



**GORDON WHITE**  
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00:00:07,130 --> 00:00:03,849

[Music]

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00:00:10,160 --> 00:00:07,140

the planets trucks and masters almost

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00:00:12,860 --> 00:00:10,170

surely have a plan this clearly maybe

4  
00:00:16,340 --> 00:00:12,870

something there beyond the realm of man

5  
00:00:19,640 --> 00:00:16,350

and if you already tested every lamppost

6  
00:00:22,609 --> 00:00:19,650

just you upon the more you think you

7  
00:00:31,999 --> 00:00:22,619

know the less you really do that's true

8  
00:00:34,830 --> 00:00:32,009

dr. Zaius where would we be without you

9  
00:00:38,620 --> 00:00:34,840

[Music]

10  
00:00:43,510 --> 00:00:38,630

without being the highest

11  
00:00:48,410 --> 00:00:46,100

here we go folks drinking a little drink

12  
00:00:50,600 --> 00:00:48,420

smokin a little smoke and missing that

13  
00:00:52,430 --> 00:00:50,610

old motto here in sunny San Diego i'm

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00:00:54,830 --> 00:00:52,440

greg carl wood and it's been a while

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00:00:57,319 --> 00:00:54,840

since i put any sort of preface on an

16

00:01:00,049 --> 00:00:57,329

episode i go back and forth because it

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00:01:02,000 --> 00:01:00,059

feels like a double intro sometimes but

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00:01:04,729 --> 00:01:02,010

also occasionally it helps to set the

19

00:01:07,520 --> 00:01:04,739

tone in a way i can only really do after

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00:01:09,109 --> 00:01:07,530

a show's been recorded but i just wanted

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00:01:11,270 --> 00:01:09,119

to tell you why we did this episode

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00:01:13,040 --> 00:01:11,280

there's no doubt gordon is a great guest

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00:01:14,749 --> 00:01:13,050

i love bringing them back for really any

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00:01:16,910 --> 00:01:14,759

reason he's always right and interesting

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00:01:19,730 --> 00:01:16,920

posts that are fun to talk about and we

26

00:01:21,469 --> 00:01:19,740

do that today too but really gordon and

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00:01:24,740 --> 00:01:21,479

i have been talking about this major

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00:01:26,419 --> 00:01:24,750

tone change that we've noticed not only

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00:01:28,969 --> 00:01:26,429

in the general culture but also

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00:01:31,609 --> 00:01:28,979

specifically in alternative media as

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00:01:33,830 --> 00:01:31,619

gordon says probably part natural

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00:01:36,440 --> 00:01:33,840

psychological reaction to troubled times

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00:01:39,830 --> 00:01:36,450

such as these and probably part a gender

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00:01:41,510 --> 00:01:39,840

servicing manipulation also so i asked if

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00:01:43,810 --> 00:01:41,520

we could record a show about this very

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00:01:46,430 --> 00:01:43,820

area because i think it might be good to

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00:01:48,529 --> 00:01:46,440

recalibrate once in a while to maybe

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00:01:50,870 --> 00:01:48,539

step back from things and try to see

39  
00:01:52,639 --> 00:01:50,880  
them with new eyes and gordon and I have

40  
00:01:54,710 --> 00:01:52,649  
both been sharing articles at an

41  
00:01:56,570 --> 00:01:54,720  
increased rate that support the argument

42  
00:01:58,850 --> 00:01:56,580  
that we are quickly approaching this

43  
00:02:01,339 --> 00:01:58,860  
period we dramatically refer to as the

44  
00:02:03,169 --> 00:02:01,349  
end of empire but really we're seeing a

45  
00:02:05,479 --> 00:02:03,179  
time where the various puppet masters

46  
00:02:08,270 --> 00:02:05,489  
are sprinting with their agendas towards

47  
00:02:10,430 --> 00:02:08,280  
an endgame and they seem increasingly

48  
00:02:12,770 --> 00:02:10,440  
desperate which can be dangerous and

49  
00:02:14,900 --> 00:02:12,780  
increasingly on a breath which can be

50  
00:02:17,030 --> 00:02:14,910  
hopeful and people are waking up to the

51  
00:02:19,130 --> 00:02:17,040  
old games but new games are being played

52  
00:02:21,140 --> 00:02:19,140  
as well and maybe we're getting caught

53  
00:02:23,960 --> 00:02:21,150  
up in a few and maybe the immortal words

54  
00:02:25,880 --> 00:02:23,970  
of Kanye ring true and sometimes we're

55  
00:02:26,540 --> 00:02:25,890  
worried about the wrong things the wrong

56  
00:02:28,580 --> 00:02:26,550  
things

57  
00:02:30,680 --> 00:02:28,590  
another point is we are following right

58  
00:02:32,960 --> 00:02:30,690  
along the trajectory that Gordon lays

59  
00:02:35,210 --> 00:02:32,970  
out in the chaos protocols and it might

60  
00:02:37,220 --> 00:02:35,220  
be a good time to revisit the techniques

61  
00:02:40,640 --> 00:02:37,230  
for navigating this new economic reality

62  
00:02:42,410 --> 00:02:40,650  
that he wrote about so without wasting

63  
00:02:45,510 --> 00:02:42,420

any more time let's do the damn thing

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00:02:51,100 --> 00:02:45,520

with my friend and yours

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00:02:57,030 --> 00:02:51,110

they built a little Empire out of some

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00:03:03,910 --> 00:02:57,040

crazy garbage call the blood of imploded

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00:03:08,140 --> 00:03:03,920

working-class but babe overcomer shinin

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00:03:09,610 --> 00:03:08,150

now we're calling him your finest and

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00:03:24,730 --> 00:03:09,620

the world

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00:03:26,410 --> 00:03:24,740

screams hey PhD all right higher side

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00:03:28,210 --> 00:03:26,420

shatters it seems obvious that these

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00:03:30,910 --> 00:03:28,220

past few months have been full of nearly

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00:03:32,890 --> 00:03:30,920

inescapable anxiety uncertainty and

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00:03:34,780 --> 00:03:32,900

palpable tension buried underneath the

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00:03:36,880 --> 00:03:34,790

smoke and mirrors of multiple agendas

76  
00:03:38,620 --> 00:03:36,890  
from everyone with skin in the game yes

77  
00:03:40,240 --> 00:03:38,630  
the bombardment by special interests

78  
00:03:41,620 --> 00:03:40,250  
trying to control the narrative can feel

79  
00:03:43,390 --> 00:03:41,630  
like you're being force-fed ads

80  
00:03:45,520 --> 00:03:43,400  
Clockwork Orange style in The Times

81  
00:03:47,590 --> 00:03:45,530  
Square of propaganda but what else is

82  
00:03:49,000 --> 00:03:47,600  
new meanwhile the masses take the bait

83  
00:03:51,070 --> 00:03:49,010  
and suit up to support the political

84  
00:03:52,690 --> 00:03:51,080  
teams that got us in this mess just to

85  
00:03:54,550 --> 00:03:52,700  
argue over the color of the cloth that

86  
00:03:56,560 --> 00:03:54,560  
will cover the casket at the end of

87  
00:03:58,360 --> 00:03:56,570  
empire if you haven't been working to

88  
00:04:00,160 --> 00:03:58,370

cure your system addiction the end of

89

00:04:02,020 --> 00:04:00,170

empire can very much feel like the end

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00:04:04,360 --> 00:04:02,030

of everything because there are ways to

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00:04:06,250 --> 00:04:04,370

keep your sanity and insane times ways

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00:04:08,470 --> 00:04:06,260

to keep your ship afloat as the storm

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00:04:10,180 --> 00:04:08,480

rages on and ways to bid farewell to

94

00:04:11,949 --> 00:04:10,190

familiar but not so friendly

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00:04:14,620 --> 00:04:11,959

institutions as they fade out of view

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00:04:16,420 --> 00:04:14,630

it's their funeral folks not ours the

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00:04:18,820 --> 00:04:16,430

territory is changing at a rapid pace

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00:04:20,949 --> 00:04:18,830

and thus we need a new map and with us

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00:04:22,780 --> 00:04:20,959

today is my favorite Kaos cartographer

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00:04:25,000 --> 00:04:22,790

and magical map maker the great Gordon

101  
00:04:26,920 --> 00:04:25,010  
white as most hire site shatters know by

102  
00:04:29,440 --> 00:04:26,930  
now Gordon is the witty wizard cooking

103  
00:04:31,960 --> 00:04:29,450  
up all good things at rune soup calm he

104  
00:04:33,850 --> 00:04:31,970  
also authored starships to restore the

105  
00:04:35,770 --> 00:04:33,860  
magical context needed to understand our

106  
00:04:38,200 --> 00:04:35,780  
ancestors and the structures they left

107  
00:04:39,880 --> 00:04:38,210  
behind the chaos protocols to get you

108  
00:04:42,010 --> 00:04:39,890  
working on the very armor needed for the

109  
00:04:43,780 --> 00:04:42,020  
times ahead and the e-book pieces of

110  
00:04:45,280 --> 00:04:43,790  
eight if you need some ritual references

111  
00:04:47,469 --> 00:04:45,290  
while your iPad can still get a charge

112  
00:04:49,420 --> 00:04:47,479  
the wizard from Down Under captain of

113  
00:04:51,400 --> 00:04:49,430

the SS chaos Hulk's master of the

114

00:04:53,320 --> 00:04:51,410

materialist worldview and my magical

115

00:04:54,040 --> 00:04:53,330

mentor Gordon my friend welcome back to

116

00:05:00,189 --> 00:04:54,050

the higher side

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00:05:01,540 --> 00:05:00,199

I just love this just get better and

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00:05:04,480 --> 00:05:01,550

better at this this is lucky number

119

00:05:06,070 --> 00:05:04,490

seven yes in terms of yeah and how many

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00:05:08,409 --> 00:05:06,080

times is Nick Redfern been on I

121

00:05:12,399 --> 00:05:08,419

miscounted when I told you but his most

122

00:05:14,680 --> 00:05:12,409

recent one was seven also right I know I

123

00:05:16,869 --> 00:05:14,690

write the book every 45 minutes how can

124

00:05:20,589 --> 00:05:16,879

i how can I compete with that right it's

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00:05:22,990 --> 00:05:20,599

tough yeah either way I'm still happy to

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00:05:24,550 --> 00:05:23,000

have you here I mean nobody at this

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00:05:25,990 --> 00:05:24,560

point has talked more on this show

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00:05:28,180 --> 00:05:26,000

except me and I think that's a beautiful

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00:05:29,950 --> 00:05:28,190

thing also Nick Redfern a lot of those

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00:05:31,689 --> 00:05:29,960

early shows before they were two hours

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00:05:33,460 --> 00:05:31,699

so timewise you'll still have them beat

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00:05:36,939 --> 00:05:33,470

even when he's on eight yeah will you

133

00:05:38,469 --> 00:05:36,949

make sure he knows that I will but man

134

00:05:40,029 --> 00:05:38,479

you've been a good friend and you've

135

00:05:42,640 --> 00:05:40,039

given me a lot of great advice not just

136

00:05:44,050 --> 00:05:42,650

in magic but in life and you know I'm

137

00:05:45,820 --> 00:05:44,060

just excited to have you come out to the

138

00:05:47,680 --> 00:05:45,830

Wales vagina in just a few short months

139

00:05:50,050 --> 00:05:47,690

while my special lady and I bound

140

00:05:51,999 --> 00:05:50,060

ourselves by the rings of Saturn yeah

141

00:05:56,649 --> 00:05:52,009

yeah a conspiracy podcast event of the

142

00:05:58,510 --> 00:05:56,659

season yeah maybe but I will say you

143

00:06:01,149 --> 00:05:58,520

know I don't understand the skepticism

144

00:06:03,279 --> 00:06:01,159

that often crops up when I bring you

145

00:06:04,839 --> 00:06:03,289

back here your message is always pretty

146

00:06:06,730 --> 00:06:04,849

positive and we talk about so many

147

00:06:08,860 --> 00:06:06,740

things but I think almost all of it

148

00:06:10,629 --> 00:06:08,870

falls under the umbrella of constructing

149

00:06:12,760 --> 00:06:10,639

better models for understanding reality

150

00:06:14,680 --> 00:06:12,770

based on the available data and taking

151  
00:06:16,719 --> 00:06:14,690  
back the power that we've given away or

152  
00:06:18,969 --> 00:06:16,729  
had taken from us I'm sure you

153  
00:06:20,409 --> 00:06:18,979  
experienced this in many other areas of

154  
00:06:22,510 --> 00:06:20,419  
life but why do you think the guard

155  
00:06:27,999 --> 00:06:22,520  
seems disproportionately high for

156  
00:06:29,980 --> 00:06:28,009  
wizardry and magic talk in 2017 I don't

157  
00:06:33,070 --> 00:06:29,990  
know if it's if it's moved necessarily

158  
00:06:35,439 --> 00:06:33,080  
that much in 2017 I think you end up

159  
00:06:38,430 --> 00:06:35,449  
with a lot of competing different

160  
00:06:41,800 --> 00:06:38,440  
narratives in in a sort of alternative

161  
00:06:44,439 --> 00:06:41,810  
interpretation or kind of conspiracy

162  
00:06:46,830 --> 00:06:44,449  
world and it doesn't really hold water

163  
00:06:48,969 --> 00:06:46,840

for very long there's a kind of default

164

00:06:50,499 --> 00:06:48,979

suspicion of these things as so many

165

00:06:52,209 --> 00:06:50,509

people have sort of tumbled at the

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00:06:54,820 --> 00:06:52,219

bottom of a Protestant Christian

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00:06:56,830 --> 00:06:54,830

worldview and so there's a there's a

168

00:06:59,890 --> 00:06:56,840

confusing suspicion of both the

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00:07:01,360 --> 00:06:59,900

Freemasons and the Vatican which is fine

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00:07:02,829 --> 00:07:01,370

because you know you you end up with you

171

00:07:04,810 --> 00:07:02,839

from power players through history but

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00:07:06,050 --> 00:07:04,820

it's like well if you're anti them or

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00:07:09,590 --> 00:07:06,060

you Pro them

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00:07:11,510 --> 00:07:09,600

and and that kind of I think gets a

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00:07:13,040 --> 00:07:11,520

little bit in the way of looking at it

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00:07:18,230 --> 00:07:13,050

but particularly from a Chaos magic

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00:07:22,010 --> 00:07:18,240

perspective there is a focus on or

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00:07:23,660 --> 00:07:22,020

priority on solving things so that's we

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00:07:25,310 --> 00:07:23,670

discussed this before when it comes to

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00:07:27,560 --> 00:07:25,320

my you know because I'm in THC plus

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00:07:31,340 --> 00:07:27,570

member and long-term interest in

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00:07:32,870 --> 00:07:31,350

conspirator mind I am looking for and I

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00:07:37,310 --> 00:07:32,880

make no apologies for it I'm sort of

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00:07:40,640 --> 00:07:37,320

looking for ways of improving my

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00:07:42,860 --> 00:07:40,650

understanding of the world for just

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00:07:45,020 --> 00:07:42,870

general life improvement I don't think a

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00:07:46,940 --> 00:07:45,030

lot of people might be using conspirator

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00:07:48,980 --> 00:07:46,950

man as a sort of sodoku replacement

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00:07:50,480 --> 00:07:48,990

where they want to you know sew

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00:07:52,280 --> 00:07:50,490

something but then what happens next

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00:07:53,930 --> 00:07:52,290

like once you've solved it what what is

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00:07:55,880 --> 00:07:53,940

the thing that happens and that's

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00:07:58,850 --> 00:07:55,890

entirely valid like people are allowed

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to have different areas of thought or

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00:08:04,730 --> 00:08:02,940

discourse or just general interest from

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00:08:07,120 --> 00:08:04,740

a magic perspective in a charismatic one

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00:08:11,450 --> 00:08:07,130

there's something else to it which is

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00:08:13,820 --> 00:08:11,460

well clearly there are players and

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00:08:15,320 --> 00:08:13,830

things going on in the world not in a

200

00:08:17,360 --> 00:08:15,330

necessarily selfish way but what does

201  
00:08:20,150 --> 00:08:17,370  
that mean for me or how do i position

202  
00:08:23,210 --> 00:08:20,160  
myself because I'm not interested in

203  
00:08:27,170 --> 00:08:23,220  
dying just yet how do i position myself

204  
00:08:29,150 --> 00:08:27,180  
so that i am best arranged for the

205  
00:08:31,790 --> 00:08:29,160  
positive things that are coming and sort

206  
00:08:33,500 --> 00:08:31,800  
of have reduced exposure to the negative

207  
00:08:35,930 --> 00:08:33,510  
things and i think that's a big part of

208  
00:08:37,700 --> 00:08:35,940  
it as well yeah I get that I mean I've

209  
00:08:39,800 --> 00:08:37,710  
heard you say that you can't solve your

210  
00:08:42,320 --> 00:08:39,810  
way to a better world and this was kind

211  
00:08:44,780 --> 00:08:42,330  
of in the context of 9/11 but the point

212  
00:08:47,270 --> 00:08:44,790  
is we know what we need to know it's not

213  
00:08:49,640 --> 00:08:47,280

really about was it nano-thermite was it

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00:08:52,220 --> 00:08:49,650

directed energy weapons you know some of

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00:08:54,530 --> 00:08:52,230

these things to an extent are unknowable

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00:08:56,600 --> 00:08:54,540

but we know what's important which is

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00:08:59,210 --> 00:08:56,610

who we can't trust and what was the

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00:09:01,160 --> 00:08:59,220

manipulation and yeah just because you

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00:09:03,200 --> 00:09:01,170

get that answer doesn't really change

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00:09:06,440 --> 00:09:03,210

the actual world you're living in now

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00:09:07,880 --> 00:09:06,450

the steps you take as a result of

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00:09:09,200 --> 00:09:07,890

working out that the official conspiracy

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00:09:12,140 --> 00:09:09,210

is flawed

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00:09:15,410 --> 00:09:12,150

to put it mildly the steps you take are

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00:09:17,630 --> 00:09:15,420

the same whether or not it's whether or

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00:09:19,369 --> 00:09:17,640

not one is wrong but like whether or not

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00:09:20,900 --> 00:09:19,379

it's the thermite one or

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00:09:23,150 --> 00:09:20,910

or directed-energy weapons or

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00:09:25,159 --> 00:09:23,160

what-have-you the steps you take are the

230

00:09:27,109 --> 00:09:25,169

same because other ways you faced with

231

00:09:29,689 --> 00:09:27,119

the situation it happens to people it's

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00:09:31,009 --> 00:09:29,699

typically the first kind of red pill one

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00:09:33,079 --> 00:09:31,019

do you think you're the person to solve

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00:09:35,439 --> 00:09:33,089

it into once you've solved it whatever

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00:09:39,079 --> 00:09:35,449

we do March on the white house you know

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00:09:41,479 --> 00:09:39,089

right right and I also think people have

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00:09:43,279 --> 00:09:41,489

very neat jerk reactions right now and

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00:09:45,799 --> 00:09:43,289

they hear just certain words and phrases

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00:09:48,499 --> 00:09:45,809

whether it's privilege or pepé or

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00:09:51,169 --> 00:09:48,509

according to NASA and if they even get a

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00:09:53,599 --> 00:09:51,179

whiff of an ideology that isn't theirs

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00:09:55,969 --> 00:09:53,609

they just shut down or even attack which

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00:09:57,619 --> 00:09:55,979

is kind of unfortunate because all we

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00:09:59,509 --> 00:09:57,629

have is the numbers so if we force

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00:10:01,159 --> 00:09:59,519

ourselves into smaller and smaller boxes

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00:10:03,229 --> 00:10:01,169

we're really in trouble and anyone who

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00:10:05,329 --> 00:10:03,239

has a different take on things it's not

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00:10:06,919 --> 00:10:05,339

always a government shill and you don't

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00:10:08,960 --> 00:10:06,929

have to agree with everything a person

250

00:10:11,599 --> 00:10:08,970

says to like them and it kind of seems

251  
00:10:14,299 --> 00:10:11,609  
like we've forgotten that lately we have

252  
00:10:16,969 --> 00:10:14,309  
and it's a it's an understandable

253  
00:10:20,119 --> 00:10:16,979  
psychological reaction people's

254  
00:10:22,249 --> 00:10:20,129  
worldviews are matching what's actually

255  
00:10:24,529 --> 00:10:22,259  
going on in the world less and less and

256  
00:10:27,199 --> 00:10:24,539  
the psychological reaction when that

257  
00:10:30,139 --> 00:10:27,209  
happens is to put walls up and and to be

258  
00:10:32,419 --> 00:10:30,149  
hostile and it's actually a very

259  
00:10:34,849 --> 00:10:32,429  
artificial and difficult thing to do

260  
00:10:38,029 --> 00:10:34,859  
because it goes against human psychology

261  
00:10:40,969 --> 00:10:38,039  
to be open to new information to be open

262  
00:10:42,379 --> 00:10:40,979  
to ideas you don't like or people you

263  
00:10:44,749 --> 00:10:42,389

would otherwise disagree with it's

264

00:10:47,210 --> 00:10:44,759

actually a difficult thing to do and in

265

00:10:49,009 --> 00:10:47,220

a world that's kind of you know dialing

266

00:10:51,369 --> 00:10:49,019

up the heat that gets more and more

267

00:10:54,349 --> 00:10:51,379

difficult and so you have increasing

268

00:10:58,369 --> 00:10:54,359

polarization and atomization of people

269

00:10:59,899 --> 00:10:58,379

who may or may not benefit from you know

270

00:11:03,349 --> 00:10:59,909

engaging in speaking with each other

271

00:11:04,849 --> 00:11:03,359

because you kind of end up with it's the

272

00:11:08,059 --> 00:11:04,859

same thing happening to everyone right

273

00:11:11,329 --> 00:11:08,069

so that's where I think people have to

274

00:11:13,039 --> 00:11:11,339

sort of consciously do it and everyone

275

00:11:15,319 --> 00:11:13,049

has that first knee-jerk reaction if

276

00:11:18,229 --> 00:11:15,329

like I kill you if you you know disagree

277

00:11:20,719 --> 00:11:18,239

with you one would don't agree 100% yeah

278

00:11:22,489 --> 00:11:20,729

that is a great point and a good

279

00:11:24,619 --> 00:11:22,499

explanation for the psychology of it I

280

00:11:26,449 --> 00:11:24,629

mean when Austin was here we talked

281

00:11:29,269 --> 00:11:26,459

about astrology and the space weather

282

00:11:31,460 --> 00:11:29,279

being all about walls this next cycle

283

00:11:33,380 --> 00:11:31,470

and we were thinking you know Trump's

284

00:11:34,610 --> 00:11:33,390

border wall but maybe the

285

00:11:36,860 --> 00:11:34,620

on that there's a little more nuanced

286

00:11:40,280 --> 00:11:36,870

understanding that psychological walls

287

00:11:43,450 --> 00:11:40,290

apply as well the wall and the boundary

288

00:11:46,040 --> 00:11:43,460

and obviously this kind of relates to

289

00:11:48,860 --> 00:11:46,050

the story of magic and in particular the

290

00:11:52,160 --> 00:11:48,870

story of Fermi's who you know in in

291

00:11:53,870 --> 00:11:52,170

Greek systems in his many forms is more

292

00:11:55,880 --> 00:11:53,880

or less responsible for it same thing

293

00:11:59,240 --> 00:11:55,890

with Thoth which is the Egyptian homers

294

00:12:01,670 --> 00:11:59,250

right is the god of borders and walls

295

00:12:05,240 --> 00:12:01,680

and between spaces and way markers and

296

00:12:07,550 --> 00:12:05,250

it is at that psychological edge like

297

00:12:09,920 --> 00:12:07,560

the wall is the fundamental

298

00:12:12,770 --> 00:12:09,930

psychological and political concept if

299

00:12:14,780 --> 00:12:12,780

you have and it's not just although it's

300

00:12:17,390 --> 00:12:14,790

currently being expressed to do with you

301  
00:12:20,800 --> 00:12:17,400  
know immigration and physical walls but

302  
00:12:24,280 --> 00:12:20,810  
the wall and the idea of difference and

303  
00:12:26,480 --> 00:12:24,290  
you can see wolves in discussions of

304  
00:12:27,950 --> 00:12:26,490  
single-payer health care like well why

305  
00:12:30,170 --> 00:12:27,960  
would I pay for you like it's it's

306  
00:12:33,170 --> 00:12:30,180  
letting people in and out and it's this

307  
00:12:35,900 --> 00:12:33,180  
really challenging big psychological

308  
00:12:38,540 --> 00:12:35,910  
concept the wall is everywhere mm-hmm

309  
00:12:40,190 --> 00:12:38,550  
yeah man because of the distrust that's

310  
00:12:42,140 --> 00:12:40,200  
out there a lot of people have made very

311  
00:12:43,610 --> 00:12:42,150  
black-and-white conclusions about who

312  
00:12:44,810 --> 00:12:43,620  
they're going to trust what information

313  
00:12:46,460 --> 00:12:44,820

they're going to take in what data

314

00:12:48,560 --> 00:12:46,470

they're willing to consider and that's

315

00:12:50,120 --> 00:12:48,570

basically putting yourself in a bubble

316

00:12:52,460 --> 00:12:50,130

which is one extreme that has its own

317

00:12:53,840 --> 00:12:52,470

problems but you do have to have some

318

00:12:56,480 --> 00:12:53,850

type of filter and it's really hard

319

00:12:58,790 --> 00:12:56,490

sometimes to discern which data to trust

320

00:13:01,100 --> 00:12:58,800

and which to discard is propaganda or

321

00:13:02,870 --> 00:13:01,110

disinfo because these institutions are

322

00:13:04,010 --> 00:13:02,880

so long-standing and you can usually

323

00:13:06,290 --> 00:13:04,020

look at a few things that are going to

324

00:13:08,150 --> 00:13:06,300

make you skeptical but you can't throw

325

00:13:10,400 --> 00:13:08,160

everything out entirely you can't be

326

00:13:12,980 --> 00:13:10,410

anti intellectual so what helps you

327

00:13:16,340 --> 00:13:12,990

decide what data to consider and what to

328

00:13:17,510 --> 00:13:16,350

not give as much credence to it kind of

329

00:13:21,290 --> 00:13:17,520

comes back to what we were saying about

330

00:13:23,690 --> 00:13:21,300

9/11 you basically need to stay in a

331

00:13:26,480 --> 00:13:23,700

permanent state of meta-analysis rather

332

00:13:31,060 --> 00:13:26,490

than detail analysis so you need to look

333

00:13:33,050 --> 00:13:31,070

at a thing or a cluster of ideas and

334

00:13:34,010 --> 00:13:33,060

generally think well which direction is

335

00:13:36,830 --> 00:13:34,020

this pointing is it pointing in that

336

00:13:38,720 --> 00:13:36,840

direction or that direction and make the

337

00:13:40,220 --> 00:13:38,730

decision up there bearing in mind that

338

00:13:42,800 --> 00:13:40,230

you're making it on kind of underlying

339

00:13:45,290 --> 00:13:42,810

data that is what at least 60%

340

00:13:46,620 --> 00:13:45,300

compromised so it's about spending more

341

00:13:48,420 --> 00:13:46,630

time at the

342

00:13:50,550 --> 00:13:48,430

next layer up at the moment one of the

343

00:13:52,440 --> 00:13:50,560

things that's helped for this I started

344

00:13:53,880 --> 00:13:52,450

almost a year ago a weekly newsletter

345

00:13:55,890 --> 00:13:53,890

called the Allred line which is a sort

346

00:13:58,320 --> 00:13:55,900

of weekly geopolitical analysis and

347

00:14:00,300 --> 00:13:58,330

funnily enough the weekly publication

348

00:14:02,310 --> 00:14:00,310

rather than chasing because obviously I

349

00:14:05,220 --> 00:14:02,320

write multiple blog posts a week rather

350

00:14:07,560 --> 00:14:05,230

than chasing the individual reaction

351  
00:14:09,390 --> 00:14:07,570  
particularly in today's world where you

352  
00:14:11,310 --> 00:14:09,400  
have flip flops over a side can stay

353  
00:14:14,280 --> 00:14:11,320  
aside can go whatever I'm literally on

354  
00:14:16,440 --> 00:14:14,290  
an overnight basis you get whiplash from

355  
00:14:19,020 --> 00:14:16,450  
doing that that are being forced on a

356  
00:14:20,550 --> 00:14:19,030  
weekly publication basis to sort of step

357  
00:14:22,950 --> 00:14:20,560  
back and look at it has been quite good

358  
00:14:24,960 --> 00:14:22,960  
training and I wonder if that's not a

359  
00:14:26,970 --> 00:14:24,970  
psychological shortcuts of people is

360  
00:14:29,160 --> 00:14:26,980  
they one you need to kind of everyone

361  
00:14:31,230 --> 00:14:29,170  
needs to go in a muse diet anyway but

362  
00:14:34,470 --> 00:14:31,240  
also kind of commit to yourself that

363  
00:14:36,780 --> 00:14:34,480

you're going to only form a opinion of

364

00:14:39,660 --> 00:14:36,790

this however tentative on a weekly basis

365

00:14:41,820 --> 00:14:39,670

rather than chasing every little

366

00:14:45,090 --> 00:14:41,830

firecracker of info and disinfo

367

00:14:46,890 --> 00:14:45,100

throughout the week mmm that is yeah

368

00:14:49,080 --> 00:14:46,900

obviously a great point because you'll

369

00:14:51,000 --> 00:14:49,090

never be done you'll be getting jerked

370

00:14:52,830 --> 00:14:51,010

around all over the place and I think

371

00:14:54,180 --> 00:14:52,840

that's the point like I actually think

372

00:14:56,400 --> 00:14:54,190

that's what's going on if you look at

373

00:14:58,500 --> 00:14:56,410

what happens during the election you see

374

00:15:01,590 --> 00:14:58,510

two different mind control or

375

00:15:03,660 --> 00:15:01,600

manipulation modes being tested and then

376

00:15:05,850 --> 00:15:03,670

put to full flight and on the sort of

377

00:15:07,950 --> 00:15:05,860

war party side you have which we both

378

00:15:10,470 --> 00:15:07,960

experienced of course be the actual

379

00:15:12,120 --> 00:15:10,480

physical algorithmic manipulation of

380

00:15:14,160 --> 00:15:12,130

social media yeah

381

00:15:17,550 --> 00:15:14,170

but on the other side you have well

382

00:15:19,440 --> 00:15:17,560

let's see how [h\_\_h] works let's see

383

00:15:21,840 --> 00:15:19,450

what making a completely wrong statement

384

00:15:23,730 --> 00:15:21,850

that I know to be completely wrong China

385

00:15:25,860 --> 00:15:23,740

invented climate change or whatever it

386

00:15:27,720 --> 00:15:25,870

happens to be let's see what happens

387

00:15:29,730 --> 00:15:27,730

dropping these chaos bombs that I know

388

00:15:31,560 --> 00:15:29,740

to be wrong and it's really really

389

00:15:33,720 --> 00:15:31,570

interesting the goal is the same right

390

00:15:35,910 --> 00:15:33,730

the goal is a sort of gas lighter

391

00:15:38,700 --> 00:15:35,920

population towards seeing the world the

392

00:15:41,220 --> 00:15:38,710

way you want to see it and now both are

393

00:15:44,120 --> 00:15:41,230

in play right so now again now we have

394

00:15:48,150 --> 00:15:44,130

the deliberate use of things that people

395

00:15:50,130 --> 00:15:48,160

know to be incorrect to be used to kind

396

00:15:51,900 --> 00:15:50,140

of shape a discussion in the approximate

397

00:15:53,960 --> 00:15:51,910

direction one wants it to go and we

398

00:15:57,150 --> 00:15:53,970

still have the you know full-blown

399

00:15:58,829 --> 00:15:57,160

algorithmic manipulation of social

400

00:16:00,090 --> 00:15:58,839

discourse so we're kind of in a world

401

00:16:03,150 --> 00:16:00,100

where if you chase these fire

402

00:16:06,240 --> 00:16:03,160

crackers you are the the platform upon

403

00:16:08,100 --> 00:16:06,250

which the mind war is waged right yeah

404

00:16:10,559 --> 00:16:08,110

you're playing right into the the goal

405

00:16:13,559 --> 00:16:10,569

there and these are strange times I mean

406

00:16:15,509 --> 00:16:13,569

even most alternative media has turned a

407

00:16:17,069 --> 00:16:15,519

weird corner where Alex Jones and red

408

00:16:20,069 --> 00:16:17,079

ice and a lot of researchers I've

409

00:16:21,509 --> 00:16:20,079

interviewed recently have been critics

410

00:16:24,180 --> 00:16:21,519

of the system and its players

411

00:16:26,579 --> 00:16:24,190

historically but they got behind reality

412

00:16:28,499 --> 00:16:26,589

show billionaire and then he won and now

413

00:16:30,269 --> 00:16:28,509

as you say we live in a world where Alex

414

00:16:33,240 --> 00:16:30,279

Jones as a White House press badge I

415

00:16:35,730 --> 00:16:33,250

mean how would you tweak the roadmap for

416

00:16:38,430 --> 00:16:35,740

say like a conspiratorial audience like

417

00:16:40,650 --> 00:16:38,440

this one I mean it's just hard because

418

00:16:43,379 --> 00:16:40,660

even researchers who are twice my age

419

00:16:46,170 --> 00:16:43,389

are in some weird way supporting the

420

00:16:49,559 --> 00:16:46,180

president for the first time ever yeah

421

00:16:50,970 --> 00:16:49,569

that is surprising I think it's there

422

00:16:52,999 --> 00:16:50,980

there are a couple of things need to do

423

00:16:55,410 --> 00:16:53,009

and I guess one of the other sort of

424

00:16:58,230 --> 00:16:55,420

hacks or best practices that include

425

00:17:00,900 --> 00:16:58,240

holding off and making an opinion until

426

00:17:04,500 --> 00:17:00,910

you know a week has passed the other one

427

00:17:06,539 --> 00:17:04,510

is to have a better meta model of what's

428

00:17:07,890 --> 00:17:06,549

going on and one of the things that's

429

00:17:11,399 --> 00:17:07,900

particularly interesting over the last

430

00:17:14,309 --> 00:17:11,409

15 years you know and very into is cycle

431

00:17:16,169 --> 00:17:14,319

models and cycle interpretations now I

432

00:17:19,260 --> 00:17:16,179

have a preference for button Armstrong's

433

00:17:22,230 --> 00:17:19,270

one but like the thing is any of them

434

00:17:25,890 --> 00:17:22,240

more or less will work Bannon likes the

435

00:17:27,000 --> 00:17:25,900

sort of fourth turning one you have ones

436

00:17:29,220 --> 00:17:27,010

that are based on like the decline and

437

00:17:31,560 --> 00:17:29,230

fall of Roman civilization and so on but

438

00:17:36,210 --> 00:17:31,570

you have this idea over the last 15

439

00:17:39,110 --> 00:17:36,220

years that the world appears to be

440

00:17:41,340 --> 00:17:39,120

describes better in a cycle model than a

441

00:17:43,440 --> 00:17:41,350

things are getting better linear

442

00:17:44,669 --> 00:17:43,450

progression model that you otherwise

443

00:17:46,770 --> 00:17:44,679

would have found in the West and

444

00:17:50,810 --> 00:17:46,780

particularly in the 90s and you know

445

00:17:52,880 --> 00:17:50,820

Bill Clinton and Tony Blair and so on so

446

00:17:54,890 --> 00:17:52,890

it's almost like you need an improved

447

00:17:58,130 --> 00:17:54,900

metaphysics before you want to go and

448

00:17:59,660 --> 00:17:58,140

look at our analyzer engage with either

449

00:18:02,570 --> 00:17:59,670

mainstream or alternative

450

00:18:04,370 --> 00:18:02,580

interpretations because with an improved

451  
00:18:07,790 --> 00:18:04,380  
metaphysics particularly a cycle model

452  
00:18:09,500 --> 00:18:07,800  
one we're at a point where the sort of

453  
00:18:11,570 --> 00:18:09,510  
quality of the discourse declines this

454  
00:18:15,260 --> 00:18:11,580  
is what happens at this point in the

455  
00:18:16,910 --> 00:18:15,270  
cycle right so one of the things morris

456  
00:18:19,160 --> 00:18:16,920  
Berman who I also really like but is a

457  
00:18:20,930 --> 00:18:19,170  
bit more of a decline if than I am who's

458  
00:18:23,060 --> 00:18:20,940  
written books about you know the end of

459  
00:18:26,930 --> 00:18:23,070  
the American Empire and so on he says at

460  
00:18:28,910 --> 00:18:26,940  
the end of an empire people always make

461  
00:18:30,380 --> 00:18:28,920  
the wrong decisions so people make the

462  
00:18:32,660 --> 00:18:30,390  
wrong decisions consistently and I

463  
00:18:35,300 --> 00:18:32,670

played a part of it or it's just a thing

464

00:18:37,330 --> 00:18:35,310

that happens and you have to look at

465

00:18:39,290 --> 00:18:37,340

alternative media and go this is

466

00:18:42,230 --> 00:18:39,300

surprising I wonder if they're not

467

00:18:45,110 --> 00:18:42,240

caught in if you if you wind back the

468

00:18:47,480 --> 00:18:45,120

clock five years the very idea that the

469

00:18:47,960 --> 00:18:47,490

info was crowned would have a president

470

00:18:49,930 --> 00:18:47,970

on

471

00:18:53,060 --> 00:18:49,940

well it wasn't president at the time but

472

00:18:54,620 --> 00:18:53,070

it would have people for whatever reason

473

00:18:57,200 --> 00:18:54,630

giving them like in the White House

474

00:18:59,300 --> 00:18:57,210

giving them information at some point

475

00:19:01,070 --> 00:18:59,310

you would have hoped they would have

476

00:19:03,140 --> 00:19:01,080

thought well hang on I've just had a

477

00:19:05,210 --> 00:19:03,150

whole career talking about how

478

00:19:08,930 --> 00:19:05,220

information that comes from power is by

479

00:19:11,900 --> 00:19:08,940

definition compromised and I don't think

480

00:19:14,630 --> 00:19:11,910

I don't think a lot of people who are

481

00:19:16,400 --> 00:19:14,640

into this or are following this or aware

482

00:19:17,960 --> 00:19:16,410

of it that's still the case

483

00:19:20,180 --> 00:19:17,970

even if you happen to like the person

484

00:19:22,250 --> 00:19:20,190

who's currently in the White House more

485

00:19:25,820 --> 00:19:22,260

than the other choice that's skill in

486

00:19:28,600 --> 00:19:25,830

claim yeah and I also heard recently

487

00:19:32,210 --> 00:19:28,610

like collapse happens fairly quickly

488

00:19:34,220 --> 00:19:32,220

because of a normalcy bias like an

489

00:19:35,990 --> 00:19:34,230

example be we know politicians lie to us

490

00:19:38,000 --> 00:19:36,000

but we still listen and we still clap

491

00:19:39,650 --> 00:19:38,010

and we get a bumper sticker and we just

492

00:19:42,380 --> 00:19:39,660

kind of pretend it doesn't happen we

493

00:19:44,930 --> 00:19:42,390

pretend everything's coming up roses and

494

00:19:47,360 --> 00:19:44,940

then all of a sudden the sky falls the

495

00:19:50,000 --> 00:19:47,370

bottom drops out and it's because we

496

00:19:51,230 --> 00:19:50,010

didn't see those warning signs or we

497

00:19:53,960 --> 00:19:51,240

weren't paying attention to them or

498

00:19:55,520 --> 00:19:53,970

we're just in denial about them yeah and

499

00:19:57,980 --> 00:19:55,530

again we come back to sort of classic

500

00:19:59,900 --> 00:19:57,990

human psychology there and the idea of I

501  
00:20:01,010 --> 00:19:59,910  
mean I talked about this in pieces of

502  
00:20:02,990 --> 00:20:01,020  
eight if you don't have your own

503  
00:20:04,250 --> 00:20:03,000  
metaphysics you're you're running on

504  
00:20:07,010 --> 00:20:04,260  
someone else's and that's not

505  
00:20:09,020 --> 00:20:07,020  
good place to be this is a difficult

506  
00:20:12,680 --> 00:20:09,030  
thing to do it's why people don't do it

507  
00:20:14,930 --> 00:20:12,690  
and I think what I think what we will

508  
00:20:17,120 --> 00:20:14,940  
see over the course of this year is the

509  
00:20:19,550 --> 00:20:17,130  
fallout from people mistaking two things

510  
00:20:21,470 --> 00:20:19,560  
that so I think is very dangerous like

511  
00:20:23,570 --> 00:20:21,480  
if you if you watch the election and

512  
00:20:25,250 --> 00:20:23,580  
sort of valving and we didn't we spoke

513  
00:20:26,900 --> 00:20:25,260

about it it was quite clear that

514

00:20:29,810 --> 00:20:26,910

whatever the secret powers are behind

515

00:20:31,370 --> 00:20:29,820

Trump ah they have a different agenda to

516

00:20:32,690 --> 00:20:31,380

the secret powers behind you know

517

00:20:34,910 --> 00:20:32,700

Clinton and the war party

518

00:20:37,280 --> 00:20:34,920

I think that's observable in what we saw

519

00:20:38,720 --> 00:20:37,290

last year and even to some extent what

520

00:20:40,730 --> 00:20:38,730

we're seeing this year it does not

521

00:20:42,710 --> 00:20:40,740

necessarily follow that that makes them

522

00:20:45,460 --> 00:20:42,720

the good guys and that's the kind of

523

00:20:48,080 --> 00:20:45,470

other shoe I think to drop for

524

00:20:50,660 --> 00:20:48,090

alternative media and and it makes me

525

00:20:53,330 --> 00:20:50,670

suspicious mildly suspicious that that

526  
00:20:56,110 --> 00:20:53,340  
isn't by design that they've managed to

527  
00:20:59,390 --> 00:20:56,120  
scoop up what was a very horizontal

528  
00:21:02,390 --> 00:20:59,400  
method of communication and kind of chip

529  
00:21:05,090 --> 00:21:02,400  
it behind to protect the president which

530  
00:21:06,500 --> 00:21:05,100  
the previous president didn't have well

531  
00:21:07,730 --> 00:21:06,510  
that's another thing I've been thinking

532  
00:21:09,800 --> 00:21:07,740  
about lately because there has been so

533  
00:21:12,620 --> 00:21:09,810  
much talk about twos and counter coos

534  
00:21:14,450 --> 00:21:12,630  
and infighting among deep state factions

535  
00:21:16,400 --> 00:21:14,460  
during this whole election cycle but

536  
00:21:18,410 --> 00:21:16,410  
I've learned a little bit about Jared

537  
00:21:21,830 --> 00:21:18,420  
Kushner recently and that has made me

538  
00:21:24,020 --> 00:21:21,840

wonder if we don't have a to puppets

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00:21:27,200 --> 00:21:24,030

one-hand situation because he's Trump's

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00:21:29,480 --> 00:21:27,210

son-in-law he has a project that was

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00:21:31,400 --> 00:21:29,490

funded by George Soros apparently I mean

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00:21:33,680 --> 00:21:31,410

who knows what information to trust but

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00:21:37,820 --> 00:21:33,690

apparently this is the guy who's kind of

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00:21:40,700 --> 00:21:37,830

the liaison to those old elite powers

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00:21:42,950 --> 00:21:40,710

and apparently also is why Bannon was

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00:21:45,370 --> 00:21:42,960

kicked off the national security team

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00:21:47,900 --> 00:21:45,380

and that's what started this whole

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00:21:50,960 --> 00:21:47,910

airstrikes in syria thing and dropping

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00:21:52,640 --> 00:21:50,970

the moab on afghanistan so I'm not sure

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00:21:55,400 --> 00:21:52,650

what are your thoughts on Jared Kushner

551  
00:21:58,730 --> 00:21:55,410  
and that possibility that maybe he's

552  
00:22:03,050 --> 00:21:58,740  
been there all along with Pence also in

553  
00:22:05,960 --> 00:22:03,060  
a position as a plan-B it may well be

554  
00:22:09,410 --> 00:22:05,970  
I don't know if that's enough to go and

555  
00:22:11,090 --> 00:22:09,420  
give him that removing Bannon from the

556  
00:22:13,400 --> 00:22:11,100  
National Security Council which I think

557  
00:22:16,200 --> 00:22:13,410  
is in many ways good I mean he's a

558  
00:22:18,900 --> 00:22:16,210  
blogger and any sitting there with

559  
00:22:20,580 --> 00:22:18,910  
Admiral's that was part of a sequence of

560  
00:22:23,910 --> 00:22:20,590  
events that also included things like

561  
00:22:25,740 --> 00:22:23,920  
having Nunez recuse himself from the

562  
00:22:27,120 --> 00:22:25,750  
Reds under the bed Russia witch-hunt so

563  
00:22:29,130 --> 00:22:27,130

there was a sort of sequence of events

564

00:22:31,530 --> 00:22:29,140

that started the Friday before with

565

00:22:32,610 --> 00:22:31,540

Tillerson saying Assad can stay and then

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00:22:35,280 --> 00:22:32,620

all of a sudden you get this

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00:22:38,760 --> 00:22:35,290

dramatically arrangement and suddenly

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00:22:40,950 --> 00:22:38,770

Trump is bombing Syria right so and NATO

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00:22:42,660 --> 00:22:40,960

can stay and all this other stuff that's

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00:22:44,730 --> 00:22:42,670

going on and yes I know that the Trump

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00:22:48,750 --> 00:22:44,740

apologists say that this was all timed

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00:22:50,250 --> 00:22:48,760

around the Chinese visit tomorrow logo

573

00:22:51,990 --> 00:22:50,260

and that may well have been opportune

574

00:22:53,250 --> 00:22:52,000

timing but the trouble with that is that

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00:22:54,780 --> 00:22:53,260

those sort of state visits about

576

00:22:56,190 --> 00:22:54,790

multiple months in advance and you have

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00:22:58,170 --> 00:22:56,200

a kind of turnaround in the space of the

578

00:23:00,990 --> 00:22:58,180

week of a third can stay - let's bomb

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00:23:04,890 --> 00:23:01,000

Assad ah so this is sort of my point

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00:23:06,540 --> 00:23:04,900

which is there is clearly a faction

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00:23:09,420 --> 00:23:06,550

behind Trump whether or not it's

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00:23:14,550 --> 00:23:09,430

currently in charge that doesn't see the

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00:23:16,080 --> 00:23:14,560

world the way McCain does right so one

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00:23:18,540 --> 00:23:16,090

that doesn't mean of the good guys and -

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00:23:21,870 --> 00:23:18,550

it's not obvious to me that they're in

586

00:23:24,570 --> 00:23:21,880

charge and and I wonder if like if we're

587

00:23:26,550 --> 00:23:24,580

looking at how to describe this if we're

588

00:23:29,580 --> 00:23:26,560

looking at ulterior motives for the

589

00:23:31,440 --> 00:23:29,590

dramatic escalation of war around the

590

00:23:33,510 --> 00:23:31,450

world so Syria and North Korea although

591

00:23:35,850 --> 00:23:33,520

a view the North Korea thing is good one

592

00:23:37,560 --> 00:23:35,860

of the side effects of that has been to

593

00:23:39,300 --> 00:23:37,570

increase the demand for long Treasuries

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00:23:40,920 --> 00:23:39,310

so that the actual yield among

595

00:23:42,690 --> 00:23:40,930

Treasuries is drunk which is quite good

596

00:23:44,220 --> 00:23:42,700

coming in to the end of April when you

597

00:23:48,150 --> 00:23:44,230

have to have a debt ceiling discussion

598

00:23:50,430 --> 00:23:48,160

and me thinking that he's a CEO he's got

599

00:23:53,070 --> 00:23:50,440

to run a PML what he's sort of done is

600

00:23:55,920 --> 00:23:53,080

force after house to say he's doing the

601  
00:23:58,410 --> 00:23:55,930  
right thing and improve the demand for

602  
00:24:00,450 --> 00:23:58,420  
US debt heading into a debt ceiling

603  
00:24:01,920 --> 00:24:00,460  
discussion and a bit of information that

604  
00:24:03,750 --> 00:24:01,930  
I think people missed this week is that

605  
00:24:05,760 --> 00:24:03,760  
they sort of tabled what they'd like to

606  
00:24:07,350 --> 00:24:05,770  
do for the budget in 2018 and it's the

607  
00:24:08,670 --> 00:24:07,360  
biggest reorganization of the federal

608  
00:24:11,310 --> 00:24:08,680  
government in the history of the United

609  
00:24:14,570 --> 00:24:11,320  
States so if you're looking at someone

610  
00:24:16,980 --> 00:24:14,580  
playing a medium-term game here he has

611  
00:24:19,980 --> 00:24:16,990  
got a whole bunch of people in advance

612  
00:24:22,590 --> 00:24:19,990  
behind him raising the debt ceiling he's

613  
00:24:24,750 --> 00:24:22,600

improved demand for US debt and he's

614

00:24:26,340 --> 00:24:24,760

kind of launched what he will almost

615

00:24:27,810 --> 00:24:26,350

like a white paper what they want to do

616

00:24:29,549 --> 00:24:27,820

next year in the complete reorganization

617

00:24:31,529 --> 00:24:29,559

of the US so

618

00:24:33,720 --> 00:24:31,539

is that the faction behind Trump and

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00:24:36,529 --> 00:24:33,730

does that mean no one would argue that

620

00:24:39,149 --> 00:24:36,539

you know there needs to be a

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00:24:40,799 --> 00:24:39,159

reorganization of how tax money and the

622

00:24:42,390 --> 00:24:40,809

federal government runs no one would

623

00:24:45,029 --> 00:24:42,400

argue against it but are these the

624

00:24:46,080 --> 00:24:45,039

people you want to give free rein to and

625

00:24:47,490 --> 00:24:46,090

when it comes to having that discussion

626

00:24:49,940 --> 00:24:47,500

and these are the things that I think

627

00:24:54,330 --> 00:24:49,950

over the next three quarters of a year

628

00:24:56,700 --> 00:24:54,340

people who have maybe been knee-jerk Pro

629

00:24:59,130 --> 00:24:56,710

Trump because they were anti Empire and

630

00:25:01,440 --> 00:24:59,140

I fully get that are going to need to

631

00:25:03,390 --> 00:25:01,450

adjust their opinion because you're

632

00:25:06,570 --> 00:25:03,400

dealing it's gameofthrones like there

633

00:25:08,669 --> 00:25:06,580

are no good guys yeah and then and

634

00:25:10,680 --> 00:25:08,679

you're right I do see also that

635

00:25:12,390 --> 00:25:10,690

tug-of-war and the back-and-forth on

636

00:25:14,190 --> 00:25:12,400

some of those positions another thing I

637

00:25:16,890 --> 00:25:14,200

thought was kind of disturbing and

638

00:25:18,930 --> 00:25:16,900

unprecedented was it seems like when

639

00:25:21,450 --> 00:25:18,940

Trump was asked about did he approve

640

00:25:23,250 --> 00:25:21,460

that bomb he just kind of like I let the

641

00:25:25,020 --> 00:25:23,260

generals do whatever they want and it

642

00:25:26,789 --> 00:25:25,030

does seem like he's kind of given carte

643

00:25:30,330 --> 00:25:26,799

blanche to the military-industrial

644

00:25:31,310 --> 00:25:30,340

complex to act autonomously and that's a

645

00:25:35,760 --> 00:25:31,320

little weird

646

00:25:37,529 --> 00:25:35,770

that's CEO talk like he's actually to

647

00:25:39,470 --> 00:25:37,539

give him his credit when we're talking

648

00:25:42,630 --> 00:25:39,480

about the use of [h\_\_h] he's

649

00:25:44,310 --> 00:25:42,640

unbelievably good at it like he really

650

00:25:45,690 --> 00:25:44,320

is I know that that Dilbert guy thinks

651  
00:25:47,909 --> 00:25:45,700  
he essentially has magical powers I

652  
00:25:50,399 --> 00:25:47,919  
wouldn't take it that far but he's very

653  
00:25:52,380 --> 00:25:50,409  
good let you know it as we say the

654  
00:25:54,240 --> 00:25:52,390  
reality TV show billionaire so he's

655  
00:25:57,270 --> 00:25:54,250  
actually very good at doing this and

656  
00:26:00,029 --> 00:25:57,280  
when a CEO says that what he's saying is

657  
00:26:03,510 --> 00:26:00,039  
if it goes well I'm taking credit for it

658  
00:26:05,070 --> 00:26:03,520  
if it doesn't it was their fault so it's

659  
00:26:07,110 --> 00:26:05,080  
one of those things you kind of got to

660  
00:26:09,360 --> 00:26:07,120  
read between the lines on and again it's

661  
00:26:11,370 --> 00:26:09,370  
an argument for staying at that meta

662  
00:26:14,220 --> 00:26:11,380  
level of analysis which is keeping

663  
00:26:16,110 --> 00:26:14,230

everything you know at arm's length or

664

00:26:17,730 --> 00:26:16,120

don't try as best you can and I

665

00:26:20,909 --> 00:26:17,740

appreciate because it's how difficult

666

00:26:23,370 --> 00:26:20,919

this is to kind of attenuate your

667

00:26:26,039 --> 00:26:23,380

emotional reaction on a daily basis and

668

00:26:27,870 --> 00:26:26,049

then so take a deep breath but we can go

669

00:26:29,820 --> 00:26:27,880

right all right then what does it even

670

00:26:32,159 --> 00:26:29,830

happen this is coming back to the cycle

671

00:26:33,690 --> 00:26:32,169

model thing here we are at this point in

672

00:26:37,049 --> 00:26:33,700

the timeline however way you want to

673

00:26:38,669 --> 00:26:37,059

call it and a week is a long time and a

674

00:26:41,610 --> 00:26:38,679

week is a very long time in the amount

675

00:26:42,980 --> 00:26:41,620

of just stuff that happens backwards and

676  
00:26:45,740 --> 00:26:42,990  
forwards and

677  
00:26:48,289 --> 00:26:45,750  
and people coming you know in WikiLeaks

678  
00:26:50,720 --> 00:26:48,299  
revelations and all the rest of it if

679  
00:26:52,610 --> 00:26:50,730  
you try to follow that on a daily basis

680  
00:26:55,100 --> 00:26:52,620  
I can keep going to get caught in the

681  
00:26:57,139 --> 00:26:55,110  
energy of that fourth turning and and

682  
00:26:59,180 --> 00:26:57,149  
it's maybe not a good place to be it so

683  
00:27:01,610 --> 00:26:59,190  
it's either like being wave or riding a

684  
00:27:03,019 --> 00:27:01,620  
wave yeah I mean great point you're

685  
00:27:05,480 --> 00:27:03,029  
talking about meta-analysis and I'm

686  
00:27:07,340 --> 00:27:05,490  
bringing up these like hyper zero

687  
00:27:11,210 --> 00:27:07,350  
details that probably aren't all that

688  
00:27:12,769 --> 00:27:11,220

important well they are but like there's

689

00:27:14,419 --> 00:27:12,779

a different perspective that happens

690

00:27:16,460 --> 00:27:14,429

when you view these things in aggregate

691

00:27:18,250 --> 00:27:16,470

and that's that's what we have to do

692

00:27:21,769 --> 00:27:18,260

because there's just kind of no way

693

00:27:23,299 --> 00:27:21,779

right now of getting to the bottom of it

694

00:27:25,460 --> 00:27:23,309

like kind of drilling down and going

695

00:27:27,680 --> 00:27:25,470

okay well that's what's going on I'll

696

00:27:31,310 --> 00:27:27,690

adjust accordingly we do you know really

697

00:27:33,799 --> 00:27:31,320

we're not really there mm-hmm and to uh

698

00:27:35,389 --> 00:27:33,809

to talk about that point in a timeline

699

00:27:37,820 --> 00:27:35,399

where we do everything wrong I did a

700

00:27:39,769 --> 00:27:37,830

universal basic income show which would

701

00:27:41,840 --> 00:27:39,779

be one of those wrong answers to the

702

00:27:43,820 --> 00:27:41,850

right questions that you write about and

703

00:27:46,279 --> 00:27:43,830

I see why you're not a fan because it

704

00:27:49,159 --> 00:27:46,289

reinforces centralized control of the

705

00:27:50,960 --> 00:27:49,169

system and I do agree that is bad I just

706

00:27:53,810 --> 00:27:50,970

worry that anything beyond that is kind

707

00:27:56,120 --> 00:27:53,820

of outside of our grasp but we do need

708

00:27:57,799 --> 00:27:56,130

less centralization not more how can we

709

00:28:00,880 --> 00:27:57,809

move the needle in that direction

710

00:28:05,630 --> 00:28:00,890

despite the best efforts of the Empire

711

00:28:08,360 --> 00:28:05,640

well again on a metaphysical level it's

712

00:28:10,190 --> 00:28:08,370

it's in some sense ending the way that

713

00:28:13,909 --> 00:28:10,200

the Empire is funded in the way that

714

00:28:17,269 --> 00:28:13,919

it's organized will be gone by 2030 like

715

00:28:22,370 --> 00:28:17,279

it we don't know how but this you know

716

00:28:24,110 --> 00:28:22,380

bonds selling raising money to pay for

717

00:28:25,880 --> 00:28:24,120

things that are overpriced because that

718

00:28:27,769 --> 00:28:25,890

money goes straight into the back of

719

00:28:29,210 --> 00:28:27,779

private contractors and kind of keeping

720

00:28:30,889 --> 00:28:29,220

the whole thing afloat by having the

721

00:28:31,190 --> 00:28:30,899

greatest military force the world's ever

722

00:28:35,600 --> 00:28:31,200

seen

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00:28:37,820 --> 00:28:35,610

that whole scam if you want is ending it

724

00:28:40,970 --> 00:28:37,830

may not end rapidly but it's on the way

725

00:28:44,750 --> 00:28:40,980

out so what that means operationally for

726

00:28:46,399 --> 00:28:44,760

people is from the top down I think

727

00:28:48,200 --> 00:28:46,409

you're gonna get like a run at full

728

00:28:50,149 --> 00:28:48,210

totalitarianism but from the top down

729

00:28:52,850 --> 00:28:50,159

it's not going to work between now and

730

00:28:54,379 --> 00:28:52,860

2030 so we it won't actually happen this

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00:28:55,910 --> 00:28:54,389

kind of quote-unquote New World Order

732

00:28:58,220 --> 00:28:55,920

plans will be dead on arrival

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00:29:00,620 --> 00:28:58,230

in the meantime there is the opportunity

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00:29:02,660 --> 00:29:00,630

for us to like personally increase local

735

00:29:04,250 --> 00:29:02,670

participation because that will and that

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00:29:05,600 --> 00:29:04,260

can be at a government level that can be

737

00:29:07,400 --> 00:29:05,610

food and knowledge sharing with

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00:29:10,760 --> 00:29:07,410

neighbors that can be all the rest of it

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00:29:13,580 --> 00:29:10,770

that allows the kind of structure that

740

00:29:17,090 --> 00:29:13,590

use if not anti fragile then at least

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00:29:19,520 --> 00:29:17,100

robust to make it through the transition

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00:29:21,650 --> 00:29:19,530

and I think that's a big part of it

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00:29:24,410 --> 00:29:21,660

it would also be good if we can actually

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00:29:26,510 --> 00:29:24,420

start talking about now that we have the

745

00:29:29,780 --> 00:29:26,520

data for it why

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00:29:32,630 --> 00:29:29,790

like quantifiably decentralized models

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00:29:34,580 --> 00:29:32,640

work better and it's funny because we

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00:29:36,080 --> 00:29:34,590

have the data for it now but you kind of

749

00:29:38,060 --> 00:29:36,090

see that idea at the back of the

750

00:29:39,980 --> 00:29:38,070

formulation of the United States as a

751

00:29:43,340 --> 00:29:39,990

spell in the first place which is

752

00:29:46,580 --> 00:29:43,350

tyranny accumulates at more or less the

753

00:29:48,140 --> 00:29:46,590

same rate of centralization the reason

754

00:29:51,260 --> 00:29:48,150

you know Washington and New York

755

00:29:53,450 --> 00:29:51,270

research suspects now and London was the

756

00:29:56,240 --> 00:29:53,460

same in the 1890s because that sort of

757

00:29:57,830 --> 00:29:56,250

power and the money are and I think when

758

00:30:00,140 --> 00:29:57,840

you kind of have that as a sort of

759

00:30:01,820 --> 00:30:00,150

yardstick it it allows you to go okay

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00:30:04,070 --> 00:30:01,830

well what can be decentralize it it's

761

00:30:05,750 --> 00:30:04,080

almost algorithmic or boolean where you

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00:30:08,630 --> 00:30:05,760

say military can this be decentralized

763

00:30:10,190 --> 00:30:08,640

no okay that stays there healthcare

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00:30:12,260 --> 00:30:10,200

funding can this be decentralized as a

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00:30:13,730 --> 00:30:12,270

matter of fact yes and you can kind of

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00:30:15,530 --> 00:30:13,740

pull that down to sort of state and

767

00:30:18,050 --> 00:30:15,540

local level and sort of let things fall

768

00:30:19,700 --> 00:30:18,060

to the maximum possible level of

769

00:30:22,070 --> 00:30:19,710

decentralization so that when the

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00:30:24,890 --> 00:30:22,080

inevitable corruption happens you don't

771

00:30:27,170 --> 00:30:24,900

capture or break an entire system and it

772

00:30:28,190 --> 00:30:27,180

sort of functions like a biosphere them

773

00:30:29,900 --> 00:30:28,200

and I think there's a sort of

774

00:30:32,660 --> 00:30:29,910

interesting metaphysics to that that we

775

00:30:35,900 --> 00:30:32,670

should have people may be more aware of

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00:30:39,020 --> 00:30:35,910

and and yeah you have to ask yourself

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00:30:42,110 --> 00:30:39,030

whether Washington as it is currently

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00:30:45,530 --> 00:30:42,120

arranged has the competency to deliver a

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00:30:46,760 --> 00:30:45,540

ubi in a non totalitarian way and I

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00:30:48,910 --> 00:30:46,770

don't think anyone listen to this show

781

00:30:51,100 --> 00:30:48,920

would say yes to that

782

00:30:52,390 --> 00:30:51,110

there are other opportunities that the

783

00:30:53,950 --> 00:30:52,400

way to do it again this comes back to

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00:30:55,660 --> 00:30:53,960

work a currency creation can that be

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00:30:57,549 --> 00:30:55,670

decentralized and the answer to that is

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00:30:59,350 --> 00:30:57,559

of course yes as well and we're seeing

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00:31:01,630 --> 00:30:59,360

kind of tentative versions of it so you

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00:31:04,180 --> 00:31:01,640

could in theory have localized you vis

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00:31:05,740 --> 00:31:04,190

if you were interested in having a

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00:31:07,450 --> 00:31:05,750

weaker currency than your neighbor and

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00:31:09,700 --> 00:31:07,460

that's having and I mean unlike a region

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00:31:11,020 --> 00:31:09,710

by region basis these are all thought

793

00:31:12,760 --> 00:31:11,030

experiments that make you kind of

794

00:31:14,140 --> 00:31:12,770

realize actually this is going to work

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00:31:18,490 --> 00:31:14,150

where there isn't it and then having

796

00:31:20,650 --> 00:31:18,500

this sort of wish for I guess replacing

797

00:31:23,260 --> 00:31:20,660

a current system of near totalitarianism

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00:31:24,430 --> 00:31:23,270

with full totalitarianism I don't feel

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00:31:26,650 --> 00:31:24,440

like that's the souls to new

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00:31:28,120 --> 00:31:26,660

totalitarianism it's kind of like you

801

00:31:30,400 --> 00:31:28,130

know adding more fire to a burning

802

00:31:32,680 --> 00:31:30,410

building mm-hmm I definitely get we are

803

00:31:35,320 --> 00:31:32,690

saying and the health care issue is sort

804

00:31:36,940 --> 00:31:35,330

of like a UVI and the fact that it is a

805

00:31:38,890 --> 00:31:36,950

big centralized system or that's the way

806

00:31:40,360 --> 00:31:38,900

it's discussed and that really isn't the

807

00:31:42,730 --> 00:31:40,370

way we should go about it as you've said

808

00:31:44,770 --> 00:31:42,740

we need ten thousand different answers

809

00:31:47,230 --> 00:31:44,780

to health care not one and I think

810

00:31:49,480 --> 00:31:47,240

that's a good way to say it well what

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00:31:50,860 --> 00:31:49,490

would be so at the moment and by the way

812

00:31:52,900 --> 00:31:50,870

I consider single-payer to be an

813

00:31:54,549 --> 00:31:52,910

inevitability it's sort of the only way

814

00:31:56,530 --> 00:31:54,559

a developed country can continue and

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00:31:58,539 --> 00:31:56,540

interestingly I think it's about 58

816

00:32:00,880 --> 00:31:58,549

percent of the u.s. so that means quite

817

00:32:03,039 --> 00:32:00,890

a chunk of Republicans are on board with

818

00:32:05,710 --> 00:32:03,049

it and in sense that's broadly good but

819

00:32:08,799 --> 00:32:05,720

don't for a second think that that will

820

00:32:10,480 --> 00:32:08,809

in any way kind of improve the health

821

00:32:11,890 --> 00:32:10,490

care options that are available all it

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00:32:13,690 --> 00:32:11,900

will do is mean that if you get sick you

823

00:32:15,220 --> 00:32:13,700

don't go bankrupt and that's [h\_\_h]

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00:32:16,960 --> 00:32:15,230

great and funnily enough I'm surprised

825

00:32:19,510 --> 00:32:16,970

your publicans haven't made an economic

826

00:32:20,980 --> 00:32:19,520

argument for single-payer which is it's

827

00:32:22,659 --> 00:32:20,990

really bad for the economy to have

828

00:32:24,880 --> 00:32:22,669

thousands of people go bankrupt because

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00:32:28,180 --> 00:32:24,890

they have you know a minor heart problem

830

00:32:30,850 --> 00:32:28,190

I truly do not understand it but what

831

00:32:33,460 --> 00:32:30,860

with a centralized system and we've seen

832

00:32:35,409 --> 00:32:33,470

this we've seen it with vaccines and

833

00:32:38,770 --> 00:32:35,419

psychiatric drugs and everything else

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00:32:41,350 --> 00:32:38,780

you only need to bribe three to five

835

00:32:43,810 --> 00:32:41,360

people to cause the deaths and-and-and

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00:32:45,430 --> 00:32:43,820

chronic and degenerative diseases of

837

00:32:47,409 --> 00:32:45,440

tens of thousands if not millions of

838

00:32:50,200 --> 00:32:47,419

people you really only need bribe you

839

00:32:52,870 --> 00:32:50,210

know CDC FDA whatever at the top and you

840

00:32:55,299 --> 00:32:52,880

see the revolving door into and out of

841

00:32:57,010 --> 00:32:55,309

private pharma companies and into and

842

00:32:58,930 --> 00:32:57,020

out of government positions now if you

843

00:33:02,200 --> 00:32:58,940

run that if you do a sort of modified

844

00:33:02,920 --> 00:33:02,210

Canadian model where health care funding

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00:33:05,290 --> 00:33:02,930

is descent

846

00:33:07,120 --> 00:33:05,300

down to a state level now you have to

847

00:33:09,760 --> 00:33:07,130

bribe a hundred and fifty rather than

848

00:33:13,120 --> 00:33:09,770

three people and you probably will get

849

00:33:15,340 --> 00:33:13,130

80 of them 90 of them who knows but you

850

00:33:18,640 --> 00:33:15,350

kind of see where the centralization in

851

00:33:21,670 --> 00:33:18,650

power corrupts and and that's the bit

852

00:33:23,200 --> 00:33:21,680

that we can now prove in and this is a

853

00:33:24,310 --> 00:33:23,210

new thing so it's alright the people

854

00:33:26,650 --> 00:33:24,320

don't understand this it's really only

855

00:33:29,650 --> 00:33:26,660

been in the last 15 years that we had

856

00:33:31,750 --> 00:33:29,660

demographic and economic data and I mean

857

00:33:34,270 --> 00:33:31,760

physical data and you know access to

858

00:33:36,910 --> 00:33:34,280

computing power to crunch these numbers

859

00:33:38,530 --> 00:33:36,920

we can kind of demonstrate there are

860

00:33:40,480 --> 00:33:38,540

some things that work better than others

861

00:33:43,060 --> 00:33:40,490

and that's one of them like it you get a

862

00:33:46,600 --> 00:33:43,070

sort of inevitability of this corruption

863

00:33:48,040 --> 00:33:46,610

in power and you know in some sense in

864

00:33:52,270 --> 00:33:48,050

most sense these discussions are

865

00:33:54,160 --> 00:33:52,280

metaphysic because we don't get to make

866

00:33:56,050 --> 00:33:54,170

these decisions and the world's going to

867

00:33:59,740 --> 00:33:56,060

do what it's going to do but it's almost

868

00:34:03,010 --> 00:33:59,750

part of building yourself a coherent map

869

00:34:04,690 --> 00:34:03,020

for your own life to sort of solve this

870

00:34:06,700 --> 00:34:04,700

things for yourself to fit ago okay well

871

00:34:09,640 --> 00:34:06,710

if I did happen to the emperor of the

872

00:34:12,790 --> 00:34:09,650

world how would I arrange it and there's

873

00:34:15,190 --> 00:34:12,800

a lot of kind of personal real-life

874

00:34:18,160 --> 00:34:15,200

benefit that can come out of thinking

875

00:34:20,500 --> 00:34:18,170

that way but I'm sort of hesitant to go

876

00:34:22,500 --> 00:34:20,510

into those discussions because as we

877

00:34:25,870 --> 00:34:22,510

were chatting about a couple of days ago

878

00:34:27,730 --> 00:34:25,880

we seem to have replaced real-world

879

00:34:29,560 --> 00:34:27,740

improvements that we can make with

880

00:34:31,810 --> 00:34:29,570

arguing on the internet about our

881

00:34:35,590 --> 00:34:31,820

preferred utopias and that's a really

882

00:34:39,580 --> 00:34:35,600

19th century way of thinking about

883

00:34:41,800 --> 00:34:39,590

things as if you can kind of arrive at a

884

00:34:45,790 --> 00:34:41,810

proper functioning of the world by

885

00:34:47,440 --> 00:34:45,800

debate and it doesn't like there's no

886

00:34:49,330 --> 00:34:47,450

way even if you win the debate of

887

00:34:51,970 --> 00:34:49,340

getting that to actually match the

888

00:34:53,500 --> 00:34:51,980

physical world and I think a lot of what

889

00:34:56,200 --> 00:34:53,510

you see from an argument perspective

890

00:34:59,260 --> 00:34:56,210

online is that people have organized

891

00:35:00,640 --> 00:34:59,270

around a very specific utopia I'm not

892

00:35:02,740 --> 00:35:00,650

defending it they're defending it

893

00:35:06,160 --> 00:35:02,750

because anyone who disagrees with their

894

00:35:07,810 --> 00:35:06,170

version of a utopia is the enemy right

895

00:35:09,190 --> 00:35:07,820

right and that was going to be the next

896

00:35:12,280 --> 00:35:09,200

day I was going to ask you about because

897

00:35:14,290 --> 00:35:12,290

things like universal basic income or

898

00:35:16,620 --> 00:35:14,300

national health care we could say those

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00:35:18,900 --> 00:35:16,630

are the wrong answers for people who are

900

00:35:21,660 --> 00:35:18,910

left side oriented but what about those

901  
00:35:24,270 --> 00:35:21,670  
wrong answers come in from those on the

902  
00:35:26,970 --> 00:35:24,280  
right and this gets into that idea of a

903  
00:35:29,640 --> 00:35:26,980  
utopian anarcho-capitalist model which

904  
00:35:31,440 --> 00:35:29,650  
is very popular right now but it is more

905  
00:35:34,890 --> 00:35:31,450  
of a thought exercise than it is any

906  
00:35:37,980 --> 00:35:34,900  
kind of practical thing yeah well it's

907  
00:35:41,040 --> 00:35:37,990  
it's right-wing communism because the

908  
00:35:44,400 --> 00:35:41,050  
two kind of loudest flavours Anaka

909  
00:35:47,460 --> 00:35:44,410  
capitalist on the right and Anaka

910  
00:35:50,040 --> 00:35:47,470  
communist on the left and and so we sort

911  
00:35:52,260 --> 00:35:50,050  
of put an anchor like diet in front of

912  
00:35:55,500 --> 00:35:52,270  
you know a brand here and and the

913  
00:35:59,850 --> 00:35:55,510

trouble is and I am 100% in full

914

00:36:01,620 --> 00:35:59,860

agreement with the idea that the world

915

00:36:04,020 --> 00:36:01,630

could do with some fixing like things

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00:36:06,480 --> 00:36:04,030

aren't great like a 100% aligned with

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00:36:08,670 --> 00:36:06,490

both sides from a point of view which is

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00:36:09,870 --> 00:36:08,680

like I think we could run the world a

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00:36:11,430 --> 00:36:09,880

bit better I think we could participate

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00:36:13,470 --> 00:36:11,440

with each other a bit better than we

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00:36:16,140 --> 00:36:13,480

currently are and that's completely -

922

00:36:19,860 --> 00:36:16,150

like 100 percent no no disagreement here

923

00:36:21,090 --> 00:36:19,870

the trouble is to implement either of

924

00:36:23,880 --> 00:36:21,100

them and this comes back to what I was

925

00:36:26,340 --> 00:36:23,890

saying before like your soul for a near

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00:36:27,960 --> 00:36:26,350

totalitarian situation is totality

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00:36:30,120 --> 00:36:27,970

realism and and you know the obvious

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00:36:32,550 --> 00:36:30,130

example is going left to go okay well

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00:36:34,110 --> 00:36:32,560

you know the Communists that you can put

930

00:36:36,330 --> 00:36:34,120

an arco in front of it if you want but

931

00:36:37,890 --> 00:36:36,340

you end up with a system that killed

932

00:36:40,050 --> 00:36:37,900

more than 100 million people in the last

933

00:36:42,450 --> 00:36:40,060

hundred years and kind of delayed

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00:36:44,460 --> 00:36:42,460

innovation and you know all that kind of

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00:36:47,370 --> 00:36:44,470

so so the kind of left version of it is

936

00:36:49,110 --> 00:36:47,380

you need to you need goo eggs and and

937

00:36:51,150 --> 00:36:49,120

forced marches and all this kind of

938

00:36:52,980 --> 00:36:51,160

stuff to get to the left utopia and

939

00:36:55,110 --> 00:36:52,990

funny enough you kind of need it on the

940

00:36:59,070 --> 00:36:55,120

right as well because you need to force

941

00:37:02,070 --> 00:36:59,080

people into a world so you need a

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00:37:04,620 --> 00:37:02,080

totalizing rule to force people into a

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00:37:06,870 --> 00:37:04,630

world of no rules yeah so how are you

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00:37:10,920 --> 00:37:06,880

are you doing that how are you actually

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00:37:12,930 --> 00:37:10,930

getting people into a world of no rules

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00:37:15,480 --> 00:37:12,940

and the answer is well obviously I will

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00:37:17,430 --> 00:37:15,490

use totalizing for anything well that

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00:37:20,970 --> 00:37:17,440

kind of short circuit what you were

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00:37:23,670 --> 00:37:20,980

saying and and it's fine as an idea so

950

00:37:25,680 --> 00:37:23,680

utopias were

951  
00:37:28,170 --> 00:37:25,690  
thought experiment they were never Maps

952  
00:37:30,450 --> 00:37:28,180  
and that goes all the way back to

953  
00:37:32,820 --> 00:37:30,460  
Atlantis where the presence of Atlantis

954  
00:37:35,130 --> 00:37:32,830  
in Timaeus is there to make a point

955  
00:37:36,990 --> 00:37:35,140  
about governance systems in Greece and

956  
00:37:38,880 --> 00:37:37,000  
you get the same thing with where we get

957  
00:37:40,980 --> 00:37:38,890  
the word utopia from which is Thomas

958  
00:37:44,100 --> 00:37:40,990  
More like these thought experiments to

959  
00:37:46,620 --> 00:37:44,110  
make you their sort of moral lessons for

960  
00:37:49,200 --> 00:37:46,630  
how you could be living better now

961  
00:37:52,140 --> 00:37:49,210  
rather than haha we should absolutely do

962  
00:37:54,120 --> 00:37:52,150  
all of this and people who disagree will

963  
00:37:55,380 --> 00:37:54,130

be crushed so I think there's a couple

964

00:37:57,260 --> 00:37:55,390

of things in the civic inspector that

965

00:37:59,970 --> 00:37:57,270

we're saying before about people being

966

00:38:02,430 --> 00:37:59,980

the world is changing so much and it's

967

00:38:04,710 --> 00:38:02,440

kind of [h\_\_h] for a lot of people that

968

00:38:06,930 --> 00:38:04,720

they they find what they perceive to be

969

00:38:09,420 --> 00:38:06,940

the answer and then dig in and defend it

970

00:38:11,460 --> 00:38:09,430

and as a result of doing that

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00:38:13,080 --> 00:38:11,470

coming back to borders you're pushing

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00:38:15,030 --> 00:38:13,090

everyone outside of this border you've

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00:38:17,370 --> 00:38:15,040

just created and made them be enemy and

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00:38:19,620 --> 00:38:17,380

the reason why you're experiencing such

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00:38:22,290 --> 00:38:19,630

anxiety and pain and and lack of

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00:38:24,900 --> 00:38:22,300

opportunity and they said just a it's a

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00:38:27,090 --> 00:38:24,910

mind game it's genuinely a mind game

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00:38:29,510 --> 00:38:27,100

you've fallen into a mind trap and I

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00:38:31,560 --> 00:38:29,520

think that's part of the challenge is

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00:38:33,360 --> 00:38:31,570

sort of separating the fact that a

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00:38:36,330 --> 00:38:33,370

utopia is there is a moral psychological

982

00:38:38,880 --> 00:38:36,340

lesson rather than a map to full-blown

983

00:38:40,830 --> 00:38:38,890

totalitarianism mm-hmm and I think

984

00:38:42,720 --> 00:38:40,840

that's great because I did early on in

985

00:38:45,090 --> 00:38:42,730

this want to try to critique both sides

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00:38:47,130 --> 00:38:45,100

a little bit try to rattle both cages

987

00:38:48,630 --> 00:38:47,140

and point out exactly these sorts of

988

00:38:50,460 --> 00:38:48,640

things because there is a lot of

989

00:38:52,020 --> 00:38:50,470

soapboxing going on right now and

990

00:38:54,630 --> 00:38:52,030

everyone's attitude is that the top-down

991

00:38:57,900 --> 00:38:54,640

system overhaul will work if it's just

992

00:38:59,220 --> 00:38:57,910

on my way but it's centralization and

993

00:39:01,200 --> 00:38:59,230

globalization that created the

994

00:39:03,360 --> 00:39:01,210

conditions for people at the top to take

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00:39:05,760 --> 00:39:03,370

advantage like they do and you have a

996

00:39:06,860 --> 00:39:05,770

great line on the blog where you say

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00:39:09,360 --> 00:39:06,870

something to the effect that

998

00:39:11,520 --> 00:39:09,370

decentralization spreads out the risk of

999

00:39:12,900 --> 00:39:11,530

cronyism because cronyism and abuse of

1000

00:39:15,030 --> 00:39:12,910

power have always been there

1001  
00:39:16,860 --> 00:39:15,040  
let's move towards a way of life where

1002  
00:39:18,720 --> 00:39:16,870  
when it happens it just takes down a

1003  
00:39:20,670 --> 00:39:18,730  
regional school board rather than the

1004  
00:39:22,080 --> 00:39:20,680  
richest country on the planet and I

1005  
00:39:24,210 --> 00:39:22,090  
think that's a great way to put it and

1006  
00:39:26,310 --> 00:39:24,220  
it is really the only insurance policy

1007  
00:39:29,340 --> 00:39:26,320  
against a system of powerful puppet

1008  
00:39:31,200 --> 00:39:29,350  
masters yeah and this kind of comes back

1009  
00:39:33,600 --> 00:39:31,210  
to is a saying the formulation of

1010  
00:39:35,820 --> 00:39:33,610  
America is a spell to begin with if you

1011  
00:39:37,260 --> 00:39:35,830  
look at the reasons why they had like

1012  
00:39:37,530 --> 00:39:37,270  
you know okay let's not have a standing

1013  
00:39:39,540 --> 00:39:37,540

army

1014

00:39:41,760 --> 00:39:39,550

wisely well because when you have a

1015

00:39:44,640 --> 00:39:41,770

standing army people use it and you can

1016

00:39:47,370 --> 00:39:44,650

kind of see occasionally the temps in

1017

00:39:49,620 --> 00:39:47,380

history rarely to deal with the fact

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00:39:52,050 --> 00:39:49,630

that when you have things like crowns

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00:39:55,500 --> 00:39:52,060

and Thrones and navies you get

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00:39:57,000 --> 00:39:55,510

corruption and tyranny now the American

1021

00:39:58,680 --> 00:39:57,010

formulation of it a couple centuries ago

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00:40:00,750 --> 00:39:58,690

is obviously quite exclusionary with you

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00:40:02,580 --> 00:40:00,760

know white males essentially but the

1024

00:40:06,780 --> 00:40:02,590

idea is actually quite good so the

1025

00:40:08,670 --> 00:40:06,790

America is a kind of legal construct

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00:40:11,520 --> 00:40:08,680

around a transcendental object which is

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00:40:13,020 --> 00:40:11,530

the American so the idea of pursuit of

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00:40:14,790 --> 00:40:13,030

happiness and free speech and all these

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00:40:16,650 --> 00:40:14,800

things are transcendental and come from

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00:40:18,000 --> 00:40:16,660

God they aren't conferred by the state

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00:40:20,340 --> 00:40:18,010

and that's a kind of really

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00:40:22,380 --> 00:40:20,350

eighteenth-century way of looking at the

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00:40:26,580 --> 00:40:22,390

sort of same challenge we're looking at

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00:40:28,560 --> 00:40:26,590

now which is how do we organize politics

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00:40:32,460 --> 00:40:28,570

on a group level and metaphysics on an

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00:40:35,400 --> 00:40:32,470

individual level to maximize you know

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00:40:38,760 --> 00:40:35,410

opportunity and general happiness and

1038

00:40:40,560 --> 00:40:38,770

health and less shitty lives for people

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00:40:42,750 --> 00:40:40,570

and it's kind of a thing we have to keep

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00:40:45,360 --> 00:40:42,760

reminding ourselves and that was at a

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00:40:47,790 --> 00:40:45,370

different point in the cycle so the best

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00:40:50,760 --> 00:40:47,800

example of why people are yelling at

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00:40:52,470 --> 00:40:50,770

each other about utopian worldviews and

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00:40:55,200 --> 00:40:52,480

calling everyone who disagrees with

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00:40:57,210 --> 00:40:55,210

their particular utopia the enemy if you

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00:41:00,120 --> 00:40:57,220

look at the transition to an industrial

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00:41:02,040 --> 00:41:00,130

economy in the 19th century this is

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00:41:04,230 --> 00:41:02,050

where we get Marxism this is more or

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00:41:05,970 --> 00:41:04,240

less where you get anarchism this is

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00:41:08,550 --> 00:41:05,980

where you get a complete change in how

1051  
00:41:10,470 --> 00:41:08,560  
monarchies and Europe work the same

1052  
00:41:12,930 --> 00:41:10,480  
thing happened because they're dealing

1053  
00:41:15,900 --> 00:41:12,940  
with one of these sort of turns one of

1054  
00:41:17,790 --> 00:41:15,910  
the sort of points in the cycle where

1055  
00:41:20,760 --> 00:41:17,800  
you have a sort of major transition and

1056  
00:41:22,050 --> 00:41:20,770  
we're doing the same thing now and I

1057  
00:41:24,630 --> 00:41:22,060  
think there's an opportunity to do it

1058  
00:41:28,530 --> 00:41:24,640  
slightly better we can increased I guess

1059  
00:41:31,170 --> 00:41:28,540  
historical perspective cheers to that

1060  
00:41:33,180 --> 00:41:31,180  
and let's get into some real advice now

1061  
00:41:35,280 --> 00:41:33,190  
that we've torched a couple sacred cows

1062  
00:41:37,590 --> 00:41:35,290  
I also want to ask you about this post

1063  
00:41:39,450 --> 00:41:37,600

of yours black pearl of great price the

1064

00:41:41,160 --> 00:41:39,460

magical significance of Captain Jack

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00:41:43,080 --> 00:41:41,170

Sparrow where you say that the Pirates

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00:41:44,970 --> 00:41:43,090

of the Caribbean films in aggregate are

1067

00:41:47,220 --> 00:41:44,980

the best depictions of Western magic

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00:41:49,680 --> 00:41:47,230

ever committed to celluloid and you talk

1069

00:41:51,210 --> 00:41:49,690

about Jack Sparrow being one of the best

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00:41:53,130 --> 00:41:51,220

pop culture examples of the

1071

00:41:55,560 --> 00:41:53,140

Rickster since Bugs Bunny and a good

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00:41:57,240 --> 00:41:55,570

model for navigating chaotic times which

1073

00:42:01,770 --> 00:41:57,250

we seem to be in tell us a little bit

1074

00:42:03,890 --> 00:42:01,780

about this model yeah I just went to if

1075

00:42:06,750 --> 00:42:03,900

people haven't read rune soup before I

1076

00:42:08,880 --> 00:42:06,760

say things like that and I say them

1077

00:42:10,349 --> 00:42:08,890

because if you know it breaks people up

1078

00:42:12,570 --> 00:42:10,359

as they reading the post but there's

1079

00:42:15,180 --> 00:42:12,580

been a Pirates of the Caribbean motif

1080

00:42:19,470 --> 00:42:15,190

for years and what I essentially mean by

1081

00:42:22,260 --> 00:42:19,480

that and I think if you look at Captain

1082

00:42:24,570 --> 00:42:22,270

Jack's purpose as in from a

1083

00:42:27,450 --> 00:42:24,580

screenwriting perspective and he says

1084

00:42:29,760 --> 00:42:27,460

this in the first film when he says what

1085

00:42:32,310 --> 00:42:29,770

a ship is and he says it's not a sail

1086

00:42:33,810 --> 00:42:32,320

and a keel and a hull and and so that's

1087

00:42:38,700 --> 00:42:33,820

what a ship needs where the ship is is

1088

00:42:41,730 --> 00:42:38,710

freedom if you look at this archetype he

1089

00:42:45,300 --> 00:42:41,740

is moving through the world towards

1090

00:42:47,010 --> 00:42:45,310

increased freedom opposite that and you

1091

00:42:50,130 --> 00:42:47,020

kind of get this in particular in the

1092

00:42:54,030 --> 00:42:50,140

sort of middle films and less so in the

1093

00:42:56,070 --> 00:42:54,040

first one opposing that you have the

1094

00:42:58,430 --> 00:42:56,080

East India Company which is sort of the

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00:43:00,089 --> 00:42:58,440

perfect villain because it is it's

1096

00:43:02,880 --> 00:43:00,099

centralization and disenchantment

1097

00:43:05,430 --> 00:43:02,890

because it is a corporation that it's a

1098

00:43:07,650 --> 00:43:05,440

state corporation so it's it's the worst

1099

00:43:10,349 --> 00:43:07,660

of the state in this case the crown and

1100

00:43:12,920 --> 00:43:10,359

the worst of corporate behavior and it

1101  
00:43:17,010 --> 00:43:12,930  
is this sort of totalizing sameness that

1102  
00:43:19,020 --> 00:43:17,020  
is removing the freedom and taste in

1103  
00:43:22,020 --> 00:43:19,030  
color and it's represented by things

1104  
00:43:23,250 --> 00:43:22,030  
like magic and in your funny pirates and

1105  
00:43:25,370 --> 00:43:23,260  
the Pirates are interesting because

1106  
00:43:28,079 --> 00:43:25,380  
they're different races different

1107  
00:43:30,510 --> 00:43:28,089  
genders all this kind of stuff so the

1108  
00:43:32,520 --> 00:43:30,520  
pirates that have represent the organic

1109  
00:43:34,470 --> 00:43:32,530  
and the analog and and and the chaotic

1110  
00:43:37,079 --> 00:43:34,480  
in a benign sense like that's what they

1111  
00:43:39,329 --> 00:43:37,089  
are and it's by the way not an exact

1112  
00:43:41,010 --> 00:43:39,339  
match of this is not a historical

1113  
00:43:41,670 --> 00:43:41,020

documentary this is you know how these

1114

00:43:43,050 --> 00:43:41,680

things work

1115

00:43:45,470 --> 00:43:43,060

so because you what you're dealing with

1116

00:43:48,329 --> 00:43:45,480

is a metaphysical discussion damn and

1117

00:43:51,230 --> 00:43:48,339

what's interesting about Captain Jack is

1118

00:43:54,720 --> 00:43:51,240

that he's and why I use the Bugs Bunny

1119

00:43:56,839 --> 00:43:54,730

example is he navigates the world of

1120

00:44:00,079 --> 00:43:56,849

increasing totalitarianism and

1121

00:44:03,180 --> 00:44:00,089

decreasing enchantment in a very

1122

00:44:04,079 --> 00:44:03,190

probabilistic way so he has a goal at

1123

00:44:05,489 --> 00:44:04,089

the end

1124

00:44:08,609 --> 00:44:05,499

which in the first film is getting a

1125

00:44:11,789 --> 00:44:08,619

ship back but he doesn't over plan the

1126

00:44:14,910 --> 00:44:11,799

steps the steps in between then and and

1127

00:44:16,999 --> 00:44:14,920

where he is are not known so he kind of

1128

00:44:19,019 --> 00:44:17,009

manages that on a probabilistic

1129

00:44:21,809 --> 00:44:19,029

individual basis pointing in one

1130

00:44:23,459 --> 00:44:21,819

direction and that's really that's very

1131

00:44:26,099 --> 00:44:23,469

good that's that's getting on furnace

1132

00:44:28,439 --> 00:44:26,109

into lab right because you in some sense

1133

00:44:29,939 --> 00:44:28,449

you will or in most senses you don't

1134

00:44:31,529 --> 00:44:29,949

know what's going to happen and a lot of

1135

00:44:33,179 --> 00:44:31,539

the sort of psychological pain people

1136

00:44:35,009 --> 00:44:33,189

experiences because they think they know

1137

00:44:36,479 --> 00:44:35,019

what's going to happen it doesn't and so

1138

00:44:38,489 --> 00:44:36,489

Captain Jack has this sort of

1139

00:44:41,549 --> 00:44:38,499

freewheeling way of going I'm a

1140

00:44:44,939 --> 00:44:41,559

heuristic or boolean decision basis does

1141

00:44:47,519 --> 00:44:44,949

this next step get me closer or further

1142

00:44:48,959 --> 00:44:47,529

away from my goal and he takes that one

1143

00:44:51,719 --> 00:44:48,969

and the famous sort of beginning

1144

00:44:54,059 --> 00:44:51,729

sequence in the first film where he

1145

00:44:56,640 --> 00:44:54,069

shows up on a sinking little boat and

1146

00:44:58,469 --> 00:44:56,650

then you know leaves and the second

1147

00:45:00,420 --> 00:44:58,479

fastest ship in the Caribbean and in the

1148

00:45:01,920 --> 00:45:00,430

meantime the town's been bombed and

1149

00:45:03,329 --> 00:45:01,930

people are falling off cliffs that he's

1150

00:45:05,339 --> 00:45:03,339

been in and out of jail and so on and it

1151  
00:45:07,559 --> 00:45:05,349  
all starts with he shows up with

1152  
00:45:09,929 --> 00:45:07,569  
absolutely nothing and leaves what he

1153  
00:45:12,509 --> 00:45:09,939  
won with what he want because of that

1154  
00:45:14,279 --> 00:45:12,519  
kind of thinking and decision-making and

1155  
00:45:17,160 --> 00:45:14,289  
Bugs Bunny does that Bugs Bunny's very

1156  
00:45:20,339 --> 00:45:17,170  
much in the moment that demonstrates the

1157  
00:45:23,009 --> 00:45:20,349  
confidence or mastery of chaos that the

1158  
00:45:25,339 --> 00:45:23,019  
trickster represents and as a result is

1159  
00:45:28,319 --> 00:45:25,349  
kind of like a really good metaphor for

1160  
00:45:30,059 --> 00:45:28,329  
a really good way of thinking about in

1161  
00:45:32,339 --> 00:45:30,069  
the sense of having a bracelet that says

1162  
00:45:34,169 --> 00:45:32,349  
what would Jack Sparrow do it's a really

1163  
00:45:36,089 --> 00:45:34,179

good a good way of thinking about what

1164

00:45:38,719 --> 00:45:36,099

you can do on an individual basis and

1165

00:45:41,009 --> 00:45:38,729

how you navigate things like

1166

00:45:43,109 --> 00:45:41,019

totalitarianism and disenchantment and

1167

00:45:46,380 --> 00:45:43,119

so on to get to the goal you want to get

1168

00:45:49,849 --> 00:45:46,390

to your black goal mm-hmm well said I

1169

00:45:52,499 --> 00:45:49,859

mean it is such a great attitude this

1170

00:45:54,539 --> 00:45:52,509

practicality moment-by-moment this

1171

00:45:56,729 --> 00:45:54,549

ultimate like flexibility and fluidity

1172

00:45:59,729 --> 00:45:56,739

and that's very appropriate for a

1173

00:46:01,529 --> 00:45:59,739

rapidly changing times yeah it is

1174

00:46:03,490 --> 00:46:01,539

because we don't know what the

1175

00:46:05,320 --> 00:46:03,500

intervening

1176  
00:46:07,720 --> 00:46:05,330  
between this year between now and 2030

1177  
00:46:09,730 --> 00:46:07,730  
the US will not be the preeminent

1178  
00:46:12,220 --> 00:46:09,740  
economic power in the world that will

1179  
00:46:14,470 --> 00:46:12,230  
change we will have different

1180  
00:46:15,940 --> 00:46:14,480  
applications of well we're certainly

1181  
00:46:17,830 --> 00:46:15,950  
have digital currency we will probably

1182  
00:46:20,890 --> 00:46:17,840  
have a modified ubi which will begin

1183  
00:46:23,440 --> 00:46:20,900  
with like a bundling up of all kind of

1184  
00:46:25,600 --> 00:46:23,450  
states wealth transfers into one thing

1185  
00:46:27,430 --> 00:46:25,610  
and it'll build from there and you kind

1186  
00:46:29,500 --> 00:46:27,440  
of look at the steps which we now and

1187  
00:46:31,690 --> 00:46:29,510  
getting to a more multipolar world

1188  
00:46:33,880 --> 00:46:31,700

there's the risk of multiple Wars

1189

00:46:36,880 --> 00:46:33,890

there's you have to be honest with

1190

00:46:38,590 --> 00:46:36,890

yourself is Washington the best people

1191

00:46:40,240 --> 00:46:38,600

are they going to deliver all of these

1192

00:46:42,610 --> 00:46:40,250

things without sticking the landing and

1193

00:46:44,230 --> 00:46:42,620

the answer is probably no so you don't

1194

00:46:45,790 --> 00:46:44,240

know in which way these things are going

1195

00:46:48,250 --> 00:46:45,800

to happen but in the meantime you

1196

00:46:51,310 --> 00:46:48,260

probably most people listen to this plan

1197

00:46:53,830 --> 00:46:51,320

to be alive in 2030 so what are you

1198

00:46:57,790 --> 00:46:53,840

doing and how do you navigate an unknown

1199

00:47:00,670 --> 00:46:57,800

terrain and there is something in the

1200

00:47:02,080 --> 00:47:00,680

perpetual optimism of a kind of

1201  
00:47:04,330 --> 00:47:02,090  
trickster way of thinking things which

1202  
00:47:06,790 --> 00:47:04,340  
is I will eventually win and it's not in

1203  
00:47:08,500 --> 00:47:06,800  
a malicious villainous way if they'll

1204  
00:47:10,960 --> 00:47:08,510  
eventually win but say oh now I'm in

1205  
00:47:13,810 --> 00:47:10,970  
jail now I'm here now I'm here like this

1206  
00:47:15,400 --> 00:47:13,820  
is the thing that's happening now reset

1207  
00:47:17,590 --> 00:47:15,410  
the decision with what gets me closer

1208  
00:47:19,750 --> 00:47:17,600  
what gets me further away and it's just

1209  
00:47:21,730 --> 00:47:19,760  
a it's a fascinating thing to watch and

1210  
00:47:23,590 --> 00:47:21,740  
just if people are listening to this

1211  
00:47:25,150 --> 00:47:23,600  
going well I haven't seen it in a number

1212  
00:47:27,790 --> 00:47:25,160  
of years and I recall the middle ones

1213  
00:47:29,290 --> 00:47:27,800

being shipped there is a trick

1214

00:47:30,760 --> 00:47:29,300

particularly is the new films coming out

1215

00:47:32,260 --> 00:47:30,770

as to how to watch it and you give

1216

00:47:33,400 --> 00:47:32,270

yourself a weekend and you watch the

1217

00:47:35,620 --> 00:47:33,410

first one on the Friday night because

1218

00:47:37,570 --> 00:47:35,630

it's essentially standalone the only way

1219

00:47:39,310 --> 00:47:37,580

the middle to make sense is if you watch

1220

00:47:41,320 --> 00:47:39,320

them back-to-back so that's what you do

1221

00:47:43,540 --> 00:47:41,330

in the Saturday and then you can watch

1222

00:47:46,090 --> 00:47:43,550

the final one which is almost its own

1223

00:47:47,850 --> 00:47:46,100

standalone on the Sunday but you can if

1224

00:47:50,440 --> 00:47:47,860

you chunk them in the whole weekend I

1225

00:47:53,530 --> 00:47:50,450

guarantee you they will make sense and I

1226  
00:47:55,150 --> 00:47:53,540  
guarantee you I will make sense there

1227  
00:47:56,860 --> 00:47:55,160  
are enough I'll add it to the list so I

1228  
00:47:57,790 --> 00:47:56,870  
can make it seem like I'm doing

1229  
00:47:59,800 --> 00:47:57,800  
something we're really I'm just

1230  
00:48:04,150 --> 00:47:59,810  
facilitating laziness but yeah you can

1231  
00:48:06,250 --> 00:48:04,160  
commit research yes right so when we do

1232  
00:48:08,530 --> 00:48:06,260  
look at the geopolitical chess board

1233  
00:48:09,790 --> 00:48:08,540  
right now power does seem to be shifting

1234  
00:48:11,470 --> 00:48:09,800  
and I wanted to ask you about China

1235  
00:48:13,660 --> 00:48:11,480  
because you've talked about the economic

1236  
00:48:15,730 --> 00:48:13,670  
might shifting over there in the years

1237  
00:48:17,230 --> 00:48:15,740  
to come and they recently announced they

1238  
00:48:19,030 --> 00:48:17,240

would be opening up there

1239

00:48:20,920 --> 00:48:19,040

series and insurance companies to

1240

00:48:22,690 --> 00:48:20,930

foreign ownership which seemed quite

1241

00:48:25,060 --> 00:48:22,700

different from their usual style kind of

1242

00:48:26,170 --> 00:48:25,070

struck me as it might be a big deal what

1243

00:48:28,300 --> 00:48:26,180

are your thoughts on that what does that

1244

00:48:32,350 --> 00:48:28,310

move signal to you anything real

1245

00:48:33,820 --> 00:48:32,360

significant it's when you're dealing

1246

00:48:36,609 --> 00:48:33,830

with China they will say things like

1247

00:48:38,970 --> 00:48:36,619

that but you're still not going to get

1248

00:48:41,380 --> 00:48:38,980

even if with majority foreign ownership

1249

00:48:42,880 --> 00:48:41,390

you're still playing China's game you're

1250

00:48:45,670 --> 00:48:42,890

like if you're if you're buying into

1251

00:48:47,560 --> 00:48:45,680

anything that's Chinese finance it's

1252

00:48:49,660 --> 00:48:47,570

there's much like the u.s. one it's

1253

00:48:52,530 --> 00:48:49,670

completely monitored we may say things

1254

00:48:55,300 --> 00:48:52,540

like that it will be a precursor to

1255

00:48:57,910 --> 00:48:55,310

increasing eurasian economic integration

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00:49:00,760 --> 00:48:57,920

so we will open it up to foreigners oh

1257

00:49:03,570 --> 00:49:00,770

look Iran and Russia and India and so on

1258

00:49:06,850 --> 00:49:03,580

have bought in so it's a way of kind of

1259

00:49:08,890 --> 00:49:06,860

almost building like a privatized EU if

1260

00:49:12,220 --> 00:49:08,900

you look at the infrastructure projects

1261

00:49:13,780 --> 00:49:12,230

and the access to capital and the

1262

00:49:15,460 --> 00:49:13,790

redundancy and access to capital that

1263

00:49:17,790 --> 00:49:15,470

they're building in Eurasia at the

1264

00:49:19,840 --> 00:49:17,800

moment this is that next step and

1265

00:49:23,650 --> 00:49:19,850

broadly speaking it's good

1266

00:49:26,740 --> 00:49:23,660

broadly speaking economic integration of

1267

00:49:28,810 --> 00:49:26,750

Eurasia without war without the kind of

1268

00:49:30,970 --> 00:49:28,820

totalizing anglo-american approach which

1269

00:49:33,580 --> 00:49:30,980

is we will economically integrate you

1270

00:49:36,160 --> 00:49:33,590

into ours by taking all your resources

1271

00:49:38,470 --> 00:49:36,170

and and giving you dollars and propping

1272

00:49:41,440 --> 00:49:38,480

up dictators there is a way of doing it

1273

00:49:44,290 --> 00:49:41,450

that will hopefully kind of result in

1274

00:49:46,060 --> 00:49:44,300

the dramatic economic and an sort of

1275

00:49:48,430 --> 00:49:46,070

cultural improvement of the lives of

1276

00:49:50,020 --> 00:49:48,440

billions of people so we can kind of

1277

00:49:52,120 --> 00:49:50,030

curse our fingers on it but when China

1278

00:49:53,740 --> 00:49:52,130

says things like that and they're

1279

00:49:57,070 --> 00:49:53,750

playing this game is ugh thinking about

1280

00:50:00,280 --> 00:49:57,080

it remember I guess it would have been

1281

00:50:04,330 --> 00:50:00,290

end of 2014 when the Rockefeller Trust

1282

00:50:07,030 --> 00:50:04,340

divested itself of all its hydrocarbon

1283

00:50:09,099 --> 00:50:07,040

assets and which wasn't like Rockefeller

1284

00:50:12,370 --> 00:50:09,109

but just the trust divested itself of

1285

00:50:13,870 --> 00:50:12,380

hydrocarbon assets and then because we

1286

00:50:17,140 --> 00:50:13,880

were kind of playing that shadow war

1287

00:50:19,270 --> 00:50:17,150

with Russia then oil tanked expecting

1288

00:50:21,820 --> 00:50:19,280

this would be to pain in Russia before

1289

00:50:23,830 --> 00:50:21,830

that happened earlier in the year China

1290

00:50:26,170 --> 00:50:23,840

and Russia cut a natural gas deal it was

1291

00:50:27,580 --> 00:50:26,180

about 20% below market and everyone's

1292

00:50:29,020 --> 00:50:27,590

like are you know Russia must be

1293

00:50:30,310 --> 00:50:29,030

desperate and then we see the energy

1294

00:50:32,050 --> 00:50:30,320

price

1295

00:50:34,150 --> 00:50:32,060

crashed and to me that deal looks pretty

1296

00:50:36,870 --> 00:50:34,160

good you can kind of see that they're

1297

00:50:38,980 --> 00:50:36,880

playing this medium-term game of

1298

00:50:41,080 --> 00:50:38,990

Eurasian economic integration and

1299

00:50:44,350 --> 00:50:41,090

because the Anglo Americans are so

1300

00:50:47,130 --> 00:50:44,360

schizophrenic about letting other people

1301

00:50:50,410 --> 00:50:47,140

on the big table we're kind of missing

1302

00:50:52,690 --> 00:50:50,420

one of the singular economic events in

1303

00:50:54,610 --> 00:50:52,700

in the history of the planet by getting

1304

00:50:56,850 --> 00:50:54,620

this wrong and I just think like they're

1305

00:50:59,890 --> 00:50:56,860

playing they're playing a very

1306

00:51:01,660 --> 00:50:59,900

medium-term subtextual economic game

1307

00:51:04,270 --> 00:51:01,670

that we're currently not participating

1308

00:51:07,540 --> 00:51:04,280

in hmm and you've alluded a couple times

1309

00:51:09,730 --> 00:51:07,550

to the power going to China and 2030

1310

00:51:12,280 --> 00:51:09,740

that's coming from that Martin Armstrong

1311

00:51:14,890 --> 00:51:12,290

model of cycles right yeah he has

1312

00:51:17,470 --> 00:51:14,900

exactly 2030 too is when China becomes

1313

00:51:20,050 --> 00:51:17,480

the economic capital of the world in his

1314

00:51:21,310 --> 00:51:20,060

cycle model but the thing is why I like

1315

00:51:23,500 --> 00:51:21,320

it is that it's got some very

1316

00:51:25,570 --> 00:51:23,510

interesting precision timing but you

1317

00:51:27,130 --> 00:51:25,580

don't need this sort of model that he

1318

00:51:29,290 --> 00:51:27,140

spent hundreds of millions of dollars

1319

00:51:31,240 --> 00:51:29,300

building to kind of see that that's

1320

00:51:32,680 --> 00:51:31,250

going to happen approximately then right

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00:51:34,750 --> 00:51:32,690

funnily enough talking to speaking in

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00:51:36,670 --> 00:51:34,760

Austin Austin Copic we were talking

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00:51:38,200 --> 00:51:36,680

about medium and long term astrological

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00:51:40,360 --> 00:51:38,210

cycles and something very similar kind

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00:51:42,520 --> 00:51:40,370

of shows up in astrology and just as a

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00:51:44,830 --> 00:51:42,530

medium-term economic forecast looking at

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00:51:47,440 --> 00:51:44,840

where things are going to hit around the

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00:51:50,440 --> 00:51:47,450

2030 mark seems like a reasonable thing

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00:51:52,840 --> 00:51:50,450

to say right on and I'm sure a lot of

1330

00:51:54,940 --> 00:51:52,850

people are kind of freaking out about

1331

00:51:58,240 --> 00:51:54,950

that a little bit but you also talk

1332

00:52:00,550 --> 00:51:58,250

about opportunities in knowing the

1333

00:52:02,470 --> 00:52:00,560

proper landscape and then capitalizing

1334

00:52:03,490 --> 00:52:02,480

what kind of opportunities do you think

1335

00:52:05,020 --> 00:52:03,500

there would be because I think a lot of

1336

00:52:07,840 --> 00:52:05,030

people might feel like well I don't have

1337

00:52:11,410 --> 00:52:07,850

the resources to really capitalize on

1338

00:52:13,480 --> 00:52:11,420

anything when the general population is

1339

00:52:15,750 --> 00:52:13,490

going to be losing a lot of their buying

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00:52:17,830 --> 00:52:15,760

power so where are the opportunities I

1341

00:52:19,300 --> 00:52:17,840

just want to talk about that freaking

1342

00:52:21,340 --> 00:52:19,310

out thing that does fascinate me when

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00:52:23,590 --> 00:52:21,350

Americans freaked out going from number

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00:52:25,000 --> 00:52:23,600

one to number two the economy in the

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00:52:27,370 --> 00:52:25,010

world like relax

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00:52:29,110 --> 00:52:27,380

it doesn't mean you know it doesn't mean

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00:52:30,310 --> 00:52:29,120

that there's no money with the kind of

1348

00:52:31,960 --> 00:52:30,320

evening money like in the u.s. in a

1349

00:52:34,750 --> 00:52:31,970

funny way but like just in the middle

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00:52:36,430 --> 00:52:34,760

class it doesn't mean China has all the

1351  
00:52:38,350 --> 00:52:36,440  
money and no one else has any of it if

1352  
00:52:40,210 --> 00:52:38,360  
you look at say you know Europe does

1353  
00:52:41,770 --> 00:52:40,220  
find by don't being by no longer being

1354  
00:52:43,280 --> 00:52:41,780  
the economic capital of the world

1355  
00:52:44,480 --> 00:52:43,290  
it's what happens

1356  
00:52:45,920 --> 00:52:44,490  
that the thing that happens at this

1357  
00:52:48,800 --> 00:52:45,930  
point of a timeline so it doesn't mean

1358  
00:52:51,800 --> 00:52:48,810  
America closes but what it does mean is

1359  
00:52:53,330 --> 00:52:51,810  
if you were looking for areas of

1360  
00:52:54,620 --> 00:52:53,340  
medium-term growth and it depends on

1361  
00:52:56,660 --> 00:52:54,630  
where you are in your life and what you

1362  
00:52:58,250 --> 00:52:56,670  
want to do with your life and so on the

1363  
00:53:00,530 --> 00:52:58,260

sort of rise of Eurasia

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00:53:03,080 --> 00:53:00,540

of which China is the is the largest

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00:53:04,910 --> 00:53:03,090

economy the rise of Eurasia is the

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00:53:07,790 --> 00:53:04,920

economic event of your lifetime

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00:53:10,310 --> 00:53:07,800

now you can participate in that but even

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00:53:13,040 --> 00:53:10,320

if you don't you still are because that

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00:53:14,540 --> 00:53:13,050

is where your pension funds will be

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00:53:16,730 --> 00:53:14,550

invested but you know if there are any

1371

00:53:18,950 --> 00:53:16,740

left by 2030 your pension funds will be

1372

00:53:21,320 --> 00:53:18,960

invested in the building of Eurasia and

1373

00:53:23,450 --> 00:53:21,330

so on so it's it's almost like you can't

1374

00:53:25,670 --> 00:53:23,460

not take a position about what's going

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00:53:27,380 --> 00:53:25,680

on and as a result step one is to kind

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00:53:29,420 --> 00:53:27,390

of you don't need to go into detail on

1377

00:53:32,960 --> 00:53:29,430

it but step one is to sort of know at a

1378

00:53:35,120 --> 00:53:32,970

top level the economic shape of the

1379

00:53:37,070 --> 00:53:35,130

world and the more or less the direction

1380

00:53:38,780 --> 00:53:37,080

it's heading because that has a flow

1381

00:53:40,790 --> 00:53:38,790

down effect into what it is you

1382

00:53:42,890 --> 00:53:40,800

prioritize and whether you if you want a

1383

00:53:45,140 --> 00:53:42,900

high-flying career and you're in your

1384

00:53:47,060 --> 00:53:45,150

early 20s then it's you probably need to

1385

00:53:50,180 --> 00:53:47,070

know a little bit more than if you're in

1386

00:53:52,730 --> 00:53:50,190

your late 40s and kind of say well I

1387

00:53:55,520 --> 00:53:52,740

just want to make sure I can retire and

1388

00:53:58,280 --> 00:53:55,530

not have to like dumpster dive for food

1389

00:54:01,009 --> 00:53:58,290

so you need to know something different

1390

00:54:03,739 --> 00:54:01,019

about it and and that's

1391

00:54:07,069 --> 00:54:03,749

step1 step2 is more or less the same

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00:54:11,169 --> 00:54:07,079

when this comes back to the metaphysics

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00:54:13,849 --> 00:54:11,179

of of having a global understanding but

1394

00:54:16,099 --> 00:54:13,859

participating on an individual or local

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00:54:17,630 --> 00:54:16,109

or family or tribal group basis or

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00:54:20,359 --> 00:54:17,640

whatever you want to call it because

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00:54:21,949 --> 00:54:20,369

firmly enough even if we weren't at that

1398

00:54:25,429 --> 00:54:21,959

migration point if you look at the

1399

00:54:28,130 --> 00:54:25,439

direction of just developed economies in

1400

00:54:30,739 --> 00:54:28,140

general fluid is going to get more

1401

00:54:34,899 --> 00:54:30,749

expensive and of lower quality well

1402

00:54:37,519 --> 00:54:34,909

paying jobs are going to you know vanish

1403

00:54:39,859 --> 00:54:37,529

steadily and then rapidly decline as the

1404

00:54:41,059 --> 00:54:39,869

rise of automation comes on and all of a

1405

00:54:43,519 --> 00:54:41,069

sudden you're starting to look at things

1406

00:54:45,829 --> 00:54:43,529

well what are the things I can do about

1407

00:54:49,609 --> 00:54:45,839

that I can't participate in a robot war

1408

00:54:52,819 --> 00:54:49,619

just yet and that becomes a game of sort

1409

00:54:55,219 --> 00:54:52,829

of radically reducing your operating

1410

00:54:56,509 --> 00:54:55,229

costs prioritizing your own health and

1411

00:54:58,789 --> 00:54:56,519

nutrition and that does mean growing

1412

00:55:01,249 --> 00:54:58,799

things this this all kind of falls

1413

00:55:03,199 --> 00:55:01,259

together as the one medium-term strategy

1414

00:55:06,289 --> 00:55:03,209

which is even as a thought experiment

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00:55:09,229 --> 00:55:06,299

find out just in your head what you

1416

00:55:11,509 --> 00:55:09,239

could genuinely do to reduce your rent

1417

00:55:13,669 --> 00:55:11,519

by 80% and there are things you can do

1418

00:55:15,199 --> 00:55:13,679

they aren't palatable in a lot of cases

1419

00:55:17,839 --> 00:55:15,209

like well I suppose I can get three more

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00:55:19,009 --> 00:55:17,849

flatmates but those are the kind of

1421

00:55:20,659 --> 00:55:19,019

ideas you need to start thinking not

1422

00:55:21,799 --> 00:55:20,669

exactly that but those are the kind of

1423

00:55:25,219 --> 00:55:21,809

ideas you need to start thinking about

1424

00:55:27,679 --> 00:55:25,229

because however this ends all over this

1425

00:55:30,049 --> 00:55:27,689

migration goes you're still going to

1426  
00:55:32,749 --> 00:55:30,059  
need access to particularly you have

1427  
00:55:35,749 --> 00:55:32,759  
children access to nutritional food and

1428  
00:55:37,969 --> 00:55:35,759  
some sort of kind of economic fallback

1429  
00:55:40,189 --> 00:55:37,979  
as the economy transitions into a

1430  
00:55:42,319 --> 00:55:40,199  
largely automated one which means you

1431  
00:55:44,029 --> 00:55:42,329  
know if people do work for other

1432  
00:55:46,269 --> 00:55:44,039  
companies rather themselves and you know

1433  
00:55:48,889 --> 00:55:46,279  
the majority of people do have multiple

1434  
00:55:51,169 --> 00:55:48,899  
incomes in the one house operating in

1435  
00:55:52,429 --> 00:55:51,179  
different industries multi-generational

1436  
00:55:54,439 --> 00:55:52,439  
living this is the kind of stuff we

1437  
00:55:56,599 --> 00:55:54,449  
talked about in chaos protocols which is

1438  
00:55:58,909 --> 00:55:56,609

what the entire rest of the world

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00:56:01,669 --> 00:55:58,919

outside of the Anglosphere does right

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00:56:04,279 --> 00:56:01,679

now and it's what the Anglosphere did up

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00:56:06,229 --> 00:56:04,289

until the 1950s so we had this seventy

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00:56:08,629 --> 00:56:06,239

year guess that one family could keep

1443

00:56:11,899 --> 00:56:08,639

three houses solvent and that gas has

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00:56:14,059 --> 00:56:11,909

turned out to be wrong so the question

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00:56:14,900 --> 00:56:14,069

is how you look at organizing your life

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00:56:16,490 --> 00:56:14,910

and funny enough since

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00:56:18,589 --> 00:56:16,500

writing a book and this is a bit I get

1448

00:56:20,450 --> 00:56:18,599

obviously you know people email or get

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00:56:22,940 --> 00:56:20,460

in touch about it the thing that I've

1450

00:56:24,950 --> 00:56:22,950

delighted in the most is the different

1451  
00:56:26,690 --> 00:56:24,960  
configurations of households people have

1452  
00:56:29,029 --> 00:56:26,700  
emailed in going you know I already do

1453  
00:56:30,470 --> 00:56:29,039  
that my favorite one was a divorced

1454  
00:56:31,279 --> 00:56:30,480  
couple obviously not all divorces can

1455  
00:56:34,609 --> 00:56:31,289  
work like this

1456  
00:56:36,770 --> 00:56:34,619  
but a divorced couple who both like the

1457  
00:56:38,870 --> 00:56:36,780  
husband and ex-husband and ex-wife have

1458  
00:56:40,730 --> 00:56:38,880  
new partners and most partners have

1459  
00:56:42,980 --> 00:56:40,740  
their own families and they said well

1460  
00:56:46,400 --> 00:56:42,990  
let's just all live in the one big house

1461  
00:56:48,380 --> 00:56:46,410  
so the kids of the original marriage are

1462  
00:56:50,299 --> 00:56:48,390  
still living with both parents everyone

1463  
00:56:53,029 --> 00:56:50,309

gets on great this big house you have

1464

00:56:55,220 --> 00:56:53,039

four adult incomes you have access to

1465

00:56:57,440 --> 00:56:55,230

health care you have access to childcare

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00:56:59,120 --> 00:56:57,450

all this stuff but that's a miracle to

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00:57:01,339 --> 00:56:59,130

me and I appreciate not all divorces go

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00:57:03,049 --> 00:57:01,349

like that but there are all kinds of

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00:57:05,299 --> 00:57:03,059

different configurations of it the idea

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00:57:07,130 --> 00:57:05,309

that you have to have like if you look

1471

00:57:09,920 --> 00:57:07,140

at a house and picture the inside of it

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00:57:11,750 --> 00:57:09,930

it's a white man in a sweater carving a

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00:57:13,670 --> 00:57:11,760

roast for his white family like that's

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00:57:17,059 --> 00:57:13,680

gone that was a guess that was a guess

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00:57:18,829 --> 00:57:17,069

to sell dishwashers in the 60s right you

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00:57:23,510 --> 00:57:18,839

just want the white genocide to take off

1477

00:57:25,579 --> 00:57:23,520

yeah but I think that's the it sounds

1478

00:57:26,900 --> 00:57:25,589

radical or different that it's not it's

1479

00:57:28,789 --> 00:57:26,910

what we used to do it's what we've done

1480

00:57:31,789 --> 00:57:28,799

since caves and there are opportunities

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00:57:33,859 --> 00:57:31,799

like that that we need to look at in

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00:57:35,690 --> 00:57:33,869

addition to being willing to kind of

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00:57:37,099 --> 00:57:35,700

move about the earth which is a similar

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00:57:38,480 --> 00:57:37,109

thing Tyler Cowen one of my favorite

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00:57:40,870 --> 00:57:38,490

economists as a new book out called the

1486

00:57:42,799 --> 00:57:40,880

complacent class and it's sort of like a

1487

00:57:44,329 --> 00:57:42,809

mainstream economist version of the

1488

00:57:46,519 --> 00:57:44,339

chaos verticals because he hits all the

1489

00:57:48,740 --> 00:57:46,529

points that I gave last year sorry Tyler

1490

00:57:50,960 --> 00:57:48,750

and one of them is that Americans aren't

1491

00:57:52,970 --> 00:57:50,970

moving as much and by moving as much I

1492

00:57:55,190 --> 00:57:52,980

don't mean physical activity I mean

1493

00:57:57,049 --> 00:57:55,200

they're not migrating towards economic

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00:57:59,000 --> 00:57:57,059

opportunity and that's a medium-term

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00:58:00,799 --> 00:57:59,010

risk to kind of GDP and all this other

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00:58:03,620 --> 00:58:00,809

stuff but it also represents a

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00:58:05,599 --> 00:58:03,630

surprising hack that you could if you're

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00:58:08,269 --> 00:58:05,609

willing to move because fewer people are

1499

00:58:10,309 --> 00:58:08,279

all of a sudden this area of opportunity

1500

00:58:12,769 --> 00:58:10,319

opens up for you as well and so it's

1501  
00:58:15,440 --> 00:58:12,779  
about that it's about kind of getting

1502  
00:58:18,289 --> 00:58:15,450  
your head over at a meta-level

1503  
00:58:21,559 --> 00:58:18,299  
world trends and that doesn't

1504  
00:58:24,620 --> 00:58:21,569  
necessarily require figuring out who the

1505  
00:58:26,329 --> 00:58:24,630  
secret powers are behind Trump you just

1506  
00:58:28,000 --> 00:58:26,339  
kind of need to know the direction that

1507  
00:58:29,740 --> 00:58:28,010  
you're going in and in a way that

1508  
00:58:30,670 --> 00:58:29,750  
distraction it would be interesting to

1509  
00:58:33,190 --> 00:58:30,680  
know and it would be additional

1510  
00:58:34,810 --> 00:58:33,200  
information but even without it you can

1511  
00:58:38,230 --> 00:58:34,820  
kind of see the direction it's going and

1512  
00:58:40,510 --> 00:58:38,240  
so you have to kind of localize that

1513  
00:58:43,410 --> 00:58:40,520

down to your level and be willing to

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00:58:47,380 --> 00:58:43,420

participate in kind of like a family and

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00:58:50,350 --> 00:58:47,390

neighborly sense I love it

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00:58:52,180 --> 00:58:50,360

I mean yeah maximising optionality is

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00:58:54,040 --> 00:58:52,190

the term I've heard you use before but

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00:58:56,860 --> 00:58:54,050

that very much is in line with Jack

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00:58:57,790 --> 00:58:56,870

Sparrow in it yeah absolutely this is

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00:59:00,910 --> 00:58:57,800

the world we live in

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00:59:02,620 --> 00:59:00,920

mm-hmm so now how about the pedophilia

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00:59:04,300 --> 00:59:02,630

networks I mean we don't have to say

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00:59:05,980 --> 00:59:04,310

pizza gate because that's such a loaded

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00:59:07,480 --> 00:59:05,990

term and I've already lost subscribers

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00:59:09,340 --> 00:59:07,490

who have told me that they won't stand

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00:59:12,070 --> 00:59:09,350

for it because those episodes are Pro

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00:59:14,230 --> 00:59:12,080

outright and anti-gay so let me ask a

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00:59:16,030 --> 00:59:14,240

guy who's neither I mean pedophilia

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00:59:18,340 --> 00:59:16,040

networks I mean they've been a main

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00:59:20,380 --> 00:59:18,350

staple of the conspiracy minded for a

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00:59:22,870 --> 00:59:20,390

long time well before Pizza Gate and a

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00:59:25,030 --> 00:59:22,880

lot of people expected Trump to maybe do

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00:59:26,950 --> 00:59:25,040

something about this for some reason but

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00:59:28,810 --> 00:59:26,960

have you looked at this saga I mean

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00:59:33,220 --> 00:59:28,820

obviously you have but where do you see

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00:59:36,270 --> 00:59:33,230

it going if you ask me a month ago I

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00:59:40,350 --> 00:59:36,280

would have said I would say odds on

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00:59:42,340 --> 00:59:40,360

50/50 5% that you would get further

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00:59:45,370 --> 00:59:42,350

revelations that's a bit like to clarify

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00:59:49,720 --> 00:59:45,380

I agree completely I think it's not even

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00:59:51,520 --> 00:59:49,730

just conspirator and the idea of child

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00:59:53,320 --> 00:59:51,530

sex predators operating at the highest

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00:59:55,000 --> 00:59:53,330

levels of government has been around for

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00:59:57,250 --> 00:59:55,010

most of the 20th century like it there

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01:00:01,510 --> 00:59:57,260

were pedo scandals in in 19th century

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01:00:03,910 --> 01:00:01,520

Victorian London right so and may they

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01:00:06,280 --> 01:00:03,920

recur you have obviously the Franklin

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01:00:09,910 --> 01:00:06,290

scandal and Jimmy Savile and basically

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01:00:11,590 --> 01:00:09,920

any other day in Westminster so it's

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01:00:15,070 --> 01:00:11,600

clearly there but if you're asking

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01:00:16,630 --> 01:00:15,080

specifically but you know let's just put

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01:00:18,220 --> 01:00:16,640

it out there and say that pizza place

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01:00:20,590 --> 01:00:18,230

probably has nothing to do it and it's a

1554

01:00:22,300 --> 01:00:20,600

separate thing to talking about the

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01:00:24,400 --> 01:00:22,310

stuff that was found on weiners laptop

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01:00:25,930 --> 01:00:24,410

if you'd asked me a month ago as to

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01:00:28,180 --> 01:00:25,940

whether it was going to come out I would

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01:00:29,860 --> 01:00:28,190

have said odds on at the time I would

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01:00:32,350 --> 01:00:29,870

have thought it is the sword of Damocles

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01:00:36,400 --> 01:00:32,360

that he's been using and by here I mean

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01:00:39,610 --> 01:00:36,410

Bannen to bring recalcitrant people into

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01:00:41,609 --> 01:00:39,620

line and that may yet be the case it's

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01:00:44,069 --> 01:00:41,619

just that if that was

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01:00:45,299 --> 01:00:44,079

lucidly the case I kind of feel like he

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01:00:47,970 --> 01:00:45,309

would have got his health care changes

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01:00:49,769 --> 01:00:47,980

through so I don't know I don't know at

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01:00:53,279 --> 01:00:49,779

this point I know that there Peyton Lee

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01:00:54,660 --> 01:00:53,289

is a paedophile Network at the highest

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01:00:56,910 --> 01:00:54,670

levels of power in the anglo-american

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01:01:00,359 --> 01:00:56,920

sort of sphere that I think that's a

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01:01:02,370 --> 01:01:00,369

very reasonable thing to say I don't

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01:01:05,160 --> 01:01:02,380

know if they're going to be rounded up

1573

01:01:06,779 --> 01:01:05,170

in the middle of the night because then

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01:01:08,039 --> 01:01:06,789

this kind of comes back to you just

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01:01:09,839 --> 01:01:08,049

because there are secret powers behind

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01:01:11,450 --> 01:01:09,849

Trump doesn't mean he's a good guy I

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01:01:13,920 --> 01:01:11,460

don't know if that's going to happen

1578

01:01:16,410 --> 01:01:13,930

bearing in mind if it's as bad as you

1579

01:01:20,009 --> 01:01:16,420

and I probably think it is the house

1580

01:01:23,670 --> 01:01:20,019

could be two-thirds empty so if you are

1581

01:01:25,380 --> 01:01:23,680

trying to do things like whether you

1582

01:01:28,079 --> 01:01:25,390

agree with it or not tax reform and

1583

01:01:30,059 --> 01:01:28,089

reorganize federal spending it's

1584

01:01:32,849 --> 01:01:30,069

probably easier to do with people in the

1585

01:01:35,519 --> 01:01:32,859

house and that is really gross that's

1586

01:01:36,930 --> 01:01:35,529

like a terribly cynical thing it's the

1587

01:01:38,609 --> 01:01:36,940

sort of decision I guess you'd expect

1588

01:01:40,190 --> 01:01:38,619

them to make that's a really gross thing

1589

01:01:43,799 --> 01:01:40,200

to say because it means that you are

1590

01:01:45,329 --> 01:01:43,809

putting children at risk to get a policy

1591

01:01:48,150 --> 01:01:45,339

across and letting criminals go free

1592

01:01:50,579 --> 01:01:48,160

because of it but I couldn't tell you

1593

01:01:54,479 --> 01:01:50,589

any more given how the last month is

1594

01:01:57,779 --> 01:01:54,489

gone who even knows right good stuff man

1595

01:02:00,299 --> 01:01:57,789

so before we go because we are up

1596

01:02:03,120 --> 01:02:00,309

against one hell of a machine what would

1597

01:02:05,880 --> 01:02:03,130

you say is like a good mantra for modern

1598

01:02:08,039 --> 01:02:05,890

times or even something to tape up on

1599

01:02:10,559 --> 01:02:08,049

the bathroom mirror to bring us back to

1600

01:02:14,819 --> 01:02:10,569

where we need to be among the constant

1601  
01:02:15,479 --> 01:02:14,829  
pushing and pulling right now mmm that's

1602  
01:02:19,319 --> 01:02:15,489  
a good one

1603  
01:02:23,549 --> 01:02:19,329  
I would suggest very strongly that

1604  
01:02:26,309 --> 01:02:23,559  
people and like I mean is strongly

1605  
01:02:29,549 --> 01:02:26,319  
enough people download the headspace app

1606  
01:02:31,680 --> 01:02:29,559  
and the paid version of it and just kind

1607  
01:02:35,370 --> 01:02:31,690  
of force yourself into a regular

1608  
01:02:38,579 --> 01:02:35,380  
meditation regime because that appears

1609  
01:02:40,109 --> 01:02:38,589  
to be the best cure for the sort of

1610  
01:02:42,479 --> 01:02:40,119  
attacks on the proper functioning of

1611  
01:02:44,549 --> 01:02:42,489  
your amygdala and the sort of rise in

1612  
01:02:48,029 --> 01:02:44,559  
cortisol and everything that comes along

1613  
01:02:50,519 --> 01:02:48,039

with watching American news or being on

1614

01:02:52,650 --> 01:02:50,529

Facebook or so on is something about it

1615

01:02:55,590 --> 01:02:52,660

that is now essential not only to your

1616

01:02:57,660 --> 01:02:55,600

long-term health but your short-term

1617

01:02:59,900 --> 01:02:57,670

clarity of thinking and in terms of

1618

01:03:02,580 --> 01:02:59,910

mantras or things to tape up somewhere

1619

01:03:06,300 --> 01:03:02,590

some people on the lines of be humble in

1620

01:03:08,460 --> 01:03:06,310

what you do and don't know is is kind of

1621

01:03:11,580 --> 01:03:08,470

it at the moment because the sort of

1622

01:03:15,150 --> 01:03:11,590

short term challenge is how angry people

1623

01:03:16,920 --> 01:03:15,160

are at each other when the thing they're

1624

01:03:18,810 --> 01:03:16,930

actually angry at to my mind it's the

1625

01:03:20,490 --> 01:03:18,820

one enemy like if you look at the people

1626  
01:03:22,530 --> 01:03:20,500  
who voted for Trump for anything other

1627  
01:03:26,880 --> 01:03:22,540  
than racist reasons and if you look at

1628  
01:03:28,920 --> 01:03:26,890  
the people who are proper left so not

1629  
01:03:31,530 --> 01:03:28,930  
Hillary types but people who are proper

1630  
01:03:33,900 --> 01:03:31,540  
lifts they're yelling at each other

1631  
01:03:36,660 --> 01:03:33,910  
about the same thing which is Empire and

1632  
01:03:38,550 --> 01:03:36,670  
I just kind of wonder if that would be a

1633  
01:03:41,670 --> 01:03:38,560  
good thing to remind people of this sort

1634  
01:03:44,730 --> 01:03:41,680  
of sort of medication and and be humble

1635  
01:03:46,260 --> 01:03:44,740  
in what you do and don't no that's not

1636  
01:03:49,260 --> 01:03:46,270  
it that's not saying be complacent

1637  
01:03:51,870 --> 01:03:49,270  
that's saying be engaged but don't don't

1638  
01:03:53,250 --> 01:03:51,880

call each other the Berkeley thing on

1639

01:03:57,470 --> 01:03:53,260

the weekend they're not both calling

1640

01:04:00,870 --> 01:03:57,480

each other fascists and make goodness

1641

01:04:02,370 --> 01:04:00,880

well wise word man and it is always a

1642

01:04:03,900 --> 01:04:02,380

pleasure to have you here so glad we

1643

01:04:06,210 --> 01:04:03,910

could do it again I always recommend

1644

01:04:09,120 --> 01:04:06,220

your books chaos protocols in particular

1645

01:04:11,100 --> 01:04:09,130

you also have a lot more going on at

1646

01:04:12,900 --> 01:04:11,110

roon soups since we last spoke I'm

1647

01:04:14,460 --> 01:04:12,910

really enjoying those q and A's I'm

1648

01:04:16,440 --> 01:04:14,470

still working my way through the sigil

1649

01:04:17,510 --> 01:04:16,450

course but tell the people about all

1650

01:04:21,360 --> 01:04:17,520

that new new

1651

01:04:24,090 --> 01:04:21,370

yes we have rune soup has a premium

1652

01:04:28,680 --> 01:04:24,100

members option now where each quarter

1653

01:04:31,170 --> 01:04:28,690

there is a full course on some component

1654

01:04:32,730 --> 01:04:31,180

of magic so the first one was sigils and

1655

01:04:33,480 --> 01:04:32,740

a complete course in two dramatic

1656

01:04:36,030 --> 01:04:33,490

beginning to end

1657

01:04:38,310 --> 01:04:36,040

it also has weekly video Q&A s and other

1658

01:04:39,990 --> 01:04:38,320

stuff and additional presentations like

1659

01:04:42,510 --> 01:04:40,000

the ethnobotany presentation I gave in

1660

01:04:44,010 --> 01:04:42,520

micronesia earlier this year but each

1661

01:04:44,450 --> 01:04:44,020

quarter there is a full-blown beginning

1662

01:04:46,710 --> 01:04:44,460

to end

1663

01:04:48,450 --> 01:04:46,720

course incentives you with magic and the

1664

01:04:50,280 --> 01:04:48,460

one for this quarter is on the sort of

1665

01:04:53,340 --> 01:04:50,290

history of the grimoire and how to use

1666

01:04:55,020 --> 01:04:53,350

them and it's ten dollars a month which

1667

01:04:57,150 --> 01:04:55,030

is so it's thirty dollars of course or

1668

01:04:59,130 --> 01:04:57,160

you're paying for the membership in the

1669

01:05:01,950 --> 01:04:59,140

courses of free or vice versa but it's

1670

01:05:04,140 --> 01:05:01,960

going really well and it's been one of

1671

01:05:07,520 --> 01:05:04,150

them I guess it's been the high point of

1672

01:05:09,600 --> 01:05:07,530

my year frankly is the people have

1673

01:05:12,150 --> 01:05:09,610

really kind of engage

1674

01:05:13,200 --> 01:05:12,160

their members are kind of taking it and

1675

01:05:15,060 --> 01:05:13,210

running with it they have their own

1676  
01:05:17,580 --> 01:05:15,070  
groups and we're working on things we're

1677  
01:05:19,170 --> 01:05:17,590  
doing a remote viewing like a group

1678  
01:05:20,370 --> 01:05:19,180  
remote viewing experiment for premium

1679  
01:05:24,150 --> 01:05:20,380  
members which you can obviously

1680  
01:05:25,590 --> 01:05:24,160  
participate in and group prayer X tests

1681  
01:05:28,230 --> 01:05:25,600  
and all that kind of stuff so it's not

1682  
01:05:29,640 --> 01:05:28,240  
just you don't just join a website it's

1683  
01:05:32,520 --> 01:05:29,650  
it's a group of people and they're then

1684  
01:05:35,430 --> 01:05:32,530  
meeting up in Los Angeles in Manchester

1685  
01:05:38,010 --> 01:05:35,440  
and wherever and it's just kind of it's

1686  
01:05:40,140 --> 01:05:38,020  
a time to to sort of find the others and

1687  
01:05:43,260 --> 01:05:40,150  
there is a kind of need I think what now

1688  
01:05:45,380 --> 01:05:43,270

more than ever for people to assert

1689

01:05:49,650 --> 01:05:45,390

sovereignty over their own kind of

1690

01:05:51,900 --> 01:05:49,660

spiritual potentials I guess yeah and

1691

01:05:54,000 --> 01:05:51,910

then and I think it's a beautiful thing

1692

01:05:56,460 --> 01:05:54,010

I'm glad you're doing that obviously I

1693

01:05:59,340 --> 01:05:56,470

do it I think it's the really the future

1694

01:06:02,520 --> 01:05:59,350

of careers find what you have to offer

1695

01:06:05,220 --> 01:06:02,530

and offer it and since people who find

1696

01:06:07,920 --> 01:06:05,230

value in it will throw you a bone or two

1697

01:06:09,510 --> 01:06:07,930

for it and in that kind of model we can

1698

01:06:12,630 --> 01:06:09,520

all kind of get through without the

1699

01:06:16,260 --> 01:06:12,640

Empire will see nice long as we have a

1700

01:06:20,220 --> 01:06:16,270

computer I guess yeah it works until it

1701

01:06:22,290 --> 01:06:20,230

doesn't Evan so alright well boom goes

1702

01:06:24,600 --> 01:06:22,300

the dynamite always a pleasure and I

1703

01:06:26,370 --> 01:06:24,610

will see you out here in July now you

1704

01:06:27,840 --> 01:06:26,380

actually do have a meet space thing

1705

01:06:31,080 --> 01:06:27,850

planned when you're out here too right

1706

01:06:32,490 --> 01:06:31,090

yes absolutely so we will be doing this

1707

01:06:34,950 --> 01:06:32,500

is kind of Habib and I will be doing an

1708

01:06:37,110 --> 01:06:34,960

event in Los Angeles on Saturday July

1709

01:06:39,030 --> 01:06:37,120

8th we just moved the venue because

1710

01:06:40,650 --> 01:06:39,040

there will be sleeping like there's

1711

01:06:42,060 --> 01:06:40,660

going to be more people there'll be a

1712

01:06:44,220 --> 01:06:42,070

separate Premium Members event for

1713

01:06:46,860 --> 01:06:44,230

premium members as well but if you're

1714

01:06:49,710 --> 01:06:46,870

interested sign up to the newsletter or

1715

01:06:52,200 --> 01:06:49,720

check out rune soup Facebook page and

1716

01:06:53,640 --> 01:06:52,210

kind of stay in touch because this is

1717

01:06:56,250 --> 01:06:53,650

going to be a real doozy there are other

1718

01:06:57,480 --> 01:06:56,260

kind of fun and super intelligent guests

1719

01:06:59,720 --> 01:06:57,490

that we've got that I can't really talk

1720

01:07:03,210 --> 01:06:59,730

about yet excited it's going to be

1721

01:07:06,030 --> 01:07:03,220

essentially kind of like why the occult

1722

01:07:09,060 --> 01:07:06,040

and is is right for right now instead of

1723

01:07:10,440 --> 01:07:09,070

why you need it and yeah I'm looking

1724

01:07:12,810 --> 01:07:10,450

forward to it and I'm looking forward to

1725

01:07:15,180 --> 01:07:12,820

the wedding ah well that's great I mean

1726

01:07:17,070 --> 01:07:15,190

I really hope I can attend that event

1727

01:07:18,450 --> 01:07:17,080

but you know I got knots to tie and

1728

01:07:21,240 --> 01:07:18,460

commitments to make for the rest of my

1729

01:07:23,400 --> 01:07:21,250

life yeah your Excuse is legitimate

1730

01:07:26,579 --> 01:07:23,410

everyone else is no right

1731

01:07:29,730 --> 01:07:26,589

I'll take it cool man love you take care

1732

01:07:30,749 --> 01:07:29,740

all right all right all right sweet baby

1733

01:07:33,690 --> 01:07:30,759

Jesus

1734

01:07:35,640 --> 01:07:33,700

Gordon white once again people a bit

1735

01:07:37,829 --> 01:07:35,650

more practical and down-to-earth in our

1736

01:07:39,839 --> 01:07:37,839

typical conversations but I hope it

1737

01:07:41,970 --> 01:07:39,849

resonated with some people I hope it was

1738

01:07:44,099 --> 01:07:41,980

clear what we were trying to do or what

1739

01:07:46,589 --> 01:07:44,109

I was trying to do because my line of

1740

01:07:48,240 --> 01:07:46,599

questioning was really about how I used

1741

01:07:50,009 --> 01:07:48,250

to look at the world as people who buy

1742

01:07:52,559 --> 01:07:50,019

into the left and right paradigm and the

1743

01:07:54,329 --> 01:07:52,569

team sports mentality to politics and

1744

01:07:56,519 --> 01:07:54,339

then there are those who just see past

1745

01:07:57,749 --> 01:07:56,529

that but now it seems like there are

1746

01:08:00,210 --> 01:07:57,759

people who buy into the mainstream

1747

01:08:01,890 --> 01:08:00,220

left-right infighting and even the

1748

01:08:04,440 --> 01:08:01,900

alternative thinkers have been divided

1749

01:08:06,710 --> 01:08:04,450

into extreme liberal socialists and

1750

01:08:09,450 --> 01:08:06,720

extreme nationalists libertarian

1751  
01:08:11,999 --> 01:08:09,460  
anarchists whatever labels you want to

1752  
01:08:14,069 --> 01:08:12,009  
use but just more extreme versions of

1753  
01:08:16,019 --> 01:08:14,079  
the same thing as Gordon poignant Lee

1754  
01:08:19,439 --> 01:08:16,029  
said we're arguing about our preferred

1755  
01:08:22,019 --> 01:08:19,449  
utopia's on the internet that just boom

1756  
01:08:24,090 --> 01:08:22,029  
sums it up right there so I hope this

1757  
01:08:26,160 --> 01:08:24,100  
doesn't sound like a lecture because I

1758  
01:08:28,379 --> 01:08:26,170  
think or my hope is that a lot of people

1759  
01:08:29,729 --> 01:08:28,389  
notice these changes too and whether

1760  
01:08:32,280 --> 01:08:29,739  
they've been able to put their finger on

1761  
01:08:34,530 --> 01:08:32,290  
it or not hopefully some of this episode

1762  
01:08:37,860 --> 01:08:34,540  
wedges itself into a spot that has been

1763  
01:08:40,260 --> 01:08:37,870

vacant for a little while and I sort of

1764

01:08:43,110 --> 01:08:40,270

hope the Jack Sparrow template is useful

1765

01:08:45,090 --> 01:08:43,120

I think it is it reminds me of a story

1766

01:08:46,829 --> 01:08:45,100

one thing Gordon and I have in common is

1767

01:08:47,579 --> 01:08:46,839

we both wanted to be filmmakers when we

1768

01:08:49,740 --> 01:08:47,589

were younger

1769

01:08:53,340 --> 01:08:49,750

he got further down that path than I did

1770

01:08:55,349 --> 01:08:53,350

but I was a big Kevin Smith fan so one

1771

01:08:58,320 --> 01:08:55,359

time me and my buddy Kirk we drove out

1772

01:09:01,169 --> 01:08:58,330

to the college he was speaking at and

1773

01:09:03,209 --> 01:09:01,179

during the QA I got on the mic and I

1774

01:09:05,640 --> 01:09:03,219

asked Kevin Smith how to go from making

1775

01:09:08,280 --> 01:09:05,650

little [h\_\_\h] skits with your friends

1776

01:09:10,950 --> 01:09:08,290

to really do in something you can make a

1777

01:09:13,649 --> 01:09:10,960

living off of and be proud of because

1778

01:09:17,160 --> 01:09:13,659

even back then I knew I wanted out but

1779

01:09:19,769 --> 01:09:17,170

Kevin Smith said it takes a reasonable

1780

01:09:21,419 --> 01:09:19,779

amount of unreason ability and he went

1781

01:09:23,879 --> 01:09:21,429

on to explain you got to take some risks

1782

01:09:25,979 --> 01:09:23,889

that seemed nuts and you have to keep

1783

01:09:27,870 --> 01:09:25,989

moving forward towards the goal and you

1784

01:09:30,599 --> 01:09:27,880

have to have enough confidence to bet on

1785

01:09:32,700 --> 01:09:30,609

yourself for example when he was making

1786

01:09:34,680 --> 01:09:32,710

his first movie clerks he took out a

1787

01:09:36,510 --> 01:09:34,690

bunch of credit cards and he wrote down

1788

01:09:36,970 --> 01:09:36,520

that he made way more money than he

1789

01:09:39,280 --> 01:09:36,980

actually

1790

01:09:41,800 --> 01:09:39,290

did he then made sure that he answered

1791

01:09:44,110 --> 01:09:41,810

the work phone when they called and then

1792

01:09:46,479 --> 01:09:44,120

he lied to validate his own salary and

1793

01:09:48,820 --> 01:09:46,489

that is pretty nuts that's not something

1794

01:09:51,670 --> 01:09:48,830

specifically that anyone could recommend

1795

01:09:54,880 --> 01:09:51,680

per se but if you're going to take out a

1796

01:09:57,550 --> 01:09:54,890

30k loan for a car why not for a chance

1797

01:09:59,080 --> 01:09:57,560

at your dream life and naysayers are

1798

01:10:01,810 --> 01:09:59,090

always going to tell you how stupid that

1799

01:10:04,330 --> 01:10:01,820

is and for every person that does that

1800

01:10:07,420 --> 01:10:04,340

and succeeds there are thousands of

1801  
01:10:10,360 --> 01:10:07,430  
people who try it and fail and that may

1802  
01:10:12,910 --> 01:10:10,370  
be true but you have to know which one

1803  
01:10:15,310 --> 01:10:12,920  
of those people you are do the Jack

1804  
01:10:18,670 --> 01:10:15,320  
Sparrow go with the flow don't overthink

1805  
01:10:21,300 --> 01:10:18,680  
things have goals work towards them best

1806  
01:10:23,620 --> 01:10:21,310  
prepare yourself if things get rocky

1807  
01:10:25,830 --> 01:10:23,630  
like we talked about there are plenty of

1808  
01:10:28,360 --> 01:10:25,840  
red flags to suggest that they will

1809  
01:10:30,970 --> 01:10:28,370  
personally I think about Kevin Kelley's

1810  
01:10:34,360 --> 01:10:30,980  
1,000 true fans principle all the time

1811  
01:10:36,640 --> 01:10:34,370  
where he says for your thing to become a

1812  
01:10:39,220 --> 01:10:36,650  
sustainable career you really only need

1813  
01:10:42,130 --> 01:10:39,230

1,000 true fans who will support you

1814

01:10:44,800 --> 01:10:42,140

with about 50 bucks a year we'll do that

1815

01:10:47,170 --> 01:10:44,810

math that's 50k how many of us are even

1816

01:10:50,110 --> 01:10:47,180

making 50k a year and a lot of us are

1817

01:10:52,030 --> 01:10:50,120

hating what we do every day so I say

1818

01:10:54,400 --> 01:10:52,040

figure out your thing maybe you want to

1819

01:10:56,229 --> 01:10:54,410

make 8-bit art coasters or maybe you

1820

01:10:57,760 --> 01:10:56,239

want to make a series of classes about

1821

01:11:00,010 --> 01:10:57,770

something that's your passion and

1822

01:11:01,720 --> 01:11:00,020

expertise or maybe you want to paint

1823

01:11:04,420 --> 01:11:01,730

people's pets as if they were human

1824

01:11:07,030 --> 01:11:04,430

whatever it is you owe it to yourself to

1825

01:11:09,370 --> 01:11:07,040

try because that day you realize is your

1826

01:11:11,830 --> 01:11:09,380

last day with a boss is a beautiful

1827

01:11:15,000 --> 01:11:11,840

moment that everyone should have it's

1828

01:11:18,520 --> 01:11:15,010

the true decentralizing of your income

1829

01:11:21,430 --> 01:11:18,530

you're not dependent on one guy one

1830

01:11:23,380 --> 01:11:21,440

company it's the moment you realize that

1831

01:11:25,270 --> 01:11:23,390

even though the education system was

1832

01:11:27,760 --> 01:11:25,280

crafted to keep you as a cog in their

1833

01:11:30,090 --> 01:11:27,770

machine even though there are many debt

1834

01:11:33,100 --> 01:11:30,100

traps to keep you a place of servitude

1835

01:11:35,530 --> 01:11:33,110

even though you probably had to do it

1836

01:11:38,440 --> 01:11:35,540

with very little guidance you did it and

1837

01:11:40,630 --> 01:11:38,450

it's a beautiful thing because I have

1838

01:11:43,120 --> 01:11:40,640

seen the promised land people and it is

1839

01:11:45,400 --> 01:11:43,130

far from perfect but it ain't bad

1840

01:11:48,310 --> 01:11:45,410

but even things like cutting down your

1841

01:11:50,379 --> 01:11:48,320

overhead and learning truly powerful

1842

01:11:51,969 --> 01:11:50,389

permaculture techniques thing

1843

01:11:54,069 --> 01:11:51,979

that a few generations ago we're just

1844

01:11:56,290 --> 01:11:54,079

par for the course we got to get back to

1845

01:11:57,909 --> 01:11:56,300

them a lot of people want to tell us

1846

01:11:59,799 --> 01:11:57,919

right now that the sky is falling but

1847

01:12:01,810 --> 01:11:59,809

not many are talking about how to get

1848

01:12:03,850 --> 01:12:01,820

out of the way so I hope we can have a

1849

01:12:06,759 --> 01:12:03,860

little kumbaya moment whether we think

1850

01:12:09,189 --> 01:12:06,769

taxation is theft or nukes are real or

1851  
01:12:12,549 --> 01:12:09,199  
aliens or demons and just realize that

1852  
01:12:14,229 --> 01:12:12,559  
despite what we think we know what

1853  
01:12:15,219 --> 01:12:14,239  
pieces of the puzzle that we think we

1854  
01:12:18,250 --> 01:12:15,229  
fit into place

1855  
01:12:21,219 --> 01:12:18,260  
everyone is on a journey and just being

1856  
01:12:22,929 --> 01:12:21,229  
on it just actually being interested in

1857  
01:12:25,029 --> 01:12:22,939  
a show like this puts you in a very

1858  
01:12:28,029 --> 01:12:25,039  
small niche a group that should have

1859  
01:12:31,089 --> 01:12:28,039  
more connective tissue than points of

1860  
01:12:34,029 --> 01:12:31,099  
difference right just broadly seen

1861  
01:12:35,889 --> 01:12:34,039  
unfairness corruption and tilted scales

1862  
01:12:39,250 --> 01:12:35,899  
in the world and wanting to find our

1863  
01:12:41,529 --> 01:12:39,260

freedom and shake off the chains we all

1864

01:12:44,020 --> 01:12:41,539

want these same things whether we think

1865

01:12:47,049 --> 01:12:44,030

the earth is round flat or Hollow and

1866

01:12:49,929 --> 01:12:47,059

flat earthers can we just calm down a

1867

01:12:51,759 --> 01:12:49,939

little bit with the globe tarde talk you

1868

01:12:54,370 --> 01:12:51,769

learned about this [h\_\_h] eight months ago

1869

01:12:56,799 --> 01:12:54,380

on YouTube be a little less douchey

1870

01:13:00,040 --> 01:12:56,809

about it really that goes for everything

1871

01:13:02,139 --> 01:13:00,050

be less shitty about everything almost

1872

01:13:04,750 --> 01:13:02,149

everyone's dealing with high amounts of

1873

01:13:07,239 --> 01:13:04,760

stress right now I add to it just to

1874

01:13:09,219 --> 01:13:07,249

play into the puppet masters hands so

1875

01:13:11,080 --> 01:13:09,229

that's my two cents we shouldn't just be

1876

01:13:13,419 --> 01:13:11,090

sizing up everyone's beliefs on

1877

01:13:15,969 --> 01:13:13,429

everything searching for one area of

1878

01:13:18,699 --> 01:13:15,979

difference and just attacking it over

1879

01:13:20,379 --> 01:13:18,709

and over but I'm glad we got to talk

1880

01:13:22,870 --> 01:13:20,389

about some of this stuff I don't think

1881

01:13:24,819 --> 01:13:22,880

universal basic income is terrible but

1882

01:13:27,520 --> 01:13:24,829

it really shouldn't be what we sit and

1883

01:13:29,739 --> 01:13:27,530

wait for it might be a band-aid that a

1884

01:13:32,469 --> 01:13:29,749

lot of us need but maybe we just need to

1885

01:13:34,989 --> 01:13:32,479

heal the underlying problem instead we

1886

01:13:36,819 --> 01:13:34,999

should decentralize all the things if we

1887

01:13:39,959 --> 01:13:36,829

want to feel less pain when we have to

1888

01:13:42,969 --> 01:13:39,969

dismantle corruption globalization

1889

01:13:45,489 --> 01:13:42,979

totalitarianism international everything

1890

01:13:48,100 --> 01:13:45,499

it's how we got into this era of too big

1891

01:13:49,929 --> 01:13:48,110

to fail one of my favorite quotes from

1892

01:13:52,060 --> 01:13:49,939

Andrew Jackson when he was trying to

1893

01:13:54,759 --> 01:13:52,070

fight off the oily appendages of the

1894

01:13:57,699 --> 01:13:54,769

banking vampires apparently he said

1895

01:13:59,560 --> 01:13:57,709

gentlemen I've had my men watching you

1896

01:14:01,330 --> 01:13:59,570

for a long time and I'm convinced that

1897

01:14:03,100 --> 01:14:01,340

you have used the funds of the bank to

1898

01:14:04,270 --> 01:14:03,110

speculate and the breadstuffs of the

1899

01:14:06,490 --> 01:14:04,280

country

1900

01:14:08,620 --> 01:14:06,500

you won you divided the profits amongst

1901

01:14:11,319 --> 01:14:08,630

you and when you lost you charged it to

1902

01:14:13,180 --> 01:14:11,329

the bank you tell me that if I take the

1903

01:14:16,089 --> 01:14:13,190

deposits from the bank and annul its

1904

01:14:18,640 --> 01:14:16,099

charter I shall ruin 10,000 families and

1905

01:14:21,700 --> 01:14:18,650

that may be true gentlemen but that is

1906

01:14:24,370 --> 01:14:21,710

your sin should I let you go on you will

1907

01:14:27,129 --> 01:14:24,380

ruin 50,000 families and that would be

1908

01:14:29,819 --> 01:14:27,139

my sin you were identify burrs and

1909

01:14:32,319 --> 01:14:29,829

thieves I'm going to reach you out and

1910

01:14:34,390 --> 01:14:32,329

whether that's a true quote or not it

1911

01:14:36,700 --> 01:14:34,400

does highlight exactly the problem of

1912

01:14:39,069 --> 01:14:36,710

dismantling aspects of society that are

1913

01:14:41,339 --> 01:14:39,079

corrupt but are so integrated that we

1914

01:14:44,379 --> 01:14:41,349

depend on them in one way or another

1915

01:14:47,470 --> 01:14:44,389

their short-term pain for medium and

1916

01:14:50,560 --> 01:14:47,480

long-term freedom but anyway go see

1917

01:14:53,169 --> 01:14:50,570

Gordon in LA in July if you can that is

1918

01:14:54,910 --> 01:14:53,179

such a rare opportunity also sign up for

1919

01:14:57,010 --> 01:14:54,920

his classes if you want to get your

1920

01:14:59,919 --> 01:14:57,020

magic right the digital course is great

1921

01:15:01,810 --> 01:14:59,929

grimoires is next hopefully you didn't

1922

01:15:05,410 --> 01:15:01,820

think this episode was too practical or

1923

01:15:07,000 --> 01:15:05,420

obvious or lame if you did you must have

1924

01:15:08,950 --> 01:15:07,010

just missed the plus show because that's

1925

01:15:10,959 --> 01:15:08,960

where we got into the weird stuff we

1926

01:15:13,569 --> 01:15:10,969

speculated on the heightened interest in

1927

01:15:16,689 --> 01:15:13,579

Antarctica Gordon talked about his fast

1928

01:15:19,180 --> 01:15:16,699

and ways to live better in trying times

1929

01:15:21,790 --> 01:15:19,190

the important psychological distinctions

1930

01:15:24,399 --> 01:15:21,800

between permaculture and prepping the

1931

01:15:26,260 --> 01:15:24,409

geographical impact on magic and the

1932

01:15:28,240 --> 01:15:26,270

differences Gordon has noticed moving

1933

01:15:30,189 --> 01:15:28,250

from the City of London back to rural

1934

01:15:33,160 --> 01:15:30,199

Australia and how it's affected his

1935

01:15:34,810 --> 01:15:33,170

practice the demiurges main goals and

1936

01:15:37,720 --> 01:15:34,820

its attempt to fulfill them in the

1937

01:15:40,149 --> 01:15:37,730

modern world but the various generations

1938

01:15:42,700 --> 01:15:40,159

of cell signal frequency could be the

1939

01:15:46,089 --> 01:15:42,710

vehicle of mass experimentation and that

1940

01:15:48,399 --> 01:15:46,099

5g could be full-blown mind control that

1941

01:15:50,620 --> 01:15:48,409

there is noticeably less depopulation

1942

01:15:53,169 --> 01:15:50,630

shedder and that may be the reasoning is

1943

01:15:55,029 --> 01:15:53,179

because it's already been solved we

1944

01:15:57,100 --> 01:15:55,039

talked about how Gordon's decentralized

1945

01:15:59,080 --> 01:15:57,110

all the things philosophy applies to the

1946

01:16:01,240 --> 01:15:59,090

Rhian champion of the world and the

1947

01:16:03,430 --> 01:16:01,250

parallels between taking a dog to the

1948

01:16:06,729 --> 01:16:03,440

vet and the high strangeness experiences

1949

01:16:09,339 --> 01:16:06,739

humans have with entities the things you

1950

01:16:10,930 --> 01:16:09,349

need to know people but seriously I

1951

01:16:13,720 --> 01:16:10,940

couldn't do it without your support and

1952

01:16:16,029 --> 01:16:13,730

I have turned down a lot of offers for

1953

01:16:18,160 --> 01:16:16,039

advertising and sponsorship and outside

1954

01:16:20,800 --> 01:16:18,170

money based on the numbers

1955

01:16:22,990 --> 01:16:20,810

thousands of dollars a month but I will

1956

01:16:25,660 --> 01:16:23,000

not compromise the show and I hope that

1957

01:16:28,510 --> 01:16:25,670

you respect that because I'm gambling on

1958

01:16:30,010 --> 01:16:28,520

your support I bet on the fact that

1959

01:16:33,070 --> 01:16:30,020

you're going to find this show genuine

1960

01:16:34,720 --> 01:16:33,080

and entertaining and that my choice to

1961

01:16:37,420 --> 01:16:34,730

keep the price low means that you're

1962

01:16:40,060 --> 01:16:37,430

going to be motivated to join up my life

1963

01:16:43,300 --> 01:16:40,070

is in your hands dude my life is in your

1964

01:16:45,790 --> 01:16:43,310

hands but that said I did what I can

1965

01:16:48,190 --> 01:16:45,800

your move deep state mind manipulators

1966

01:16:50,320 --> 01:16:48,200

polarizing pundits and your Demiurge ik

1967

01:16:55,180 --> 01:16:50,330

bureaucratic agendas of enlightenment

1968

01:16:57,340 --> 01:16:55,190

denial you're [h\_\_h] happy holidays and

1969

01:16:59,860 --> 01:16:57,350

Merry Christmas news we're going to talk

1970

01:17:13,740 --> 01:16:59,870

about angels and miracles in rosemary

1971

01:17:19,320 --> 01:17:13,750

for a few hours tonight getting old

1972

01:17:37,350 --> 01:17:31,970

[Music]

1973

01:17:44,630 --> 01:17:37,360

maybe not my department

1974

01:17:52,380 --> 01:17:44,640

maybe I should shine mr. Jung

1975

01:17:58,820 --> 01:17:52,390

quite a Harlan with all the athletes now

1976

01:18:13,370 --> 01:18:06,320

I have PhD I'm feeling more at home

1977

01:18:22,020 --> 01:18:13,380

then I ever pass you be cruel and

1978

01:18:32,790 --> 01:18:22,030

heartless jack holy cow enjoy

1979

01:18:45,990 --> 01:18:38,640

I'm sure you must feel kind of dirty

1980

01:18:55,000 --> 01:18:46,000

after each commercial fine-tuning is

1981

01:19:03,850 --> 01:18:55,010

absurd our on-demand is what happens we

1982

01:19:07,649 --> 01:19:03,860

make me it's a joke and I don't know I'm

1983

01:19:15,970 --> 01:19:07,659

feeling more at home

1984

01:19:17,500 --> 01:19:15,980

then I ever have me grow in sores or

1985

01:19:23,590 --> 01:19:17,510

just

1986

01:19:32,820 --> 01:19:23,600

slowly I ain't going nowhere

1987

01:19:35,230 --> 01:19:32,830

oh these shows are just holding his

1988

01:19:40,809 --> 01:19:35,240

coordinates at

1989

01:19:45,299 --> 01:19:40,819

oh is it

1990

01:19:47,060 --> 01:19:45,309

we're oh these shows are just drowning