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F2B

with Jimmy Church



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00:00:16,749 --> 00:00:12,959

[Music]

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00:00:20,710 --> 00:00:16,759

this hope radio for the masses headliner

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00:00:23,620 --> 00:00:20,720

between July 8 1947 the Army Air Forces

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00:00:26,650 --> 00:00:23,630

- ops and applying this - found and is

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00:00:28,150 --> 00:00:26,660

now in the possession of the army we

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00:00:31,599 --> 00:00:28,160

change the game

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00:00:34,840 --> 00:00:31,609

GameChanger I occasionally think how

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00:00:38,590 --> 00:00:34,850

quickly our differences worldwide would

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00:00:45,880 --> 00:00:38,600

vanish if we were facing an alien threat

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00:00:51,160 --> 00:00:48,220

this is fade to black with your host

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00:00:58,370 --> 00:00:51,170

Jimmy Church on the game changer radio

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00:01:03,360 --> 00:01:01,260

your help to get to the year nineteen

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00:01:08,219 --> 00:01:03,370

eighty-five

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00:01:11,169 --> 00:01:08,229

[Music]

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00:01:16,179 --> 00:01:11,179

with Jimmy jealous on the game-changing

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00:01:22,410 --> 00:01:16,189

network all right

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00:01:39,929 --> 00:01:35,050

the spoke radio for the masses yeah how

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00:01:44,080 --> 00:01:39,939

you doing today's Tuesday July 23rd 2019

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00:01:44,570 --> 00:01:44,090

203 days into the new year just 162 days

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00:01:54,000 --> 00:01:44,580

left

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00:01:54,000 --> 00:01:54,010

[Music]

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00:01:58,800 --> 00:01:56,910

we are live from a bunker somewhere in

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00:02:01,710 --> 00:01:58,810

the middle of beautiful downtown Burbank

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00:02:03,480 --> 00:02:01,720

California and I would like to welcome

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00:02:07,620 --> 00:02:03,490

everybody listening all around the world

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00:02:10,859 --> 00:02:07,630

all across the United States hither and

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00:02:14,400 --> 00:02:10,869

thither to and fro back and forth up and

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00:02:17,090 --> 00:02:14,410

down east and west north and south far

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00:02:20,400 --> 00:02:17,100

and near

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00:02:22,680 --> 00:02:20,410

this is fade to black for kjc are the

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00:02:27,150 --> 00:02:22,690

game changer network in kg ra the

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00:02:31,280 --> 00:02:27,160

planets I am your host Jimmy Church what

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00:02:35,520 --> 00:02:31,290

is rock and everybody how you doin

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00:02:38,690 --> 00:02:35,530

what an amazing week on the show tonight

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00:02:43,950 --> 00:02:38,700

very special guest author researcher

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00:02:47,210 --> 00:02:43,960

reporter journalist Annie Jacobson she's

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00:02:49,710 --> 00:02:47,220

here she's gonna join us to talk about

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00:02:53,250 --> 00:02:49,720

her new book which is called surprise

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00:02:57,530 --> 00:02:53,260

kill banish that's right the secret

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00:03:00,810 --> 00:02:57,540

history of the CIA's paramilitary forces

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00:03:05,850 --> 00:03:00,820

pmn we're also gonna talk about the

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00:03:09,900 --> 00:03:05,860

storm area51 Facebook event which is now

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00:03:12,720 --> 00:03:09,910

approaching two million people it is far

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00:03:15,110 --> 00:03:12,730

past 1.9 million

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00:03:18,060 --> 00:03:15,120

Annie Jacobson author researcher

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00:03:19,560 --> 00:03:18,070

journalists reporter and we're gonna be

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00:03:21,960 --> 00:03:19,570

talking about her new book it's called

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00:03:24,810 --> 00:03:21,970

surprise kill vanish the secret history

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00:03:26,130 --> 00:03:24,820

of the CIA paramilitary armies operators

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00:03:29,760 --> 00:03:26,140

and assassins we're also going to

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00:03:33,240 --> 00:03:29,770
discuss the storm area51 facebook event

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00:03:35,940 --> 00:03:33,250
and I'm going also gonna go outside of

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00:03:38,670 --> 00:03:35,950
the box a little bit and talk about what

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00:03:42,120 --> 00:03:38,680
she does with television and he may not

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00:03:44,640 --> 00:03:42,130
know about that she is a 2016 Pulitzer

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00:03:47,640 --> 00:03:44,650
Prize finalist and the New York Times

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00:03:49,350 --> 00:03:47,650
bestselling author of area 51 Operation

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00:03:51,390 --> 00:03:49,360
Paperclip the Pentagon's brain

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00:03:52,350 --> 00:03:51,400
phenomenon and of course the book were

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00:03:55,890 --> 00:03:52,360
going to be talking about tonight

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00:03:58,470 --> 00:03:55,900
surprise kill vanish she also writes and

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00:04:01,110 --> 00:03:58,480
produces TV she graduated from st.

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00:04:03,360 --> 00:04:01,120

Paul's School and a Princeton University

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and I say this every time or she served

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00:04:07,880 --> 00:04:06,340

as captain of the Princeton women's

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00:04:11,000 --> 00:04:07,890

varsity ice

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00:04:12,230 --> 00:04:11,010

her website is Annie Jacobs and dot-com

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00:04:12,440 --> 00:04:12,240

I'd like to welcome back to fade to

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00:04:16,009 --> 00:04:12,450

black

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00:04:17,509 --> 00:04:16,019

Annie Jacobsen Annie how are you thank

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00:04:20,060 --> 00:04:17,519

you for having me it's so nice to be

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00:04:24,530 --> 00:04:20,070

here again yes it is great to have you

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00:04:27,980 --> 00:04:24,540

back and you know Annie let's let's just

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00:04:31,750 --> 00:04:27,990

go right here first with the area 51

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00:04:35,300 --> 00:04:31,760

stop and as this started to reach across

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00:04:37,190 --> 00:04:35,310
the mainstream media and I thought you

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00:04:39,230 --> 00:04:37,200
know that that surprised me just a bit

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00:04:41,420 --> 00:04:39,240
but as I started to click on these

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00:04:45,170 --> 00:04:41,430
articles it was you that the mainstream

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00:04:47,960 --> 00:04:45,180
media reached out to for not only

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00:04:51,500 --> 00:04:47,970
information but why this was a bad idea

82
00:04:53,570 --> 00:04:51,510
how is your media week been young lady

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00:04:56,659 --> 00:04:53,580
it's been pretty crazy right my god I

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00:05:00,200 --> 00:04:56,669
was driving along and I mean in a in an

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00:05:04,340 --> 00:05:00,210
hour I had a you know the wired UK

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00:05:10,460 --> 00:05:04,350
calling me and also a podcast in Japan

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00:05:14,750 --> 00:05:10,470
and Fox News and NPR and it speaks to

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00:05:18,320 --> 00:05:14,760

the global interest in area 51 I mean

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00:05:21,159 --> 00:05:18,330

anything at all arises about that base

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00:05:25,850 --> 00:05:21,169

and people want to know what's going on

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00:05:28,400 --> 00:05:25,860

the I my comment about this last week

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00:05:31,159 --> 00:05:28,410

and I just want I just want your opinion

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00:05:35,180 --> 00:05:31,169

on this but up until the movie

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00:05:37,700 --> 00:05:35,190

Independence Day area 51 was still very

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00:05:39,800 --> 00:05:37,710

much a part of the conspiracy community

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00:05:41,290 --> 00:05:39,810

right the rest of the world really

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00:05:43,760 --> 00:05:41,300

didn't know much about it

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00:05:47,900 --> 00:05:43,770

Independence Day with that famous scene

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00:05:50,240 --> 00:05:47,910

right with Bill Pullman and I forget oh

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00:05:52,700 --> 00:05:50,250

yeah yeah Reb horn when he says you know

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00:05:57,200 --> 00:05:52,710

actually sir that's not completely

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00:05:59,630 --> 00:05:57,210

accurate so that seemed suddenly area 51

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00:06:04,430 --> 00:05:59,640

is now part of pop culture because of

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00:06:08,659 --> 00:06:04,440

that movie and its success now we've got

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00:06:11,120 --> 00:06:08,669

area 51 for real that was probably the

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00:06:16,250 --> 00:06:11,130

beginning of a general public awareness

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00:06:19,400 --> 00:06:16,260

right yes I mean the first I wrote my

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00:06:21,740 --> 00:06:19,410

book in 2011 and I think you know it

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00:06:25,540 --> 00:06:21,750

became very real for a lot of people

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00:06:29,330 --> 00:06:25,550

that in as much that I interviewed 75

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00:06:31,910 --> 00:06:29,340

men and women well 70 74 men and one

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00:06:36,470 --> 00:06:31,920

woman who had lived and worked at the

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base and these were former CIA engineers

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spy pilots military operators you name

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00:06:45,620 --> 00:06:44,190

it these were all real people that went

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00:06:47,120 --> 00:06:45,630

on the record with their name and

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00:06:49,550 --> 00:06:47,130

suddenly it was like oh wait a minute

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00:06:51,410 --> 00:06:49,560

this is actually a real physical place

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00:06:52,970 --> 00:06:51,420

and there's a lot of military and

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00:06:56,060 --> 00:06:52,980

intelligence community partners out

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00:06:59,360 --> 00:06:56,070

there working two years later President

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Obama said Erica Daphne won for the

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first time publicly from any official he

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being the top official but he mentioned

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00:07:10,970 --> 00:07:08,430

it at a Kennedy awards ceremony Kennedy

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Center award ceremony and that is when

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00:07:15,740 --> 00:07:13,110

the act was the first time in history

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00:07:17,870 --> 00:07:15,750

that the actual name area 51 became

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00:07:22,340 --> 00:07:17,880

Declassified when the president spoke of

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00:07:24,340 --> 00:07:22,350

its 1.92 as of today the latest count I

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00:07:28,340 --> 00:07:24,350

checked right before showtime it's

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00:07:33,620 --> 00:07:28,350

approaching one point nine four million

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00:07:36,680 --> 00:07:33,630

people wild that's crazy isn't it I mean

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00:07:39,770 --> 00:07:36,690

you know what what's also interesting is

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00:07:44,360 --> 00:07:39,780

that Bob Lazar who is of course the sort

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00:07:47,000 --> 00:07:44,370

of origin story of UFOs and the area 51

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00:07:48,560 --> 00:07:47,010

and I say origin story meaning he's the

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00:07:50,810 --> 00:07:48,570

first public he's the first person to

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00:07:55,280 --> 00:07:50,820

ask publicly spoken about it he went on

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00:07:58,850 --> 00:07:55,290

Joe Rogan's podcast recently shortly

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00:08:01,730 --> 00:07:58,860

after I did and I think the that the

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00:08:03,620 --> 00:08:01,740

that brought a lot of this attention

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00:08:05,930 --> 00:08:03,630

back in but of course specifically the

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00:08:07,909 --> 00:08:05,940

Lazar because he had been so quiet for

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00:08:12,140 --> 00:08:07,919

so many decades and also there had of

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00:08:15,860 --> 00:08:12,150

course been that film and that is about

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00:08:19,880 --> 00:08:15,870

him and that's on Netflix so you kind of

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00:08:24,140 --> 00:08:19,890

have this whirlwind of a confluence of

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00:08:26,210 --> 00:08:24,150

events dealing with area 51 coming back

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00:08:29,360 --> 00:08:26,220

into everybody's mind and and and then

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00:08:30,950 --> 00:08:29,370

this this started but you know it's wild

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00:08:34,490 --> 00:08:30,960

to me that the Air Force made a comment

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00:08:35,010 --> 00:08:34,500

about it because they have never done

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00:08:37,440 --> 00:08:35,020

that

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00:08:40,199 --> 00:08:37,450

they have always you know well the

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00:08:43,250 --> 00:08:40,209

commander in chief spoke of area 51 the

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00:08:46,230 --> 00:08:43,260

the Air Force did not and so you know

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00:08:47,790 --> 00:08:46,240

it's it speaks to the times and I think

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00:08:52,199 --> 00:08:47,800

it also speaks to the power of Facebook

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00:08:54,420 --> 00:08:52,209

because my I continue to work with as I

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00:08:56,639 --> 00:08:54,430

continue to write more books I work with

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00:08:59,310 --> 00:08:56,649

people and the military and the

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00:09:02,460 --> 00:08:59,320

intelligence community has sources and I

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00:09:04,980 --> 00:09:02,470

know what a serious I they keep on

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00:09:08,430 --> 00:09:04,990

Facebook because the ability that a

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00:09:12,060 --> 00:09:08,440

facebook campaign has to incite people

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00:09:12,780 --> 00:09:12,070

to do things is extremely troubling to

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00:09:14,670 --> 00:09:12,790

the government

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00:09:16,560 --> 00:09:14,680

I mean look no further than a place like

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00:09:18,870 --> 00:09:16,570

India where you actually have people

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00:09:21,630 --> 00:09:18,880

dying because they're told to do things

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00:09:25,230 --> 00:09:21,640

on Facebook right right right and think

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00:09:27,540 --> 00:09:25,240

of the Arab Spring you know and and all

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00:09:31,050 --> 00:09:27,550

of these different significant events

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00:09:33,960 --> 00:09:31,060

around the world that were propped up

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00:09:36,449 --> 00:09:33,970

and supported and created from social

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00:09:40,199 --> 00:09:36,459

media social media is not a joke now

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00:09:42,150 --> 00:09:40,209

we're talking about London riot yes yes

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00:09:44,930 --> 00:09:42,160

yes it's it's something that has to be

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00:09:48,510 --> 00:09:44,940

taken very seriously and here we have

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00:09:50,819 --> 00:09:48,520

two million people saying that they are

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00:09:53,160 --> 00:09:50,829

going another two million saying that

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00:09:55,860 --> 00:09:53,170

they're interested in another three and

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00:09:57,150 --> 00:09:55,870

a half million that are invited I don't

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00:10:00,780 --> 00:09:57,160

know what this number is going to be

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00:10:05,130 --> 00:10:00,790

like come around September 20th but if

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00:10:07,380 --> 00:10:05,140

we look at fractions here right you know

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00:10:09,870 --> 00:10:07,390

we're talking about such a big number

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00:10:11,880 --> 00:10:09,880

now now if you're talking about ten

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00:10:13,769 --> 00:10:11,890

percent or five percent we're still

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00:10:17,220 --> 00:10:13,779

talking about a couple of hundred

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00:10:20,160 --> 00:10:17,230

thousand people showing up at area 51

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00:10:22,650 --> 00:10:20,170

and now is that that is when the

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00:10:26,460 --> 00:10:22,660

Pentagon has to take this serious on the

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00:10:28,560 --> 00:10:26,470

flip side is area51 equipped for

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00:10:31,740 --> 00:10:28,570

something like this they may be equipped

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00:10:33,780 --> 00:10:31,750

for their you know the the RV that shows

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00:10:36,329 --> 00:10:33,790

up with a half a dozen people in it that

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00:10:39,210 --> 00:10:36,339

want to you know go and film that the

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00:10:41,100 --> 00:10:39,220

camo dudes deal with that but if a

201
00:10:46,140 --> 00:10:41,110
couple hundred thousand people show up

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00:10:48,880 --> 00:10:46,150
what's going to happen well I did my my

203
00:10:50,560 --> 00:10:48,890
theory is that it would never even come

204
00:10:53,590 --> 00:10:50,570
to that I mean the fact that it's being

205
00:10:56,020 --> 00:10:53,600
forecasted on Facebook is probably you

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00:10:58,030 --> 00:10:56,030
know makes a lot of people that have to

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00:11:00,070 --> 00:10:58,040
watch this kind of thing and monitor the

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00:11:02,890 --> 00:11:00,080
potential for civil unrest because

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00:11:04,870 --> 00:11:02,900
that's what would be called certainly or

210
00:11:06,760 --> 00:11:04,880
or is potentially if people are talking

211
00:11:09,100 --> 00:11:06,770
about storming a military base I mean

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00:11:13,510 --> 00:11:09,110
that's not like that's not I just spent

213
00:11:16,630 --> 00:11:13,520

several days with NYPD with the chief

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00:11:19,030 --> 00:11:16,640

seeing how policing works when you're

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00:11:23,350 --> 00:11:19,040

dealing with large crowds and the event

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00:11:25,060 --> 00:11:23,360

was the fourth of July I said there was

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00:11:28,240 --> 00:11:25,070

a huge display of fireworks on the

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00:11:30,870 --> 00:11:28,250

Brooklyn Bridge and I watched how the

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00:11:34,450 --> 00:11:30,880

NYPD and the Joint Terrorism Task Force

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00:11:36,280 --> 00:11:34,460

deal now with crowds and you know in the

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00:11:38,410 --> 00:11:36,290

work in the day and age that we live

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00:11:39,520 --> 00:11:38,420

where you have active shoot could have

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00:11:43,450 --> 00:11:39,530

an active shooter like the Vegas

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00:11:48,340 --> 00:11:43,460

situation or post event ie IDI like the

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00:11:49,840 --> 00:11:48,350

ariana grande concert so that's local

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00:11:51,610 --> 00:11:49,850

law enforcement and those are people

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00:11:52,900 --> 00:11:51,620

those are people gathering for an event

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00:11:56,080 --> 00:11:52,910

they had also talked about how there was

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00:11:58,210 --> 00:11:56,090

a gate you know the gate gathering a

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00:12:01,510 --> 00:11:58,220

couple days before that there had been

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00:12:02,560 --> 00:12:01,520

five million people in the city they had

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00:12:04,240 --> 00:12:02,570

thought it was going to be the number

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00:12:07,180 --> 00:12:04,250

was going to be around some 1 million

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00:12:09,060 --> 00:12:07,190

but again this is local law enforcement

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00:12:14,550 --> 00:12:09,070

working with their you know federal

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00:12:17,590 --> 00:12:14,560

partners like the FBI to you know crowd

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00:12:21,370 --> 00:12:17,600

control to preemptively crowd control

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00:12:22,960 --> 00:12:21,380

but this is not an organized this is not

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00:12:25,300 --> 00:12:22,970

protesting in front of City Hall this is

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00:12:26,770 --> 00:12:25,310

this is as it's being pitched it's

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00:12:29,020 --> 00:12:26,780

called storming a military base and

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00:12:30,670 --> 00:12:29,030

that's a very different rubric for them

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00:12:31,750 --> 00:12:30,680

to think about but again they're not

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00:12:33,100 --> 00:12:31,760

gonna get anywhere near it because

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00:12:36,250 --> 00:12:33,110

you're the kind of surveillance there is

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00:12:39,360 --> 00:12:36,260

not just around area 51 ground sensors

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00:12:42,640 --> 00:12:39,370

to you know overhead surveillance but

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00:12:44,290 --> 00:12:42,650

you know they will imagine people have

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00:12:45,820 --> 00:12:44,300

no one lives that not how many people

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00:12:48,100 --> 00:12:45,830

live in Las Vegas you know imagine

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00:12:49,690 --> 00:12:48,110

people driving on the on the five

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00:12:51,940 --> 00:12:49,700

freeway or whatever it is to get there

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00:12:55,500 --> 00:12:51,950

right that that's that's how far out

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00:12:58,560 --> 00:12:55,510

this is going to be watched the

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00:13:03,480 --> 00:12:58,570

let's okay let's go to a worst-case

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00:13:05,970 --> 00:13:03,490

scenario which is absolutely that ten

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00:13:08,790 --> 00:13:05,980

thousand people right worst case are

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00:13:10,950 --> 00:13:08,800

actually somehow getting past the

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00:13:14,190 --> 00:13:10,960

security and are approaching the gate

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00:13:16,110 --> 00:13:14,200

and which is not it's it's like wide

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00:13:18,360 --> 00:13:16,120

open there it's not you know it's like

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00:13:20,340 --> 00:13:18,370

you don't have guard towers and it's not

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00:13:23,640 --> 00:13:20,350

like a prison this is out in the open

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00:13:26,130 --> 00:13:23,650

desert but if that actually happened the

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00:13:27,870 --> 00:13:26,140

government wouldn't wouldn't start

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00:13:31,280 --> 00:13:27,880

shooting at its own citizens on American

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00:13:34,980 --> 00:13:31,290

soil would they it wouldn't come to that

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00:13:37,460 --> 00:13:34,990

there's so many places you know they're

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00:13:40,290 --> 00:13:37,470

called calm plans like contingency plans

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00:13:42,810 --> 00:13:40,300

that are scenarios that are run through

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00:13:46,350 --> 00:13:42,820

like this and I and again back you have

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00:13:49,770 --> 00:13:46,360

to back way out from that because no

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00:13:51,360 --> 00:13:49,780

one's gonna be allowed to mass along you

274

00:13:53,370 --> 00:13:51,370

know any of those roads the

275

00:13:56,040 --> 00:13:53,380

extra-terrestrial Highway or anywhere

276

00:13:57,240 --> 00:13:56,050

else they're just not they're just not

277

00:14:00,330 --> 00:13:57,250

going to get to that point

278

00:14:03,090 --> 00:14:00,340

local law enforcement would step in long

279

00:14:06,630 --> 00:14:03,100

before that so and they'll of course

280

00:14:09,360 --> 00:14:06,640

have some kind of situation in place

281

00:14:11,670 --> 00:14:09,370

that is resolved on very legally but but

282

00:14:14,850 --> 00:14:11,680

no one will be allowed you know and I've

283

00:14:18,390 --> 00:14:14,860

been you know the main access to get to

284

00:14:20,550 --> 00:14:18,400

area 51 the way from what I understand

285

00:14:23,430 --> 00:14:20,560

that's not really obstructed by you know

286

00:14:24,930 --> 00:14:23,440

terrain that is impassable is through

287

00:14:27,000 --> 00:14:24,940

the Nevada Test Site that's how I've

288

00:14:29,510 --> 00:14:27,010

that's the closest I've come to it as a

289

00:14:32,790 --> 00:14:29,520

guest of some nuclear engineers and

290

00:14:35,190 --> 00:14:32,800

looked at the base from you know the

291

00:14:37,050 --> 00:14:35,200

will be a wait you know oh that's where

292

00:14:39,590 --> 00:14:37,060

the base is you know where you're sort

293

00:14:42,840 --> 00:14:39,600

of standing an area what's called area

294

00:14:45,390 --> 00:14:42,850

ten near where the Sudan crater is in

295

00:14:49,250 --> 00:14:45,400

the Nevada Test Site and you can kind of

296

00:14:53,160 --> 00:14:49,260

see there but the you're talking about a

297

00:14:55,500 --> 00:14:53,170

large distance that no one is going to

298

00:15:00,480 --> 00:14:55,510

be able to get near and you know is

299

00:15:02,280 --> 00:15:00,490

anyone gonna fire on a crowd again you

300

00:15:05,700 --> 00:15:02,290

know it's been a long time since Kent

301
00:15:08,680 --> 00:15:05,710
State that's right given the nature

302
00:15:13,080 --> 00:15:08,690
given the I mean policing

303
00:15:20,350 --> 00:15:13,090
law enforcement is extraordinarily

304
00:15:23,740 --> 00:15:20,360
mindful of and sensitive to I think you

305
00:15:28,290 --> 00:15:23,750
know how they're perceived and that has

306
00:15:30,070 --> 00:15:28,300
to do with many of the sort of you know

307
00:15:31,870 --> 00:15:30,080
protests and things that have happened

308
00:15:33,370 --> 00:15:31,880
in the past few years at least month

309
00:15:35,200 --> 00:15:33,380
this is my experience again because I'm

310
00:15:38,530 --> 00:15:35,210
just working on some stuff about law

311
00:15:40,690 --> 00:15:38,540
enforcement and there they are not

312
00:15:43,150 --> 00:15:40,700
walking around like ostriches with their

313
00:15:44,920 --> 00:15:43,160

head in the sand they they're just as

314

00:15:48,250 --> 00:15:44,930

concerned with people's perception of

315

00:15:49,900 --> 00:15:48,260

them as they are with their behavior of

316

00:15:54,640 --> 00:15:49,910

course you have these aberrant horrible

317

00:15:58,300 --> 00:15:54,650

things with rogue cops you know behaving

318

00:15:59,830 --> 00:15:58,310

you know like criminals but for the most

319

00:16:02,050 --> 00:15:59,840

part I imagine that there's a big effort

320

00:16:04,270 --> 00:16:02,060

behind the scenes going onto this as the

321

00:16:09,820 --> 00:16:04,280

number gets bigger by the way it's it

322

00:16:12,940 --> 00:16:09,830

it's crazy I was doing some math last

323

00:16:18,610 --> 00:16:12,950

week who's like Thursday and I was

324

00:16:23,470 --> 00:16:18,620

checking it was about it was about 15

325

00:16:27,250 --> 00:16:23,480

people per second all right yeah I did a

326

00:16:31,690 --> 00:16:27,260

10 minute average it's about 15 people

327

00:16:33,070 --> 00:16:31,700

per second per second people liking

328

00:16:36,490 --> 00:16:33,080

something and liking the president's

329

00:16:38,920 --> 00:16:36,500

tweets you know well see now the that's

330

00:16:42,070 --> 00:16:38,930

a big question I mean the real question

331

00:16:45,670 --> 00:16:42,080

is how many people are clicking on going

332

00:16:49,450 --> 00:16:45,680

for grins right they're not serious and

333

00:16:52,810 --> 00:16:49,460

then how many are clicking on that and

334

00:16:57,579 --> 00:16:52,820

are absolutely making travel plans right

335

00:16:59,980 --> 00:16:57,589

that's the question yes but of course

336

00:17:04,120 --> 00:16:59,990

our federal government is able to

337

00:17:06,460 --> 00:17:04,130

monitor all of that like it or not you

338

00:17:08,740 --> 00:17:06,470

can just I'm sure of it I'm not even

339

00:17:11,319 --> 00:17:08,750

guessing there because the the the

340

00:17:13,870 --> 00:17:11,329

stakes are too high to have a situation

341

00:17:15,880 --> 00:17:13,880

like you just said like oh my god what

342

00:17:18,220 --> 00:17:15,890

if 10,000 people start running you know

343

00:17:20,980 --> 00:17:18,230

but the stakes are too high to start

344

00:17:22,569 --> 00:17:20,990

shooting at American citizens the stakes

345

00:17:25,509 --> 00:17:22,579

are too high to start tear gas

346

00:17:29,130 --> 00:17:25,519

American citizens Facebook is a

347

00:17:33,009 --> 00:17:29,140

dangerous platform

348

00:17:35,950 --> 00:17:33,019

the or Facebook can be an extraordinary

349

00:17:40,570 --> 00:17:35,960

dangerous platform that incites people

350

00:17:42,490 --> 00:17:40,580

to riot and you know create civil unrest

351
00:17:44,769 --> 00:17:42,500
scenarios that get way beyond anyone's

352
00:17:46,659 --> 00:17:44,779
control and that absolutely is not

353
00:17:49,240 --> 00:17:46,669
something that that that anyone wants to

354
00:17:52,350 --> 00:17:49,250
have happen out near a classified

355
00:17:55,259 --> 00:17:52,360
military base I spoke to a wolf McCarron

356
00:18:00,430 --> 00:17:55,269
last week and wolf was one of the

357
00:18:02,590 --> 00:18:00,440
original area 51 guys back in the early

358
00:18:04,419 --> 00:18:02,600
90s out there taping you know without

359
00:18:09,039 --> 00:18:04,429
with all of the names right all the all

360
00:18:11,769 --> 00:18:09,049
the people and he had said that the

361
00:18:13,899 --> 00:18:11,779
easiest thing to do it's not about

362
00:18:17,710 --> 00:18:13,909
security at the base and it's not even

363
00:18:20,259 --> 00:18:17,720

Rachel Nevada it's like way down but

364

00:18:23,350 --> 00:18:20,269

like by alamo right which is the next

365

00:18:26,259 --> 00:18:23,360

closest town you know real town is just

366

00:18:29,019 --> 00:18:26,269

closed off the freeway close it off and

367

00:18:31,090 --> 00:18:29,029

and that's it it would be a very simple

368

00:18:34,330 --> 00:18:31,100

thing to do just absolutely close down

369

00:18:37,629 --> 00:18:34,340

the freeway and nobody's getting in near

370

00:18:39,460 --> 00:18:37,639

the base yeah I mean there's there's

371

00:18:42,190 --> 00:18:39,470

many many many ways to do that I mean

372

00:18:44,259 --> 00:18:42,200

look you know think about every now and

373

00:18:48,240 --> 00:18:44,269

then a pilot from Nellis Air Force Base

374

00:18:51,029 --> 00:18:48,250

at Nellis Air Force range sort of

375

00:18:53,470 --> 00:18:51,039

inadvertently in quotes flies over

376

00:18:56,830 --> 00:18:53,480

restricted airspace of area 51 they get

377

00:18:59,620 --> 00:18:56,840

escorted out instantly and those fighter

378

00:19:02,620 --> 00:18:59,630

jets that escort them out just appear

379

00:19:07,120 --> 00:19:02,630

right I mean the contingencies are there

380

00:19:10,180 --> 00:19:07,130

always 24/7 the the reports that have

381

00:19:12,700 --> 00:19:10,190

been coming out lately and your book

382

00:19:16,210 --> 00:19:12,710

area 51 which which I have and it's

383

00:19:19,389 --> 00:19:16,220

excellent you suggested a couple of

384

00:19:23,500 --> 00:19:19,399

things when it came to what the UFO part

385

00:19:28,539 --> 00:19:23,510

of this maybe on the flip side lately

386

00:19:30,760 --> 00:19:28,549

we've got air for naval pilots talking

387

00:19:33,850 --> 00:19:30,770

about unidentified objects we've got all

388

00:19:35,640 --> 00:19:33,860

this the gimbal footage and these three

389

00:19:38,730 --> 00:19:35,650

videos that have popped up now

390

00:19:41,820 --> 00:19:38,740

in Trump mentioned with the Tucker

391

00:19:45,480 --> 00:19:41,830

Carlson the subject of UFOs the Senate

392

00:19:49,110 --> 00:19:45,490

was just briefed by the Navy on you APs

393

00:19:54,750 --> 00:19:49,120

and then this area 51 thing pops up is

394

00:19:56,880 --> 00:19:54,760

is this does this feel a little a little

395

00:20:00,570 --> 00:19:56,890

suspicious to you you know that all of

396

00:20:03,330 --> 00:20:00,580

this UFO talk in Fox and CNN and the BBC

397

00:20:06,210 --> 00:20:03,340

in the New York Times and our president

398

00:20:08,100 --> 00:20:06,220

the Senate Navy pilots all of this

399

00:20:14,820 --> 00:20:08,110

happening at the same time it seems

400

00:20:16,350 --> 00:20:14,830

almost agenda is well I mean I don't see

401
00:20:18,750 --> 00:20:16,360
it that way only because I just see it

402
00:20:21,860 --> 00:20:18,760
as events culminating right if you

403
00:20:23,610 --> 00:20:21,870
reverse engineer it from this this event

404
00:20:24,840 --> 00:20:23,620
then you just go

405
00:20:26,370 --> 00:20:24,850
well of course people are going to be

406
00:20:27,660 --> 00:20:26,380
interested in clicking you know crimp

407
00:20:30,060 --> 00:20:27,670
there's going to be 15 clicks every

408
00:20:31,920 --> 00:20:30,070
second to join because all you have to

409
00:20:33,870 --> 00:20:31,930
do is go back to the winter when the

410
00:20:36,300 --> 00:20:33,880
tic-tac footage was released and then

411
00:20:38,400 --> 00:20:36,310
you have you know the Pentagon admitting

412
00:20:40,830 --> 00:20:38,410
for the first time oh actually we do

413
00:20:44,490 --> 00:20:40,840

have a USO program an unidentified

414

00:20:46,830 --> 00:20:44,500

flying object program you know aircraft

415

00:20:50,160 --> 00:20:46,840

we can't identify our five Airmen have

416

00:20:52,080 --> 00:20:50,170

seen I hate so then you have all the

417

00:20:53,850 --> 00:20:52,090

different things you mentioned so and

418

00:20:59,010 --> 00:20:53,860

this builds because people are

419

00:21:03,000 --> 00:20:59,020

interested and this is both hard science

420

00:21:05,340 --> 00:21:03,010

to some people in terms of experimental

421

00:21:09,210 --> 00:21:05,350

aircraft certainly to me and it's also

422

00:21:11,130 --> 00:21:09,220

narrative you know I want to say

423

00:21:12,960 --> 00:21:11,140

mythology I don't think conspiracy

424

00:21:16,890 --> 00:21:12,970

because I think it's more when I say

425

00:21:20,570 --> 00:21:16,900

myth I mean like archetype right because

426

00:21:26,160 --> 00:21:20,580

I'm not someone who I'm not someone who

427

00:21:28,770 --> 00:21:26,170

who is a UFO believer but I certainly

428

00:21:31,350 --> 00:21:28,780

don't dismiss it or disparage it I think

429

00:21:33,990 --> 00:21:31,360

it's super interesting but I look at it

430

00:21:36,890 --> 00:21:34,000

as a narrative right I don't I my

431

00:21:40,160 --> 00:21:36,900

information takes me down the path of

432

00:21:42,810 --> 00:21:40,170

the history of area 51 that's had a UFO

433

00:21:49,700 --> 00:21:42,820

department since the 1950s when people

434

00:21:52,710 --> 00:21:49,710

are mistaking the u2 for a UFO

435

00:21:54,090 --> 00:21:52,720

one can always stand corrected right and

436

00:21:56,250 --> 00:21:54,100

because you have these two competing

437

00:21:58,260 --> 00:21:56,260

narratives and they really are competing

438

00:22:02,130 --> 00:21:58,270

narratives because many people

439

00:22:03,930 --> 00:22:02,140

disparaged either side right it becomes

440

00:22:06,240 --> 00:22:03,940

super interesting to a lot of people and

441

00:22:07,919 --> 00:22:06,250

it's also a heck of a lot more

442

00:22:12,390 --> 00:22:07,929

interesting to talk about in politics

443

00:22:15,450 --> 00:22:12,400

because I do think people have more of

444

00:22:18,720 --> 00:22:15,460

okay this is my position but right

445

00:22:20,549 --> 00:22:18,730

they really do I mean sure you get some

446

00:22:23,310 --> 00:22:20,559

curmudgeons I run into them all the time

447

00:22:26,190 --> 00:22:23,320

that like are you know fanatical in

448

00:22:29,640 --> 00:22:26,200

their position and and and and you know

449

00:22:33,000 --> 00:22:29,650

how are absolutely right but for the

450

00:22:34,980 --> 00:22:33,010

most part I think people are have a

451
00:22:37,520 --> 00:22:34,990
really strong position that they believe

452
00:22:40,440 --> 00:22:37,530
and then they remain really curious and

453
00:22:44,820 --> 00:22:40,450
want to know more and so therefore it's

454
00:22:48,390 --> 00:22:44,830
like why what a great topic I wanted to

455
00:22:52,409 --> 00:22:48,400
ask you this very specifically because

456
00:22:55,830 --> 00:22:52,419
with your research into skunk works and

457
00:22:59,220 --> 00:22:55,840
DARPA Paperclip and of course area 51

458
00:23:01,289 --> 00:22:59,230
that what these Navy pilots have been

459
00:23:03,659 --> 00:23:01,299
seeing and we have to depend on their

460
00:23:07,440 --> 00:23:03,669
professionalism right we have to depend

461
00:23:09,000 --> 00:23:07,450
on the rise with these craft that they

462
00:23:11,940 --> 00:23:09,010
were seeing in the way that they

463
00:23:14,970 --> 00:23:11,950

described the the the way that they flew

464

00:23:18,900 --> 00:23:14,980

and lack of propulsion could they have

465

00:23:21,510 --> 00:23:18,910

been witnessing some skunk work test

466

00:23:26,010 --> 00:23:21,520

projects some NASA test project some

467

00:23:28,020 --> 00:23:26,020

DARPA Sandia crazy a propulsion system

468

00:23:31,730 --> 00:23:28,030

and that it was just ours and had

469

00:23:36,419 --> 00:23:31,740

nothing to do with the UFO phenomenon I

470

00:23:39,510 --> 00:23:36,429

mean my position would be that's the

471

00:23:41,280 --> 00:23:39,520

more likely scenario right but it but

472

00:23:43,169 --> 00:23:41,290

again I don't discount anything but like

473

00:23:46,500 --> 00:23:43,179

okay I'll give you an example I was just

474

00:23:49,940 --> 00:23:46,510

up at skunk works last month because I

475

00:23:52,980 --> 00:23:49,950

appear in as a talking head in a

476
00:23:54,900 --> 00:23:52,990
documentary about skunk works called

477
00:23:57,330 --> 00:23:54,910
secrets in the sky and it's all the

478
00:24:00,090 --> 00:23:57,340
different programs that despite playing

479
00:24:02,399 --> 00:24:00,100
programs that have gone on there and as

480
00:24:03,220 --> 00:24:02,409
part of that the premiere the movie

481
00:24:04,840 --> 00:24:03,230
premiere was up

482
00:24:06,789 --> 00:24:04,850
gun [h__h] and you gotta take your phones

483
00:24:09,159 --> 00:24:06,799
away and as part of it they were like oh

484
00:24:13,120 --> 00:24:09,169
we're gonna show you we're gonna take

485
00:24:14,590 --> 00:24:13,130
you guys into the skunkworks where I had

486
00:24:17,259 --> 00:24:14,600
never been and most people are not

487
00:24:19,269 --> 00:24:17,269
allowed and you know they're these big

488
00:24:20,830 --> 00:24:19,279

giant barriers that are caught that you

489

00:24:22,990 --> 00:24:20,840

can't see behind certain things that are

490

00:24:25,060 --> 00:24:23,000

going on but a little bit of it was for

491

00:24:29,759 --> 00:24:25,070

show but they what they did show us was

492

00:24:33,850 --> 00:24:29,769

what they said was an unclassified new

493

00:24:35,830 --> 00:24:33,860

plane they're working on and I'm gonna

494

00:24:37,360 --> 00:24:35,840

I'm not totally precise here we're

495

00:24:39,009 --> 00:24:37,370

having a conversation so just bear with

496

00:24:41,019 --> 00:24:39,019

me the information is generally correct

497

00:24:44,259 --> 00:24:41,029

but don't quote me right it was like

498

00:24:47,610 --> 00:24:44,269

yeah they're working on a new claim it's

499

00:24:52,480 --> 00:24:47,620

a 250 million dollar contract with NASA

500

00:24:54,490 --> 00:24:52,490

to learn how to fly a plane kind of like

501
00:24:55,509 --> 00:24:54,500
the Concorde was right but faster than

502
00:25:00,159 --> 00:24:55,519
the speed of sound but that's a

503
00:25:02,950 --> 00:25:00,169
commercial for commercial use and what

504
00:25:06,039 --> 00:25:02,960
they said is the reason they're working

505
00:25:07,269 --> 00:25:06,049
on this is because the reason it's there

506
00:25:10,060 --> 00:25:07,279
they're working on the unclassified

507
00:25:11,860 --> 00:25:10,070
program is because they have to there's

508
00:25:12,700 --> 00:25:11,870
some kind of a law and a fact and again

509
00:25:14,560 --> 00:25:12,710
I don't have all the facts straight

510
00:25:16,870 --> 00:25:14,570
about you can't break that you can't

511
00:25:18,279 --> 00:25:16,880
have that sonic boom over cities anymore

512
00:25:19,659 --> 00:25:18,289
right right right

513
00:25:21,490 --> 00:25:19,669

Congress has something against it so

514

00:25:23,649 --> 00:25:21,500

they're they have to get around in there

515

00:25:27,250 --> 00:25:23,659

doing all this high-technology work this

516

00:25:30,759 --> 00:25:27,260

is what they said right to somehow

517

00:25:32,259 --> 00:25:30,769

change the noise breaking the sound

518

00:25:33,519 --> 00:25:32,269

barrier or do something something

519

00:25:35,500 --> 00:25:33,529

something something right you get the

520

00:25:37,240 --> 00:25:35,510

idea right again this was just coming at

521

00:25:39,580 --> 00:25:37,250

me with no notebook I'm like information

522

00:25:43,180 --> 00:25:39,590

okay but the point me that was

523

00:25:47,950 --> 00:25:43,190

interesting was that's the 250 million

524

00:25:51,250 --> 00:25:47,960

dollar unclassified version I wonder

525

00:25:54,850 --> 00:25:51,260

what the classified version is right

526

00:25:56,230 --> 00:25:54,860

right and we we know from I know from

527

00:25:57,789 --> 00:25:56,240

writing all this history about area

528

00:25:59,860 --> 00:25:57,799

first one that's just a classic cover

529

00:26:01,870 --> 00:25:59,870

it's like oh that's why we're doing all

530

00:26:04,269 --> 00:26:01,880

this stuff that's why they we're working

531

00:26:07,360 --> 00:26:04,279

with a sound bear right because you need

532

00:26:10,299 --> 00:26:07,370

a cover story for everything these

533

00:26:14,379 --> 00:26:10,309

people start to wonder yes and you know

534

00:26:16,899 --> 00:26:14,389

that the SR 72 is is in the works and

535

00:26:21,519 --> 00:26:16,909

what you probably saw was

536

00:26:24,430 --> 00:26:21,529

the unclassified version of it I'm so

537

00:26:25,299 --> 00:26:24,440

jealous or its cousin exactly right

538

00:26:28,239 --> 00:26:25,309

right right

539

00:26:31,359 --> 00:26:28,249

because speed is the new stealth because

540

00:26:33,609 --> 00:26:31,369

you know electronic warfare all of which

541

00:26:37,629 --> 00:26:33,619

or not all of which but so much of which

542

00:26:40,749 --> 00:26:37,639

is tested out at area 51 but electronic

543

00:26:42,580 --> 00:26:40,759

warfare is advancing at such a rate we

544

00:26:44,560 --> 00:26:42,590

can't keep up with the measures and

545

00:26:47,589 --> 00:26:44,570

countermeasures of China and Russia and

546

00:26:51,129 --> 00:26:47,599

so on and so forth and so the it's fast

547

00:26:54,460 --> 00:26:51,139

as we can create stealthy new situations

548

00:26:56,830 --> 00:26:54,470

the enemy is creating ways to detect it

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00:27:00,430 --> 00:26:56,840

food and the new electronic radar system

550

00:27:01,930 --> 00:27:00,440

and so that has made speed the new

551

00:27:05,139 --> 00:27:01,940

stealth because if something's flying

552

00:27:09,279 --> 00:27:05,149

fast enough you can't take it down I do

553

00:27:11,169 --> 00:27:09,289

you subscribe do you subscribe to you

554

00:27:15,729 --> 00:27:11,179

know the been rich quotes over the years

555

00:27:17,440 --> 00:27:15,739

about skunk works that there 50 years

556

00:27:19,659 --> 00:27:17,450

ahead of anything that we know about

557

00:27:22,799 --> 00:27:19,669

currently do you get that vibe from

558

00:27:25,869 --> 00:27:22,809

skunk works if you were just there I

559

00:27:28,389 --> 00:27:25,879

don't know if he did he did rip say 50

560

00:27:30,339 --> 00:27:28,399

yeah I do believe yes that's what I mean

561

00:27:33,969 --> 00:27:30,349

you know my book on dark of the

562

00:27:36,310 --> 00:27:33,979

Pentagon's brain makes very clear that

563

00:27:37,239 --> 00:27:36,320

they are working on technology 25 years

564

00:27:40,989 --> 00:27:37,249

out because that's what their

565

00:27:45,369 --> 00:27:40,999

requirement is by Congress sure so I I

566

00:27:49,509 --> 00:27:45,379

don't know if it's 55 oh I am certain

567

00:27:52,629 --> 00:27:49,519

it's 25 but the 25 is always pushing

568

00:27:54,789 --> 00:27:52,639

forward you know and I so so somewhere

569

00:27:59,589 --> 00:27:54,799

between 25 and 50 but that's absolutely

570

00:28:01,330 --> 00:27:59,599

the name of the game is you know I mean

571

00:28:04,810 --> 00:28:01,340

another another interesting skunkworks

572

00:28:08,320 --> 00:28:04,820

moment for me was when the f-117 was

573

00:28:11,529 --> 00:28:08,330

retired I think this was around I want

574

00:28:14,619 --> 00:28:11,539

to say 2010 right I went to the banquet

575

00:28:17,320 --> 00:28:14,629

up at skunk works because several of the

576
00:28:20,529 --> 00:28:17,330
engineers in my area 51 book worked on

577
00:28:22,599 --> 00:28:20,539
that f-117 back to your question about

578
00:28:25,149 --> 00:28:22,609
future technology they were working on

579
00:28:27,669 --> 00:28:25,159
it back in 1977 when it was called the

580
00:28:29,390 --> 00:28:27,679
hopeless diamonds you know long before

581
00:28:31,970 --> 00:28:29,400
the half glue

582
00:28:34,010 --> 00:28:31,980
and so they had been part of this

583
00:28:36,620 --> 00:28:34,020
program for decades and then they

584
00:28:38,600 --> 00:28:36,630
watched it fly in the Gulf War and then

585
00:28:41,090 --> 00:28:38,610
they watched it you know be put in the

586
00:28:44,060 --> 00:28:41,100
shed and what I thought was fascinating

587
00:28:45,830 --> 00:28:44,070
was that whoever it was that was that

588
00:28:47,150 --> 00:28:45,840

was speaking the president of skunk

589

00:28:49,370 --> 00:28:47,160

works for the president of Lockheed at

590

00:28:52,760 --> 00:28:49,380

the time said something to the effect of

591

00:28:57,650 --> 00:28:52,770

my god we ran this program for decades

592

00:28:59,990 --> 00:28:57,660

to stay ahead by decades 10,000 people

593

00:29:04,370 --> 00:29:00,000

had top-secret clearances to work on it

594

00:29:06,140 --> 00:29:04,380

and there was not a single leak and that

595

00:29:08,090 --> 00:29:06,150

I thought was really really really

596

00:29:10,040 --> 00:29:08,100

interesting when people talk about what

597

00:29:13,880 --> 00:29:10,050

can you keep secret what can you give

598

00:29:18,040 --> 00:29:13,890

all a [h__\h] good no what can you keep

599

00:29:22,700 --> 00:29:20,330

right because so you can keep anything

600

00:29:24,260 --> 00:29:22,710

secret so again that narrative of people

601
00:29:27,200 --> 00:29:24,270
who believe that the technology is

602
00:29:29,000 --> 00:29:27,210
captured UFO UFOs and a lot of times the

603
00:29:31,040 --> 00:29:29,010
naysayers say well that's impossible you

604
00:29:34,610 --> 00:29:31,050
couldn't keep that secret flyboy yes you

605
00:29:38,030 --> 00:29:34,620
can you can keep really big project

606
00:29:39,830 --> 00:29:38,040
secret project let's take our break

607
00:29:42,049 --> 00:29:39,840
right here our guest tonight

608
00:29:44,960 --> 00:29:42,059
annie jacobson when we come back after

609
00:29:46,430 --> 00:29:44,970
this short break surprise kill vanish

610
00:29:49,750 --> 00:29:46,440
the secret history of the CIA

611
00:29:53,600 --> 00:29:49,760
paramilitary armies operators and

612
00:29:55,490 --> 00:29:53,610
assassins her website is annie jacobson

613
00:29:57,830 --> 00:29:55,500

comm the links are over at Jimmy Church

614

00:29:59,290 --> 00:29:57,840

radio I'll be right back after this

615

00:30:10,350 --> 00:29:59,300

short break stay with us

616

00:30:22,560 --> 00:30:19,580

[Music]

617

00:30:24,990 --> 00:30:22,570

welcome back fade to black follow me on

618

00:30:26,460 --> 00:30:25,000

twitter @ JT radio you can follow auntie

619

00:30:31,350 --> 00:30:26,470

we've got our links up right there at

620

00:30:33,960 --> 00:30:31,360

any Jacobson on Twitter tomorrow night

621

00:30:36,540 --> 00:30:33,970

dr. Kenneth James is going to be here

622

00:30:38,820 --> 00:30:36,550

we're going to be talking Carl Jung do

623

00:30:41,130 --> 00:30:38,830

not miss tomorrow night tonight it's

624

00:30:43,140 --> 00:30:41,140

auntie Jacobson we're gonna be jumping

625

00:30:46,980 --> 00:30:43,150

into her book surprise kill vanish and

626

00:30:48,900 --> 00:30:46,990

this in the storm area 50 what what a

627

00:30:51,510 --> 00:30:48,910

great title for the book surprise kill

628

00:31:03,990 --> 00:30:51,520

vanish a storm area 51 that will be the

629

00:31:05,280 --> 00:31:04,000

next book yes you mentioned earlier what

630

00:31:06,840 --> 00:31:05,290

happened that's what happened to a

631

00:31:09,870 --> 00:31:06,850

million one point nine million people

632

00:31:11,700 --> 00:31:09,880

surprise kill and vanish well I I could

633

00:31:16,260 --> 00:31:11,710

see the press conference with President

634

00:31:20,010 --> 00:31:16,270

Trump after that the comment that you

635

00:31:22,980 --> 00:31:20,020

made earlier about UFOs that you're

636

00:31:25,920 --> 00:31:22,990

interested in it but you're not quite on

637

00:31:29,790 --> 00:31:25,930

the believer side before we move forward

638

00:31:32,850 --> 00:31:29,800

let me suggest this one evening one

639

00:31:35,730 --> 00:31:32,860

evening in the future you need to come

640

00:31:40,200 --> 00:31:35,740

out with us we have the latest in

641

00:31:43,830 --> 00:31:40,210

night-vision goggles and will go out and

642

00:31:46,980 --> 00:31:43,840

look at the night sky and I want your

643

00:31:49,350 --> 00:31:46,990

opinion on what is going on up there

644

00:31:51,600 --> 00:31:49,360

because it is crazytown

645

00:31:55,590 --> 00:31:51,610

you know you got there with and and it's

646

00:31:58,760 --> 00:31:55,600

not Annie you need to imagine this for a

647

00:32:01,560 --> 00:31:58,770

second you look up with night vision and

648

00:32:02,880 --> 00:32:01,570

no you look up before the night vision

649

00:32:05,670 --> 00:32:02,890

and you're looking at the Milky Way

650

00:32:08,130 --> 00:32:05,680

right it's a beautiful starry sky that

651
00:32:10,350 --> 00:32:08,140
you're used to seeing and then you know

652
00:32:12,720 --> 00:32:10,360
nothing's moving and then you look

653
00:32:17,490 --> 00:32:12,730
through night vision and you're looking

654
00:32:20,670 --> 00:32:17,500
at stuff zigzagging turning appearing

655
00:32:22,410 --> 00:32:20,680
lighting up chasing each other and then

656
00:32:25,530 --> 00:32:22,420
you pull the night vision down and look

657
00:32:28,260 --> 00:32:25,540
at it there's nothing there and yeah

658
00:32:30,300 --> 00:32:28,270
this epiphany right you go back to the

659
00:32:31,379 --> 00:32:30,310
night vision and you just go holy cow

660
00:32:37,079 --> 00:32:31,389
what

661
00:32:40,049 --> 00:32:37,089
know moving east to west or west to east

662
00:32:42,719 --> 00:32:40,059
and you know in a straight line it's

663
00:32:46,649 --> 00:32:42,729

it's stuff up there I don't know if it's

664

00:32:48,149 --> 00:32:46,659

ours or et or whatever I don't know but

665

00:32:49,829 --> 00:32:48,159

it's something that's very hard to wrap

666

00:32:51,539 --> 00:32:49,839

your mind around and I would love your

667

00:32:54,509 --> 00:32:51,549

opinion you need to go and check it out

668

00:32:58,529 --> 00:32:54,519

one night I'll pick you up on one yeah

669

00:33:00,749 --> 00:32:58,539

yeah you hope in your next book for sure

670

00:33:04,529 --> 00:33:00,759

that'll get you a pill it's er that

671

00:33:07,190 --> 00:33:04,539

right there if you see the thing is when

672

00:33:10,829 --> 00:33:07,200

we have done that I will always

673

00:33:13,499 --> 00:33:10,839

inevitably have somebody there that says

674

00:33:15,049 --> 00:33:13,509

why isn't the mainstream media reporting

675

00:33:17,879 --> 00:33:15,059

on this it's one thing to talk about

676

00:33:20,249 --> 00:33:17,889

flashing lights or somebody has been

677

00:33:23,190 --> 00:33:20,259

abducted by a UFO they'll ignore that

678

00:33:25,019 --> 00:33:23,200

stuff we understand that but this is

679

00:33:27,149 --> 00:33:25,029

something that the mainstream media's

680

00:33:30,269 --> 00:33:27,159

should be asking questions about there

681

00:33:32,639 --> 00:33:30,279

must be a journalist out there that that

682

00:33:35,249 --> 00:33:32,649

would want these questions answered but

683

00:33:37,109 --> 00:33:35,259

it doesn't happen and it goes on every

684

00:33:40,319 --> 00:33:37,119

single night it's going on right now as

685

00:33:42,749 --> 00:33:40,329

you and I talked where did you get this

686

00:33:43,769 --> 00:33:42,759

vision goggles we we have our own

687

00:33:47,119 --> 00:33:43,779

company

688

00:33:50,399 --> 00:33:47,129

I have generation I have generation four

689

00:33:53,310 --> 00:33:50,409

and they're they're incredible same

690

00:33:55,829 --> 00:33:53,320

stuff that the military uses yeah yep

691

00:33:59,879 --> 00:33:55,839

yep yep they're about four grand five

692

00:34:01,919 --> 00:33:59,889

grand a pair it's the real deal and the

693

00:34:03,539 --> 00:34:01,929

really fun to use they're really fun and

694

00:34:05,239 --> 00:34:03,549

they're fun to use on your neighbors

695

00:34:08,669 --> 00:34:05,249

more on that later

696

00:34:11,069 --> 00:34:08,679

let's talk about the new book and the

697

00:34:13,049 --> 00:34:11,079

title of the book which is surprise kill

698

00:34:15,690 --> 00:34:13,059

vanish the secret history of CIA

699

00:34:18,559 --> 00:34:15,700

paramilitary armies operators and

700

00:34:19,829 --> 00:34:18,569

assassins sounds like an impossible

701
00:34:22,319 --> 00:34:19,839

project

702
00:34:24,480 --> 00:34:22,329

it just sounds impossible where did the

703
00:34:29,940 --> 00:34:24,490

idea come from and how did you approach

704
00:34:31,859 --> 00:34:29,950

this kind of research it was a wild book

705
00:34:36,119 --> 00:34:31,869

to write I mean the people in this book

706
00:34:38,159 --> 00:34:36,129

were pretty remarkable and a lot of

707
00:34:38,909 --> 00:34:38,169

night vision glasses I mean they have

708
00:34:43,039 --> 00:34:38,919

them not me

709
00:34:44,490 --> 00:34:43,049

but I got the idea because I was um I

710
00:34:47,220 --> 00:34:44,500

had a

711
00:34:51,240 --> 00:34:47,230

an old colleague I used to report on

712
00:34:54,510 --> 00:34:51,250

Homeland Security and I was writing my

713
00:34:58,680 --> 00:34:54,520

area51 book and this fellow his first

714

00:35:00,690 --> 00:34:58,690

name was Brett he had gone off retired

715

00:35:02,730 --> 00:35:00,700

from Department of Homeland Security and

716

00:35:04,170 --> 00:35:02,740

gone off to the Middle East and he

717

00:35:06,960 --> 00:35:04,180

couldn't tell me what he did and I

718

00:35:11,309 --> 00:35:06,970

didn't ask but he was on his way back

719

00:35:13,950 --> 00:35:11,319

and he came by the house and brought me

720

00:35:15,839 --> 00:35:13,960

a challenge coin and it said you know

721

00:35:17,910 --> 00:35:15,849

state US State Department Kabul

722

00:35:19,349 --> 00:35:17,920

Afghanistan and I thought that was

723

00:35:22,230 --> 00:35:19,359

interesting because nothing about him

724

00:35:25,079 --> 00:35:22,240

was diplomatic he used weapons trained

725

00:35:27,120 --> 00:35:25,089

and military trained and at the time my

726

00:35:30,510 --> 00:35:27,130

boys were young and we had a lot of GI

727

00:35:32,520 --> 00:35:30,520

Joes in the garden and you know from the

728

00:35:34,170 --> 00:35:32,530

American Revolution to the present and

729

00:35:35,700 --> 00:35:34,180

they all had weapons but they had the

730

00:35:38,460 --> 00:35:35,710

wrong weapons on the raw on the

731

00:35:40,079 --> 00:35:38,470

different GI Joes and he said he got

732

00:35:41,819 --> 00:35:40,089

these all wrong and showed them and kind

733

00:35:44,579 --> 00:35:41,829

of gave them a lesson the firearms

734

00:35:47,400 --> 00:35:44,589

throughout you know history and they

735

00:35:51,000 --> 00:35:47,410

were fascinated and he said if it's okay

736

00:35:53,069 --> 00:35:51,010

with your mom and dad um I I'll show you

737

00:35:56,099 --> 00:35:53,079

a couple real guns and how they are

738

00:35:58,109 --> 00:35:56,109

handled and I knew him to be a licensed

739

00:36:01,230 --> 00:35:58,119

weapon safety instructor so I said

740

00:36:05,130 --> 00:36:01,240

that's fine he sets up a sniper rifle in

741

00:36:06,839 --> 00:36:05,140

the dining room and through the scope I

742

00:36:08,220 --> 00:36:06,849

look I can I live up in the Hollywood

743

00:36:12,990 --> 00:36:08,230

Hills and through the scope I can see

744

00:36:18,140 --> 00:36:13,000

sort of a leaf the canyon across the

745

00:36:22,980 --> 00:36:18,150

canyon and I realized this is what my

746

00:36:24,660 --> 00:36:22,990

colleague is doing in Afghanistan so the

747

00:36:27,120 --> 00:36:24,670

boys go back out to the garden there was

748

00:36:29,760 --> 00:36:27,130

show them another you know a pistol and

749

00:36:33,660 --> 00:36:29,770

things meant there was one case he never

750

00:36:35,280 --> 00:36:33,670

opened and I when the boys were gone I

751
00:36:38,160 --> 00:36:35,290
said what's in that case and he opened

752
00:36:39,569 --> 00:36:38,170
it up there was a knife there and it

753
00:36:42,750 --> 00:36:39,579
wasn't just any old life it was like a

754
00:36:44,089 --> 00:36:42,760
serrated knife and I said what's that

755
00:36:47,910 --> 00:36:44,099
for

756
00:36:50,880 --> 00:36:47,920
we immediately realizing my naivete and

757
00:36:53,670 --> 00:36:50,890
my mistake and he said sometimes a job

758
00:36:55,620 --> 00:36:53,680
requires quiet that's all he said he

759
00:36:58,190 --> 00:36:55,630
never told me another thing about his

760
00:37:01,010 --> 00:36:58,200
job I never

761
00:37:04,000 --> 00:37:01,020
I learned later from another colleague

762
00:37:07,820 --> 00:37:04,010
that he worked for the CIA's

763
00:37:12,560 --> 00:37:07,830

paramilitary a division of very secret

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00:37:16,190 --> 00:37:12,570

division called ground branch and that

765

00:37:19,550 --> 00:37:16,200

was the beginning of my wanting to write

766

00:37:22,190 --> 00:37:19,560

a book about the CIA's paramilitary and

767

00:37:25,160 --> 00:37:22,200

it took me ten years and a whole bunch

768

00:37:32,030 --> 00:37:25,170

of other books to sort of slowly build

769

00:37:34,730 --> 00:37:32,040

sources to position myself in the place

770

00:37:36,950 --> 00:37:34,740

where I could then commit to writing a

771

00:37:38,960 --> 00:37:36,960

book and and work with some sources

772

00:37:40,579 --> 00:37:38,970

forty five sources well you know one on

773

00:37:42,890 --> 00:37:40,589

the record with me

774

00:37:45,560 --> 00:37:42,900

these are retired people who retired

775

00:37:49,609 --> 00:37:45,570

from these operations going back to the

776

00:37:51,920 --> 00:37:49,619

Korean War but the guys 16 guys that

777

00:37:55,790 --> 00:37:51,930

were that were operating today or rather

778

00:37:58,099 --> 00:37:55,800

you know five years ago went on the

779

00:38:00,200 --> 00:37:58,109

record did not you know went using their

780

00:38:01,550 --> 00:38:00,210

coat their call signs so it was an

781

00:38:04,160 --> 00:38:01,560

extraordinary book to write and it's

782

00:38:06,710 --> 00:38:04,170

really it's unbelievable that the CIA

783

00:38:09,500 --> 00:38:06,720

has a paramilitary and I say that it

784

00:38:11,150 --> 00:38:09,510

means that there is a you know the

785

00:38:13,040 --> 00:38:11,160

Defense Department is the military it

786

00:38:14,510 --> 00:38:13,050

runs under what's called title 10

787

00:38:16,630 --> 00:38:14,520

Authority and they have rules of

788

00:38:19,490 --> 00:38:16,640

engagement and they conduct Wars

789

00:38:22,010 --> 00:38:19,500

the CIA's paramilitary does not follow

790

00:38:24,980 --> 00:38:22,020

those same rules at all they work under

791

00:38:26,720 --> 00:38:24,990

an authority called title 50 and they

792

00:38:28,910 --> 00:38:26,730

can do all kinds of things and they have

793

00:38:31,250 --> 00:38:28,920

small units and Singleton's and they

794

00:38:32,660 --> 00:38:31,260

have a program and always have which is

795

00:38:37,190 --> 00:38:32,670

the tip of the tip of a paramilitary

796

00:38:38,780 --> 00:38:37,200

sphere and that is assassination or it's

797

00:38:44,630 --> 00:38:38,790

as it's often called preemptive

798

00:38:51,140 --> 00:38:44,640

neutralization the obvious question is

799

00:38:57,230 --> 00:38:51,150

the 16 gentlemen that are currently

800

00:39:02,089 --> 00:38:57,240

active were were the words CIA part of

801
00:39:05,540 --> 00:39:02,099
the conversation so no one who works for

802
00:39:07,040 --> 00:39:05,550
the CIA ever says CIA I don't think I

803
00:39:09,079 --> 00:39:07,050
can't think of a single person ever

804
00:39:10,130 --> 00:39:09,089
saying that they say the agency or they

805
00:39:12,140 --> 00:39:10,140
say the out

806
00:39:13,460 --> 00:39:12,150
right or they don't say anything they

807
00:39:17,749 --> 00:39:13,470
just talk about what they do but

808
00:39:19,549 --> 00:39:17,759
everyone who who is in my book work knew

809
00:39:21,440 --> 00:39:19,559
at least two other individuals and

810
00:39:23,420 --> 00:39:21,450
worked with operated they you know they

811
00:39:24,829 --> 00:39:23,430
operate that's what they do and they

812
00:39:27,499 --> 00:39:24,839
operated with one another and they

813
00:39:30,410 --> 00:39:27,509

weren't current when you're current you

814

00:39:32,630 --> 00:39:30,420

cannot speak to a reporter all anyone

815

00:39:35,450 --> 00:39:32,640

who works for the CIA the agency the

816

00:39:37,509 --> 00:39:35,460

outfit they're polygraphed so I always

817

00:39:39,289 --> 00:39:37,519

know if I'm talking to someone that's

818

00:39:41,089 --> 00:39:39,299

current because they're like Annie I

819

00:39:44,359 --> 00:39:41,099

can't talk to you I'm not gonna fail my

820

00:39:45,979 --> 00:39:44,369

colleague I mean part number one

821

00:39:49,489 --> 00:39:45,989

question is have you spoken to a member

822

00:39:51,049 --> 00:39:49,499

of the press so you can't lie I mean you

823

00:39:53,569 --> 00:39:51,059

can but you're gonna be caught with your

824

00:39:55,370 --> 00:39:53,579

polygraph and so so these guys had all

825

00:39:58,489 --> 00:39:55,380

retired they had they had they all

826
00:40:02,029 --> 00:39:58,499
operated in Afghanistan and Iraq and had

827
00:40:04,640 --> 00:40:02,039
had you know had stopped running

828
00:40:07,940 --> 00:40:04,650
missions like right around 2014 or 2015

829
00:40:10,309 --> 00:40:07,950
now I said the words CIA obviously I

830
00:40:14,870 --> 00:40:10,319
meant the the letter CIA the reason why

831
00:40:18,940 --> 00:40:14,880
I asked such a direct question is that

832
00:40:22,700 --> 00:40:18,950
if that's a zone that it seems almost

833
00:40:26,509 --> 00:40:22,710
impossible to get near to I don't know

834
00:40:29,299 --> 00:40:26,519
anybody that that I know of and even if

835
00:40:33,339 --> 00:40:29,309
I did I don't know how I would approach

836
00:40:37,160 --> 00:40:33,349
them to discuss this but it seems that

837
00:40:39,079 --> 00:40:37,170
they were maybe are they ready are they

838
00:40:42,609 --> 00:40:39,089

you know is our they at a point in their

839

00:40:46,609 --> 00:40:42,619

life where they're okay to discuss this

840

00:40:48,680 --> 00:40:46,619

well okay so I mean consider this I

841

00:40:50,299 --> 00:40:48,690

worked with people who are such legend

842

00:40:51,970 --> 00:40:50,309

and I when I say work with I mean I

843

00:40:55,519 --> 00:40:51,980

interviewed them but there are such

844

00:40:57,349 --> 00:40:55,529

legends in the CIA that it's known there

845

00:41:00,229 --> 00:40:57,359

in the CIA like my main character is a

846

00:41:01,999 --> 00:41:00,239

guy called Billy hua and he's now 89 but

847

00:41:06,489 --> 00:41:02,009

he's been running operations for the

848

00:41:10,460 --> 00:41:06,499

agency since since the sixties and so

849

00:41:12,140 --> 00:41:10,470

when it became known that I was working

850

00:41:14,479 --> 00:41:12,150

with him and he was telling me things

851
00:41:17,599 --> 00:41:14,489
and again a lot of missions get

852
00:41:20,599 --> 00:41:17,609
Declassified or rather you know the CIA

853
00:41:22,640 --> 00:41:20,609
works in this way let me back up

854
00:41:23,559 --> 00:41:22,650
permanent okay well let me finish that

855
00:41:25,539 --> 00:41:23,569
thought I

856
00:41:27,609 --> 00:41:25,549
interviewed for example the CIA's

857
00:41:29,769 --> 00:41:27,619
longest-serving lawyer okay the guy

858
00:41:31,989 --> 00:41:29,779
named John Rizzo who wrote many of the

859
00:41:35,589 --> 00:41:31,999
memos that make these operations legal

860
00:41:37,299 --> 00:41:35,599
so I am a kind of reporter that works

861
00:41:39,699 --> 00:41:37,309
and works and works and works and works

862
00:41:42,420 --> 00:41:39,709
to get to the point where I am actually

863
00:41:45,430 --> 00:41:42,430

going to have real legitimate

864

00:41:48,279 --> 00:41:45,440

individuals go on the record with me and

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00:41:50,259 --> 00:41:48,289

confirm things that I have spent quite a

866

00:41:53,769 --> 00:41:50,269

bit of time establishing can be

867

00:41:55,089 --> 00:41:53,779

confirmed pleased that many the public

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00:41:57,309 --> 00:41:55,099

might not even know or even want to

869

00:42:02,410 --> 00:41:57,319

bother like knowing what the heck that

870

00:42:05,140 --> 00:42:02,420

is right so I interviewed Rizzo and I

871

00:42:07,329 --> 00:42:05,150

also interviewed a number of senior

872

00:42:09,039 --> 00:42:07,339

intelligence service staff so that's the

873

00:42:12,400 --> 00:42:09,049

equivalent of a general at the Pentagon

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00:42:15,039 --> 00:42:12,410

musical CIA has they're not they're not

875

00:42:16,870 --> 00:42:15,049

generals or Colonels there this one says

876

00:42:20,920 --> 00:42:16,880

choose history says for that's the way

877

00:42:23,349 --> 00:42:20,930

you go up right and I interviewed five

878

00:42:29,529 --> 00:42:23,359

or six of them on the record with their

879

00:42:32,979 --> 00:42:29,539

name you know because there it made more

880

00:42:37,989 --> 00:42:32,989

sense I imagine to have the information

881

00:42:39,219 --> 00:42:37,999

correct than erroneous and of course

882

00:42:40,630 --> 00:42:39,229

they would say you know I can't talk

883

00:42:42,219 --> 00:42:40,640

about that any of that you know and that

884

00:42:45,999 --> 00:42:42,229

that's fine to you but like I could

885

00:42:48,489 --> 00:42:46,009

confirm piecemeal a lot of things but

886

00:42:51,459 --> 00:42:48,499

let me give you a quick precursor here

887

00:42:55,239 --> 00:42:51,469

okay so the president has always had two

888

00:42:56,650 --> 00:42:55,249

options first option diplomacy and two

889

00:42:59,170 --> 00:42:56,660

what options I say when dealing with

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00:43:01,599 --> 00:42:59,180

foreign adversaries or foreign conflicts

891

00:43:04,359 --> 00:43:01,609

first option is diplomacy always the

892

00:43:07,390 --> 00:43:04,369

first choice second option war doesn't

893

00:43:09,069 --> 00:43:07,400

work out we're going to war after World

894

00:43:11,469 --> 00:43:09,079

War two with the creation of the

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00:43:15,099 --> 00:43:11,479

National Security Act of 1947 the

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00:43:17,499 --> 00:43:15,109

president got a secret third option was

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00:43:22,329 --> 00:43:17,509

her Shia Optio it's called in Latin and

898

00:43:24,430 --> 00:43:22,339

that is the CIA's paramilitary it's

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00:43:27,249 --> 00:43:24,440

called covert action it's the hidden

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00:43:28,660 --> 00:43:27,259

hand and some of it is done through

901
00:43:30,489 --> 00:43:28,670
humans some of it has done through

902
00:43:32,859 --> 00:43:30,499
information some of it is done through

903
00:43:35,630 --> 00:43:32,869
actual what is called direct action

904
00:43:37,820 --> 00:43:35,640
there are military action and

905
00:43:39,410 --> 00:43:37,830
that is what I wrote about and you know

906
00:43:40,880 --> 00:43:39,420
it's supposed to be the hidden hand it's

907
00:43:44,840 --> 00:43:40,890
supposed to never be known but guess

908
00:43:47,690 --> 00:43:44,850
what if there's a huge debacle like the

909
00:43:49,610 --> 00:43:47,700
Bay of Pigs it is known and the Bay of

910
00:43:54,410 --> 00:43:49,620
Pigs is a great example because that was

911
00:43:56,330 --> 00:43:54,420
a CIA paramilitary operation and so it's

912
00:43:58,670 --> 00:43:56,340
known because all these records have

913
00:44:00,830 --> 00:43:58,680

been declassified but it wasn't pieced

914

00:44:03,230 --> 00:44:00,840

together and in the way I believe I did

915

00:44:05,660 --> 00:44:03,240

in my book surprise kill vanish to

916

00:44:08,000 --> 00:44:05,670

demonstrate oh wait a minute Guatemala

917

00:44:09,740 --> 00:44:08,010

when we took it when we knocked out the

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00:44:12,560 --> 00:44:09,750

President and sent all these guys that

919

00:44:14,600 --> 00:44:12,570

was uh oh my god that was the CIA's

920

00:44:16,520 --> 00:44:14,610

paramilitary you see so I take wait a

921

00:44:18,860 --> 00:44:16,530

minute when we killed Che Guevara wait

922

00:44:21,560 --> 00:44:18,870

that was the CIA's paramilitary

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00:44:23,210 --> 00:44:21,570

operators assassin yes aha

924

00:44:25,400 --> 00:44:23,220

and I piece it all together wait a

925

00:44:28,040 --> 00:44:25,410

minute Obama's targeted killing program

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00:44:31,070 --> 00:44:28,050

with the drones that was the CIA's

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00:44:36,620 --> 00:44:31,080

paramilitary army yes right so that in

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00:44:39,260 --> 00:44:36,630

that manner I write history the the the

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00:44:42,650 --> 00:44:39,270

staff the men the the boots on the

930

00:44:48,020 --> 00:44:42,660

ground side of this are they helped me

931

00:44:50,660 --> 00:44:48,030

understand here are they military like

932

00:44:52,730 --> 00:44:50,670

during war right when they're active

933

00:44:56,690 --> 00:44:52,740

they're with the military during

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00:44:59,290 --> 00:44:56,700

peacetime does the CIA recruit them you

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00:45:05,150 --> 00:44:59,300

know to go out and to do missions or

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00:45:07,730 --> 00:45:05,160

does the CIA have their own you know

937

00:45:10,370 --> 00:45:07,740

what I mean full-time they're a military

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00:45:12,200 --> 00:45:10,380

group how does that work it's a great

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00:45:15,260 --> 00:45:12,210

question and it has evolved over time

940

00:45:16,910 --> 00:45:15,270

right so when it started out in 1947 it

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00:45:19,370 --> 00:45:16,920

was called the president's guerrilla

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00:45:21,020 --> 00:45:19,380

warfare Corps so all the guys are

943

00:45:23,180 --> 00:45:21,030

trained in gorilla warfare this is not

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00:45:25,880 --> 00:45:23,190

like tech this is not a you know

945

00:45:28,130 --> 00:45:25,890

military tactics like infantry men you

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00:45:30,410 --> 00:45:28,140

know storm the frontlines what this is

947

00:45:33,980 --> 00:45:30,420

guerrilla warfare this is surprise kill

948

00:45:37,220 --> 00:45:33,990

vanish this is ugly dirty down and dirty

949

00:45:41,030 --> 00:45:37,230

kill as brutally as you can use a piano

950

00:45:44,930 --> 00:45:41,040

wire if you need to okay that's not what

951
00:45:47,930 --> 00:45:44,940
guerilla warfare is and over the decades

952
00:45:49,070 --> 00:45:47,940
it has become the way in which we fight

953
00:45:51,860 --> 00:45:49,080
wars is much

954
00:45:53,870 --> 00:45:51,870
guerrilla warfare based them on all wars

955
00:45:57,260 --> 00:45:53,880
on terror guerrilla warfare based right

956
00:46:00,290 --> 00:45:57,270
so to answer your question everybody in

957
00:46:03,170 --> 00:46:00,300
the CIA's paramilitary is mit has

958
00:46:07,130 --> 00:46:03,180
guerrilla warfare training most of it

959
00:46:10,690 --> 00:46:07,140
from the military so most parents CIA

960
00:46:15,830 --> 00:46:10,700
paramilitary operators were Green Berets

961
00:46:19,250 --> 00:46:15,840
Delta Force Navy SEALs paratroopers

962
00:46:21,170 --> 00:46:19,260
MARSOC they retire from their military

963
00:46:23,390 --> 00:46:21,180

service they get what is called sheep

964

00:46:25,090 --> 00:46:23,400

dipped in some situations and then they

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00:46:29,000 --> 00:46:25,100

go over and they work for the CIA

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00:46:31,310 --> 00:46:29,010

in a few instances people officers in

967

00:46:34,010 --> 00:46:31,320

particular who become PMO's paramilitary

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00:46:36,050 --> 00:46:34,020

operations officers they go right

969

00:46:39,710 --> 00:46:36,060

they have like a different little bit of

970

00:46:42,740 --> 00:46:39,720

a different track they go to the farm

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00:46:44,420 --> 00:46:42,750

and get paramilitary you know guerrilla

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00:46:46,460 --> 00:46:44,430

warfare training at the farm that's the

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00:46:48,500 --> 00:46:46,470

CIA's training headquarters and then

974

00:46:50,360 --> 00:46:48,510

they become the sort of you know the

975

00:46:51,860 --> 00:46:50,370

equivalent the military equivalent the

976
00:46:55,210 --> 00:46:51,870
officer of the group and those are the

977
00:46:58,400 --> 00:46:55,220
guys who are like you know saying no

978
00:47:01,400 --> 00:46:58,410
essentially out in the field but they

979
00:47:02,540 --> 00:47:01,410
all have to be you know trained because

980
00:47:05,750 --> 00:47:02,550
they're all in these extraordinary

981
00:47:08,570 --> 00:47:05,760
life-or-death situations how do we how

982
00:47:11,600 --> 00:47:08,580
do we wrap our minds around this in that

983
00:47:14,540 --> 00:47:11,610
we see it in the movies right the CIA

984
00:47:18,200 --> 00:47:14,550
paramilitary you know the the covert the

985
00:47:19,910 --> 00:47:18,210
the slashing of of a throat and the you

986
00:47:21,020 --> 00:47:19,920
know stillness of the night that kind of

987
00:47:23,930 --> 00:47:21,030
thing and it makes for good Hollywood

988
00:47:26,330 --> 00:47:23,940

movies but then there's the other side

989

00:47:28,370 --> 00:47:26,340

of it which is harsh reality it's it's

990

00:47:29,960 --> 00:47:28,380

like neo in the matrix when he jumps

991

00:47:33,350 --> 00:47:29,970

back and says what do you mean this is

992

00:47:35,510 --> 00:47:33,360

real you know so how do we how do we

993

00:47:39,380 --> 00:47:35,520

wrap our minds around that and accept it

994

00:47:43,070 --> 00:47:39,390

I mean that's you know writing this book

995

00:47:44,330 --> 00:47:43,080

was extraordinary for me and you've hit

996

00:47:47,060 --> 00:47:44,340

the nail on the head with the questions

997

00:47:48,950 --> 00:47:47,070

so asked but going back to how did I you

998

00:47:50,540 --> 00:47:48,960

know when I won my when my colleague

999

00:47:53,540 --> 00:47:50,550

came and visited with me and I realized

1000

00:47:56,390 --> 00:47:53,550

oh my god he's he's doing surprise killa

1001
00:47:58,760 --> 00:47:56,400
vanish right which was the it's an that

1002
00:48:01,400 --> 00:47:58,770
name comes from the original program

1003
00:48:02,940 --> 00:48:01,410
that fought Nazis by the OSS which was

1004
00:48:05,819 --> 00:48:02,950
the precursor organization to

1005
00:48:08,430 --> 00:48:05,829
and when he went that night when I was

1006
00:48:12,410 --> 00:48:08,440
thinking of him with the knife versus

1007
00:48:15,420 --> 00:48:12,420
the sniper rifle I was like okay I can

1008
00:48:17,549 --> 00:48:15,430
to your point about you know neo and the

1009
00:48:19,650 --> 00:48:17,559
matrix and how do we wrap our minds on

1010
00:48:24,180 --> 00:48:19,660
this I thought this is so strange

1011
00:48:26,819 --> 00:48:24,190
I can accept my friend shooting an

1012
00:48:28,980 --> 00:48:26,829
al-qaeda or a Taliban on the next Hill

1013
00:48:32,339 --> 00:48:28,990

over with a sniper rifle I can accept

1014

00:48:35,579 --> 00:48:32,349

that for whatever reason I couldn't

1015

00:48:36,750 --> 00:48:35,589

imagine him slitting someone's throat or

1016

00:48:40,559 --> 00:48:36,760

jabbing it in their ribs

1017

00:48:42,960 --> 00:48:40,569

mm-hm and it was that gave me pause not

1018

00:48:46,559 --> 00:48:42,970

as much him doing it but me I was like

1019

00:48:50,789 --> 00:48:46,569

why am i differentiate killing is

1020

00:48:52,109 --> 00:48:50,799

killing why does one seem you know one

1021

00:48:53,789 --> 00:48:52,119

way and the other seems the other way

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00:48:55,470 --> 00:48:53,799

and I wrote the book because I wanted to

1023

00:48:57,839 --> 00:48:55,480

know the answer if exactly that question

1024

00:49:01,289 --> 00:48:57,849

you're asking and I know that I you know

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00:49:03,960 --> 00:49:01,299

I learned that I learned a lot writing

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00:49:08,730 --> 00:49:03,970

this book and I take the reader through

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00:49:16,069 --> 00:49:08,740

this extraordinarily complex and at

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00:49:19,740 --> 00:49:16,079

times very very dark history and I think

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00:49:21,960 --> 00:49:19,750

you know people who I have gotten an

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00:49:24,210 --> 00:49:21,970

extraordinary amount of response back

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00:49:25,319 --> 00:49:24,220

from people who have had that same you

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00:49:26,730 --> 00:49:25,329

know who shared have shared with me

1033

00:49:28,589 --> 00:49:26,740

their experience after reading the book

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00:49:30,030 --> 00:49:28,599

which is super interesting because

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00:49:31,530 --> 00:49:30,040

that's why I wrote the book because it

1036

00:49:32,819 --> 00:49:31,540

is it didn't you have an individual

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00:49:35,400 --> 00:49:32,829

response of what you think about this

1038

00:49:37,400 --> 00:49:35,410

heads their we're gonna head towards a

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00:49:42,210 --> 00:49:37,410

break here in a second has there been

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00:49:44,190 --> 00:49:42,220

any blowback not only from say the CIA I

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00:49:46,980 --> 00:49:44,200

don't know if the CIA sanctioned or

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00:49:51,240 --> 00:49:46,990

blessed the writing of this book but

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00:49:53,730 --> 00:49:51,250

then the other part with those that went

1044

00:49:55,799 --> 00:49:53,740

on the record were they were they

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00:50:00,900 --> 00:49:55,809

reticent after the fact and and maybe

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00:50:02,760 --> 00:50:00,910

got got a little heat you know I haven't

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00:50:05,609 --> 00:50:02,770

heard any of that I mean the the most

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00:50:07,410 --> 00:50:05,619

heat I got from it's always bizarre

1049

00:50:09,059 --> 00:50:07,420

being a reporter because what you think

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00:50:12,870 --> 00:50:09,069

and what you worry about what you wonder

1051
00:50:14,200 --> 00:50:12,880
about you you you you just can never

1052
00:50:16,750 --> 00:50:14,210
predict

1053
00:50:22,329 --> 00:50:16,760
and what I was most interested in is

1054
00:50:24,280 --> 00:50:22,339
that one you know like I am the kind of

1055
00:50:28,060 --> 00:50:24,290
officer that gets reviewed in big

1056
00:50:34,140 --> 00:50:28,070
mainstream newspapers and one that will

1057
00:50:38,500 --> 00:50:34,150
remain nameless newspaper ripped me

1058
00:50:43,180 --> 00:50:38,510
personally to shreds saying that I had

1059
00:50:46,359 --> 00:50:43,190
that I was endorsing this kind of toxic

1060
00:50:48,760 --> 00:50:46,369
masculinity and this you know Hollywood

1061
00:50:50,890 --> 00:50:48,770
fantasy and it was just a little bizarre

1062
00:50:52,900 --> 00:50:50,900
because I thought I mean I'm aware that

1063
00:50:56,140 --> 00:50:52,910

people bring their own two cents into

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00:50:58,480 --> 00:50:56,150

any any book they read but that was not

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00:50:59,800 --> 00:50:58,490

at all my takeaway from that night and

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00:51:02,010 --> 00:50:59,810

you know this was actually ironically

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00:51:04,630 --> 00:51:02,020

was a Pulitzer Prize winning author

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00:51:12,390 --> 00:51:04,640

ripping me to shreds saying that I was

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00:51:16,300 --> 00:51:12,400

just killing yes I thought like wow

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00:51:17,260 --> 00:51:16,310

that's wild you know but again I'll end

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00:51:20,079 --> 00:51:17,270

with this I'm never going to break I

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00:51:22,450 --> 00:51:20,089

mean I write books I try to be neutral

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00:51:24,640 --> 00:51:22,460

that's my real I don't I definitely

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00:51:27,849 --> 00:51:24,650

don't have a political opinion or I

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00:51:29,950 --> 00:51:27,859

don't bring it into the books and I try

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00:51:31,630 --> 00:51:29,960

to be neutral and just tell the facts

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00:51:33,880 --> 00:51:31,640

and I remember when I wrote Operation

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00:51:35,770 --> 00:51:33,890

Paperclip about the Nazis did not the

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00:51:39,460 --> 00:51:35,780

scientist we brought here I could go on

1080

00:51:41,770 --> 00:51:39,470

Fox News and have them say oh my god

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00:51:43,210 --> 00:51:41,780

anything god you wrote this book you

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00:51:44,890 --> 00:51:43,220

showed that these guys were morally

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00:51:47,320 --> 00:51:44,900

reprehensible they were terrible but

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00:51:48,339 --> 00:51:47,330

thank God we brought them here because

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00:51:50,650 --> 00:51:48,349

we wouldn't have won the Cold War

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00:51:53,050 --> 00:51:50,660

without them thank you for writing this

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00:51:54,880 --> 00:51:53,060

book then I could go over on CNN or even

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00:51:56,140 --> 00:51:54,890

to the Holocaust Museum and they would

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00:51:58,359 --> 00:51:56,150

say oh my god Annie

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00:52:00,310 --> 00:51:58,369

thank God you wrote this book you show

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00:52:03,280 --> 00:52:00,320

us that these Nazi scientists were the

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00:52:05,500 --> 00:52:03,290

most despicable evil horrible men in the

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00:52:09,490 --> 00:52:05,510

whole world and boy is it so clear we

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00:52:13,480 --> 00:52:09,500

should have never ever done this program

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00:52:17,130 --> 00:52:13,490

they read the same box isn't that

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00:52:20,290 --> 00:52:17,140

interesting now isn't that interesting

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00:52:23,500 --> 00:52:20,300

yes and when I was fascinated by in this

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00:52:29,250 --> 00:52:23,510

particular book is that no one wrote the

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00:52:32,170 --> 00:52:29,260

counter and review and said

1100

00:52:34,150 --> 00:52:32,180

you know they didn't there wasn't the

1101
00:52:35,500 --> 00:52:34,160
CNN version of it and I thought that was

1102
00:52:37,690 --> 00:52:35,510
fascinating and I do think that's the

1103
00:52:41,890 --> 00:52:37,700
product of the times that we live in I

1104
00:52:43,240 --> 00:52:41,900
think that I think that's interesting

1105
00:52:46,180 --> 00:52:43,250
and I think more than anything what it

1106
00:52:49,859 --> 00:52:46,190
does is it speaks to the burden that

1107
00:52:52,120 --> 00:52:49,869
these operators have because you know

1108
00:52:54,069 --> 00:52:52,130
again not trying to cast a moral

1109
00:52:56,650 --> 00:52:54,079
judgment on whether what they do but

1110
00:52:57,940 --> 00:52:56,660
they are doing something legally they

1111
00:53:00,339 --> 00:52:57,950
are doing something that comes directly

1112
00:53:02,829 --> 00:53:00,349
from a presidential memorandum of

1113
00:53:04,510 --> 00:53:02,839

understanding it's called an MOU I know

1114

00:53:07,359 --> 00:53:04,520

that's from interviewing the CIA's

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00:53:09,579 --> 00:53:07,369

lawyer this is all legal there is no

1116

00:53:11,620 --> 00:53:09,589

such thing as a rogue operation these

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00:53:14,790 --> 00:53:11,630

guys are doing what they are asked to do

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00:53:18,280 --> 00:53:14,800

for the country and to think that that's

1119

00:53:20,980 --> 00:53:18,290

equated with like moral reprehensibility

1120

00:53:23,500 --> 00:53:20,990

or whatever the word is is that that is

1121

00:53:29,290 --> 00:53:23,510

interesting to me and I you asked is it

1122

00:53:32,950 --> 00:53:29,300

dark I mean a lot of these guys feel

1123

00:53:36,400 --> 00:53:32,960

stigmatized and I empathize with that

1124

00:53:38,620 --> 00:53:36,410

because you know I sit here in my

1125

00:53:41,290 --> 00:53:38,630

air-conditioned office and they're over

1126
00:53:44,859 --> 00:53:41,300
there right working at the behest of the

1127
00:53:48,190 --> 00:53:44,869
president right doing doing things

1128
00:53:50,530 --> 00:53:48,200
that well we see it in movies but then

1129
00:53:53,890 --> 00:53:50,540
do we keep our heads in the sand and

1130
00:53:56,559 --> 00:53:53,900
ignore that this is also possibly part

1131
00:53:58,150 --> 00:53:56,569
of our own reality and that's that's the

1132
00:53:59,680 --> 00:53:58,160
crazy part for me let's take our break

1133
00:54:01,870 --> 00:53:59,690
right here I guess tonight

1134
00:54:03,490 --> 00:54:01,880
Annie Jacobson we're talking about her

1135
00:54:05,950 --> 00:54:03,500
new book it's called surprise kill

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00:54:08,380 --> 00:54:05,960
banish the secret history of the CIA

1137
00:54:09,970 --> 00:54:08,390
paramilitary armies operators and

1138
00:54:11,890 --> 00:54:09,980

assassins I'm your host Jimmy Church

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00:54:15,310 --> 00:54:11,900

we'll be right back after this short

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00:54:15,320 --> 00:54:50,430

[Music]

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00:54:55,730 --> 00:54:53,410

[Applause]

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00:54:57,470 --> 00:54:55,740

welcome back fade to black our meals to

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00:54:59,600 --> 00:54:57,480

be Church tonight our guest is Hany

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00:55:01,550 --> 00:54:59,610

Jacobsen were discussing her new book it

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00:55:02,570 --> 00:55:01,560

is called surprise kill banish and get

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00:55:05,450 --> 00:55:02,580

it on Amazon

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00:55:07,640 --> 00:55:05,460

Annie's links to her website are over at

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00:55:11,570 --> 00:55:07,650

Jimmy Church radio.com it is an

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00:55:14,180 --> 00:55:11,580

excellent read and Annie I was sitting

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00:55:16,760 --> 00:55:14,190

here thinking I wanted to talk about you

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00:55:18,950 --> 00:55:16,770

know the state of mind of the people

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00:55:23,590 --> 00:55:18,960

that you interviewed and it takes me

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00:55:27,530 --> 00:55:23,600

back to the mid 80s I had a friend

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00:55:30,500 --> 00:55:27,540

wealthy guy in Pasadena and he came to

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00:55:34,190 --> 00:55:30,510

me very cool and he goes hey Jimmy I'm

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00:55:36,920 --> 00:55:34,200

going to be going on this African

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00:55:39,830 --> 00:55:36,930

adventure we're gonna go up the Nile

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00:55:41,870 --> 00:55:39,840

we're gonna go through Somalia and

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00:55:46,190 --> 00:55:41,880

Ethiopia and the Sudan and we're gonna

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00:55:49,070 --> 00:55:46,200

end up in Egypt by boat and and if you

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00:55:52,520 --> 00:55:49,080

want to go you can go and I said what

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00:55:55,940 --> 00:55:52,530

did you just say I'm just a kid and he

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00:55:57,500 --> 00:55:55,950

goes I'm good to be meeting with one of

1164

00:56:00,590 --> 00:55:57,510

the guys tonight we got to go through

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00:56:03,260 --> 00:56:00,600

training and and guns and and stuff and

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00:56:05,349 --> 00:56:03,270

he's a mercenary and so come to dinner

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00:56:09,050 --> 00:56:05,359

with us tonight we'll talk about it and

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00:56:11,960 --> 00:56:09,060

and I and I so I go to this dinner and

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00:56:17,570 --> 00:56:11,970

I'm with this guy who is one of the most

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00:56:20,000 --> 00:56:17,580

intimidating young to beard big guy and

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00:56:21,859 --> 00:56:20,010

he is talking about the training that we

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00:56:24,140 --> 00:56:21,869

got to do to go through this and

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00:56:25,670 --> 00:56:24,150

automatic fire and we're gonna go here

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00:56:27,020 --> 00:56:25,680

and you know weapons training and all

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00:56:30,160 --> 00:56:27,030

this but we're gonna go through all of

1176
00:56:33,620 --> 00:56:30,170
this you know rough part of Africa and

1177
00:56:37,550 --> 00:56:33,630
but I was studying this guy Annie and

1178
00:56:40,420 --> 00:56:37,560
there was something he was nice and

1179
00:56:44,000 --> 00:56:40,430
everything but there was something bent

1180
00:56:46,010 --> 00:56:44,010
you know there was something that just

1181
00:56:48,859 --> 00:56:46,020
freaked me out I remember riding home in

1182
00:56:53,470 --> 00:56:48,869
the car going dude I'm out no way

1183
00:56:55,940 --> 00:56:53,480
there's no way but my friend did go and

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00:56:57,770 --> 00:56:55,950
and one who did that did the whole thing

1185
00:57:01,180 --> 00:56:57,780
and I saw him like three months later

1186
00:57:05,310 --> 00:57:01,190
and his stories were pretty amazing but

1187
00:57:07,740 --> 00:57:05,320
these these personnel

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00:57:10,470 --> 00:57:07,750

when when you look at them and you talk

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00:57:13,410 --> 00:57:10,480

to them how are they are they are they

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00:57:16,470 --> 00:57:13,420

stable are they are they okay they're

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00:57:21,420 --> 00:57:16,480

doing the the craziest tasks that can be

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00:57:23,760 --> 00:57:21,430

imagined aren't they yes but let me

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00:57:25,860 --> 00:57:23,770

differentiate first of all that's an

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00:57:28,290 --> 00:57:25,870

amazing story and I wonder my god I mean

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00:57:30,840 --> 00:57:28,300

it doesn't get any more dangerous than

1196

00:57:35,220 --> 00:57:30,850

going you know along the Nile in those

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00:57:38,400 --> 00:57:35,230

countries and I wonder what they were

1198

00:57:41,070 --> 00:57:38,410

doing I mean a mercenary is a broad term

1199

00:57:42,630 --> 00:57:41,080

right so what I write about specifically

1200

00:57:47,060 --> 00:57:42,640

in the book and what I try to make

1201

00:57:50,100 --> 00:57:47,070

really clear is that all of this is

1202

00:57:52,590 --> 00:57:50,110

legal and at the behest of the President

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00:57:55,560 --> 00:57:52,600

of the United States right so in other

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00:58:00,120 --> 00:57:55,570

and they're doing direct action direct

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00:58:01,350 --> 00:58:00,130

action in essence means in many cases

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00:58:02,970 --> 00:58:01,360

killing I mean certainly in the war on

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00:58:05,340 --> 00:58:02,980

terror now when you have when you're

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00:58:06,930 --> 00:58:05,350

going after a high valid value target

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00:58:08,580 --> 00:58:06,940

it's called a kill or capture mission

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00:58:10,980 --> 00:58:08,590

but what everyone would say to me is

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00:58:11,970 --> 00:58:10,990

it's a kill mission I mean no one none

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00:58:15,840 --> 00:58:11,980

of these guys are gonna let themselves

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00:58:19,260 --> 00:58:15,850

get captured so they are going on kill

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00:58:21,180 --> 00:58:19,270

missions very small targeted hunter

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00:58:26,820 --> 00:58:21,190

missions in essence so it does give that

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00:58:28,830 --> 00:58:26,830

sense of like the kind of training you

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00:58:34,290 --> 00:58:28,840

must have in the mindset you must have

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00:58:36,600 --> 00:58:34,300

but it is military in nature in as much

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00:58:41,010 --> 00:58:36,610

that that that is how they're training

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00:58:43,950 --> 00:58:41,020

and that's how they're operating all of

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00:58:45,600 --> 00:58:43,960

the CIA paramilitary operators I spoke

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00:58:46,920 --> 00:58:45,610

to and the bigger the bigger branch is

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00:58:50,040 --> 00:58:46,930

called the special Activities Division

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00:58:52,080 --> 00:58:50,050

ok si D and they have what's called a

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00:58:53,420 --> 00:58:52,090

ground branch which is boots on the

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00:58:57,720 --> 00:58:53,430

ground they have an air branch

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00:58:59,970 --> 00:58:57,730

drones they have a maritime branch which

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00:59:01,980 --> 00:58:59,980

is operations at sea

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00:59:03,150 --> 00:59:01,990

that's impenetrable I could not get any

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00:59:06,050 --> 00:59:03,160

information about that

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00:59:09,030 --> 00:59:06,060

ok so how's that for intrigue right but

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00:59:12,600 --> 00:59:09,040

they all all the ground branch operators

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00:59:16,080 --> 00:59:12,610

talk about really specifically and very

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00:59:18,279 --> 00:59:16,090

clearly that they are not Blackwater

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00:59:24,539 --> 00:59:18,289

they are not defense

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00:59:27,309 --> 00:59:24,549

tractors they are very specifically

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00:59:32,349 --> 00:59:27,319

doing the president's bidding and so

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00:59:34,839 --> 00:59:32,359

there is a friction between this idea of

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00:59:38,880 --> 00:59:34,849

you know Blackwater kind of what they

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00:59:44,079 --> 00:59:38,890

think perceived to be sort of gung-ho

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00:59:45,909 --> 00:59:44,089

verb you know outspoken very kind of for

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00:59:47,829 --> 00:59:45,919

lack of a better word braggers let's say

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00:59:49,569 --> 00:59:47,839

right who don't actually have the

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00:59:51,669 --> 00:59:49,579

authority to do direct action because

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00:59:54,249 --> 00:59:51,679

direct action is only legal at the

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00:59:59,429 --> 00:59:54,259

president's behalf under title 50 and so

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01:00:07,630 --> 01:00:05,169

highly trained and following the action

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01:00:09,279 --> 01:00:07,640

specifically as to what they're supposed

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01:00:12,819 --> 01:00:09,289

to do and therefore they don't brag they

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01:00:18,909 --> 01:00:12,829

are very very very soft-spoken about all

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01:00:19,419 --> 01:00:18,919

of this the the other aspect to this do

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01:00:22,239 --> 01:00:19,429

they

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01:00:23,109 --> 01:00:22,249

I know these these may seem like dumb

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01:00:25,899 --> 01:00:23,119

questions

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01:00:29,019 --> 01:00:25,909

but do they wear uniforms do they have

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01:00:30,399 --> 01:00:29,029

ID are they have linguist

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01:00:32,859 --> 01:00:30,409

that's actually a brilliant question

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01:00:36,399 --> 01:00:32,869

they do not know not wear any uniforms

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01:00:38,890 --> 01:00:36,409

whatsoever because it is the president's

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01:00:40,719 --> 01:00:38,900

the third option tercio Optio is the

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01:00:44,499 --> 01:00:40,729

president's hidden hand it is meant to

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01:00:46,419 --> 01:00:44,509

be plausibly denied so they do great

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01:00:50,469 --> 01:00:46,429

question they do not wear any markings

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01:00:52,449 --> 01:00:50,479

on their on their clothes and during the

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01:00:54,999 --> 01:00:52,459

Vietnam War the organization was called

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01:00:57,039 --> 01:00:55,009

Mac V SOG and those missions have been

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01:00:59,409 --> 01:00:57,049

Declassified and you can see that was a

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01:01:00,159 --> 01:00:59,419

deal of Defense Department and CIA joint

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01:01:02,620 --> 01:01:00,169

operation

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01:01:05,979 --> 01:01:02,630

but they weren't wearing any markings so

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01:01:08,019 --> 01:01:05,989

even their cigarettes were Chinese right

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01:01:10,659 --> 01:01:08,029

so there's nothing American they're

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01:01:14,799 --> 01:01:10,669

they're their weapons are Swedish K

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01:01:17,589 --> 01:01:14,809

their knives are made in Japan they do

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01:01:19,899 --> 01:01:17,599

not have anything American I mean here's

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01:01:21,819 --> 01:01:19,909

another interesting detail the bin Laden

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01:01:25,419 --> 01:01:21,829

raid okay when bin Laden was killed

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01:01:27,969 --> 01:01:25,429

that was a CIA paramilitary operation so

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01:01:29,890 --> 01:01:27,979

you go it's yes it's promoted as the

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01:01:30,750 --> 01:01:29,900

Navy SEALs because all of those guys

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01:01:33,600 --> 01:01:30,760

were

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01:01:37,980 --> 01:01:33,610

in fact Navy SEALs by training but for

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01:01:44,310 --> 01:01:37,990

the night they became CIA operators they

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01:01:45,900 --> 01:01:44,320

did not wear military markings on any of

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01:01:50,010 --> 01:01:45,910

their clothing and it's funny because

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01:01:54,120 --> 01:01:50,020

the one of the guys outfits was up the

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01:01:55,410 --> 01:01:54,130

museum here the the Nixon Library and it

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01:01:58,740 --> 01:01:55,420

was so funny because you could see I

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01:02:00,540 --> 01:01:58,750

want Islands if I was with a CIA

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01:02:03,060 --> 01:02:00,550

operator and we were he was showing me

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01:02:06,660 --> 01:02:03,070

like okay you see that that's been his

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01:02:07,770 --> 01:02:06,670

name O'Neill got sewn on for a fact to

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01:02:10,110 --> 01:02:07,780

be in that Museum

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01:02:13,350 --> 01:02:10,120

but everything else about it was missing

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01:02:16,230 --> 01:02:13,360

any kind of marking so that was a CIA

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01:02:17,940 --> 01:02:16,240

mission and then the next day once bin

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01:02:22,560 --> 01:02:17,950

Laden was killed the guys went back to

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01:02:24,780 --> 01:02:22,570

being seals why because you can't kill

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01:02:26,730 --> 01:02:24,790

the military title ten rules of

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01:02:29,220 --> 01:02:26,740

engagement they can the military the US

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01:02:32,220 --> 01:02:29,230

military cannot go kill someone in a

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01:02:35,220 --> 01:02:32,230

sovereign nation which is Pakistan so it

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01:02:38,190 --> 01:02:35,230

has to wear as the CIA again under title

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01:02:39,810 --> 01:02:38,200

50 authority and so that's why in that

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01:02:42,000 --> 01:02:39,820

famous photograph you have the director

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01:02:43,320 --> 01:02:42,010

of the CIA Leon Panetta standing there

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01:02:48,330 --> 01:02:43,330

next to an Obama because it was his

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01:02:50,240 --> 01:02:48,340

mission how how many you aged I don't

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01:02:53,610 --> 01:02:50,250

know if you've got this information but

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01:02:56,340 --> 01:02:53,620

how many of these operations go on is it

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01:02:59,250 --> 01:02:56,350

like right now you and I are on the

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01:03:02,550 --> 01:02:59,260

radio is there something going on right

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01:03:04,770 --> 01:03:02,560

now okay so the special Activities

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01:03:06,270 --> 01:03:04,780

Division it had all kinds of names

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01:03:07,680 --> 01:03:06,280

throughout I mean I go back in history

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01:03:10,020 --> 01:03:07,690

right I mean you know because there's

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01:03:12,300 --> 01:03:10,030

there's there's paramilitary armies

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01:03:15,140 --> 01:03:12,310

doing things like for JFK that did the

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01:03:17,130 --> 01:03:15,150

Bay of Pigs and then JFK had his

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01:03:21,060 --> 01:03:17,140

assassination unit which he called

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01:03:24,510 --> 01:03:21,070

executive action you know Reagan called

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01:03:26,250 --> 01:03:24,520

his preemptive neutralization so they

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01:03:27,690 --> 01:03:26,260

have the big units the small units and

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01:03:30,270 --> 01:03:27,700

then sort of in during the Reagan area

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01:03:32,130 --> 01:03:30,280

it became it became known as a special

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01:03:35,220 --> 01:03:32,140

Activities Division and it has been that

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01:03:39,510 --> 01:03:35,230

through the decades since but during the

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01:03:42,570 --> 01:03:39,520

war on terror this Authority expanded

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01:03:44,130 --> 01:03:42,580

exponentially and recently the special

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01:03:47,580 --> 01:03:44,140

Activities Division

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01:03:50,460 --> 01:03:47,590

has become the special Activities Center

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01:03:53,210 --> 01:03:50,470

at Langley CIA headquarters

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01:03:56,310 --> 01:03:53,220

meaning it's its own interdisciplinary

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01:03:58,760 --> 01:03:56,320

center it has more missions going on

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01:04:02,910 --> 01:03:58,770

than ever in the history of the CIA and

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01:04:04,560 --> 01:04:02,920

as I've been told operating in a hundred

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01:04:12,090 --> 01:04:04,570

and thirty-four countries around the

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01:04:13,440 --> 01:04:12,100

globe the these okay this is where we

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01:04:16,140 --> 01:04:13,450

just got to get a little bit direct

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01:04:19,170 --> 01:04:16,150

there there is the obvious stuff like

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01:04:21,360 --> 01:04:19,180

Maduro in in venezuela you know these

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01:04:26,790 --> 01:04:21,370

things that are in in in the public

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01:04:29,730 --> 01:04:26,800

domain but if this operation if these

1344

01:04:33,870 --> 01:04:29,740

operations are going down we would never

1345

01:04:35,550 --> 01:04:33,880

hear about them right you're you're not

1346

01:04:37,230 --> 01:04:35,560

supposed to that's the whole option

1347

01:04:39,720 --> 01:04:37,240

that's the whole point of the hidden

1348

01:04:41,310 --> 01:04:39,730

hand so in other words and also what i

1349

01:04:43,950 --> 01:04:41,320

might add a lot of times when they're on

1350

01:04:46,320 --> 01:04:43,960

up in in sovereign nations right and

1351
01:04:48,630 --> 01:04:46,330
nato partner countries what i learned is

1352
01:04:50,280 --> 01:04:48,640
that a lot of times a team will be sent

1353
01:04:53,820 --> 01:04:50,290
in to do what's called make book on

1354
01:04:56,790 --> 01:04:53,830
somebody so there is an individual that

1355
01:05:00,960 --> 01:04:56,800
is going to be on the president's kill

1356
01:05:03,000 --> 01:05:00,970
or capture list but the team goes in to

1357
01:05:05,910 --> 01:05:03,010
make book on the person to find out who

1358
01:05:07,860 --> 01:05:05,920
he is where he lives you know who his

1359
01:05:11,040 --> 01:05:07,870
family members are what he does all day

1360
01:05:15,000 --> 01:05:11,050
and then they begin to build a package

1361
01:05:17,550 --> 01:05:15,010
about him first and foremost that they

1362
01:05:20,580 --> 01:05:17,560
might want to blackmail him with so they

1363
01:05:22,320 --> 01:05:20,590

find out does he have any porn habits is

1364

01:05:25,470 --> 01:05:22,330

he having any affairs is he stealing

1365

01:05:29,610 --> 01:05:25,480

money and then they use all of this

1366

01:05:32,100 --> 01:05:29,620

disinformation in a manner that they

1367

01:05:37,260 --> 01:05:32,110

might take non-lethal actions so they

1368

01:05:38,940 --> 01:05:37,270

may destroy the individual socially you

1369

01:05:40,620 --> 01:05:38,950

know meaning within the hierarchy that

1370

01:05:43,680 --> 01:05:40,630

the terrorist organization that he

1371

01:05:45,450 --> 01:05:43,690

exists in hezbollah hamas by saying look

1372

01:05:48,890 --> 01:05:45,460

we know this about you and if you don't

1373

01:05:50,760 --> 01:05:48,900

act you know maybe they turn him

1374

01:05:52,890 --> 01:05:50,770

otherwise we're going to make this

1375

01:05:55,170 --> 01:05:52,900

public so those are non-lethal

1376

01:05:57,900 --> 01:05:55,180

operations and then in other situations

1377

01:06:00,299 --> 01:05:57,910

there's capture operations where they

1378

01:06:02,279 --> 01:06:00,309

grab somebody and that's a whole other

1379

01:06:05,069 --> 01:06:02,289

problem because Obama got rid of

1380

01:06:06,809 --> 01:06:05,079

enhanced interrogation and so it's

1381

01:06:08,099 --> 01:06:06,819

really tricky what do you do with

1382

01:06:09,960 --> 01:06:08,109

someone you know you can't hold them

1383

01:06:12,089 --> 01:06:09,970

indefinitely right that's I deal with

1384

01:06:13,770 --> 01:06:12,099

that in the book Obama you know got rid

1385

01:06:17,940 --> 01:06:13,780

of the enhanced interrogation programs

1386

01:06:20,970 --> 01:06:17,950

but expanded the killed missions so some

1387

01:06:24,180 --> 01:06:20,980

people you know accuse him of getting

1388

01:06:28,910 --> 01:06:24,190

rid of torture by killing these are

1389

01:06:31,440 --> 01:06:28,920

really complicated issues the the

1390

01:06:33,839 --> 01:06:31,450

revealing of this publicly would never

1391

01:06:36,539 --> 01:06:33,849

happen right it just wouldn't appear in

1392

01:06:40,559 --> 01:06:36,549

mainstream media but on the other side

1393

01:06:42,990 --> 01:06:40,569

of it if you are the subject of one of

1394

01:06:44,789 --> 01:06:43,000

these missions you're embarrassed by it

1395

01:06:47,069 --> 01:06:44,799

if somebody is killed if somebody's

1396

01:06:49,200 --> 01:06:47,079

taken out of somebody is captured or

1397

01:06:51,359 --> 01:06:49,210

kidnapped or removed out of the country

1398

01:06:53,130 --> 01:06:51,369

you're not going to publicize it on your

1399

01:06:55,620 --> 01:06:53,140

end either you can't have that

1400

01:06:59,160 --> 01:06:55,630

embarrassment therefore all of these

1401
01:07:03,000 --> 01:06:59,170
missions pretty much go unnoticed that

1402
01:07:05,099 --> 01:07:03,010
has to be the way it goes doctor that's

1403
01:07:06,450 --> 01:07:05,109
exactly right and so the ones I take you

1404
01:07:13,680 --> 01:07:06,460
through a lot of things that Billy

1405
01:07:15,900 --> 01:07:13,690
lauded because he being 89 you know he's

1406
01:07:17,579 --> 01:07:15,910
he shared with me a number of the

1407
01:07:20,099 --> 01:07:17,589
missions and I was a band and and some

1408
01:07:23,430 --> 01:07:20,109
of them have gone wrong and so you're I

1409
01:07:24,990 --> 01:07:23,440
was able to source the facts of the

1410
01:07:28,890 --> 01:07:25,000
missions and flesh them out and

1411
01:07:30,599 --> 01:07:28,900
demonstrate to readers oh this is how it

1412
01:07:31,920 --> 01:07:30,609
worked in the sixties and seventies in

1413
01:07:34,440 --> 01:07:31,930

the eighties right you can see all of

1414

01:07:35,849 --> 01:07:34,450

that and then you begin to realize as

1415

01:07:38,519 --> 01:07:35,859

you move through the war on terror and

1416

01:07:42,240 --> 01:07:38,529

to where we are today you perhaps are

1417

01:07:44,220 --> 01:07:42,250

looking at different events that go on

1418

01:07:47,309 --> 01:07:44,230

in the world with a little bit of a

1419

01:07:49,049 --> 01:07:47,319

different eye again you have to you have

1420

01:07:51,990 --> 01:07:49,059

to draw your own conclusions because

1421

01:07:57,660 --> 01:07:52,000

only time will tell us what what the

1422

01:08:00,180 --> 01:07:57,670

actual how that outcome unfolded the the

1423

01:08:03,029 --> 01:08:00,190

other part of this were you had stated a

1424

01:08:08,460 --> 01:08:03,039

few times now that because of this

1425

01:08:09,210 --> 01:08:08,470

directive 50 that it is completely legal

1426

01:08:11,790 --> 01:08:09,220

and

1427

01:08:12,480 --> 01:08:11,800

if the president has a capture or kill

1428

01:08:19,920 --> 01:08:12,490

list

1429

01:08:21,360 --> 01:08:19,930

there isn't anything for them to worry

1430

01:08:24,450 --> 01:08:21,370

about I'm talking about the pair of

1431

01:08:28,519 --> 01:08:24,460

military forces they know that they are

1432

01:08:31,920 --> 01:08:28,529

allowed to do the ultimate to make this

1433

01:08:33,360 --> 01:08:31,930

mission successful and that's it so they

1434

01:08:36,900 --> 01:08:33,370

don't have that weighing on their

1435

01:08:38,309 --> 01:08:36,910

conscience do they absolutely but it

1436

01:08:40,050 --> 01:08:38,319

gets a little tricky sometimes so let me

1437

01:08:42,360 --> 01:08:40,060

tell you about Billy Ross so for example

1438

01:08:46,800 --> 01:08:42,370

he's what's called a singleton okay so

1439

01:08:50,370 --> 01:08:46,810

he works mostly alone now he was a Mac V

1440

01:08:52,590 --> 01:08:50,380

SOG paramilitary and actually military

1441

01:08:55,800 --> 01:08:52,600

operator during the Vietnam War and did

1442

01:08:57,599 --> 01:08:55,810

hundreds of cross border missions he was

1443

01:08:59,670 --> 01:08:57,609

in charge of the mission to kill the

1444

01:09:02,340 --> 01:08:59,680

general of the North Vietnamese army

1445

01:09:04,019 --> 01:09:02,350

general giap right so his training was

1446

01:09:07,890 --> 01:09:04,029

extraordinary and then you go all the

1447

01:09:10,019 --> 01:09:07,900

way he's now moved toward moved decades

1448

01:09:13,320 --> 01:09:10,029

through to the 1990s and he's given a

1449

01:09:16,289 --> 01:09:13,330

mission to go to Sudan to find this

1450

01:09:18,300 --> 01:09:16,299

almost on you know a terrorist who's

1451

01:09:22,410 --> 01:09:18,310

just cropped up on the radar what's his

1452

01:09:25,559 --> 01:09:22,420

name Osama bin Laden it's 1992 and Billy

1453

01:09:28,499 --> 01:09:25,569

was in Sudan acting as a singleton so

1454

01:09:31,499 --> 01:09:28,509

his cover is that he's an old man on a

1455

01:09:34,349 --> 01:09:31,509

fitness craze so he's running he's

1456

01:09:37,140 --> 01:09:34,359

running around Sudan and um you know

1457

01:09:38,789 --> 01:09:37,150

jogging shorts and that what didn't work

1458

01:09:40,380 --> 01:09:38,799

he has the Sudanese after him and

1459

01:09:42,120 --> 01:09:40,390

another thing that the CIA did is so

1460

01:09:43,019 --> 01:09:42,130

they gave him a mask that made him look

1461

01:09:45,599 --> 01:09:43,029

like a black

1462

01:09:47,220 --> 01:09:45,609

Dinka tribesman he's wearing literally a

1463

01:09:49,680 --> 01:09:47,230

rubber mask with gloves and everything

1464

01:09:51,390 --> 01:09:49,690

driving around trying to conduct

1465

01:09:53,910 --> 01:09:51,400

surveillance on this unknown terrorist

1466

01:09:56,970 --> 01:09:53,920

named Osama bin Laden he finally takes

1467

01:10:00,930 --> 01:09:56,980

pictures of him the first ever that the

1468

01:10:02,910 --> 01:10:00,940

CIA had has been Laden in 1992 and now a

1469

01:10:05,810 --> 01:10:02,920

decision goes well what are we going to

1470

01:10:08,729 --> 01:10:05,820

do with him so a memo gets sent up to

1471

01:10:11,250 --> 01:10:08,739

President Clinton who was the only

1472

01:10:12,900 --> 01:10:11,260

president from my understanding of

1473

01:10:15,660 --> 01:10:12,910

interviewing all these people who

1474

01:10:18,030 --> 01:10:15,670

actually did not authorize targeted

1475

01:10:20,790 --> 01:10:18,040

killings so there's two versions of the

1476

01:10:22,200 --> 01:10:20,800

story Billy was version is that it went

1477

01:10:23,160 --> 01:10:22,210

all the way to the president who said

1478

01:10:25,860 --> 01:10:23,170

don't ever ask me

1479

01:10:27,540 --> 01:10:25,870

this again and coffee black who is the

1480

01:10:29,340 --> 01:10:27,550

station chief of Khartoum at the time

1481

01:10:30,419 --> 01:10:29,350

who I also interviewed said that's not

1482

01:10:33,660 --> 01:10:30,429

how it went down

1483

01:10:35,130 --> 01:10:33,670

I didn't even let that option go to the

1484

01:10:38,070 --> 01:10:35,140

president it simply went to the director

1485

01:10:40,890 --> 01:10:38,080

of the CIA who said no but what Billy

1486

01:10:44,100 --> 01:10:40,900

Wall says he wanted to do was kill bin

1487

01:10:48,150 --> 01:10:44,110

Laden and then throw a man's body over

1488

01:10:50,910 --> 01:10:48,160

the wall of the Iranian embassy set off

1489

01:10:56,939 --> 01:10:50,920

a bunch of grenades get the press there

1490

01:11:00,479 --> 01:10:56,949

and blame it on the Iranians the kind of

1491

01:11:03,240 --> 01:11:00,489

world that we are talking about the I

1492

01:11:08,070 --> 01:11:03,250

did want to ask you I think we went

1493

01:11:11,450 --> 01:11:08,080

around this earlier when you are you

1494

01:11:15,630 --> 01:11:11,460

know speaking to these guys and you know

1495

01:11:19,709 --> 01:11:15,640

you know that they have killed like for

1496

01:11:23,060 --> 01:11:19,719

real like I mean paid to kill what what

1497

01:11:26,160 --> 01:11:23,070

is that like are you nervous

1498

01:11:28,350 --> 01:11:26,170

do they start to open up to you

1499

01:11:31,860 --> 01:11:28,360

you know what's that atmosphere like

1500

01:11:34,800 --> 01:11:31,870

that has to be well strange is the right

1501
01:11:40,979 --> 01:11:34,810
word I mean I do you have to watch what

1502
01:11:44,640 --> 01:11:40,989
you say or are you just wide open well I

1503
01:11:46,530 --> 01:11:44,650
really consider myself like the kind of

1504
01:11:48,570 --> 01:11:46,540
reporter that likes to get the human

1505
01:11:50,220 --> 01:11:48,580
story so information is really

1506
01:11:53,280 --> 01:11:50,230
interesting but I want to know what

1507
01:11:55,040 --> 01:11:53,290
makes people tick right and so spending

1508
01:11:57,300 --> 01:11:55,050
the most time I can with someone is

1509
01:11:59,490 --> 01:11:57,310
about that and I just reserve all

1510
01:12:01,650 --> 01:11:59,500
judgment on killing I mean you know that

1511
01:12:03,930 --> 01:12:01,660
someone on reddit said Billy law he

1512
01:12:06,750 --> 01:12:03,940
killed more people than cancer right but

1513
01:12:09,120 --> 01:12:06,760

Billy wall and I too kind of for me to

1514

01:12:12,840 --> 01:12:09,130

get a sense of him I suggested that we

1515

01:12:15,660 --> 01:12:12,850

go back to Vietnam which we did in 2017

1516

01:12:17,910 --> 01:12:15,670

together we flew to Vietnam to meet with

1517

01:12:21,510 --> 01:12:17,920

the son of general Giap I mean general

1518

01:12:24,090 --> 01:12:21,520

drop was higher on the kill list LBJ's

1519

01:12:26,580 --> 01:12:24,100

kill list then Ho Chi Minh himself may

1520

01:12:29,010 --> 01:12:26,590

that's how much the government wanted

1521

01:12:31,860 --> 01:12:29,020

general giap dead because he the whole

1522

01:12:34,380 --> 01:12:31,870

North Vietnamese army was led by him and

1523

01:12:36,600 --> 01:12:34,390

he was this charismatic leader while was

1524

01:12:38,490 --> 01:12:36,610

in charge of the mission to kill him

1525

01:12:39,959 --> 01:12:38,500

and I write about what was called Oscar

1526

01:12:41,700 --> 01:12:39,969

ate that was a codename for the

1527

01:12:45,510 --> 01:12:41,710

operation they had to cross the border

1528

01:12:48,030 --> 01:12:45,520

go behind enemy lines in Laos I mean all

1529

01:12:49,979 --> 01:12:48,040

these aircraft went down it turned very

1530

01:12:52,229 --> 01:12:49,989

quickly from a kill mission to a rescue

1531

01:12:54,240 --> 01:12:52,239

mission it was horrendous all kinds of

1532

01:12:55,950 --> 01:12:54,250

people died I mean it's just one of

1533

01:12:58,890 --> 01:12:55,960

those shocking stories reporting that

1534

01:13:02,580 --> 01:12:58,900

was like oh my god but here are billy

1535

01:13:04,950 --> 01:13:02,590

wall and i fifty years later going back

1536

01:13:07,470 --> 01:13:04,960

to Hanoi to meet with Jacques son at

1537

01:13:10,140 --> 01:13:07,480

shops house Mexico ho chi minh's

1538

01:13:12,600 --> 01:13:10,150

mausoleum in hanoi and me

1539

01:13:16,950 --> 01:13:12,610

not only was japa died at the ripe old

1540

01:13:19,080 --> 01:13:16,960

age of 103 just a few years before but

1541

01:13:21,870 --> 01:13:19,090

his son had arranged for us to meet with

1542

01:13:24,209 --> 01:13:21,880

jobs aide-de-camp a man named by the

1543

01:13:28,050 --> 01:13:24,219

name of Colonel Byung and we met with

1544

01:13:32,160 --> 01:13:28,060

Jang and he was in charge of killing law

1545

01:13:35,070 --> 01:13:32,170

and laws Mak v SOG colleagues and walk

1546

01:13:36,810 --> 01:13:35,080

killed many of his colleagues and so to

1547

01:13:39,689 --> 01:13:36,820

answer your question about what it all

1548

01:13:42,930 --> 01:13:39,699

this mean it was incredibly interesting

1549

01:13:45,629 --> 01:13:42,940

to listen to these two men former arch

1550

01:13:49,260 --> 01:13:45,639

enemy who had killed one another you

1551
01:13:51,720 --> 01:13:49,270
know each other's colleagues brutally as

1552
01:13:54,780 --> 01:13:51,730
I described in that mission and here

1553
01:13:57,990 --> 01:13:54,790
they are meeting without animosity 50

1554
01:14:01,530 --> 01:13:58,000
years later talking about what guerrilla

1555
01:14:03,810 --> 01:14:01,540
warfare is what it means and is it

1556
01:14:06,510 --> 01:14:03,820
necessary did they have a read about

1557
01:14:11,520 --> 01:14:06,520
that yeah did they have respect for each

1558
01:14:13,830 --> 01:14:11,530
other they were they met without enmity

1559
01:14:15,540 --> 01:14:13,840
I mean they were we were we were there's

1560
01:14:17,220 --> 01:14:15,550
an amazing photograph of it in the book

1561
01:14:21,120 --> 01:14:17,230
too because you can just see the body

1562
01:14:22,770 --> 01:14:21,130
language it's like you know I mean it

1563
01:14:25,260 --> 01:14:22,780

was remarkable as a historian I took

1564

01:14:27,899 --> 01:14:25,270

another trip with LA to Cuba because as

1565

01:14:29,280 --> 01:14:27,909

you may or may not know the CIA was

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01:14:31,439 --> 01:14:29,290

responsible for the killing of Che

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01:14:33,020 --> 01:14:31,449

Guevara and technically it was the

1568

01:14:35,609 --> 01:14:33,030

Bolivian Rangers who pulled the trigger

1569

01:14:37,590 --> 01:14:35,619

but standing there was a guy named Felix

1570

01:14:39,689 --> 01:14:37,600

Rodriguez in the photograph I have in

1571

01:14:41,629 --> 01:14:39,699

the book of the last photograph of chaid

1572

01:14:43,590 --> 01:14:41,639

minutes before he was executed and

1573

01:14:46,169 --> 01:14:43,600

Rodriguez was in charge of that mission

1574

01:14:49,169 --> 01:14:46,179

and I interviewed him for the book and

1575

01:14:50,400 --> 01:14:49,179

the reason that he was on the CIA's

1576

01:14:54,390 --> 01:14:50,410

killers was because he

1577

01:14:59,010 --> 01:14:54,400

advocating for nuclear war yeah let me

1578

01:15:02,520 --> 01:14:59,020

let me jump in I I read and studied the

1579

01:15:04,860 --> 01:15:02,530

last days of che and how the Bolivian

1580

01:15:07,410 --> 01:15:04,870

force has finally found him in that you

1581

01:15:11,400 --> 01:15:07,420

know in the jungle in that a you know

1582

01:15:15,090 --> 01:15:11,410

small house or whatever it was but there

1583

01:15:17,730 --> 01:15:15,100

was no talk at all about a CIA

1584

01:15:21,150 --> 01:15:17,740

involvement ever reading about it in

1585

01:15:23,370 --> 01:15:21,160

your book I have to step back and go is

1586

01:15:26,070 --> 01:15:23,380

there is is there isn't anything that

1587

01:15:28,230 --> 01:15:26,080

the CIA this level isn't involved in and

1588

01:15:32,130 --> 01:15:28,240

how they managed to keep it so

1589

01:15:34,820 --> 01:15:32,140

clandestine yes I mean it's remarkable

1590

01:15:38,400 --> 01:15:34,830

it really is and again

1591

01:15:41,790 --> 01:15:38,410

reserving moral judgment reading the

1592

01:15:45,780 --> 01:15:41,800

facts and then letting yourself come to

1593

01:15:49,230 --> 01:15:45,790

the conclusion at the end is quite an

1594

01:15:52,460 --> 01:15:49,240

experience I think because by the like

1595

01:15:59,010 --> 01:15:52,470

okay so to that end I went back to Cuba

1596

01:16:00,870 --> 01:15:59,020

with Billy LA and some other people who

1597

01:16:03,540 --> 01:16:00,880

had to remain nameless it's very

1598

01:16:05,850 --> 01:16:03,550

mysterious after I left I realized this

1599

01:16:08,750 --> 01:16:05,860

a CIA operation that I was like the

1600

01:16:12,300 --> 01:16:08,760

unwitting Patsy in I think maybe I was

1601

01:16:14,370 --> 01:16:12,310

last chapter but there we are and you

1602

01:16:16,470 --> 01:16:14,380

know what we're doing is we're going on

1603

01:16:23,300 --> 01:16:16,480

Billy waz last halo jump

1604

01:16:25,980 --> 01:16:23,310

okay so halo is a is a form of insertion

1605

01:16:27,330 --> 01:16:25,990

for a lot of CIA operators and also the

1606

01:16:30,240 --> 01:16:27,340

military and it stands for high altitude

1607

01:16:32,010 --> 01:16:30,250

low opening billy wall himself went on

1608

01:16:35,070 --> 01:16:32,020

the was on the first team that actually

1609

01:16:38,630 --> 01:16:35,080

ever did a halo jump in combat and that

1610

01:16:42,120 --> 01:16:38,640

was in vietnam they jumped into Laos and

1611

01:16:44,010 --> 01:16:42,130

so you know he's the legend because he

1612

01:16:47,070 --> 01:16:44,020

was on this first team and che guevara

1613

01:16:49,020 --> 01:16:47,080

son allegedly wants to halo jump with

1614

01:16:53,270 --> 01:16:49,030

billy wall which is why we're back there

1615

01:16:57,020 --> 01:16:53,280

in cuba doing this jump

1616

01:16:58,279 --> 01:16:57,030

and you know it was fascinating I mean I

1617

01:17:00,350 --> 01:16:58,289

don't wanna give too much away in the

1618

01:17:07,100 --> 01:17:00,360

book because it's like very interesting

1619

01:17:11,870 --> 01:17:07,110

but afterwards we went to the cigar club

1620

01:17:14,060 --> 01:17:11,880

where Ernesto Guevara is chasin and we

1621

01:17:16,339 --> 01:17:14,070

were his guests and we went to the cigar

1622

01:17:20,450 --> 01:17:16,349

club where his father Che Guevara and

1623

01:17:24,080 --> 01:17:20,460

Fidel Castro used to sit smoke cigars

1624

01:17:26,450 --> 01:17:24,090

and plot demise maybe even the atomic

1625

01:17:30,379 --> 01:17:26,460

demise of the United States of America

1626

01:17:31,879 --> 01:17:30,389

and there's famous photographs of that

1627

01:17:34,819 --> 01:17:31,889

and there and there we are sitting in

1628

01:17:38,299 --> 01:17:34,829

the same room talking about what it

1629

01:17:40,729 --> 01:17:38,309

meant to be what it means to you know

1630

01:17:43,939 --> 01:17:40,739

conduct guerrilla warfare and change

1631

01:17:46,549 --> 01:17:43,949

that and is it necessary after all these

1632

01:17:49,879 --> 01:17:46,559

years I mean it was remarkable let's

1633

01:17:51,979 --> 01:17:49,889

take a break and which we need to do but

1634

01:17:56,689 --> 01:17:51,989

when we come back can we talk some Tom

1635

01:17:58,939 --> 01:17:56,699

Clancy can we go there yeah yeah let's

1636

01:18:00,500 --> 01:17:58,949

to just that I guess tonight Andy

1637

01:18:03,020 --> 01:18:00,510

Jacobson we're talking about her new

1638

01:18:06,379 --> 01:18:03,030

book which is called surprise kill

1639

01:18:08,839 --> 01:18:06,389

vanish and it is it's an incredible read

1640

01:18:11,060 --> 01:18:08,849

and it is available over on Amazon the

1641

01:18:13,160 --> 01:18:11,070

links are at chimichurri datacom head

1642

01:18:14,990 --> 01:18:13,170

straight over to Annie's site it's great

1643

01:18:17,770 --> 01:18:15,000

we'll be right back after this short

1644

01:18:33,140 --> 01:18:30,909

[Music]

1645

01:18:35,419 --> 01:18:33,150

welcome back fade to black on the OSHA

1646

01:18:36,620 --> 01:18:35,429

Jimmy Church tonight Annie Jacobson

1647

01:18:39,199 --> 01:18:36,630

we're talking about her new book

1648

01:18:42,859 --> 01:18:39,209

surprise kill vanish you can get it on

1649

01:18:44,659 --> 01:18:42,869

Amazon and click on Handy's links over

1650

01:18:47,810 --> 01:18:44,669

it to maturity Oh calm it'll take you

1651

01:18:48,549 --> 01:18:47,820

straight there and Annie before we move

1652

01:18:57,709 --> 01:18:48,559

on

1653

01:19:00,799 --> 01:18:57,719

but how how do these guys get paid w2's

1654

01:19:03,020 --> 01:19:00,809

you know going to a car dealership and

1655

01:19:08,899 --> 01:19:03,030

you're filling out the credit app right

1656

01:19:12,799 --> 01:19:08,909

you get down to your employer this how

1657

01:19:14,089 --> 01:19:12,809

does that how does that go down so

1658

01:19:16,009 --> 01:19:14,099

there's there are two different ways

1659

01:19:17,929 --> 01:19:16,019

you're either a blue badger or a green

1660

01:19:20,149 --> 01:19:17,939

badger and blue badgers are CIA

1661

01:19:22,310 --> 01:19:20,159

employees so they get just paid through

1662

01:19:25,159 --> 01:19:22,320

the CIA they have CIA health insurance

1663

01:19:26,959 --> 01:19:25,169

okay right green badgers mean you work

1664

01:19:28,699 --> 01:19:26,969

on contract doesn't mean you're a

1665

01:19:31,870 --> 01:19:28,709

contractor you're not like Blackwater

1666

01:19:34,549 --> 01:19:31,880

you actually like Billy wah for example

1667

01:19:36,319 --> 01:19:34,559

some time he was a Blue badger but he

1668

01:19:37,520 --> 01:19:36,329

didn't like it because he didn't you

1669

01:19:40,189 --> 01:19:37,530

have to have an apartment in Washington

1670

01:19:42,560 --> 01:19:40,199

DC or have to you know you have to

1671

01:19:45,560 --> 01:19:42,570

behave like an employee and a lot of

1672

01:19:47,600 --> 01:19:45,570

these guys prefer to be on their own so

1673

01:19:49,549 --> 01:19:47,610

they can they can turn down jobs they

1674

01:19:52,250 --> 01:19:49,559

can live in Las Vegas or wherever they

1675

01:19:54,350 --> 01:19:52,260

want to live right and just be called

1676

01:19:57,549 --> 01:19:54,360

upon and then accept the mission and go

1677

01:20:00,620 --> 01:19:57,559

but the guys who are green badgers it's

1678

01:20:03,459 --> 01:20:00,630

very interesting about the payment

1679

01:20:07,370 --> 01:20:03,469

because for example one person I was

1680

01:20:08,659 --> 01:20:07,380

discussing this with said he had to it

1681

01:20:10,850 --> 01:20:08,669

was a real problem when he got a lot of

1682

01:20:12,620 --> 01:20:10,860

it you know just by chance in other

1683

01:20:14,390 --> 01:20:12,630

words like you know you could just

1684

01:20:15,439 --> 01:20:14,400

easily get audited like they pull your

1685

01:20:19,370 --> 01:20:15,449

number up they're like oh let's look at

1686

01:20:21,799 --> 01:20:19,380

this guy and he there was you cannot

1687

01:20:24,830 --> 01:20:21,809

ever reveal that you work for this for

1688

01:20:29,179 --> 01:20:24,840

the CIA and so you have to provide all

1689

01:20:32,839 --> 01:20:29,189

this paperwork that is essentially not

1690

01:20:39,409 --> 01:20:32,849

what it says it is that must be the

1691

01:20:41,000 --> 01:20:39,419

crazy as 1099 right imagine I can't I

1692

01:20:42,050 --> 01:20:41,010

mean here's another one on that note

1693

01:20:44,890 --> 01:20:42,060

even more into

1694

01:20:48,230 --> 01:20:44,900

King his gunshot wounds okay because

1695

01:20:49,760 --> 01:20:48,240

like a guy I know had a gunshot wound

1696

01:20:51,860 --> 01:20:49,770

all these guys get wounded and his

1697

01:20:55,070 --> 01:20:51,870

gunshot wound so when he's over in

1698

01:20:56,660 --> 01:20:55,080

Afghanistan he's treated by you know CIA

1699

01:20:58,250 --> 01:20:56,670

doctors and medical and you know

1700

01:21:01,220 --> 01:20:58,260

military doctors because they're almost

1701

01:21:03,140 --> 01:21:01,230

always on bases that are they're all

1702

01:21:04,670 --> 01:21:03,150

they're on a military base and they're

1703

01:21:06,230 --> 01:21:04,680

just have their own section you know

1704

01:21:08,360 --> 01:21:06,240

it's like oh that's the area we don't go

1705

01:21:11,570 --> 01:21:08,370

right right the agency guide the ground

1706

01:21:14,780 --> 01:21:11,580

branch guys but his gunshot wound got

1707

01:21:23,350 --> 01:21:14,790

infected and so he's back in the United

1708

01:21:33,770 --> 01:21:30,890

is that crazy and then when it's Annie

1709

01:21:41,210 --> 01:21:33,780

let me jump in you just dropped out and

1710

01:21:45,670 --> 01:21:41,220

went silent that was crazy that that

1711

01:21:58,100 --> 01:21:45,680

okay okay it just picked up right now

1712

01:22:00,740 --> 01:21:58,110

that we got interrupted interrupted and

1713

01:22:04,130 --> 01:22:00,750

there was a beep there was a beep you

1714

01:22:06,080 --> 01:22:04,140

need to go back and listen to this after

1715

01:22:09,350 --> 01:22:06,090

the show okay you might get a phone call

1716

01:22:11,510 --> 01:22:09,360

yeah yeah you you might get a phone call

1717

01:22:14,420 --> 01:22:11,520

after the show we took we went a bridge

1718

01:22:16,070 --> 01:22:14,430

too far a bridge too far all right I

1719

01:22:18,650 --> 01:22:16,080

wrote this in the book I mean I you know

1720

01:22:19,820 --> 01:22:18,660

it's an interesting detail okay let's go

1721

01:22:22,790 --> 01:22:19,830

you have to repeat it

1722

01:22:24,200 --> 01:22:22,800

okay so let's go okay so did you what

1723

01:22:27,860 --> 01:22:24,210

part of the gunshot wound did you hear

1724

01:22:29,990 --> 01:22:27,870

it got infected okay so the gunshot

1725

01:22:31,670 --> 01:22:30,000

wound gets infected and the guy comes

1726

01:22:34,070 --> 01:22:31,680

back home you know you get treated on a

1727

01:22:36,440 --> 01:22:34,080

military base right because the CIA's

1728

01:22:38,810 --> 01:22:36,450

bases are always on a military base you

1729

01:22:40,490 --> 01:22:38,820

just regular people can't go there so

1730

01:22:43,640 --> 01:22:40,500

you're treated by them by the military

1731

01:22:45,110 --> 01:22:43,650

doctors and then when when this

1732

01:22:46,580 --> 01:22:45,120

individual came back to the United

1733

01:22:48,890 --> 01:22:46,590

States and it happens to a lot of people

1734

01:22:50,660 --> 01:22:48,900

they if they're wound gets infected they

1735

01:22:52,370 --> 01:22:50,670

go to the local doctor here in the

1736

01:22:55,930 --> 01:22:52,380

United States and the doctor is required

1737

01:22:58,189 --> 01:22:55,940

by law to report a gunshot wound

1738

01:22:59,479 --> 01:22:58,199

so they have to say well how did you get

1739

01:23:02,209 --> 01:22:59,489

this gunshot wound and the guy says I

1740

01:23:05,660 --> 01:23:02,219

had a hunting accident okay fine

1741

01:23:07,939 --> 01:23:05,670

right that's fine the first time how

1742

01:23:11,209 --> 01:23:07,949

many hunting trips are you going on sir

1743

01:23:14,750 --> 01:23:11,219

that you get shot every single time and

1744

01:23:19,419 --> 01:23:14,760

you're here in my office yes

1745

01:23:22,520 --> 01:23:19,429

and what and speaking of care what about

1746

01:23:24,979 --> 01:23:22,530

psychiatrist right do these guys hit the

1747

01:23:27,729 --> 01:23:24,989

couch and how does the psychiatrist deal

1748

01:23:33,410 --> 01:23:27,739

with this or or do they see a company

1749

01:23:35,660 --> 01:23:33,420

psychiatrist I have seen medical records

1750

01:23:37,520 --> 01:23:35,670

on a lot of people because that's

1751
01:23:40,370 --> 01:23:37,530
something I have to authenticate people

1752
01:23:43,610 --> 01:23:40,380
right and I also authenticate injuries

1753
01:23:47,209 --> 01:23:43,620
right and just as due diligence on my

1754
01:23:50,899 --> 01:23:47,219
part I don't report that but I have seen

1755
01:23:57,260 --> 01:23:50,909
and I did I have seen you know PTSD

1756
01:24:01,540 --> 01:23:57,270
related psychiatric situations but it's

1757
01:24:03,770 --> 01:24:01,550
pretty clear to me that the doctor knows

1758
01:24:07,040 --> 01:24:03,780
like for example let's just say you're

1759
01:24:09,379 --> 01:24:07,050
retired Delta okay so you're retired

1760
01:24:14,570 --> 01:24:09,389
from Delta but you're back in

1761
01:24:16,760 --> 01:24:14,580
Afghanistan so perhaps the doctor thinks

1762
01:24:18,530 --> 01:24:16,770
they're working for Blackwater right it

1763
01:24:19,879 --> 01:24:18,540

usually says this individual is involved

1764

01:24:25,090 --> 01:24:19,889

in some of the most extreme combat

1765

01:24:30,919 --> 01:24:25,100

situations that caused XY and Z so they

1766

01:24:32,930 --> 01:24:30,929

because they're retired military VA is

1767

01:24:35,330 --> 01:24:32,940

available to them but it also does get

1768

01:24:38,020 --> 01:24:35,340

tricky with green badgers because it's

1769

01:24:43,970 --> 01:24:38,030

not as available and there is some

1770

01:24:45,560 --> 01:24:43,980

discussion of um you know that's oblique

1771

01:24:47,360 --> 01:24:45,570

but you know it's reminding me right now

1772

01:24:49,430 --> 01:24:47,370

of another thing going back to area 51

1773

01:24:50,840 --> 01:24:49,440

right because this it's interesting how

1774

01:24:53,240 --> 01:24:50,850

this is kind of endemic to the whole

1775

01:24:55,939 --> 01:24:53,250

world of secrecy because uh there was a

1776
01:25:00,110 --> 01:24:55,949
nuclear weapons engineer I interviewed

1777
01:25:02,950 --> 01:25:00,120
for area 51 and he was on a couple tests

1778
01:25:05,930 --> 01:25:02,960
that allegedly didn't happen right and

1779
01:25:08,810 --> 01:25:05,940
so when he went to his doctor and was

1780
01:25:12,740 --> 01:25:08,820
like I got radiation poisoning in

1781
01:25:14,810 --> 01:25:12,750
was trying to you know he there was a l

1782
01:25:17,300 --> 01:25:14,820
saw the medical records that said this

1783
01:25:20,030 --> 01:25:17,310
guy may be imagining kind of I'm

1784
01:25:22,640 --> 01:25:20,040
paraphrasing right but it was like wow

1785
01:25:27,050 --> 01:25:22,650
so this is a problem that is historical

1786
01:25:28,220 --> 01:25:27,060
I just got this email in I'm not gonna

1787
01:25:30,649 --> 01:25:28,230
say who it was from

1788
01:25:32,479 --> 01:25:30,659

but he says Jimmy great show tonight I

1789

01:25:36,290 --> 01:25:32,489

worked with Annie's friend Billy wall

1790

01:25:38,660 --> 01:25:36,300

for about ten years on his website and

1791

01:25:40,160 --> 01:25:38,670

book project and I'm not going to

1792

01:25:44,359 --> 01:25:40,170

continue with that part of it but he

1793

01:25:46,459 --> 01:25:44,369

does say never met a nicer more

1794

01:25:48,919 --> 01:25:46,469

down-to-earth man it was such a pleasure

1795

01:25:52,189 --> 01:25:48,929

and an honor working with him I still

1796

01:25:53,990 --> 01:25:52,199

stay in touch so I wanted to share that

1797

01:25:56,089 --> 01:25:54,000

with you there were some details in

1798

01:25:58,910 --> 01:25:56,099

there I couldn't I couldn't read over

1799

01:26:00,680 --> 01:25:58,920

the air and now this is this is the

1800

01:26:05,000 --> 01:26:00,690

other part that I find so interesting is

1801

01:26:08,390 --> 01:26:05,010

that Jack Ryan the new series is

1802

01:26:12,530 --> 01:26:08,400

incredible listening to you now and the

1803

01:26:15,950 --> 01:26:12,540

similarities about what is happening in

1804

01:26:19,339 --> 01:26:15,960

the series Jack Ryan it's all becoming

1805

01:26:21,939 --> 01:26:19,349

you know very clear to me but you were a

1806

01:26:26,450 --> 01:26:21,949

producer on the show too weren't you

1807

01:26:30,109 --> 01:26:26,460

yes I'm a writer producer so a lot of

1808

01:26:32,780 --> 01:26:30,119

times on a lot of the storylines I was

1809

01:26:36,859 --> 01:26:32,790

brought in also as what's called us me a

1810

01:26:38,839 --> 01:26:36,869

subject matter expert okay so Jack Lyon

1811

01:26:41,240 --> 01:26:38,849

is in essence a CIA paramilitary

1812

01:26:45,770 --> 01:26:41,250

operator he goes from being a deaf guy

1813

01:26:47,780 --> 01:26:45,780

an analyst into you know the world and

1814

01:26:49,850 --> 01:26:47,790

the second season which will air soon

1815

01:26:51,950 --> 01:26:49,860

and I can't say much about it but he

1816

01:26:56,240 --> 01:26:51,960

goes full paramilitary let's just say

1817

01:27:01,970 --> 01:26:56,250

right and I would sometimes have some of

1818

01:27:05,689 --> 01:27:01,980

my sources to Skype into the writers

1819

01:27:07,220 --> 01:27:05,699

room and go over operations with us

1820

01:27:08,419 --> 01:27:07,230

because it was very interesting Oh

1821

01:27:09,859 --> 01:27:08,429

sometimes the writers are like let's do

1822

01:27:11,660 --> 01:27:09,869

this let's do that and it's like what's

1823

01:27:14,450 --> 01:27:11,670

the real authentic thing and I would say

1824

01:27:16,459 --> 01:27:14,460

let's get so-and-so on on the call with

1825

01:27:18,830 --> 01:27:16,469

us and that it just made it

1826
01:27:21,149 --> 01:27:18,840
extraordinary for us as writers you know

1827
01:27:25,109 --> 01:27:21,159
for the writers room people like

1828
01:27:29,250 --> 01:27:25,119
to hear the real walk the talk talk the

1829
01:27:33,209 --> 01:27:29,260
talk and also I think there's an

1830
01:27:35,429 --> 01:27:33,219
appreciation on the other side of you

1831
01:27:41,189 --> 01:27:35,439
know for the operators themselves who

1832
01:27:43,589 --> 01:27:41,199
love Hollywood the the realism in in

1833
01:27:45,779 --> 01:27:43,599
Jack Ryan and I'm specifically talking

1834
01:27:47,909 --> 01:27:45,789
about the series

1835
01:27:50,459 --> 01:27:47,919
it seems frightening at times and

1836
01:27:53,310 --> 01:27:50,469
certainly what's the stars name that

1837
01:27:54,869 --> 01:27:53,320
plays Jack Ryan help me John John

1838
01:27:58,409 --> 01:27:54,879

Krasinski yeah that's right John

1839

01:28:01,109 --> 01:27:58,419

Krasinski he's going through a lot

1840

01:28:04,349 --> 01:28:01,119

mentally and he's questioning a lot of

1841

01:28:06,239 --> 01:28:04,359

things but it sounds like it's it's

1842

01:28:07,949 --> 01:28:06,249

coming from the real world and the

1843

01:28:09,179 --> 01:28:07,959

audience is watching this thinking how

1844

01:28:12,569 --> 01:28:09,189

it's just fiction it's it's

1845

01:28:16,169 --> 01:28:12,579

entertainment but it's it's pretty

1846

01:28:18,270 --> 01:28:16,179

accurate isn't it yes and you know I

1847

01:28:20,580 --> 01:28:18,280

give a lot of credit to our to our

1848

01:28:23,489 --> 01:28:20,590

creators and showrunners Carlton Cuse

1849

01:28:26,159 --> 01:28:23,499

and Graham Mullins so Graham himself as

1850

01:28:28,649 --> 01:28:26,169

a former Marine and Carlton is just a

1851
01:28:32,189 --> 01:28:28,659
veteran Hollywood you know professional

1852
01:28:35,099 --> 01:28:32,199
who always makes sure that everything is

1853
01:28:37,830 --> 01:28:35,109
extraordinarily accurate he was one of

1854
01:28:40,679 --> 01:28:37,840
the creators of lost and many shows

1855
01:28:45,659 --> 01:28:40,689
since and so Carlton made sure we had

1856
01:28:47,699 --> 01:28:45,669
other CIA subject matter experts you

1857
01:28:51,659 --> 01:28:47,709
know in the financial end of things

1858
01:28:54,060 --> 01:28:51,669
because because Jack Ryan is a it comes

1859
01:28:57,089 --> 01:28:54,070
comes with a sort of financial analysis

1860
01:28:59,119 --> 01:28:57,099
background and Carlton made sure that we

1861
01:29:02,310 --> 01:28:59,129
had all those bases covered and I think

1862
01:29:06,449 --> 01:29:02,320
that's interesting and worthwhile

1863
01:29:08,580 --> 01:29:06,459

because people are really savvy to the

1864

01:29:12,899 --> 01:29:08,590

and they want to feel like they are

1865

01:29:16,500 --> 01:29:12,909

getting you know they're getting a

1866

01:29:20,879 --> 01:29:16,510

window of truth in what is clearly a

1867

01:29:23,129 --> 01:29:20,889

fictional world is the CIA involved

1868

01:29:24,689 --> 01:29:23,139

their entertainment division are they

1869

01:29:29,009 --> 01:29:24,699

involved in Jack Ryan

1870

01:29:30,750 --> 01:29:29,019

do they have consultants to god no I

1871

01:29:32,639 --> 01:29:30,760

mean do they have I don't even know if

1872

01:29:34,020 --> 01:29:32,649

the CIA has an entertainment division I

1873

01:29:34,830 --> 01:29:34,030

would call that it's you know in

1874

01:29:37,109 --> 01:29:34,840

influenza

1875

01:29:43,770 --> 01:29:37,119

operation division but no I'm you know

1876

01:29:46,859 --> 01:29:43,780

they they I know that they were not they

1877

01:29:50,120 --> 01:29:46,869

were they were friendly to to the

1878

01:29:53,939 --> 01:29:50,130

production right because we tried to

1879

01:29:55,620 --> 01:29:53,949

portray it on the access of what it is

1880

01:29:58,649 --> 01:29:55,630

and not you know it's not a show it's

1881

01:30:01,680 --> 01:29:58,659

not like it's not homeland you know it's

1882

01:30:04,470 --> 01:30:01,690

not it's not like the rogue CIA I mean

1883

01:30:07,410 --> 01:30:04,480

in in many regards Tom Clancy's Jack

1884

01:30:09,689 --> 01:30:07,420

Ryan is kind of a good old boy you know

1885

01:30:11,910 --> 01:30:09,699

he's a very red white and blue American

1886

01:30:14,970 --> 01:30:11,920

and he has been since the 80s and that

1887

01:30:19,760 --> 01:30:14,980

was very Clancy Clancy by the way hat

1888

01:30:22,410 --> 01:30:19,770

Tom Clancy had a had a real in with

1889

01:30:24,300 --> 01:30:22,420

skunkworks and when I've got that

1890

01:30:28,109 --> 01:30:24,310

banquet I mentioned earlier when the

1891

01:30:31,500 --> 01:30:28,119

f-117 was being retired right that was

1892

01:30:33,300 --> 01:30:31,510

discussed how the only person who didn't

1893

01:30:35,399 --> 01:30:33,310

have a top-secret clearance you ever

1894

01:30:38,430 --> 01:30:35,409

kind of got maybe a little whisper of

1895

01:30:41,399 --> 01:30:38,440

something was Tom Clancy and he would

1896

01:30:44,430 --> 01:30:41,409

get a whisper of a under the guise of it

1897

01:30:46,649 --> 01:30:44,440

being fiction but that is a if you look

1898

01:30:50,180 --> 01:30:46,659

at Tom Clancy's books in the 80s you

1899

01:30:52,950 --> 01:30:50,190

realize he knew a lot about you know

1900

01:30:54,689 --> 01:30:52,960

espionage and overhead espionage and

1901

01:30:58,320 --> 01:30:54,699

technology platforms and weapon systems

1902

01:31:01,229 --> 01:30:58,330

and that was because he got whispered

1903

01:31:02,339 --> 01:31:01,239

things quote-unquote fictionally by guys

1904

01:31:07,459 --> 01:31:02,349

at Lockheed skunkworks

1905

01:31:10,350 --> 01:31:07,469

I'm on the official CIA dock of website

1906

01:31:16,500 --> 01:31:10,360

right here entered an entertainment

1907

01:31:20,640 --> 01:31:16,510

industry division right here it's yeah

1908

01:31:22,830 --> 01:31:20,650

it's a pretty interesting yeah yeah I'm

1909

01:31:24,629 --> 01:31:22,840

good for this once in a while but it

1910

01:31:26,430 --> 01:31:24,639

says right here as an organization that

1911

01:31:28,560 --> 01:31:26,440

plays a key role in America's defense

1912

01:31:30,990 --> 01:31:28,570

the CIA is a frequent subject of books

1913

01:31:33,330 --> 01:31:31,000

motion pictures documentaries and other

1914

01:31:35,700 --> 01:31:33,340

creative ventures for years artists from

1915

01:31:36,870 --> 01:31:35,710

across the entertainment industry actors

1916

01:31:38,760 --> 01:31:36,880

authors directors producers

1917

01:31:40,410 --> 01:31:38,770

screenwriters and others have been in

1918

01:31:41,970 --> 01:31:40,420

touch with the CIA to gain better

1919

01:31:44,879 --> 01:31:41,980

understanding of our intelligence

1920

01:31:46,290 --> 01:31:44,889

mission and and it's right here if you

1921

01:31:48,419 --> 01:31:46,300

are part of the entertainment industry

1922

01:31:48,730 --> 01:31:48,429

and are working on a project that deals

1923

01:31:53,670 --> 01:31:48,740

with

1924

01:31:57,550 --> 01:31:53,680

CIA the agency may be able to help you

1925

01:31:59,290 --> 01:31:57,560

great or 30 blah blah blah but yeah yeah

1926

01:32:04,270 --> 01:31:59,300

they've got an entertainment division

1927

01:32:06,160 --> 01:32:04,280

right there at Langley so yeah yeah it

1928

01:32:08,530 --> 01:32:06,170

is I've always found that fascinating

1929

01:32:13,020 --> 01:32:08,540

and I'm always reticent to click on that

1930

01:32:16,450 --> 01:32:13,030

link you know for the obvious reasons

1931

01:32:19,810 --> 01:32:16,460

but how when it comes to Tom Clancy and

1932

01:32:22,480 --> 01:32:19,820

I and I realize that he has got his

1933

01:32:26,800 --> 01:32:22,490

inside sources but his stuff is so

1934

01:32:29,770 --> 01:32:26,810

accurate and when I watch but you know

1935

01:32:33,100 --> 01:32:29,780

like the new series Jack Ryan is it too

1936

01:32:35,320 --> 01:32:33,110

accurate sometimes is there do you ever

1937

01:32:40,630 --> 01:32:35,330

get the feeling that tom is giving the

1938

01:32:42,820 --> 01:32:40,640

other side ideas you know what I mean if

1939

01:32:47,770 --> 01:32:42,830

you are going to do something crazy tom

1940

01:32:50,320 --> 01:32:47,780

tells you how to do it in the book well

1941

01:32:52,390 --> 01:32:50,330

I mean of course he's died now so it's

1942

01:32:55,060 --> 01:32:52,400

his ghost you know his follow along

1943

01:32:59,290 --> 01:32:55,070

writers I mean are you saying is it too

1944

01:33:03,280 --> 01:32:59,300

close to accurate yeah I mean how to do

1945

01:33:07,180 --> 01:33:03,290

bad things you know whether it is you

1946

01:33:09,130 --> 01:33:07,190

know some some operation against you

1947

01:33:11,440 --> 01:33:09,140

know the Navy or the military or a

1948

01:33:14,560 --> 01:33:11,450

civilian airline or you know to commit

1949

01:33:16,870 --> 01:33:14,570

these terrorist acts it it's it's

1950

01:33:21,880 --> 01:33:16,880

spelled out so clearly in the book it's

1951

01:33:24,460 --> 01:33:21,890

like giving somebody a road map well I

1952

01:33:26,020 --> 01:33:24,470

mean I think that that's the CIA's job

1953

01:33:27,850 --> 01:33:26,030

is to be ahead of that curve in other

1954

01:33:30,640 --> 01:33:27,860

words what's that famous line right

1955

01:33:34,000 --> 01:33:30,650

after 9/11 that I believe it was the CIA

1956

01:33:35,920 --> 01:33:34,010

or maybe it was the FBI someone said we

1957

01:33:41,140 --> 01:33:35,930

concede this was a failure of

1958

01:33:43,030 --> 01:33:41,150

imagination so you have to be able to

1959

01:33:46,630 --> 01:33:43,040

imagine things and I think that's what

1960

01:33:49,300 --> 01:33:46,640

people in Hollywood do I mean as I write

1961

01:33:52,950 --> 01:33:49,310

in my book on DARPA which is called the

1962

01:33:56,290 --> 01:33:52,960

Pentagon's brain after 9/11 DARPA hired

1963

01:33:59,190 --> 01:33:56,300

Hollywood screenwriters to try and come

1964

01:34:01,420 --> 01:33:59,200

up with the most preposterous most evil

1965

01:34:02,350 --> 01:34:01,430

terrorist attacks they could come up

1966

01:34:04,899 --> 01:34:02,360

with

1967

01:34:06,729 --> 01:34:04,909

so that DARPA could build weapons to

1968

01:34:09,700 --> 01:34:06,739

defend against them and that was

1969

01:34:12,580 --> 01:34:09,710

probably a wise move because like you

1970

01:34:13,959 --> 01:34:12,590

said Tom Clancy famously imagined

1971

01:34:18,700 --> 01:34:13,969

terrorists flying planes into buildings

1972

01:34:23,439 --> 01:34:18,710

and then Osama bin Laden let that Reagan

1973

01:34:26,200 --> 01:34:23,449

so whatever you can think of you should

1974

01:34:31,270 --> 01:34:26,210

probably know darn well how to defend

1975

01:34:34,140 --> 01:34:31,280

against the your book phenomena am i

1976

01:34:36,370 --> 01:34:34,150

under the impression that this is

1977

01:34:41,020 --> 01:34:36,380

heading towards television or the big

1978

01:34:42,820 --> 01:34:41,030

screen it is hopefully I mean all of my

1979

01:34:45,760 --> 01:34:42,830

books like all of a lot of people's

1980

01:34:48,609 --> 01:34:45,770

books wind up in in what is called

1981

01:34:51,850 --> 01:34:48,619

development and there's you know these

1982

01:34:55,479 --> 01:34:51,860

long periods of time working diligently

1983

01:34:56,890 --> 01:34:55,489

to try and get something Greenland you

1984

01:35:00,280 --> 01:34:56,900

know where it's actually filmed I mean I

1985

01:35:02,590 --> 01:35:00,290

worked for years with Chris Carter and

1986

01:35:06,780 --> 01:35:02,600

Gale Anne Hurd who works on The Walking

1987

01:35:09,970 --> 01:35:06,790

Dead to get area51 to the screen and

1988

01:35:11,950 --> 01:35:09,980

that did not happen and and the rights

1989

01:35:15,030 --> 01:35:11,960

came back to me on that book so these

1990

01:35:17,709 --> 01:35:15,040

things Evan flow as four phenomena

1991

01:35:22,600 --> 01:35:17,719

Steven Spielberg's company called Amblin

1992

01:35:24,609 --> 01:35:22,610

and Blum house Jason Blum's company that

1993

01:35:26,200 --> 01:35:24,619

and they're famous for doing a lot of

1994

01:35:29,350 --> 01:35:26,210

horror movies but also a lot of other

1995

01:35:31,899 --> 01:35:29,360

great films and TV now they they teamed

1996

01:35:35,649 --> 01:35:31,909

up Hamblin and Blum house have the

1997

01:35:38,979 --> 01:35:35,659

license on phenomena and I'm working on

1998

01:35:40,840 --> 01:35:38,989

the show with a veteran TV writer

1999

01:35:43,750 --> 01:35:40,850

director named Glen Morgan of the

2000

01:35:45,399 --> 01:35:43,760

x-files and we're hoping that that will

2001

01:35:48,220 --> 01:35:45,409

make it to the big you know to the

2002

01:35:49,780 --> 01:35:48,230

little screen but again these things you

2003

01:35:51,850 --> 01:35:49,790

know you can cross your fingers and jump

2004

01:35:54,220 --> 01:35:51,860

up and down and work hard and write hard

2005

01:35:57,250 --> 01:35:54,230

but these things all have a life of

2006

01:35:59,890 --> 01:35:57,260

their own and I sure hope it has a long

2007

01:36:01,840 --> 01:35:59,900

life well when they when they come to

2008

01:36:04,990 --> 01:36:01,850

you because of your experience and who

2009

01:36:07,510 --> 01:36:05,000

you've interviewed and and the broad you

2010

01:36:09,209 --> 01:36:07,520

I mean you've covered so much of the

2011

01:36:12,520 --> 01:36:09,219

military and the Pentagon and the CIA

2012

01:36:15,520 --> 01:36:12,530

that surely as a consultant is one thing

2013

01:36:17,890 --> 01:36:15,530

but to be a writer is another

2014

01:36:20,740 --> 01:36:17,900

and so when they you know to write for

2015

01:36:25,140 --> 01:36:20,750

film and television so for like Jack

2016

01:36:27,490 --> 01:36:25,150

Ryan when they come to you do they have

2017

01:36:29,530 --> 01:36:27,500

do they have something on the screen

2018

01:36:32,110 --> 01:36:29,540

where you're gonna consult and say yes

2019

01:36:34,420 --> 01:36:32,120

that's right or wrong or do they come to

2020

01:36:36,820 --> 01:36:34,430

you with an idea for something and

2021

01:36:40,390 --> 01:36:36,830

you're actually writing from your

2022

01:36:42,640 --> 01:36:40,400

experience how does that work so it's

2023

01:36:44,590 --> 01:36:42,650

the job of the creator's this is kind of

2024

01:36:47,590 --> 01:36:44,600

like the short version of it okay the

2025

01:36:49,210 --> 01:36:47,600

job of the creators to decide what that

2026

01:36:50,830 --> 01:36:49,220

show is going to be and then what the

2027

01:36:53,320 --> 01:36:50,840

pilot which is the first episode is

2028

01:36:54,790 --> 01:36:53,330

going to be so on phenomena I'm in

2029

01:36:56,650 --> 01:36:54,800

charge of that with my partner Glen

2030

01:36:59,230 --> 01:36:56,660

Morgan we decide the show where work you

2031

01:37:02,320 --> 01:36:59,240

know that's in Jack Ryan that was Colton

2032

01:37:05,710 --> 01:37:02,330

and Graham so they created the show

2033

01:37:07,450 --> 01:37:05,720

created the idea decided who this new

2034

01:37:10,210 --> 01:37:07,460

Jack Ryan was going to be who the enemy

2035

01:37:12,940 --> 01:37:10,220

was going to be how it was going to look

2036

01:37:15,970 --> 01:37:12,950

and feel kind of in big picture and then

2037

01:37:18,850 --> 01:37:15,980

the show was was greenlit by Amazon

2038

01:37:21,430 --> 01:37:18,860

Studios and Paramount who owns the

2039

01:37:25,330 --> 01:37:21,440

license to tom clancy's Jack Ryan and

2040

01:37:27,370 --> 01:37:25,340

then the show became a show and I was

2041

01:37:28,900 --> 01:37:27,380

brought on along with you know I think

2042

01:37:31,150 --> 01:37:28,910

they're like five or six other writers

2043

01:37:34,360 --> 01:37:31,160

and we all sat in what's called the

2044

01:37:37,480 --> 01:37:34,370

writers room and we mapped out the whole

2045

01:37:40,750 --> 01:37:37,490

eight or ten episodes of the season it's

2046

01:37:43,450 --> 01:37:40,760

this incredible process like very

2047

01:37:46,600 --> 01:37:43,460

creative and you know especially coming

2048

01:37:49,120 --> 01:37:46,610

from from me being writing books where

2049

01:37:51,400 --> 01:37:49,130

it's like a one-woman show in my office

2050

01:37:54,190 --> 01:37:51,410

by myself day in and day out cranking

2051
01:37:58,720 --> 01:37:54,200
out a four or five hundred page book by

2052
01:38:03,130 --> 01:37:58,730
yourself TV writing is like this this

2053
01:38:05,860 --> 01:38:03,140
wild ride of a group effort and then you

2054
01:38:07,540 --> 01:38:05,870
you know go go off and kind of work on

2055
01:38:09,220 --> 01:38:07,550
your own script and every you know or

2056
01:38:11,490 --> 01:38:09,230
with a partner work on a script but it's

2057
01:38:16,240 --> 01:38:11,500
much more collaborative and creative

2058
01:38:19,360 --> 01:38:16,250
than writing books I've got a ton of

2059
01:38:23,200 --> 01:38:19,370
questions that I didn't get to from the

2060
01:38:25,720 --> 01:38:23,210
audience tonight but one I do want to

2061
01:38:25,930 --> 01:38:25,730
ask you before we say goodnight and this

2062
01:38:30,130 --> 01:38:25,940
is

2063
01:38:34,750 --> 01:38:30,140

please ask Annie

2064

01:38:38,820 --> 01:38:34,760

in her book area 51 on page 381 she

2065

01:38:43,060 --> 01:38:38,830

mentions the EG&G guys discussed Roswell

2066

01:38:50,950 --> 01:38:43,070

Roswell wreckage at s4 does she believe

2067

01:38:52,780 --> 01:38:50,960

it was taken there I'm not I don't know

2068

01:38:55,890 --> 01:38:52,790

the exact page number he's talking about

2069

01:39:02,080 --> 01:38:55,900

but there's certainly and there it is

2070

01:39:04,420 --> 01:39:02,090

that I write in the book that I maintain

2071

01:39:09,580 --> 01:39:04,430

to this day being the narrative I was

2072

01:39:12,910 --> 01:39:09,590

told my sources my main source that's

2073

01:39:15,600 --> 01:39:12,920

kind of a big you know that that has

2074

01:39:17,550 --> 01:39:15,610

caused so much interest in that book an

2075

01:39:22,209 --> 01:39:17,560

engineer from EG&G

2076

01:39:23,830 --> 01:39:22,219

he has now died but he and I remained

2077

01:39:25,689 --> 01:39:23,840

friendly for several years after the

2078

01:39:32,500 --> 01:39:25,699

book published and he stuck with our

2079

01:39:36,340 --> 01:39:32,510

story so absolutely I believe that that

2080

01:39:38,439 --> 01:39:36,350

story stands as its own narrative was it

2081

01:39:40,810 --> 01:39:38,449

I don't mean to be vague but you know

2082

01:39:42,790 --> 01:39:40,820

that's so controversial like what I

2083

01:39:45,729 --> 01:39:42,800

wrote in the last few pages of the book

2084

01:39:53,320 --> 01:39:45,739

and it's I spoke a little bit more about

2085

01:39:56,979 --> 01:39:53,330

it on Joe Rogan and you know it exists

2086

01:39:59,080 --> 01:39:56,989

exactly as I laid it down I have the

2087

01:40:04,530 --> 01:39:59,090

book here and I'm trying to think

2088

01:40:10,209 --> 01:40:04,540

exactly was was that the part was that a

2089

01:40:11,350 --> 01:40:10,219

Nazi wreckage or yes right right right I

2090

01:40:14,290 --> 01:40:11,360

don't want to give away the book either

2091

01:40:17,920 --> 01:40:14,300

but I'm just trying to refresh my memory

2092

01:40:22,510 --> 01:40:17,930

from reading it that that possibly was

2093

01:40:24,520 --> 01:40:22,520

the cover-up right yes okay and again

2094

01:40:28,689 --> 01:40:24,530

there are so many different competing

2095

01:40:31,479 --> 01:40:28,699

narratives about Roswell about area 51

2096

01:40:33,970 --> 01:40:31,489

how they lit up how the Nazis are

2097

01:40:35,500 --> 01:40:33,980

involved how Stalin is involved whether

2098

01:40:37,840 --> 01:40:35,510

it's a black propaganda operation

2099

01:40:42,010 --> 01:40:37,850

whether it was a hoax

2100

01:40:44,470 --> 01:40:42,020

and you know the different narratives

2101
01:40:47,860 --> 01:40:44,480
have been laid down and have their own

2102
01:40:51,280 --> 01:40:47,870
origin points and go go go where they go

2103
01:40:53,530 --> 01:40:51,290
and mine is certainly one of those I

2104
01:40:55,689 --> 01:40:53,540
make it really clear in that book where

2105
01:40:59,140 --> 01:40:55,699
I write in the third person very

2106
01:41:02,709 --> 01:40:59,150
objectively everybody is named and

2107
01:41:05,260 --> 01:41:02,719
sourced all of my sources you know and

2108
01:41:07,180 --> 01:41:05,270
then I have one source who was anonymous

2109
01:41:11,500 --> 01:41:07,190
and that was because of the sensitivity

2110
01:41:13,899 --> 01:41:11,510
of the situation because but that's the

2111
01:41:19,240 --> 01:41:13,909
individual who maintained his story

2112
01:41:21,100 --> 01:41:19,250
after the book was published and it's

2113
01:41:24,580 --> 01:41:21,110

really interesting to think about and

2114

01:41:28,630 --> 01:41:24,590

it's it's you know I wonder mindful of

2115

01:41:30,640 --> 01:41:28,640

history as I am and mindful that the

2116

01:41:32,350 --> 01:41:30,650

truth always does get revealed I really

2117

01:41:35,830 --> 01:41:32,360

believe that you know when we don't know

2118

01:41:39,189 --> 01:41:35,840

but I think it's I think it's it also

2119

01:41:41,530 --> 01:41:39,199

adds to why so many people are

2120

01:41:45,399 --> 01:41:41,540

fascinated by area 51 and that story is

2121

01:41:49,899 --> 01:41:45,409

nowhere near resolved no no no and we

2122

01:41:53,229 --> 01:41:49,909

may never find out but about two months

2123

01:41:55,270 --> 01:41:53,239

ago a set of documents that you're

2124

01:41:59,169 --> 01:41:55,280

probably not aware of maybe you are it's

2125

01:42:03,000 --> 01:41:59,179

called the Wilson Admiral Wilson Eric

2126

01:42:06,939 --> 01:42:03,010

Davis documents were leaked onto the net

2127

01:42:08,620 --> 01:42:06,949

and have have since been confirmed to be

2128

01:42:12,669 --> 01:42:08,630

authentic these aren't government

2129

01:42:14,939 --> 01:42:12,679

documents these are documents and

2130

01:42:17,979 --> 01:42:14,949

transcriptions of a conversation between

2131

01:42:21,209 --> 01:42:17,989

Admiral Wilson and dr. Eric Davis behind

2132

01:42:24,370 --> 01:42:21,219

the EG&G building at McCarran Airport

2133

01:42:26,140 --> 01:42:24,380

but and I'll send you the documents if

2134

01:42:30,189 --> 01:42:26,150

if you haven't seen them I'll send them

2135

01:42:32,649 --> 01:42:30,199

to you a fascinating read but on and the

2136

01:42:37,229 --> 01:42:32,659

back of the document I think it's page

2137

01:42:41,350 --> 01:42:37,239

15 or page 14 it's a 15 page document

2138

01:42:43,270 --> 01:42:41,360

he says Admiral Wilson says that he was

2139

01:42:48,540 --> 01:42:43,280

told by somebody else that and this is

2140

01:42:51,780 --> 01:42:48,550

the quote lanta crash UFOs are real

2141

01:42:54,330 --> 01:42:51,790

and landed saucers very interesting

2142

01:42:58,700 --> 01:42:54,340

statement right crashed and landed

2143

01:43:01,860 --> 01:42:58,710

saucers but alien abductions are not

2144

01:43:05,040 --> 01:43:01,870

right and that's that's the line in this

2145

01:43:07,080 --> 01:43:05,050

document and you know everybody's

2146

01:43:09,330 --> 01:43:07,090

wondering what he's referring to crashed

2147

01:43:11,670 --> 01:43:09,340

and landed saucers well that's an

2148

01:43:14,690 --> 01:43:11,680

interesting statement and then to follow

2149

01:43:18,240 --> 01:43:14,700

that up with alien abductions are not is

2150

01:43:20,430 --> 01:43:18,250

is fascinating and and where are these

2151
01:43:24,120 --> 01:43:20,440
crashed and landed saucers are they at

2152
01:43:26,760 --> 01:43:24,130
area 51 are they at wright-patt but but

2153
01:43:29,610 --> 01:43:26,770
why such a general statement confirming

2154
01:43:32,780 --> 01:43:29,620
one side of the question but totally

2155
01:43:36,690 --> 01:43:32,790
pooh-poohing the other the other side

2156
01:43:38,610 --> 01:43:36,700
have you seen the documents I know I I

2157
01:43:42,210 --> 01:43:38,620
haven't I don't know I mean are you

2158
01:43:44,130 --> 01:43:42,220
talking i i'm interested you know

2159
01:43:50,010 --> 01:43:44,140
everyone has their horse in the race as

2160
01:43:53,250 --> 01:43:50,020
i like to say because there is you know

2161
01:43:58,170 --> 01:43:53,260
people become wedded to a certain story

2162
01:43:59,520 --> 01:43:58,180
and i get it I understand that but I

2163
01:44:01,140 --> 01:43:59,530

don't know anything I can't speak to

2164

01:44:03,870 --> 01:44:01,150

that cuz I haven't read that document I

2165

01:44:05,550 --> 01:44:03,880

will get it to you I will email it to

2166

01:44:10,890 --> 01:44:05,560

you right after the show tonight's very

2167

01:44:13,410 --> 01:44:10,900

fascinating read and it gets into all of

2168

01:44:15,660 --> 01:44:13,420

the aspects of it too as well which is

2169

01:44:18,180 --> 01:44:15,670

research and backwards engineering

2170

01:44:21,510 --> 01:44:18,190

doesn't mention Lazar or anything like

2171

01:44:23,550 --> 01:44:21,520

that these are all official government

2172

01:44:27,060 --> 01:44:23,560

types and a meeting that they had at the

2173

01:44:30,510 --> 01:44:27,070

Pentagon in 1997 April of 1997 which is

2174

01:44:32,100 --> 01:44:30,520

the subject of these 15 pages it's a

2175

01:44:34,770 --> 01:44:32,110

fascinating read and I will get it to

2176

01:44:37,160 --> 01:44:34,780

you so what's next for you Annie before

2177

01:44:40,290 --> 01:44:37,170

we say goodnight what's the next book oh

2178

01:44:42,600 --> 01:44:40,300

you know I always hold that close to the

2179

01:44:45,710 --> 01:44:42,610

vest but you can be sure I'm working on

2180

01:44:47,940 --> 01:44:45,720

something because I love investigating

2181

01:44:50,970 --> 01:44:47,950

fascinating government secrets that have

2182

01:44:55,260 --> 01:44:50,980

to do with national security okay can I

2183

01:44:57,360 --> 01:44:55,270

tell everybody your text he texted me

2184

01:45:02,970 --> 01:44:57,370

last week or no two weeks ago she goes

2185

01:45:07,920 --> 01:45:06,510

man where is she and what is she doing

2186

01:45:09,600 --> 01:45:07,930

well I can't wait for the next book

2187

01:45:12,200 --> 01:45:09,610

Annie thank you so much for taking the

2188

01:45:14,130 --> 01:45:12,210

time and be safe out there

2189

01:45:15,270 --> 01:45:14,140

always a pleasure being on your show

2190

01:45:17,700 --> 01:45:15,280

Thank You Annie

2191

01:45:21,270 --> 01:45:17,710

good night thank you I want to thank

2192

01:45:23,040 --> 01:45:21,280

Andy Jacobson for coming in the book is

2193

01:45:26,300 --> 01:45:23,050

surprised kill banished the secret

2194

01:45:29,670 --> 01:45:26,310

history of CIA paramilitary armies

2195

01:45:32,520 --> 01:45:29,680

operators and assassins go to Annie

2196

01:45:35,490 --> 01:45:32,530

Jacobson comm you can also go straight

2197

01:45:37,530 --> 01:45:35,500

to Amazon paid to Black's executive

2198

01:45:39,060 --> 01:45:37,540

producers ritika Maria on shows produced

2199

01:45:41,640 --> 01:45:39,070

by Hill J Palmer Nate

2200

01:45:43,950 --> 01:45:41,650

Dennis about an ounce of sour Steve

2201

01:45:46,980 --> 01:45:43,960

harder gene veto a marked eco bar what

2202

01:45:51,180 --> 01:45:46,990

master drew the geek music doug aldrich

2203

01:45:52,710 --> 01:45:51,190

intro space boy space boy music calm

2204

01:45:58,740 --> 01:45:52,720

fade to black is produced by kjsurya

2205

01:46:01,080 --> 01:45:58,750

productions kedi ra the planet does

2206

01:46:03,120 --> 01:46:01,090

podcast on the copyright of 2019 by fade

2207

01:46:05,100 --> 01:46:03,130

to black - the game changer network it

2208

01:46:06,630 --> 01:46:05,110

cannot be rebroadcast download a copy

2209

01:46:08,850 --> 01:46:06,640

there we used anywhere in the known

2210

01:46:10,920 --> 01:46:08,860

universe without written permission from

2211

01:46:12,750 --> 01:46:10,930

fade to black of the GameChanger network

2212

01:46:15,480 --> 01:46:12,760

I'm your host Jimmy church until

2213

01:46:20,070 --> 01:46:15,490

tomorrow night dr. Kenneth James right

2214

01:46:21,550 --> 01:46:20,080

here I want everybody to be safe Gobekli

2215

01:46:33,380 --> 01:46:21,560

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