13,360

it we

2163

01:11:17,270 --> 01:11:15,360

made it fall out of the sky and burn in

2164

01:11:19,110 --> 01:11:17,280

flames that i might

2165

01:11:21,189 --> 01:11:19,120

i might attribute that to tall tales

2166

01:11:23,110 --> 01:11:21,199

based on what you've the information you

2167

01:11:24,950 --> 01:11:23,120

gave us that preceded that yeah but but

2168

01:11:26,390 --> 01:11:24,960

actually i want to move on to the mod a

2169

01:11:28,709 --> 01:11:26,400

little bit because we don't have a lot

2170

01:11:31,510 --> 01:11:28,719

of time left and i want to hit up

2171

01:11:33,510 --> 01:11:31,520

what you think about uh what's going on

2172

01:11:35,030 --> 01:11:33,520

in the because you are part of your

2173

01:11:38,149 --> 01:11:35,040

organization if you would please tell

2174

01:11:41,830 --> 01:11:38,159

people the uab media uap media uk so yes

2175

01:11:43,270 --> 01:11:41,840

we're kind of well adams

2176

01:11:45,110 --> 01:11:43,280

the signal

2177

01:11:46,630 --> 01:11:45,120

andy

2178

01:11:48,790 --> 01:11:46,640

yeah so we're all a bunch of like-minded

2179

01:11:50,630 --> 01:11:48,800

individuals who are trying to put um

2180

01:11:52,149 --> 01:11:50,640

some pressure on not just the government

2181

01:11:54,470 --> 01:11:52,159

but also

2182

01:11:56,310 --> 01:11:54,480

other kind of officials and also the

2183

01:11:57,910 --> 01:11:56,320

media to try and just have a bit of a

2184

01:12:00,630 --> 01:11:57,920

more enlightened a bit elevated

2185

01:12:02,470 --> 01:12:00,640

conversation about uap in general rather

2186

01:12:04,229 --> 01:12:02,480

than just the kind of mindset at the

2187

01:12:05,669 --> 01:12:04,239

moment that seems to permeate the mod

2188

01:12:07,430 --> 01:12:05,679

the ministry of defense in the uk which

2189

01:12:09,270 --> 01:12:07,440

is nothing of defense significance has

2190

01:12:12,070 --> 01:12:09,280

happened within the last 50 years and

2191

01:12:13,750 --> 01:12:12,080

that is the that is the actual mantra

2192

01:12:15,750 --> 01:12:13,760

that they keep trotting out every time

2193

01:12:17,430 --> 01:12:15,760

there's either an official debate such

2194

01:12:19,189 --> 01:12:17,440

as in the house of lords which is our

2195

01:12:21,110 --> 01:12:19,199

non-elected chamber because we have two

2196

01:12:23,110 --> 01:12:21,120

houses the house of commons the house of

2197

01:12:25,270 --> 01:12:23,120

lords in parliament and they had a

2198

01:12:27,430 --> 01:12:25,280

debate back um back in the early summer

2199

01:12:29,270 --> 01:12:27,440

where that was the answer to pretty much

2200

01:12:31,030 --> 01:12:29,280

every question was asked on the subject

2201

01:12:32,790 --> 01:12:31,040

which followed on the heels of the

2202

01:12:35,510 --> 01:12:32,800

preliminary summary that you had in the

2203

01:12:37,750 --> 01:12:35,520

states regarding the uap issue um and to

2204

01:12:38,790 --> 01:12:37,760

which they just shut the debate down so

2205

01:12:41,189 --> 01:12:38,800

as far as the

2206

01:12:42,790 --> 01:12:41,199

mod are concerned in britain there's no

2207

01:12:45,350 --> 01:12:42,800

there's no story there's nothing to be

2208

01:12:46,630 --> 01:12:45,360

answered it just doesn't happen here but

2209

01:12:48,390 --> 01:12:46,640

then you have to wonder what the

2210

01:12:51,830 --> 01:12:48,400

threshold is for them to take it

2211

01:12:54,630 --> 01:12:51,840

seriously publicly what would constitute

2212

01:12:56,550 --> 01:12:54,640

um a matter of defense significance

2213

01:12:58,310 --> 01:12:56,560

because for my money if something

2214

01:13:00,790 --> 01:12:58,320

anomalous is flying near off the coast

2215

01:13:02,149 --> 01:13:00,800

of within the 12 mile limit in the uk

2216

01:13:03,750 --> 01:13:02,159

and they're not and they're not going to

2217

01:13:05,590 --> 01:13:03,760

scramble fighters after it even though

2218

01:13:07,750 --> 01:13:05,600

it might be sitting over a sensitive

2219

01:13:10,790 --> 01:13:07,760

nuclear or defense installation then

2220

01:13:12,630 --> 01:13:10,800

that must be a defense matter surely

2221

01:13:15,430 --> 01:13:12,640

and those kind of things have happened

2222

01:13:16,950 --> 01:13:15,440

so within the last 50 years and you have

2223

01:13:19,350 --> 01:13:16,960

to have a look at the rental shipments

2224

01:13:22,070 --> 01:13:19,360

and some other famous ones the calvin

2225

01:13:23,030 --> 01:13:22,080

incident from 1990 um for them to say

2226

01:13:25,430 --> 01:13:23,040

there's no

2227

01:13:28,149 --> 01:13:25,440

defense significance that means either

2228

01:13:30,390 --> 01:13:28,159

that they're telling porkies or

2229

01:13:32,070 --> 01:13:30,400

they know what these things are and

2230

01:13:33,430 --> 01:13:32,080

they've considered them not to be a

2231

01:13:35,350 --> 01:13:33,440

threat or they're just sticking their

2232

01:13:37,030 --> 01:13:35,360

head in the sand so

2233

01:13:38,790 --> 01:13:37,040

you have to wonder which one's true it's

2234

01:13:40,870 --> 01:13:38,800

probably the middle one in terms of the

2235

01:13:42,470 --> 01:13:40,880

calvinism because that was probably one

2236

01:13:44,550 --> 01:13:42,480

of yours

2237

01:13:46,790 --> 01:13:44,560

do you do you think that uh there's

2238

01:13:48,870 --> 01:13:46,800

should be a big phone home like for the

2239

01:13:51,510 --> 01:13:48,880

something analogous to the big phone

2240

01:13:53,430 --> 01:13:51,520

home uk where you know we get together a

2241

01:13:55,590 --> 01:13:53,440

bunch of people then contact you know

2242

01:13:57,750 --> 01:13:55,600

members of uh the house of commons or

2243

01:14:00,470 --> 01:13:57,760

and or the house of lords if you know at

2244

01:14:02,550 --> 01:14:00,480

the moment there is only a very very

2245

01:14:04,390 --> 01:14:02,560

small handful of elected well the

2246

01:14:06,790 --> 01:14:04,400

non-elected representatives the lords

2247

01:14:09,590 --> 01:14:06,800

and ladies in the house of lords who

2248

01:14:11,350 --> 01:14:09,600

asked questions of a kind of sympathetic

2249

01:14:14,390 --> 01:14:11,360

nature to people like me

2250

01:14:16,149 --> 01:14:14,400

about what the what the issue is now

2251

01:14:17,990 --> 01:14:16,159

that's not the same accounts the mps in

2252

01:14:19,910 --> 01:14:18,000

the house of commons we don't actually

2253

01:14:21,750 --> 01:14:19,920

know of any at the moment who have come

2254

01:14:23,590 --> 01:14:21,760

out publicly to say that they're

2255

01:14:26,709 --> 01:14:23,600

interested in the subject and they want

2256

01:14:31,750 --> 01:14:29,189

i found a live photo of them yeah thank

2257

01:14:34,630 --> 01:14:31,760

you nathan that sums it up entirely yeah

2258

01:14:36,870 --> 01:14:34,640

so really no under the radar kind of uh

2259

01:14:39,030 --> 01:14:36,880

well here here's the here's the rub we

2260

01:14:40,630 --> 01:14:39,040

don't know if there is at the moment

2261

01:14:43,669 --> 01:14:40,640

because they're not approaching us as

2262

01:14:45,430 --> 01:14:43,679

yet but again you know that could change

2263

01:14:47,590 --> 01:14:45,440

and it could change overnight it

2264

01:14:49,510 --> 01:14:47,600

wouldn't take much for a few people to

2265

01:14:51,590 --> 01:14:49,520

come out quite covertly and say look i'm

2266

01:14:52,790 --> 01:14:51,600

interested can you tell me more what you

2267

01:14:54,870 --> 01:14:52,800

know what can you tell me who can you

2268

01:14:56,790 --> 01:14:54,880

put me in touch with so that could

2269

01:14:59,030 --> 01:14:56,800

happen but at the moment we're not

2270

01:15:01,189 --> 01:14:59,040

seeing that but you know that that said

2271

01:15:03,590 --> 01:15:01,199

that could change so having a big phone

2272

01:15:06,310 --> 01:15:03,600

home at the moment probably wouldn't get

2273

01:15:08,470 --> 01:15:06,320

us very far because actually our tabloid

2274

01:15:10,709 --> 01:15:08,480

press would rip it to treads

2275

01:15:12,310 --> 01:15:10,719

as well we have a we have a kind of

2276

01:15:13,590 --> 01:15:12,320

thing in this country where they build

2277

01:15:15,750 --> 01:15:13,600

people up and then they knock people

2278

01:15:17,590 --> 01:15:15,760

down and there's still enough of a

2279

01:15:20,229 --> 01:15:17,600

stigma within the popular press in this

2280

01:15:22,310 --> 01:15:20,239

country and also the bbc et cetera that

2281

01:15:25,430 --> 01:15:22,320

that they'll be quite happy

2282

01:15:27,110 --> 01:15:25,440

open season now if that changes that

2283

01:15:28,870 --> 01:15:27,120

groundswell of opinion changes so we get

2284

01:15:29,669 --> 01:15:28,880

a few mps which are prepared to break

2285

01:15:31,590 --> 01:15:29,679

cover

2286

01:15:33,830 --> 01:15:31,600

and say publicly that they want some

2287

01:15:36,070 --> 01:15:33,840

kind of investigation or want to do more

2288

01:15:38,229 --> 01:15:36,080

then that that's better and we would

2289

01:15:39,750 --> 01:15:38,239

then have a position where we could do

2290

01:15:42,149 --> 01:15:39,760

that kind of thing and have that kind of

2291

01:15:44,790 --> 01:15:42,159

graph you know grassroots you know um

2292

01:15:46,630 --> 01:15:44,800

kind of movement from ordinary people

2293

01:15:48,870 --> 01:15:46,640

approaching elected officials but at the

2294

01:15:51,990 --> 01:15:48,880

moment they would just climb up and they

2295

01:15:53,750 --> 01:15:52,000

would also in terms of public responses

2296

01:15:54,950 --> 01:15:53,760

you would get the same thing because

2297

01:15:57,270 --> 01:15:54,960

what they do is they don't come back

2298

01:15:59,030 --> 01:15:57,280

with their own responses if you contact

2299

01:16:00,630 --> 01:15:59,040

them they say they're going to pass that

2300

01:16:02,709 --> 01:16:00,640

up to you know the people who are in

2301

01:16:04,870 --> 01:16:02,719

charge of that particular issue so the

2302

01:16:06,709 --> 01:16:04,880

ministry of defense or the the secretary

2303

01:16:08,709 --> 01:16:06,719

of state for defense etc because i've

2304

01:16:10,229 --> 01:16:08,719

continued on my own mp about this they

2305

01:16:11,669 --> 01:16:10,239

don't you know they don't send you like

2306

01:16:13,669 --> 01:16:11,679

information saying oh yes this is what i

2307

01:16:14,950 --> 01:16:13,679

think about them too much they might

2308

01:16:16,790 --> 01:16:14,960

send you a couple of words but actually

2309

01:16:18,709 --> 01:16:16,800

there's nothing concrete they pass it up

2310

01:16:20,229 --> 01:16:18,719

the chain and then of course from them

2311

01:16:22,709 --> 01:16:20,239

when you get the response back from the

2312

01:16:24,390 --> 01:16:22,719

chain it's the there's nothing 50 years

2313

01:16:26,229 --> 01:16:24,400

you know defense significance so you

2314

01:16:27,910 --> 01:16:26,239

don't get anywhere

2315

01:16:29,910 --> 01:16:27,920

what about a reporting process you know

2316

01:16:30,950 --> 01:16:29,920

because i guess in the in the us at

2317

01:16:32,550 --> 01:16:30,960

least

2318

01:16:35,189 --> 01:16:32,560

it sounds like our pilots will have a

2319

01:16:36,870 --> 01:16:35,199

reporting process for uaps have you seen

2320

01:16:38,870 --> 01:16:36,880

anything and or heard about anything in

2321

01:16:40,870 --> 01:16:38,880

the chris who knows we don't know yeah

2322

01:16:42,950 --> 01:16:40,880

we certainly don't know no

2323

01:16:44,870 --> 01:16:42,960

you you across america it seems that

2324

01:16:47,270 --> 01:16:44,880

you're much more open whether it's not

2325

01:16:49,270 --> 01:16:47,280

only in terms of the of your government

2326

01:16:50,790 --> 01:16:49,280

but also in terms of your military uh

2327

01:16:52,950 --> 01:16:50,800

you know the information that percolates

2328

01:16:53,910 --> 01:16:52,960

out into the public realm we don't have

2329

01:16:55,510 --> 01:16:53,920

that

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01:16:57,110 --> 01:16:55,520

we we are still kind of stuck in the

2331

01:16:58,870 --> 01:16:57,120

past in terms of no we probably don't

2332

01:17:01,189 --> 01:16:58,880

need to know that and but they don't

2333

01:17:03,030 --> 01:17:01,199

tell us and it's oh yeah yeah 50 years

2334

01:17:05,590 --> 01:17:03,040

it's fine don't ask any more questions

2335

01:17:07,350 --> 01:17:05,600

and that's it that's what we get so yeah

2336

01:17:09,270 --> 01:17:07,360

we're way behind you in terms of any

2337

01:17:11,830 --> 01:17:09,280

kind of openness and then he kind of

2338

01:17:14,070 --> 01:17:11,840

seems any kind of desire to be like that

2339

01:17:15,910 --> 01:17:14,080

as well it just you just don't see it's

2340

01:17:17,750 --> 01:17:15,920

there at the moment is it possible that

2341

01:17:19,590 --> 01:17:17,760

it's a sort of five eyes you know that's

2342

01:17:21,350 --> 01:17:19,600

it's follow the leader situation it's

2343

01:17:23,910 --> 01:17:21,360

the us is kind of leading the narrative

2344

01:17:26,229 --> 01:17:23,920

here there's no need to sort of

2345

01:17:27,669 --> 01:17:26,239

get out and and kind of take the lead

2346

01:17:29,510 --> 01:17:27,679

just follow the lead of what the u.s oh

2347

01:17:31,189 --> 01:17:29,520

yes i think that's that's that's really

2348

01:17:33,669 --> 01:17:31,199

true because in most things we follow

2349

01:17:35,510 --> 01:17:33,679

you you know over a lot of things as

2350

01:17:38,070 --> 01:17:35,520

well and we're like the junior partner

2351

01:17:40,390 --> 01:17:38,080

in that kind of relationship so i i i

2352

01:17:41,910 --> 01:17:40,400

guess that yes you know we will follow

2353

01:17:44,229 --> 01:17:41,920

you in terms of things like that and we

2354

01:17:47,030 --> 01:17:44,239

just keep quit quiet about it but also

2355

01:17:48,630 --> 01:17:47,040

there could be a kind of case for

2356

01:17:50,550 --> 01:17:48,640

we might just be going on our own we

2357

01:17:51,910 --> 01:17:50,560

might the people who have it here might

2358

01:17:53,830 --> 01:17:51,920

just think well there's nothing to it or

2359

01:17:55,830 --> 01:17:53,840

they might have told that or they might

2360

01:17:57,750 --> 01:17:55,840

be being told that's the case by other

2361

01:17:59,910 --> 01:17:57,760

people who they rely on and they're

2362

01:18:00,709 --> 01:17:59,920

actually the secret keepers

2363

01:18:02,870 --> 01:18:00,719

so

2364

01:18:04,550 --> 01:18:02,880

we don't again we don't know we get you

2365

01:18:06,630 --> 01:18:04,560

get hints of things but that's all you

2366

01:18:08,310 --> 01:18:06,640

get um and of course the you know

2367

01:18:10,310 --> 01:18:08,320

they're not perfect in terms of keeping

2368

01:18:12,630 --> 01:18:10,320

the secrets there's been things that

2369

01:18:14,550 --> 01:18:12,640

have come out occasionally but it's not

2370

01:18:16,950 --> 01:18:14,560

enough to be able to go aha you know

2371

01:18:19,669 --> 01:18:16,960

there you go you know whereas you've had

2372

01:18:21,910 --> 01:18:19,679

that in the states you know uh we send

2373

01:18:24,630 --> 01:18:21,920

freedom of information requests as well

2374

01:18:26,470 --> 01:18:24,640

but we don't get much in return because

2375

01:18:27,990 --> 01:18:26,480

um you know they'll say oh it's to do

2376

01:18:29,590 --> 01:18:28,000

with the defense matter or it's uh you

2377

01:18:32,070 --> 01:18:29,600

know something like that and then they

2378

01:18:34,070 --> 01:18:32,080

can stonewall it quite a lot um so you

2379

01:18:35,430 --> 01:18:34,080

do end up getting nowhere here whereas i

2380

01:18:36,070 --> 01:18:35,440

think it's a bit easier across where you

2381

01:18:39,030 --> 01:18:36,080

are

2382

01:18:42,390 --> 01:18:39,040

hey graham um so i contacted a member

2383

01:18:44,950 --> 01:18:42,400

you know the 47 squadron right

2384

01:18:46,550 --> 01:18:44,960

45 you mean the hercules squadron yeah

2385

01:18:49,030 --> 01:18:46,560

they're not they're not at line them

2386

01:18:50,550 --> 01:18:49,040

where are they now oh god you tell me i

2387

01:18:52,229 --> 01:18:50,560

don't know anymore they're at another

2388

01:18:55,030 --> 01:18:52,239

they moved they were at line them for

2389

01:18:58,630 --> 01:18:55,040

years but probably a prize yeah maybe

2390

01:19:00,390 --> 01:18:58,640

bryson orton right um they were our sis

2391

01:19:02,870 --> 01:19:00,400

brother sister squadron so we had an

2392

01:19:04,070 --> 01:19:02,880

exchange where we'd send a pilot there

2393

01:19:06,470 --> 01:19:04,080

and they would send a pilot to the

2394

01:19:08,390 --> 01:19:06,480

states and we would fly he'd fly talent

2395

01:19:10,390 --> 01:19:08,400

twos and we'd fly there

2396

01:19:12,390 --> 01:19:10,400

super h2 that they had and they had

2397

01:19:14,790 --> 01:19:12,400

amazing aviators in that squadron the

2398

01:19:17,590 --> 01:19:14,800

pick of the litter of their special ops

2399

01:19:19,270 --> 01:19:17,600

aviation so i contacted one of them uh

2400

01:19:21,110 --> 01:19:19,280

well you knew you guys know i had troy

2401

01:19:23,510 --> 01:19:21,120
on the show with chris and troy's

2402

01:19:26,070 --> 01:19:23,520
willing to come on again and i contacted

2403

01:19:28,950 --> 01:19:26,080
this former member of the uh

2404

01:19:30,229 --> 01:19:28,960
uh 47 squadron who flies for ba

2405

01:19:33,270 --> 01:19:30,239
and uh

2406

01:19:36,790 --> 01:19:33,280
he he's like uh he didn't even respond

2407

01:19:39,830 --> 01:19:36,800
yeah and he responded that he took my my

2408

01:19:41,430 --> 01:19:39,840
request like on linkedin you know and we

2409

01:19:43,510 --> 01:19:41,440
became friends but he didn't want to

2410

01:19:45,750 --> 01:19:43,520
answer when i asked him about this topic

2411

01:19:47,830 --> 01:19:45,760
and wanted to talk about it

2412

01:19:49,830 --> 01:19:47,840
that's one you get a lot you get so far

2413

01:19:51,590 --> 01:19:49,840

into conversations and then you get you

2414

01:19:52,630 --> 01:19:51,600

run into this brick wall where they just

2415

01:19:54,470 --> 01:19:52,640

you know say you don't want to talk

2416

01:19:55,990 --> 01:19:54,480

about it or they just shut it down they

2417

01:19:57,590 --> 01:19:56,000

sail there's nothing to it

2418

01:19:59,830 --> 01:19:57,600

there was a lot of stigma in terms of

2419

01:20:01,990 --> 01:19:59,840

reporting from british airways years ago

2420

01:20:03,750 --> 01:20:02,000

where it was considered detrimental to a

2421

01:20:05,270 --> 01:20:03,760

pilot's career if they mentioned

2422

01:20:06,790 --> 01:20:05,280

anything about this so they didn't

2423

01:20:08,629 --> 01:20:06,800

there's only very very few people

2424

01:20:10,550 --> 01:20:08,639

actually came forward for whatever

2425

01:20:11,830 --> 01:20:10,560

reason and reported things and that's

2426

01:20:13,910 --> 01:20:11,840

possibly the same in the military as

2427

01:20:16,070 --> 01:20:13,920

well uh in terms of the rf or the fleet

2428

01:20:18,149 --> 01:20:16,080

air armor or the or the

2429

01:20:20,310 --> 01:20:18,159

army air corps that when they say things

2430

01:20:22,149 --> 01:20:20,320

then maybe you just encouraged not to

2431

01:20:23,669 --> 01:20:22,159

report it because

2432

01:20:25,590 --> 01:20:23,679

of maybe stigma or maybe because

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01:20:27,510 --> 01:20:25,600

ridicule from their squadron mates or

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01:20:29,510 --> 01:20:27,520

maybe just there might be some kind of

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01:20:31,669 --> 01:20:29,520

um you know official

2436

01:20:33,750 --> 01:20:31,679

kind of instruction that they may have

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01:20:35,750 --> 01:20:33,760

actually have a reporting uh kind of

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01:20:37,910 --> 01:20:35,760

procedure where the details are passed

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01:20:39,510 --> 01:20:37,920

on but that's the end of the story and

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01:20:41,270 --> 01:20:39,520

that might be you know right you can't

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01:20:43,430 --> 01:20:41,280

ask questions about this anymore because

2442

01:20:45,910 --> 01:20:43,440

back in the day back in the war when the

2443

01:20:47,750 --> 01:20:45,920

pilots reported things they never got to

2444

01:20:49,990 --> 01:20:47,760

know what this you know what the answer

2445

01:20:51,350 --> 01:20:50,000

was and that must be the case now as

2446

01:20:53,110 --> 01:20:51,360

well i guess you know your

2447

01:20:54,870 --> 01:20:53,120

contemporaries if you if they ever

2448

01:20:56,550 --> 01:20:54,880

reported incidents with things they

2449

01:20:58,470 --> 01:20:56,560

didn't understand chances are they would

2450

01:21:00,629 --> 01:20:58,480

never ever hear anything more about it

2451

01:21:02,149 --> 01:21:00,639

once they'd report it you know that it

2452

01:21:03,990 --> 01:21:02,159

would never come back to them would it

2453

01:21:05,910 --> 01:21:04,000

no i mean chris and i would not have

2454

01:21:07,590 --> 01:21:05,920

been uh would not have been talking

2455

01:21:10,229 --> 01:21:07,600

about this because that's like saying

2456

01:21:12,229 --> 01:21:10,239

hey i don't want to fly anymore yeah so

2457

01:21:14,950 --> 01:21:12,239

uh that's you know i mean it's it's

2458

01:21:17,189 --> 01:21:14,960

career suicide and it's only because of

2459

01:21:18,870 --> 01:21:17,199

the courage of others uh that came

2460

01:21:21,669 --> 01:21:18,880

before us like dave

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01:21:24,070 --> 01:21:21,679

and fravor and luis elizondo and so on

2462

01:21:26,070 --> 01:21:24,080

and so forth and chris mellon yeah we

2463

01:21:27,990 --> 01:21:26,080

feel like hey we can we could talk about

2464

01:21:29,669 --> 01:21:28,000

it but we're gonna get a last question

2465

01:21:32,149 --> 01:21:29,679

from everybody and then we're gonna

2466

01:21:35,030 --> 01:21:32,159

we're gonna uh let graham go about his

2467

01:21:37,110 --> 01:21:35,040

evening so nathan you go ahead yeah i'm

2468

01:21:40,070 --> 01:21:37,120

curious if you came across any

2469

01:21:40,950 --> 01:21:40,080

uh or looked into any reporting of usos

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01:21:43,830 --> 01:21:40,960

during

2471

01:21:45,990 --> 01:21:43,840

world war ii they're on um in terms of

2472

01:21:48,310 --> 01:21:46,000

usos there aren't any in the european

2473

01:21:50,470 --> 01:21:48,320

theater operations but there are stories

2474

01:21:52,149 --> 01:21:50,480

of things in the pacific where it might

2475

01:21:53,510 --> 01:21:52,159

have been seen coming out of the water

2476

01:21:55,270 --> 01:21:53,520

but again that's something i haven't got

2477

01:21:57,270 --> 01:21:55,280

into yet but that's the next book i'm

2478

01:22:00,550 --> 01:21:57,280

writing so hopefully i'll i'll come up

2479

01:22:01,910 --> 01:22:00,560

with uh things like that there we go

2480

01:22:03,910 --> 01:22:01,920

great for us

2481

01:22:05,910 --> 01:22:03,920

yeah i had a question um i just read the

2482

01:22:07,510 --> 01:22:05,920

uh skim markers of the pentagon

2483

01:22:11,430 --> 01:22:07,520

book graham

2484

01:22:13,669 --> 01:22:11,440

very interesting uh i guess my uh my my

2485

01:22:16,070 --> 01:22:13,679

first question i guess is is there a

2486

01:22:17,669 --> 01:22:16,080

skinwalkers kind of area of the uk you

2487

01:22:20,070 --> 01:22:17,679

know i hear so much about the uk there's

2488

01:22:21,990 --> 01:22:20,080

like so many sightings you know you have

2489

01:22:23,110 --> 01:22:22,000

stoneheads you have all this this

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01:22:27,750 --> 01:22:23,120

ancient

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01:22:29,110 --> 01:22:27,760

walkers area skin walker branch not as

2492

01:22:30,229 --> 01:22:29,120

such in terms of some of the things that

2493

01:22:31,510 --> 01:22:30,239

happen there but there's certainly

2494

01:22:32,950 --> 01:22:31,520

places where there's been a lot of

2495

01:22:35,030 --> 01:22:32,960

activity and one in particular is what

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01:22:36,950 --> 01:22:35,040

they call the welsh triangle and it was

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01:22:39,189 --> 01:22:36,960

from the 1970s where there was a spate

2498

01:22:41,510 --> 01:22:39,199

of reports of various strange things

2499

01:22:44,149 --> 01:22:41,520

some coming out of the water one going

2500

01:22:46,790 --> 01:22:44,159

into solid rock as well and this was off

2501
01:22:48,390 --> 01:22:46,800
a particular part of western wales um so

2502
01:22:50,629 --> 01:22:48,400
and it got the nickname the wet the

2503
01:22:52,070 --> 01:22:50,639
welsh triangle uh there are books on the

2504
01:22:54,709 --> 01:22:52,080
subject as well but there's there was

2505
01:22:56,870 --> 01:22:54,719
also a school um sighting where kids in

2506
01:22:58,870 --> 01:22:56,880
the school had seen uh something you

2507
01:23:00,550 --> 01:22:58,880
know nearby so yeah there's a few

2508
01:23:01,350 --> 01:23:00,560
stories like that but in terms of having

2509
01:23:44,950 --> 01:23:01,360
a

2510
01:23:46,629 --> 01:23:44,960
two f-15s they they pick something up on

2511
01:23:48,070 --> 01:23:46,639
radar that they they go and check it out

2512
01:23:50,070 --> 01:23:48,080
and they can't identify it they

2513
01:23:51,590 --> 01:23:50,080

basically say it looks like a meteorite

2514

01:23:52,629 --> 01:23:51,600

or something yeah it looks like a rock

2515

01:23:53,910 --> 01:23:52,639

didn't they yeah they thought this

2516

01:23:55,669 --> 01:23:53,920

that's why they described it like the

2517

01:23:57,750 --> 01:23:55,679

floating rock uh

2518

01:23:59,669 --> 01:23:57,760

yeah it was picked up by uh by an

2519

01:24:02,790 --> 01:23:59,679

aircraft enthusiast listening to scatter

2520

01:24:07,350 --> 01:24:04,229

frequencies and they were actually

2521

01:24:09,750 --> 01:24:07,360

talking on a like a net aware frequency

2522

01:24:10,870 --> 01:24:09,760

um for the squadron um they'd also i

2523

01:24:13,590 --> 01:24:10,880

think they've been directed to the

2524

01:24:15,270 --> 01:24:13,600

target by by london military uh the the

2525

01:24:17,270 --> 01:24:15,280

one of their military control

2526
01:24:19,189 --> 01:24:17,280
frequencies to go and investigate it and

2527
01:24:20,950 --> 01:24:19,199
it was somewhere just not

2528
01:24:22,310 --> 01:24:20,960
the thing is i don't exactly know where

2529
01:24:23,830 --> 01:24:22,320
it was but i think it was somewhere just

2530
01:24:26,629 --> 01:24:23,840
north of lakenheath it wasn't too far

2531
01:24:28,550 --> 01:24:26,639
away from the base um but yeah it was

2532
01:24:31,510 --> 01:24:28,560
they described it as a rock and i think

2533
01:24:33,110 --> 01:24:31,520
one the pilots did several passes um to

2534
01:24:35,189 --> 01:24:33,120
try and work out what it was but it was

2535
01:24:36,950 --> 01:24:35,199
income i was talking to my f-16 buddy

2536
01:24:39,030 --> 01:24:36,960
last night you know at the reunion and

2537
01:24:41,350 --> 01:24:39,040
we were talking about this and

2538
01:24:42,550 --> 01:24:41,360

it just he agrees with me that you're

2539

01:24:44,390 --> 01:24:42,560

we're gonna be able to figure out what

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01:24:46,629 --> 01:24:44,400

it is you know i mean it's very

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01:24:47,750 --> 01:24:46,639

it would be very rare to to circle back

2542

01:24:49,830 --> 01:24:47,760

on something

2543

01:24:51,030 --> 01:24:49,840

you know because it can't just run away

2544

01:24:53,590 --> 01:24:51,040

you know so we should be able to catch

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01:24:55,030 --> 01:24:53,600

up to it but it's he agreed with me that

2546

01:24:57,189 --> 01:24:55,040

it seems like we would the pilot would

2547

01:24:58,790 --> 01:24:57,199

circle back around get and just get

2548

01:24:59,830 --> 01:24:58,800

closer to this thing in an orbit and

2549

01:25:01,830 --> 01:24:59,840

figure out what it is you know we're

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01:25:03,110 --> 01:25:01,840

just curious by nature he certainly had

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01:25:04,629 --> 01:25:03,120

a couple of goals i tried to work out

2552

01:25:06,070 --> 01:25:04,639

what it was but i i mean i don't know

2553

01:25:07,590 --> 01:25:06,080

what the constraints on the mission were

2554

01:25:09,590 --> 01:25:07,600

so i don't know what your fuel load was

2555

01:25:16,070 --> 01:25:09,600

you feel state whether you had it but i

2556

01:25:20,070 --> 01:25:18,149

um it's it's been out for a little while

2557

01:25:21,430 --> 01:25:20,080

now and i it was interesting because

2558

01:25:23,510 --> 01:25:21,440

they hear the

2559

01:25:25,510 --> 01:25:23,520

the the ground guys they were listening

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01:25:27,669 --> 01:25:25,520

to the pilot radio chatter you know and

2561

01:25:31,430 --> 01:25:27,679

i remember that was we're supposed to go

2562

01:25:33,590 --> 01:25:31,440

you know to our uh jam resistor or yeah

2563

01:25:34,870 --> 01:25:33,600

you know but uh back in the day back in

2564

01:25:36,310 --> 01:25:34,880

the day because i used to do that kind

2565

01:25:37,830 --> 01:25:36,320

of thing as well when i was much younger

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01:25:39,590 --> 01:25:37,840

and you could get you could buy

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01:25:41,189 --> 01:25:39,600

commercially available scanners that

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01:25:42,950 --> 01:25:41,199

would uh pick up things in the military

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01:25:45,030 --> 01:25:42,960

band quite easily so you could listen to

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01:25:46,070 --> 01:25:45,040

where to wear chat frequencies uh if you

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01:25:47,430 --> 01:25:46,080

were close enough and you had a good

2572

01:25:48,709 --> 01:25:47,440

enough aerial and the win in the

2573

01:25:52,149 --> 01:25:48,719

aircraft were nearby there was no

2574

01:25:53,990 --> 01:25:52,159

problem uh i would pick up dj's earlier

2575

01:25:56,310 --> 01:25:54,000

colleagues from the from the 1990s and

2576

01:25:57,669 --> 01:25:56,320

late 80s flying over here uh in

2577

01:25:59,350 --> 01:25:57,679

northumberland you know

2578

01:26:01,030 --> 01:25:59,360

late at night as well so you

2579

01:26:03,110 --> 01:26:01,040

occasionally hear them if you knew which

2580

01:26:05,189 --> 01:26:03,120

frequency they were using etc it was it

2581

01:26:06,950 --> 01:26:05,199

was relatively easy but that was the

2582

01:26:08,629 --> 01:26:06,960

hard part was trying to work out which

2583

01:26:11,110 --> 01:26:08,639

what they were using at different times

2584

01:26:13,030 --> 01:26:11,120

so this guy whoever he was it had much

2585

01:26:15,270 --> 01:26:13,040

to stumble upon this this um this

2586

01:26:17,430 --> 01:26:15,280

exchange he was obviously well-versed in

2587

01:26:19,750 --> 01:26:17,440

be able to track aircraft on missions

2588

01:26:21,350 --> 01:26:19,760

and listen to them hop from frequency to

2589

01:26:23,030 --> 01:26:21,360

frequency and the ones that couldn't be

2590

01:26:25,189 --> 01:26:23,040

jammed i think he was having difficulty

2591

01:26:26,870 --> 01:26:25,199

from where he was located being able to

2592

01:26:28,790 --> 01:26:26,880

hear the ground element of the

2593

01:26:30,149 --> 01:26:28,800

conversations yeah usually he's not

2594

01:26:31,669 --> 01:26:30,159

going to hear that yeah

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01:26:33,350 --> 01:26:31,679

that was the only thing

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01:26:35,350 --> 01:26:33,360

i can relate to that that was the only

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01:26:37,189 --> 01:26:35,360

thing he was he was he wasn't getting

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01:26:39,189 --> 01:26:37,199

but there's a guy in the states called

2599

01:26:41,270 --> 01:26:39,199

steve douglas who is the same kind of

2600

01:26:42,870 --> 01:26:41,280

guy he listens to a lot of stuff he was

2601
01:26:44,950 --> 01:26:42,880
the person i think who intercepted the

2602
01:26:46,310 --> 01:26:44,960
information about the american airlines

2603
01:26:47,510 --> 01:26:46,320
aircraft

2604
01:26:50,790 --> 01:26:47,520
go past

2605
01:26:52,550 --> 01:26:50,800
a little while back so there are people

2606
01:26:54,470 --> 01:26:52,560
like that around the world who

2607
01:26:55,910 --> 01:26:54,480
occasionally pick up things like this

2608
01:26:57,669 --> 01:26:55,920
you know and that kind of information is

2609
01:27:00,550 --> 01:26:57,679
like a little gold mine really

2610
01:27:03,189 --> 01:27:00,560
yeah i the the aviation uh

2611
01:27:05,270 --> 01:27:03,199
fanaticism in the uk which is a not only

2612
01:27:06,149 --> 01:27:05,280
in the uk but i guess in parts of europe

2613
01:27:08,390 --> 01:27:06,159

as well

2614

01:27:11,350 --> 01:27:08,400

it's a beautiful thing and it's much

2615

01:27:12,629 --> 01:27:11,360

much uh uh more widespread than it is in

2616

01:27:14,709 --> 01:27:12,639

the united states if you think people

2617

01:27:16,709 --> 01:27:14,719

love aviation here it's nothing like

2618

01:27:18,629 --> 01:27:16,719

when people show up to fairford and

2619

01:27:20,950 --> 01:27:18,639

asking you to sign flight orders that

2620

01:27:22,550 --> 01:27:20,960

they've got and just they've they're

2621

01:27:24,950 --> 01:27:22,560

sitting outside in mildenhall with

2622

01:27:26,470 --> 01:27:24,960

cameras uh just to watch you take off

2623

01:27:28,229 --> 01:27:26,480

like you know

2624

01:27:30,310 --> 01:27:28,239

a lot of americans are going to just as

2625

01:27:32,790 --> 01:27:30,320

many people do that but anyway graham

2626

01:27:35,510 --> 01:27:32,800

the last question i have for you

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01:27:37,270 --> 01:27:35,520

um and it's basically your perspective

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01:27:40,149 --> 01:27:37,280

so if you were to

2629

01:27:42,070 --> 01:27:40,159

have a message for ufo twitter and you

2630

01:27:44,310 --> 01:27:42,080

were to start off with something like

2631

01:27:47,189 --> 01:27:44,320

what i'd really love to see

2632

01:27:49,430 --> 01:27:47,199

from hashtag ufo twitter or the ufo

2633

01:27:51,110 --> 01:27:49,440

community at large is

2634

01:27:53,350 --> 01:27:51,120

well that's a question isn't it thanks a

2635

01:27:57,270 --> 01:27:55,750

we're not everyone buying it

2636

01:27:59,270 --> 01:27:57,280

how about a bit of love piece of

2637

01:28:01,030 --> 01:27:59,280

understanding

2638

01:28:02,470 --> 01:28:01,040

there you go not going to make it easy

2639

01:28:03,910 --> 01:28:02,480

that's it peace and understanding all

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01:28:07,270 --> 01:28:03,920

right

2641

01:28:09,669 --> 01:28:07,280

just like your brother john lennon man

2642

01:28:13,510 --> 01:28:09,679

so it was an absolute honor to have you

2643

01:28:16,310 --> 01:28:13,520

on it won't be the last uh we want to uh

2644

01:28:19,510 --> 01:28:16,320

keep you as as as part of our you know

2645

01:28:21,990 --> 01:28:19,520

our show rotation etc and uh and consult

2646

01:28:23,910 --> 01:28:22,000

you on these things um it takes an

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01:28:26,870 --> 01:28:23,920

enormous amount of work

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01:28:28,629 --> 01:28:26,880

and love and passion to be able to

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01:28:30,950 --> 01:28:28,639

investigate something like that and come

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01:28:33,830 --> 01:28:30,960

up with a book and it shows the

2651
01:28:35,430 --> 01:28:33,840
enthusiasm for aviation that you have

2652
01:28:36,950 --> 01:28:35,440
that then grew into

2653
01:28:40,149 --> 01:28:36,960
to ufology

2654
01:28:42,390 --> 01:28:40,159
uh and i i want to thank you uh on from

2655
01:28:45,430 --> 01:28:42,400
the bottom of my heart on behalf of uh

2656
01:28:47,189 --> 01:28:45,440
nathan the ufo community at large so

2657
01:28:49,350 --> 01:28:47,199
thank you for coming on please uh

2658
01:28:51,590 --> 01:28:49,360
promote everything and anything that you

2659
01:28:54,550 --> 01:28:51,600
have for your brothers uap

2660
01:28:56,870 --> 01:28:54,560
media uk your brothers signal

2661
01:28:57,910 --> 01:28:56,880
vinnie andy

2662
01:28:59,669 --> 01:28:57,920
go ahead so

2663
01:29:02,070 --> 01:28:59,679

in that case um i'd like people to have

2664

01:29:04,310 --> 01:29:02,080

a look at uap media dot uk the website

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01:29:06,790 --> 01:29:04,320

which is where a lot of our articles

2666

01:29:09,030 --> 01:29:06,800

appear written by members of our group

2667

01:29:10,950 --> 01:29:09,040

but also who subscribe to andy's that

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01:29:12,229 --> 01:29:10,960

ufo podcast

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01:29:14,550 --> 01:29:12,239

really good he's now going to show on

2670

01:29:16,790 --> 01:29:14,560

kgra oh

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01:29:18,310 --> 01:29:16,800

and obviously if you look at people on

2672

01:29:20,709 --> 01:29:18,320

through on twitter because you've got

2673

01:29:22,709 --> 01:29:20,719

people like dan the signal dan zetastrom

2674

01:29:24,870 --> 01:29:22,719

you've got adam goldsack you've got dave

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01:29:26,390 --> 01:29:24,880

partridge shadows of your mind magazine

2676

01:29:29,590 --> 01:29:26,400

um you've also got vinnie adams the

2677

01:29:31,590 --> 01:29:29,600

disclosure team he's on instagram so all

2678

01:29:33,830 --> 01:29:31,600

of those people are working

2679

01:29:35,750 --> 01:29:33,840

in terms of my book um ufos before

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01:29:38,550 --> 01:29:35,760

roswell the european food fight is 1940

2681

01:29:40,470 --> 01:29:38,560

to 1945. it's available to amazon so

2682

01:29:42,310 --> 01:29:40,480

wherever you live in the in the world if

2683

01:29:44,870 --> 01:29:42,320

you you know whichever amazon affiliate

2684

01:29:46,629 --> 01:29:44,880

you use you can you can find it there

2685

01:29:47,910 --> 01:29:46,639

you do a search for my my name you'll

2686

01:29:49,189 --> 01:29:47,920

find it as well

2687

01:29:50,390 --> 01:29:49,199

so that's that's how you get ahold of

2688

01:29:52,229 --> 01:29:50,400

that

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01:29:54,550 --> 01:29:52,239

my twitter handle is below there border

2690

01:29:56,390 --> 01:29:54,560

750 there's a link tree reference on the

2691

01:29:57,830 --> 01:29:56,400

in my profile and you can find

2692

01:29:59,510 --> 01:29:57,840

everything that i've done through that

2693

01:30:01,189 --> 01:29:59,520

as well so that's the easiest way really

2694

01:30:03,510 --> 01:30:01,199

and the book is called

2695

01:30:08,550 --> 01:30:03,520

the book is called ufos before roswell

2696

01:30:11,910 --> 01:30:10,229

baby we'll see you soon vinny i'm gonna

2697

01:30:13,189 --> 01:30:11,920

bring the noise

2698

01:30:15,110 --> 01:30:13,199

it really has been great to chat with

2699

01:30:17,669 --> 01:30:15,120

you you've made this history for me come

2700

01:30:19,110 --> 01:30:17,679

alive i mean i i really was riveted

2701
01:30:20,790 --> 01:30:19,120
during this entire conversation so thank

2702
01:30:23,669 --> 01:30:20,800
you so much and i also want to say thank

2703
01:30:25,270 --> 01:30:23,679
you to our listeners and watchers on of

2704
01:30:27,430 --> 01:30:25,280
the show good to see a lot of chatter in

2705
01:30:29,110 --> 01:30:27,440
the in the chat and chris thank you so

2706
01:30:30,870 --> 01:30:29,120
much for uh taking some time out of your

2707
01:30:31,990 --> 01:30:30,880
day to pop in and participate thanks for

2708
01:30:33,669 --> 01:30:32,000
inviting me

2709
01:30:34,709 --> 01:30:33,679
yeah very happy to be here thank you

2710
01:30:36,629 --> 01:30:34,719
great i'm gonna read your book for sure

2711
01:30:38,070 --> 01:30:36,639
100 percent next thank you it's great to

2712
01:30:39,669 --> 01:30:38,080
be able to see you in person chris and

2713
01:30:41,590 --> 01:30:39,679

talk to you so i enjoy our conversation

2714

01:30:43,590 --> 01:30:41,600

the other week uh dj nathan sorry about

2715

01:30:45,270 --> 01:30:43,600

the sound issues um my my earbuds have

2716

01:30:46,709 --> 01:30:45,280

never failed before but just something

2717

01:30:49,350 --> 01:30:46,719

happened it did tonight

2718

01:30:50,950 --> 01:30:49,360

love you man we are good man that and we

2719

01:30:52,790 --> 01:30:50,960

appreciate your time we're honored to

2720

01:30:55,030 --> 01:30:52,800

have you on the show as we are every

2721

01:30:57,990 --> 01:30:55,040

single person that decides that they

2722

01:31:00,310 --> 01:30:58,000

want to uh take some of their time and

2723

01:31:01,990 --> 01:31:00,320

come on here and have a discussion with

2724

01:31:03,990 --> 01:31:02,000

us and it's an honor some people have

2725

01:31:05,830 --> 01:31:04,000

nobody to talk to and we don't have that

2726

01:31:08,950 --> 01:31:05,840

issue so thank god

2727

01:31:10,709 --> 01:31:08,960

um for graeme rendell for chris lato for

2728

01:31:13,590 --> 01:31:10,719

my brother nathan

2729

01:31:16,390 --> 01:31:13,600

this is dj saying peace out one love and

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01:31:18,220 --> 01:31:16,400

we'll see you down the road