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00:00:03,669 --> 00:00:01,350
i want to start this episode with

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00:00:05,510 --> 00:00:03,679
something of an apology i recorded this

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00:00:09,430 --> 00:00:05,520
episode with georgina

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00:00:11,990 --> 00:00:09,440
uh two months ago and i recorded it on

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00:00:13,669 --> 00:00:12,000
january the 5th of course the next day

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00:00:15,430 --> 00:00:13,679
january the 6th was the day of the

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00:00:16,950 --> 00:00:15,440
storming of the capital

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00:00:18,950 --> 00:00:16,960
and that proved to be a great

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00:00:20,230 --> 00:00:18,960
distraction for me was because lots of

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00:00:23,109 --> 00:00:20,240
conspiracy theories

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00:00:24,150 --> 00:00:23,119
arose from such a dramatic and momentous

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00:00:27,429 --> 00:00:24,160
event

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00:00:29,029 --> 00:00:27,439

and so this episode kind of got left

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00:00:30,470 --> 00:00:29,039

on the back burner for a while and i

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00:00:32,470 --> 00:00:30,480

finally got around

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00:00:34,069 --> 00:00:32,480

to digging it back up again and i think

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00:00:35,750 --> 00:00:34,079

it's well worth a listen

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00:00:37,030 --> 00:00:35,760

because georgina has some very

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00:00:38,470 --> 00:00:37,040

interesting points to make which is

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00:00:41,350 --> 00:00:38,480

still very relevant

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00:00:42,389 --> 00:00:41,360

and very interesting uh in the context

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00:00:44,310 --> 00:00:42,399

of what happened

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00:00:47,190 --> 00:00:44,320

with the storming of the capital so here

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00:00:50,389 --> 00:00:48,630

welcome to tales from the rabbit hole

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00:00:52,869 --> 00:00:50,399

i'm your host mick west

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00:00:54,549 --> 00:00:52,879

my guest today is georgina georgina

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00:00:57,510 --> 00:00:54,559

lives in the uk and she has a friend

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00:00:59,670 --> 00:00:57,520

who believes in conspiracy theories and

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00:01:00,950 --> 00:00:59,680

specifically at the kewan conspiracy

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00:01:02,790 --> 00:01:00,960

theory which is kind of interesting

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00:01:05,509 --> 00:01:02,800

because q anon is more of a

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00:01:08,550 --> 00:01:05,519

u.s centric conspiracy theory and yet

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00:01:10,550 --> 00:01:08,560

georgina's friend is in the uk

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georgina said something at the end of

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this podcast that i thought

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00:01:15,749 --> 00:01:13,760

would be actually a good thing to start

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00:01:17,270 --> 00:01:15,759

with because not everyone listens to the

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00:01:18,230 --> 00:01:17,280

end of the podcast so i wanted to get

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00:01:19,990 --> 00:01:18,240

this in

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00:01:21,670 --> 00:01:20,000

so let's start with that and then we'll

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00:01:23,990 --> 00:01:21,680

start into the podcast

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00:01:26,149 --> 00:01:24,000

i just want to say that if you're living

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00:01:28,390 --> 00:01:26,159

at home at the moment with someone who's

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00:01:29,510 --> 00:01:28,400

into queuing on come on the q and on

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00:01:31,510 --> 00:01:29,520

casualties

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00:01:33,109 --> 00:01:31,520

read it there's loads of support on

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00:01:36,630 --> 00:01:33,119

there and great advice

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00:01:38,870 --> 00:01:36,640

and it's good to then um

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00:01:40,789 --> 00:01:38,880

and you might get some valuable

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00:01:43,030 --> 00:01:40,799

information on how to help someone

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00:01:44,710 --> 00:01:43,040
and if you do see a friend or family

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00:01:46,950 --> 00:01:44,720
member going down that road

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00:01:48,710 --> 00:01:46,960
it's best to try and speak to them

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00:01:51,109 --> 00:01:48,720
before they get too far in

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00:01:52,789 --> 00:01:51,119
and to remain compassionate people

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00:01:54,310 --> 00:01:52,799
aren't idiots because they believe in

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00:01:56,550 --> 00:01:54,320
conspiracy theories

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00:01:59,510 --> 00:01:56,560
it could happen to anyone so treat

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00:02:03,749 --> 00:01:59,520
people with compassion

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00:02:05,830 --> 00:02:03,759
okay and here is georgina

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00:02:07,350 --> 00:02:05,840
thank you very much for uh for talking

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00:02:10,949 --> 00:02:07,360
to me and

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00:02:14,229 --> 00:02:10,959

so you contacted me after i posted on a

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00:02:15,190 --> 00:02:14,239

reddit uh forum for people who have

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00:02:18,309 --> 00:02:15,200

friends

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00:02:21,030 --> 00:02:18,319

who were stuck down the q a rabbit hole

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00:02:22,070 --> 00:02:21,040

yeah so they read it's called q anon

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00:02:23,830 --> 00:02:22,080

casualties

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00:02:25,510 --> 00:02:23,840

so what kind of drove you to like

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00:02:28,869 --> 00:02:25,520

actually find that

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community online i've got a friend who

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at the start of the first look down in

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the uk

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i wasn't aware of q anon before any of

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00:02:36,790 --> 00:02:36,160

this it wasn't something that was in my

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00:02:40,390 --> 00:02:36,800

life

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but she started sharing q and on stuff

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with me

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at the time i didn't know it was q anon

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um i just thought it was

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00:02:48,790 --> 00:02:46,720

general conspiracy theories i mean i've

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00:02:49,430 --> 00:02:48,800

heard of you know conspiracy theories

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00:02:51,910 --> 00:02:49,440

before

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00:02:53,110 --> 00:02:51,920

was it like back in like april march

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00:02:54,710 --> 00:02:53,120

april something like that

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00:02:56,229 --> 00:02:54,720

yeah around that sort of time i would

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00:02:58,390 --> 00:02:56,239

say at the very beginning of the

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pandemic everyone sort of seemed to be

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on the same page and then these

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00:03:03,589 --> 00:03:01,840

conspiracies started

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00:03:06,309 --> 00:03:03,599

well i started to become aware of them

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anyway so she wasn't interested in

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q and on before any of that now what

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types of stuff was she interested in

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before that uh that were kind of like

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kind of adjacent to that type of belief

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00:03:18,869 --> 00:03:17,599

i'd definitely say she was interested in

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conspiracy theories

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ones that i think are quite common stuff

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like

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00:03:26,509 --> 00:03:25,120
um big pharma pushing pills onto people

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00:03:29,589 --> 00:03:26,519
that don't need them

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00:03:31,430 --> 00:03:29,599
anti-vaxx sort of stuff i never

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00:03:32,869 --> 00:03:31,440
agreed with anti-vaxx i've i've got a

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00:03:34,869 --> 00:03:32,879
child who's vaccinated

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00:03:36,869 --> 00:03:34,879
but it's something that you come across

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00:03:38,470 --> 00:03:36,879
all the time people don't trust the

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00:03:40,630 --> 00:03:38,480
pharmaceutical industry

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00:03:41,750 --> 00:03:40,640
and i'd say to a certain extent i agree

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00:03:43,350 --> 00:03:41,760
with some of those

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00:03:46,149 --> 00:03:43,360
conspiracy theories not that it's

112
00:03:48,710 --> 00:03:46,159
something that's in my life a lot

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00:03:49,589 --> 00:03:48,720

um or that i think about often but you

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00:03:51,589 --> 00:03:49,599

know there are

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00:03:53,509 --> 00:03:51,599

the concerns that maybe people are being

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00:03:54,390 --> 00:03:53,519

prescribed things that they don't really

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00:03:57,750 --> 00:03:54,400

need or

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00:03:59,030 --> 00:03:57,760

that sort of thing um but she was never

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00:04:02,229 --> 00:03:59,040

into any

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other conspiracies nothing like 911 or

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00:04:06,149 --> 00:04:04,480

chemtrails or anything like that

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00:04:07,830 --> 00:04:06,159

interesting so you would say like

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00:04:09,750 --> 00:04:07,840

anti-backs would be the most kind of

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00:04:12,390 --> 00:04:09,760

extreme thing that she believed in

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00:04:12,869 --> 00:04:12,400

before she maybe jumped on i would say

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00:04:16,789 --> 00:04:12,879
we're

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00:04:18,390 --> 00:04:16,799
right i'd say a lot of people

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00:04:20,469 --> 00:04:18,400
are distrustful of the government it's

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00:04:22,550 --> 00:04:20,479
kind of healthy to have a bit yeah

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00:04:23,909 --> 00:04:22,560
it's like most people uh you know

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00:04:25,510 --> 00:04:23,919
obviously like when you think of a

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00:04:28,310 --> 00:04:25,520
politician

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00:04:30,070 --> 00:04:28,320
it's kind of like everybody i think

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00:04:31,909 --> 00:04:30,080
thinks of politicians as being

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00:04:33,270 --> 00:04:31,919
distrustful characters it's not really

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00:04:34,629 --> 00:04:33,280
at all

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00:04:36,629 --> 00:04:34,639
only expected that people are

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00:04:38,550 --> 00:04:36,639

distrustful of politicians and hence

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00:04:40,070 --> 00:04:38,560

hence the government

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00:04:42,550 --> 00:04:40,080

so that seems to me to be a bit

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00:04:46,070 --> 00:04:42,560

perfectly healthy um

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00:04:47,670 --> 00:04:46,080

suspicion for people to have yeah i'd

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00:04:50,790 --> 00:04:47,680

say so it's good to

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00:04:51,590 --> 00:04:50,800

to always like look at things from two

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00:04:53,430 --> 00:04:51,600

sides and

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00:04:54,870 --> 00:04:53,440

try and work out what the middle point

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00:04:57,270 --> 00:04:54,880

is right

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00:04:58,550 --> 00:04:57,280

so your friend started sharing q anon

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00:05:01,350 --> 00:04:58,560

stuff with you

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00:05:02,710 --> 00:05:01,360

how did that kind of like start and how

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00:05:05,670 --> 00:05:02,720
did it evolve

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00:05:06,469 --> 00:05:05,680
we was talking on the phone one evening

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00:05:07,909 --> 00:05:06,479
and

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00:05:10,230 --> 00:05:07,919
she was talking to me about a few

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00:05:10,710 --> 00:05:10,240
different conspiracies that she'd heard

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00:05:14,070 --> 00:05:10,720
about

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00:05:16,150 --> 00:05:14,080
covert 19 and um one of the things that

158
00:05:17,590 --> 00:05:16,160
got brought up was that documentary the

159
00:05:20,150 --> 00:05:17,600
fall of the cabal

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00:05:21,189 --> 00:05:20,160
which it was she sent it to me and i

161
00:05:24,469 --> 00:05:21,199
tried to watch a bit of

162
00:05:27,110 --> 00:05:24,479
it but i found it unwatchable

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00:05:27,990 --> 00:05:27,120

it wasn't entertaining it was quite like

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00:05:30,790 --> 00:05:28,000

bizarre

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00:05:32,230 --> 00:05:30,800

really poorly edited really long it's

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00:05:32,790 --> 00:05:32,240

not something that you could just sort

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00:05:35,909 --> 00:05:32,800

of

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00:05:37,510 --> 00:05:35,919

watch and then talk about it's

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00:05:39,189 --> 00:05:37,520

i think it was something like eight or

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00:05:41,270 --> 00:05:39,199

nine videos

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00:05:42,550 --> 00:05:41,280

that she was watching it bit by bit

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00:05:44,870 --> 00:05:42,560

every evening

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00:05:46,790 --> 00:05:44,880

she talked about some conspiracies that

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00:05:50,469 --> 00:05:46,800

had come from that there was a

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00:05:52,310 --> 00:05:50,479

video of a child falling out of a window

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00:05:54,390 --> 00:05:52,320

at buckingham palace

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00:05:56,550 --> 00:05:54,400

really yeah and i don't know if that was

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00:05:57,430 --> 00:05:56,560

in the documentary or whether that's

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00:05:59,430 --> 00:05:57,440

something because i

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00:06:00,629 --> 00:05:59,440

i couldn't watch the documentary it was

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it was too long

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00:06:05,510 --> 00:06:03,759

but this video was on youtube and

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00:06:07,270 --> 00:06:05,520

we'd spoken about it on the phone call

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00:06:08,870 --> 00:06:07,280

and i'd then gone to look at it

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00:06:11,430 --> 00:06:08,880

afterwards

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00:06:13,110 --> 00:06:11,440

and it had been debunked it wasn't a

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00:06:15,510 --> 00:06:13,120

child falling out the window it was an

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00:06:18,390 --> 00:06:15,520

actor and it it wasn't buckingham palace

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00:06:21,990 --> 00:06:18,400

it was it was for some american tv show

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but it it come into this conspiracy that

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00:06:25,990 --> 00:06:24,639

uh buckingham palace were part of a

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00:06:28,950 --> 00:06:26,000

pedophile ring

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00:06:29,990 --> 00:06:28,960

um and that's how the it tied into the

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00:06:32,469 --> 00:06:30,000

adrenochrome

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

stuff so the idea there was that there

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00:06:35,990 --> 00:06:34,319

was a child being trapped in buckingham

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00:06:37,909 --> 00:06:36,000

palace and it's trying to escape out of

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00:06:38,950 --> 00:06:37,919

the window and it falls out whilst

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00:06:40,870 --> 00:06:38,960

trying to escape

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00:06:43,270 --> 00:06:40,880

and somebody happened to catch it on

201
00:06:45,830 --> 00:06:43,280
video and this is proof of this

202
00:06:47,110 --> 00:06:45,840
this big conspiracy where the queen and

203
00:06:49,909 --> 00:06:47,120
other people are

204
00:06:51,990 --> 00:06:49,919
kidnapping children and torturing them

205
00:06:54,150 --> 00:06:52,000
so they make more adrenaline

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00:06:55,029 --> 00:06:54,160
in their yeah blood and then they drink

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00:06:57,350 --> 00:06:55,039
their blood

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00:06:59,510 --> 00:06:57,360
yeah so we had them a discussion about

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00:07:02,150 --> 00:06:59,520
this the next day because i said i'd

210
00:07:03,110 --> 00:07:02,160
gone and looked at it and then i uh said

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00:07:05,189 --> 00:07:03,120
well

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00:07:06,790 --> 00:07:05,199
i've read this article on snape's and

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00:07:09,270 --> 00:07:06,800

i've looked at different things and

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00:07:10,870 --> 00:07:09,280

this is what i think that's when she

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00:07:12,629 --> 00:07:10,880

told me that you can't trust the

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00:07:14,790 --> 00:07:12,639

fact-checking sites

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00:07:16,070 --> 00:07:14,800

because they're part of the cabal and

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00:07:17,510 --> 00:07:16,080

that you can't trust

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00:07:19,510 --> 00:07:17,520

the information that you can get off

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00:07:20,309 --> 00:07:19,520

google by reverse searching that sort of

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00:07:22,469 --> 00:07:20,319

thing

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00:07:24,469 --> 00:07:22,479

because google a part of the cabal and

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00:07:27,350 --> 00:07:24,479

they change the dates of things

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00:07:29,350 --> 00:07:27,360

to make it so it doesn't work so did you

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00:07:31,909 --> 00:07:29,360

did you try showing her this video

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00:07:32,629 --> 00:07:31,919

like from smoke yeah so they had an

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advert

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sent her the um

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the advert but her response was that

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it would that would that would have been

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00:07:45,749 --> 00:07:42,880

created by google

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to make this look like it's not true so

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even though you showed her the evidence

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00:07:51,270 --> 00:07:48,800

that it was essentially

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00:07:52,790 --> 00:07:51,280

not what she thought it was she then

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00:07:55,110 --> 00:07:52,800

thought that that explanation must have

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00:07:57,350 --> 00:07:55,120

been forged afterwards

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to cover up something that actually

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happened yeah and it was at this sort of

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time that she was sort of saying um that

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the democrats

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fund antifa and black lives matter then

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00:08:08,309 --> 00:08:06,080

there's

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all the conspiracies about george soros

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00:08:12,309 --> 00:08:10,240

funding this vaccine that

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they're going to use to poison us

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because the q anon

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conspiracy contains so many different

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things it's

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it's almost impossible to debunk because

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it's just

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too much yeah oh yeah definitely that's

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a big problem i have because you know

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something

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podcast is is debunking individual

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conspiracy theories and

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individual bits of evidence and it's

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often referred to as playing a game of

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whack-a-mole because you you whack down

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a bunch

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then if you have whack-a-mole in uh in

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the uk it's like

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an arcade game where you hit things okay

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i didn't know if it was an american game

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or not might be called something

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different like

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a badger or something you hit one of

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these things on the head and another one

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pops up

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and uh it's it's a deliberate strategy

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and it's it's in some regards it's

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referred to here in the political arena

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as

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i think steve bannon who's a guy over

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here has

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called it flooding the zone with [h__\h]

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00:09:15,110 --> 00:09:11,920

and it's basically you just

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pour out endless conspiracy theorists so

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no matter

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how many are debunked there's always

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going to be some remaining

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it's a really big problem because the

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people who believe in these conspiracy

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theories can always move on to another

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00:09:28,790 --> 00:09:26,160

one i'm sure that's

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00:09:29,910 --> 00:09:28,800

what your friend would have done yeah so

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00:09:32,310 --> 00:09:29,920

i think some of the

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00:09:33,509 --> 00:09:32,320

some of the things that she was talking

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00:09:36,710 --> 00:09:33,519

about at the start

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00:09:37,670 --> 00:09:36,720

like 5g that seems to have disappeared

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00:09:41,030 --> 00:09:37,680

now i don't think

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00:09:41,670 --> 00:09:41,040

really yeah don't she doesn't talk about

293

00:09:45,190 --> 00:09:41,680

5g

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00:09:47,670 --> 00:09:45,200

being a cause of coronavirus anymore

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00:09:48,870 --> 00:09:47,680

um do you know why she would have moved

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00:09:49,990 --> 00:09:48,880

on from that

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00:09:51,509 --> 00:09:50,000

you think she's just found more

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00:09:53,829 --> 00:09:51,519

interesting things to talk about or does

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00:09:55,509 --> 00:09:53,839

she no longer believe that

300

00:09:56,949 --> 00:09:55,519

i think that's interesting i'm not i'm

301
00:09:58,710 --> 00:09:56,959
not 100 sure

302
00:10:00,550 --> 00:09:58,720
it used to be something that was brought

303
00:10:02,470 --> 00:10:00,560
up in conversation a lot so

304
00:10:03,990 --> 00:10:02,480
maybe just doesn't bring it up anymore

305
00:10:06,790 --> 00:10:04,000
because she knows that i don't

306
00:10:09,030 --> 00:10:06,800
believe that it was caused by 5g but

307
00:10:11,829 --> 00:10:09,040
also there's a lot of evidence online

308
00:10:14,069 --> 00:10:11,839
i've seen some good things on youtube

309
00:10:15,110 --> 00:10:14,079
that show like the spread of 5g where it

310
00:10:16,949 --> 00:10:15,120
started

311
00:10:18,470 --> 00:10:16,959
and you know the spread of coronavirus

312
00:10:20,069 --> 00:10:18,480
and where that's starting how

313
00:10:22,710 --> 00:10:20,079

it doesn't correlate that sort of thing

314

00:10:23,030 --> 00:10:22,720

so i don't know but she was interested

315

00:10:26,069 --> 00:10:23,040

in

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00:10:27,910 --> 00:10:26,079

5g before coronavirus anyway that was a

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00:10:31,030 --> 00:10:27,920

conspiracy theory that she was

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00:10:32,870 --> 00:10:31,040

already interested in um i can remember

319

00:10:33,829 --> 00:10:32,880

her sending me a letter that had been

320

00:10:35,829 --> 00:10:33,839

signed by

321

00:10:37,509 --> 00:10:35,839

scientists a hundred different

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00:10:39,430 --> 00:10:37,519

scientists or something like that to say

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00:10:41,509 --> 00:10:39,440

they think more research should be done

324

00:10:45,350 --> 00:10:41,519

into 5g

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00:10:47,990 --> 00:10:45,360

but yeah like all of her

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00:10:48,710 --> 00:10:48,000

original conspiracy theories were all

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00:10:51,750 --> 00:10:48,720

like

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00:10:54,150 --> 00:10:51,760

centered around health yeah

329

00:10:54,870 --> 00:10:54,160

i would say so yeah so she works she

330

00:10:57,990 --> 00:10:54,880

works in

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00:11:00,389 --> 00:10:58,000

environmental sciences and i think her

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00:11:01,430 --> 00:11:00,399

master's degree is in environmental

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00:11:03,750 --> 00:11:01,440

sciences so

334

00:11:04,470 --> 00:11:03,760

that's got a massive part to play and i

335

00:11:06,710 --> 00:11:04,480

think

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00:11:07,509 --> 00:11:06,720

there are genuine problems that we have

337

00:11:09,829 --> 00:11:07,519

in the world

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00:11:11,269 --> 00:11:09,839

climate cover-ups that would be

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00:11:13,190 --> 00:11:11,279

considered a conspiracy

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00:11:15,509 --> 00:11:13,200

but obviously there are things that are

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00:11:18,790 --> 00:11:15,519

real there are real conspiracies

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00:11:22,069 --> 00:11:18,800

yeah part of um this q anon

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00:11:23,829 --> 00:11:22,079

conspiracy that she follows now is that

344

00:11:24,630 --> 00:11:23,839

she doesn't believe in climate change

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00:11:26,949 --> 00:11:24,640

anymore

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00:11:28,069 --> 00:11:26,959

she used to believe in climate change

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00:11:30,150 --> 00:11:28,079

but now she thinks

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00:11:31,829 --> 00:11:30,160

that that ties into the conspiracy as

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00:11:32,389 --> 00:11:31,839

well now when you say she doesn't

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00:11:33,910 --> 00:11:32,399

believe in

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00:11:36,069 --> 00:11:33,920

climate change does that mean she

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00:11:37,190 --> 00:11:36,079

doesn't believe carbon dioxide warming

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00:11:40,630 --> 00:11:37,200

the climate

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00:11:41,430 --> 00:11:40,640

yeah so she thinks it's natural yeah so

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00:11:43,190 --> 00:11:41,440

she does

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00:11:45,030 --> 00:11:43,200

believe in obviously plastic pollution

357

00:11:47,269 --> 00:11:45,040

that sort of thing you you can't deny it

358

00:11:48,870 --> 00:11:47,279

but global warming she doesn't believe

359

00:11:50,629 --> 00:11:48,880

and she also thinks we're about to enter

360

00:11:52,870 --> 00:11:50,639

an ice age

361

00:11:54,550 --> 00:11:52,880

is it is that a conspiracy in america do

362

00:11:56,790 --> 00:11:54,560

you have that or

363

00:11:58,230 --> 00:11:56,800

climate change thing yeah yeah and it's

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00:12:01,670 --> 00:11:58,240

it's a huge thing over here

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00:12:04,470 --> 00:12:01,680

uh a lot of people

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00:12:04,870 --> 00:12:04,480

think that uh you know it's it's kind of

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00:12:24,790 --> 00:12:04,880

a

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00:12:27,590 --> 00:12:24,800

restrictions on industry so you get this

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00:12:29,590 --> 00:12:27,600

this this kind of politically based uh

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00:12:32,790 --> 00:12:29,600

belief in science

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00:12:35,670 --> 00:12:32,800

where the democrats tend to be more uh

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00:12:36,550 --> 00:12:35,680

in favor of regulation of industry and

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00:12:38,389 --> 00:12:36,560

the

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00:12:40,150 --> 00:12:38,399

republicans are opposed to regulation of

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00:12:42,470 --> 00:12:40,160

industry and that's led to

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00:12:43,509 --> 00:12:42,480

the democrats being more in favor of the

377

00:12:45,670 --> 00:12:43,519

science that

378

00:12:47,590 --> 00:12:45,680

indicates we need regulation and the

379

00:12:49,350 --> 00:12:47,600

republicans the other way

380

00:12:50,949 --> 00:12:49,360

uh and it's you know a lot of people i

381

00:12:51,750 --> 00:12:50,959

think really don't understand the

382

00:12:54,710 --> 00:12:51,760

science

383

00:12:56,629 --> 00:12:54,720

behind global warming and the greenhouse

384

00:12:57,670 --> 00:12:56,639

effect of carbon dioxide and things like

385

00:13:00,870 --> 00:12:57,680

that

386

00:13:03,750 --> 00:13:00,880

and so you have to go by

387

00:13:05,030 --> 00:13:03,760

some experts opinion and people end up

388

00:13:07,829 --> 00:13:05,040

picking their experts

389

00:13:09,750 --> 00:13:07,839

like your friend is choosing to believe

390

00:13:11,910 --> 00:13:09,760

her pierce corbin

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00:13:13,590 --> 00:13:11,920

uh even she probably doesn't understand

392

00:13:16,150 --> 00:13:13,600

the science and pierce corbin probably

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00:13:19,269 --> 00:13:16,160

doesn't understand the science either

394

00:13:20,710 --> 00:13:19,279

but this ends up being what comes across

395

00:13:22,550 --> 00:13:20,720

i think that's part of the problem as

396

00:13:24,870 --> 00:13:22,560

well because um

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00:13:26,150 --> 00:13:24,880

i'm not a scientific person and i i

398

00:13:32,310 --> 00:13:26,160

don't

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00:13:34,230 --> 00:13:32,320

i try and put my trust in people that i

400

00:13:36,470 --> 00:13:34,240

think are suitably qualified

401
00:13:37,990 --> 00:13:36,480
but i feel like at the moment people

402
00:13:42,470 --> 00:13:38,000
really distrust

403
00:13:44,629 --> 00:13:42,480
um scientists or the scientific opinion

404
00:13:46,470 --> 00:13:44,639
um and i think that that's played a

405
00:13:49,430 --> 00:13:46,480
massive part into it

406
00:13:51,509 --> 00:13:49,440
um but the problem with q anon is it's

407
00:13:52,629 --> 00:13:51,519
such a large umbrella and it contains so

408
00:13:55,829 --> 00:13:52,639
much

409
00:13:58,150 --> 00:13:55,839
brought into it

410
00:13:59,750 --> 00:13:58,160
that if you believed you were a bit

411
00:14:02,710 --> 00:13:59,760
anti-vaxx or

412
00:14:04,310 --> 00:14:02,720
you were a bit climate change denial

413
00:14:04,870 --> 00:14:04,320

there's something in there for everyone

414

00:14:08,629 --> 00:14:04,880

so

415

00:14:11,189 --> 00:14:08,639

people get drawn in um through their

416

00:14:13,990 --> 00:14:11,199

their interest and then they take on

417

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

these other pieces but they also

418

00:14:17,670 --> 00:14:15,920

discard the bits they're not that that

419

00:14:20,870 --> 00:14:17,680

bothered about

420

00:14:22,150 --> 00:14:20,880

um i don't think most of people that

421

00:14:22,550 --> 00:14:22,160

follow queue and on i don't think that

422

00:14:26,310 --> 00:14:22,560

they

423

00:14:26,790 --> 00:14:26,320

go on um a [h__\h] and look at the drops i

424

00:14:30,949 --> 00:14:26,800

don't

425

00:14:33,590 --> 00:14:30,959

part of it anymore

426
00:14:34,550 --> 00:14:33,600
i think it's more of a community

427
00:14:37,829 --> 00:14:34,560
community-led

428
00:14:41,590 --> 00:14:37,839
thing yeah it seems to be

429
00:14:44,790 --> 00:14:41,600
almost becoming an established mythology

430
00:14:45,910 --> 00:14:44,800
uh that people believe as a set number

431
00:14:47,350 --> 00:14:45,920
of things

432
00:14:49,030 --> 00:14:47,360
uh you know one of the problems with

433
00:14:50,069 --> 00:14:49,040
with debunking queueing on is that it

434
00:14:52,310 --> 00:14:50,079
seems like you're getting these new

435
00:14:55,110 --> 00:14:52,320
things over and over again

436
00:14:56,629 --> 00:14:55,120
uh but i think as as it grows and

437
00:14:58,069 --> 00:14:56,639
becomes more established like you said

438
00:14:59,750 --> 00:14:58,079

people aren't so much following what

439

00:15:01,269 --> 00:14:59,760

happens on a day-to-day basis and that's

440

00:15:01,590 --> 00:15:01,279

kind of fracturing now anyway i think

441

00:15:04,069 --> 00:15:01,600

with

442

00:15:05,750 --> 00:15:04,079

the the election approaching and donald

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00:15:10,230 --> 00:15:05,760

trump will be replaced

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00:15:13,829 --> 00:15:10,240

uh by joe biden uh in a couple of weeks

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00:15:15,750 --> 00:15:13,839

uh and i think it's it's it's

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00:15:17,269 --> 00:15:15,760

maybe solidifying the conspiracy theory

447

00:15:19,269 --> 00:15:17,279

into something that can be more easily

448

00:15:20,790 --> 00:15:19,279

addressed that's my hope anyway

449

00:15:22,629 --> 00:15:20,800

but i just wanna go go back to something

450

00:15:24,150 --> 00:15:22,639

he's he said uh well something i said

451
00:15:26,069 --> 00:15:24,160
earlier like i said your friend probably

452
00:15:28,389 --> 00:15:26,079
doesn't understand the the science of

453
00:15:29,749 --> 00:15:28,399
global warming and and i don't i was

454
00:15:31,590 --> 00:15:29,759
making an assumption there

455
00:15:32,870 --> 00:15:31,600
and i remember you told me like she has

456
00:15:33,350 --> 00:15:32,880
a master's degree and you just said

457
00:15:36,389 --> 00:15:33,360
she's

458
00:15:38,550 --> 00:15:36,399
in environmental sciences so

459
00:15:40,870 --> 00:15:38,560
is she scientifically based would she

460
00:15:43,910 --> 00:15:40,880
understand the science behind level one

461
00:15:45,030 --> 00:15:43,920
she is scientifically based um she works

462
00:15:46,949 --> 00:15:45,040
in soil

463
00:15:48,550 --> 00:15:46,959

management which is um slightly

464

00:15:50,310 --> 00:15:48,560

different that's why i'd probably say

465

00:15:51,990 --> 00:15:50,320

maybe she doesn't understand the science

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00:15:53,990 --> 00:15:52,000

of global warming

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00:15:55,509 --> 00:15:54,000

she probably is something that she could

468

00:15:58,870 --> 00:15:55,519

understand though if she

469

00:16:01,990 --> 00:15:58,880

looked into it but then i think people

470

00:16:02,550 --> 00:16:02,000

look for what supports their current

471

00:16:04,389 --> 00:16:02,560

view

472

00:16:05,829 --> 00:16:04,399

and that's part of the issue is that

473

00:16:07,030 --> 00:16:05,839

she's looking for things to support what

474

00:16:08,790 --> 00:16:07,040

she currently thinks

475

00:16:11,509 --> 00:16:08,800

not not the other side to see what the

476
00:16:12,790 --> 00:16:11,519
other side is she did previously believe

477
00:16:14,949 --> 00:16:12,800
in climate change

478
00:16:16,629 --> 00:16:14,959
so she must be looking at some

479
00:16:17,749 --> 00:16:16,639
information now that that tells her

480
00:16:20,069 --> 00:16:17,759
differently

481
00:16:21,590 --> 00:16:20,079
what role do you think her kind of

482
00:16:25,269 --> 00:16:21,600
religious beliefs

483
00:16:27,110 --> 00:16:25,279
had in this my friend is

484
00:16:28,470 --> 00:16:27,120
i would say spiritual but doesn't follow

485
00:16:30,389 --> 00:16:28,480
an organized religion

486
00:16:32,230 --> 00:16:30,399
she does talk about jesus but then she

487
00:16:35,269 --> 00:16:32,240
also talks about more sort of

488
00:16:37,670 --> 00:16:35,279

pagan type type things so she's

489

00:16:38,629 --> 00:16:37,680

always taken bits of religions that she

490

00:16:40,389 --> 00:16:38,639

likes or

491

00:16:42,470 --> 00:16:40,399

but not strongly religious doesn't go to

492

00:16:44,949 --> 00:16:42,480

church on sunday or anything like that

493

00:16:46,629 --> 00:16:44,959

but one thing that i have noticed over

494

00:16:47,509 --> 00:16:46,639

this period is she speaks about god a

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00:16:50,790 --> 00:16:47,519

lot more

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00:16:53,189 --> 00:16:50,800

know the

497

00:16:54,069 --> 00:16:53,199

in the uh american side of this

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00:16:57,749 --> 00:16:54,079

conspiracy

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00:16:59,269 --> 00:16:57,759

people tie it to god a lot so i have

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00:17:01,189 --> 00:16:59,279

noticed that her

501
00:17:04,230 --> 00:17:01,199
her speech she talks about god a lot

502
00:17:07,510 --> 00:17:04,240
more or being blessed by god or follow

503
00:17:08,470 --> 00:17:07,520
following god's god's plan yeah here

504
00:17:11,669 --> 00:17:08,480
over here is very

505
00:17:14,150 --> 00:17:11,679
uh god and really jesus based i think

506
00:17:14,870 --> 00:17:14,160
uh kind of an even evangelical

507
00:17:17,829 --> 00:17:14,880
christianity

508
00:17:18,789 --> 00:17:17,839
behind it there's some of the the people

509
00:17:21,669 --> 00:17:18,799
who are

510
00:17:23,990 --> 00:17:21,679
famous in the in the theory like there's

511
00:17:26,150 --> 00:17:24,000
a lawyer here called lynn wood

512
00:17:27,270 --> 00:17:26,160
who has been spouting up a lot of stuff

513
00:17:29,750 --> 00:17:27,280

about the election and

514

00:17:31,990 --> 00:17:29,760

and he often phrases this with you know

515

00:17:33,270 --> 00:17:32,000

talk about angels and biblical verses

516

00:17:35,830 --> 00:17:33,280

then there's a former general called

517

00:17:38,390 --> 00:17:35,840

michael flynn uh who

518

00:17:40,630 --> 00:17:38,400

uh also you know says that he's part of

519

00:17:42,630 --> 00:17:40,640

god's army and things like that

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00:17:43,830 --> 00:17:42,640

so it's yeah there's obviously like a

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00:17:45,990 --> 00:17:43,840

difference in the terms of the

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00:17:48,710 --> 00:17:46,000

evangelical versus secular with the the

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00:17:49,909 --> 00:17:48,720

united states and the uk uh but it's

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00:17:51,270 --> 00:17:49,919

kind of interesting that that kind of

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00:17:54,070 --> 00:17:51,280

would

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00:17:54,549 --> 00:17:54,080

affect people in in britain because like

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00:17:56,549 --> 00:17:54,559

i guess

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00:17:58,470 --> 00:17:56,559

most of the q anon stuff is very

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00:17:59,990 --> 00:17:58,480

us-centric i mean it's not like hugh

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00:18:03,029 --> 00:18:00,000

talks about what's going on in britain

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00:18:04,390 --> 00:18:03,039

very often no that's one of the things i

532

00:18:06,630 --> 00:18:04,400

don't really understand

533

00:18:08,950 --> 00:18:06,640

i've never heard of it this conspiracy

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00:18:11,190 --> 00:18:08,960

before coronavirus and i think that's

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00:18:12,310 --> 00:18:11,200

obviously drawn a lot of people in in

536

00:18:14,549 --> 00:18:12,320

the uk

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00:18:17,510 --> 00:18:14,559

i was listening to him i think it was a

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00:18:18,789 --> 00:18:17,520

q a non anonymous podcast the other day

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00:18:20,789 --> 00:18:18,799

and um they were saying they have a

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00:18:22,870 --> 00:18:20,799

really big following in the netherlands

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00:18:24,390 --> 00:18:22,880

and that's where the fall of the cabal

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00:18:26,870 --> 00:18:24,400

documentary is from

543

00:18:28,789 --> 00:18:26,880

which i just find bizarre i don't

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00:18:31,350 --> 00:18:28,799

understand why there's such a big

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00:18:32,789 --> 00:18:31,360

uh following in the netherlands and

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00:18:35,990 --> 00:18:32,799

there's a lot of people

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00:18:37,270 --> 00:18:36,000

um here i don't know whether it's my

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00:18:38,630 --> 00:18:37,280

friendship circle

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00:18:41,510 --> 00:18:38,640

there's a lot of people that are drawn

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00:18:43,510 --> 00:18:41,520

to it but we have david ike here

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00:18:45,669 --> 00:18:43,520

and you know you come across the odd

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00:18:46,549 --> 00:18:45,679

person who who believes in david arc and

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00:18:48,870 --> 00:18:46,559

i think those

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00:18:49,669 --> 00:18:48,880

those people that were already drawn to

555

00:18:52,950 --> 00:18:49,679

that

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00:18:55,510 --> 00:18:52,960

have sort of gone over as well um

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00:18:56,710 --> 00:18:55,520

but but q doesn't talk about the uk

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00:19:00,070 --> 00:18:56,720

which

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00:19:01,430 --> 00:19:00,080

i find i find it bizarre that the people

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00:19:03,029 --> 00:19:01,440

here have been drawn in

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00:19:05,590 --> 00:19:03,039

yeah so you get all these british people

562

00:19:07,270 --> 00:19:05,600

who become experts in american politics

563

00:19:10,150 --> 00:19:07,280

and it's almost like they've

564

00:19:11,029 --> 00:19:10,160

because you go onto youtube and youtube

565

00:19:12,710 --> 00:19:11,039

shows you

566

00:19:14,230 --> 00:19:12,720

what's the most popular thing and

567

00:19:17,190 --> 00:19:14,240

america's such a big

568

00:19:19,750 --> 00:19:17,200

creator of this content it ends up

569

00:19:21,750 --> 00:19:19,760

infecting all these other countries and

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00:19:23,190 --> 00:19:21,760

they become more con if conspiracy

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00:19:24,789 --> 00:19:23,200

theories perhaps become more concerned

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00:19:27,350 --> 00:19:24,799

with american politics than

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00:19:29,190 --> 00:19:27,360

their own country's politics yeah and

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00:19:30,390 --> 00:19:29,200

i've i've got to say i followed the

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00:19:33,350 --> 00:19:30,400

election

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00:19:34,950 --> 00:19:33,360

um in america this year more than i

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00:19:36,950 --> 00:19:34,960

would follow an english election

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00:19:38,470 --> 00:19:36,960

i mean i'm obviously interested in

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00:19:42,310 --> 00:19:38,480

politics here

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00:19:44,310 --> 00:19:42,320

but um i think i was reloading my phone

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00:19:45,830 --> 00:19:44,320

every five minutes to see what what the

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00:19:48,310 --> 00:19:45,840

updates were

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00:19:49,669 --> 00:19:48,320

and it was an exciting election that you

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00:19:52,230 --> 00:19:49,679

had so

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00:19:54,150 --> 00:19:52,240

we've got another one today which is the

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00:19:55,830 --> 00:19:54,160

the election of the senators in georgia

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00:19:58,470 --> 00:19:55,840

which will control

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00:20:00,549 --> 00:19:58,480

the the senate which essentially will

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00:20:02,310 --> 00:20:00,559

control the entire government

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00:20:04,789 --> 00:20:02,320

so there's a very interesting and

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00:20:06,549 --> 00:20:04,799

pivotal election going on today

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00:20:08,710 --> 00:20:06,559

and of course it's it's all framed in

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00:20:10,630 --> 00:20:08,720

the context of election fraud

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00:20:12,310 --> 00:20:10,640

and this is this big thing about

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00:20:14,470 --> 00:20:12,320

election fraud i don't know if it's been

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00:20:15,669 --> 00:20:14,480

news in the uk with this specific thing

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00:20:18,070 --> 00:20:15,679

with the

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00:20:18,710 --> 00:20:18,080

uh there was a phone call with trump uh

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00:20:21,270 --> 00:20:18,720

yeah

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00:20:23,750 --> 00:20:21,280

the secretary of state of georgia and

601
00:20:26,870 --> 00:20:23,760
trump was basically asking him to

602
00:20:27,830 --> 00:20:26,880
find some votes and one side frames this

603
00:20:30,950 --> 00:20:27,840
as being trump

604
00:20:32,630 --> 00:20:30,960
trying to bully uh the the guy and the

605
00:20:33,590 --> 00:20:32,640
other one the other side is framing it

606
00:20:37,190 --> 00:20:33,600
as trump

607
00:20:38,549 --> 00:20:37,200
justifiably like expressing his concerns

608
00:20:40,390 --> 00:20:38,559
uh but you know this is this is the

609
00:20:41,190 --> 00:20:40,400
context in which this election is going

610
00:20:42,710 --> 00:20:41,200
in so

611
00:20:44,390 --> 00:20:42,720
it's going to be very interesting today

612
00:20:45,750 --> 00:20:44,400
this is what i'm going to be doing this

613
00:20:47,430 --> 00:20:45,760

evening i think is watching the early

614

00:20:50,310 --> 00:20:47,440

election returns

615

00:20:52,310 --> 00:20:50,320

yeah and the voter the voter fraud stuff

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00:20:53,510 --> 00:20:52,320

i'd because of uh the conversations that

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00:20:56,390 --> 00:20:53,520

i'd had with my friend

618

00:20:56,789 --> 00:20:56,400

about coronavirus and these conspiracies

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00:20:58,710 --> 00:20:56,799

she

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00:21:00,390 --> 00:20:58,720

asked to stop talking to me for a while

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00:21:01,510 --> 00:21:00,400

because she didn't feel like she could

622

00:21:03,990 --> 00:21:01,520

trust me or

623

00:21:05,270 --> 00:21:04,000

or that i was gonna understand what she

624

00:21:06,789 --> 00:21:05,280

was talking about so

625

00:21:08,950 --> 00:21:06,799

we didn't speak for a few months and

626
00:21:10,630 --> 00:21:08,960
then when we got back in contact again

627
00:21:12,149 --> 00:21:10,640
we just sort of didn't speak about

628
00:21:15,270 --> 00:21:12,159
conspiracies

629
00:21:16,710 --> 00:21:15,280
but recently i asked her what her

630
00:21:19,430 --> 00:21:16,720
opinion was of the uh

631
00:21:20,630 --> 00:21:19,440
voter fraud stuff in america and she

632
00:21:23,190 --> 00:21:20,640
sent me some links to

633
00:21:25,510 --> 00:21:23,200
uh one america news which i think is a

634
00:21:27,110 --> 00:21:25,520
huge is that a youtube

635
00:21:29,990 --> 00:21:27,120
news channel it's not a real news

636
00:21:33,029 --> 00:21:30,000
channel i think they do actually uh

637
00:21:35,110 --> 00:21:33,039
appear on some cable tv stations it's

638
00:21:37,190 --> 00:21:35,120

kind of framing itself as a

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00:21:39,029 --> 00:21:37,200

replacement for fox news which in fox

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00:21:39,830 --> 00:21:39,039

news in the us has been famous for being

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00:21:44,470 --> 00:21:39,840

very

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00:21:46,789 --> 00:21:44,480

republicans but

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00:21:48,549 --> 00:21:46,799

even fox news hasn't been able to you

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00:21:49,909 --> 00:21:48,559

know completely support donald trump

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00:21:51,669 --> 00:21:49,919

entirely and so

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00:21:54,549 --> 00:21:51,679

a few other news networks have sprung

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00:21:57,190 --> 00:21:54,559

into existence and one american uses

648

00:21:57,990 --> 00:21:57,200

is one of those and it's actually

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00:22:02,549 --> 00:21:58,000

becoming more and more

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00:22:05,270 --> 00:22:02,559

popular uh with the uh pro-trump crowd

651
00:22:06,630 --> 00:22:05,280
and how is this voter fraud stuff

652
00:22:09,350 --> 00:22:06,640
perceived in america

653
00:22:09,990 --> 00:22:09,360
do people believe it or oh yeah no it's

654
00:22:13,750 --> 00:22:10,000
very

655
00:22:16,149 --> 00:22:13,760
millions and millions of people

656
00:22:18,549 --> 00:22:16,159
uh like a significant majority of

657
00:22:21,830 --> 00:22:18,559
republican voters think there was some

658
00:22:23,990 --> 00:22:21,840
voter fraud and uh a large number of

659
00:22:26,149 --> 00:22:24,000
people tens of millions of people

660
00:22:27,430 --> 00:22:26,159
think that the democrats stole the

661
00:22:29,590 --> 00:22:27,440
election

662
00:22:30,870 --> 00:22:29,600
uh so it's it's a big issue here and

663
00:22:33,029 --> 00:22:30,880

it's a big problem and it's going to

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00:22:35,270 --> 00:22:33,039

continue to be a big problem

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00:22:36,230 --> 00:22:35,280

for many years to come and it's being

666

00:22:38,950 --> 00:22:36,240

pushed by

667

00:22:40,549 --> 00:22:38,960

people at the top by donald trump like

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00:22:43,029 --> 00:22:40,559

if you listen to the

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00:22:44,710 --> 00:22:43,039

the taped conversation that came out a

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00:22:47,029 --> 00:22:44,720

couple days ago

671

00:22:49,110 --> 00:22:47,039

uh he just basically repeats a bunch of

672

00:22:52,710 --> 00:22:49,120

completely baseless conspiracy theories

673

00:22:54,310 --> 00:22:52,720

that he seems to actually believe and

674

00:22:55,350 --> 00:22:54,320

all his followers hence believe it

675

00:22:57,669 --> 00:22:55,360

because you know if donald trump

676

00:23:01,350 --> 00:22:57,679

believes it why wouldn't they believe it

677

00:23:03,909 --> 00:23:01,360

yeah i listened to the phone call and um

678

00:23:05,350 --> 00:23:03,919

to me it sounded like he believed he

679

00:23:06,149 --> 00:23:05,360

believed what he was saying i don't

680

00:23:09,350 --> 00:23:06,159

think he

681

00:23:12,630 --> 00:23:09,360

stuff yeah

682

00:23:15,430 --> 00:23:12,640

my my friend sent me some stuff by uh

683

00:23:16,310 --> 00:23:15,440

is it a lawyer sydney powell yeah sydney

684

00:23:18,070 --> 00:23:16,320

apparel

685

00:23:19,350 --> 00:23:18,080

she was on his legal team for a while

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00:23:21,669 --> 00:23:19,360

and then they had to let her go because

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00:23:24,149 --> 00:23:21,679

she was a bit too crazy for them

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00:23:25,190 --> 00:23:24,159

yeah so she's she's ha coming out with a

689

00:23:27,750 --> 00:23:25,200

lot of these uh

690

00:23:29,270 --> 00:23:27,760

voter fraud conspiracies i find it

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00:23:30,950 --> 00:23:29,280

interesting that people still believe

692

00:23:32,070 --> 00:23:30,960

what she's saying even though trump

693

00:23:34,789 --> 00:23:32,080

won't have her on

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00:23:35,110 --> 00:23:34,799

on his team yeah i think uh that there's

695

00:23:38,789 --> 00:23:35,120

two

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00:23:40,310 --> 00:23:38,799

would

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00:23:42,630 --> 00:23:40,320

you know accept that she's a little bit

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00:23:44,870 --> 00:23:42,640

too far gone and the other

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00:23:47,269 --> 00:23:44,880

set of people in the q and on crowd

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00:23:49,350 --> 00:23:47,279

think that it's all part of the plan

701

00:23:51,190 --> 00:23:49,360

like trump let her go so she could do

702

00:23:52,630 --> 00:23:51,200

her own thing and he can do his own

703

00:23:54,390 --> 00:23:52,640

thing and then

704

00:23:56,710 --> 00:23:54,400

together they would uh you know help

705

00:23:59,830 --> 00:23:56,720

defeat the forces of darkness

706

00:24:00,870 --> 00:23:59,840

uh but uh yeah and the stuff she does is

707

00:24:02,230 --> 00:24:00,880

a little bit extreme

708

00:24:04,870 --> 00:24:02,240

and she comes in with a whole bunch of

709

00:24:06,789 --> 00:24:04,880

baseless stuff but really no it's

710

00:24:08,549 --> 00:24:06,799

no more baseless than the stuff trump is

711

00:24:10,149 --> 00:24:08,559

coming up with it's just a bit more

712

00:24:12,070 --> 00:24:10,159

a little crazy like she talks about the

713

00:24:12,870 --> 00:24:12,080

venezuelan government being involved and

714

00:24:16,070 --> 00:24:12,880

things like that

715

00:24:16,950 --> 00:24:16,080

and uh votes being sent to germany and

716

00:24:19,669 --> 00:24:16,960

italy and

717

00:24:21,190 --> 00:24:19,679

which is completely nonsense and then

718

00:24:21,510 --> 00:24:21,200

beyond that there's this other lawyer

719

00:24:24,950 --> 00:24:21,520

lynn

720

00:24:27,990 --> 00:24:24,960

wood who sydney powell has appeared

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00:24:30,070 --> 00:24:28,000

at uh rallies with linwood

722

00:24:32,630 --> 00:24:30,080

and and he's even further along the

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00:24:34,630 --> 00:24:32,640

spectrum and he's even crazier

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00:24:36,070 --> 00:24:34,640

and the degree of the conspiracy

725

00:24:38,070 --> 00:24:36,080

theories that he puts out there and he's

726

00:24:40,710 --> 00:24:38,080

really into the queue and on stuff

727

00:24:42,230 --> 00:24:40,720

and he was tweeting stuff about some uh

728

00:24:43,669 --> 00:24:42,240

some actor

729

00:24:45,590 --> 00:24:43,679

being the recipient of secret

730

00:24:46,390 --> 00:24:45,600

information then being killed by pushed

731

00:24:48,470 --> 00:24:46,400

off a bridge

732

00:24:49,990 --> 00:24:48,480

and there's lots of children being held

733

00:24:51,269 --> 00:24:50,000

captive and this black male

734

00:24:53,510 --> 00:24:51,279

you know all sorts of crazy stuff that

735

00:24:54,710 --> 00:24:53,520

i'm sure you've heard this type of thing

736

00:24:57,190 --> 00:24:54,720

but it's like there's something for

737

00:24:57,990 --> 00:24:57,200

everybody in in these people and you can

738

00:25:00,149 --> 00:24:58,000

kind of pick

739

00:25:01,909 --> 00:25:00,159

which one you want to do you do them

740

00:25:03,190 --> 00:25:01,919

slightly more vanilla ones with trump

741

00:25:04,549 --> 00:25:03,200

and then the more extreme ones with

742

00:25:05,830 --> 00:25:04,559

sydney apparel and then even more

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00:25:08,549 --> 00:25:05,840

extreme

744

00:25:09,110 --> 00:25:08,559

uh with uh with lynn wood i guess your

745

00:25:10,789 --> 00:25:09,120

friend

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00:25:12,830 --> 00:25:10,799

kind of tends towards the more extreme

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00:25:13,990 --> 00:25:12,840

stuff like with the the children and

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00:25:17,029 --> 00:25:14,000

whatnot

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00:25:18,390 --> 00:25:17,039

yeah so she mentioned the adrenal chrome

750

00:25:21,269 --> 00:25:18,400

stuff back in

751
00:25:22,310 --> 00:25:21,279
april march i'm not on facebook anymore

752
00:25:24,149 --> 00:25:22,320
but she is

753
00:25:25,750 --> 00:25:24,159
my partner is and he's obviously seen

754
00:25:27,510 --> 00:25:25,760
stuff that she posts

755
00:25:29,269 --> 00:25:27,520
and there's been stuff on there about

756
00:25:31,669 --> 00:25:29,279
you know however hundreds of thousands

757
00:25:34,549 --> 00:25:31,679
of children a year go missing

758
00:25:35,830 --> 00:25:34,559
and where where do they all go and then

759
00:25:38,149 --> 00:25:35,840
obviously when you look at the

760
00:25:41,510 --> 00:25:38,159
statistics i think it's something like

761
00:25:42,070 --> 00:25:41,520
98 of those children are found within 48

762
00:25:45,190 --> 00:25:42,080
hours

763
00:25:47,669 --> 00:25:45,200

or something yeah that is 800

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00:25:50,230 --> 00:25:47,679

000 is the number but it is it's just

765

00:25:52,789 --> 00:25:50,240

children who are reported missing

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00:25:53,669 --> 00:25:52,799

and it's it's generally uh you know kids

767

00:25:55,029 --> 00:25:53,679

who have

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00:25:57,029 --> 00:25:55,039

not come home because they're out

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00:25:59,990 --> 00:25:57,039

playing late or something like that or

770

00:26:01,669 --> 00:26:00,000

there are kids where there's you know

771

00:26:03,990 --> 00:26:01,679

some kind of custodial dispute like

772

00:26:05,510 --> 00:26:04,000

between parents and things like that so

773

00:26:07,269 --> 00:26:05,520

it's not like they're really missing as

774

00:26:10,230 --> 00:26:07,279

such it's just

775

00:26:10,710 --> 00:26:10,240

uh yeah i think what he gets conflated

776
00:26:13,590 --> 00:26:10,720
with

777
00:26:15,190 --> 00:26:13,600
is stranger abductions where somebody

778
00:26:18,310 --> 00:26:15,200
who isn't known to the child

779
00:26:19,909 --> 00:26:18,320
takes that child and they think of that

780
00:26:23,350 --> 00:26:19,919
as being the actual number like

781
00:26:25,350 --> 00:26:23,360
800 000 people are taken away and then

782
00:26:26,789 --> 00:26:25,360
yeah taken to dungeons somewhere and

783
00:26:28,870 --> 00:26:26,799
tortured and killed

784
00:26:30,149 --> 00:26:28,880
and people literally believe this which

785
00:26:33,350 --> 00:26:30,159
is pretty scary though

786
00:26:37,190 --> 00:26:33,360
they would yeah and um

787
00:26:37,990 --> 00:26:37,200
i think it can drive certain people to

788
00:26:40,149 --> 00:26:38,000

doing

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00:26:41,269 --> 00:26:40,159

extreme things if they believe if they

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00:26:43,830 --> 00:26:41,279

truly believe that

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00:26:44,549 --> 00:26:43,840

the government's stealing or whoever it

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00:26:48,470 --> 00:26:44,559

is

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00:26:50,630 --> 00:26:48,480

children a year

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00:26:51,510 --> 00:26:50,640

and if you truly believe that you might

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00:26:54,630 --> 00:26:51,520

end up

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00:26:56,230 --> 00:26:54,640

trying to do something about it

797

00:26:58,470 --> 00:26:56,240

um and i think that's where this

798

00:27:01,110 --> 00:26:58,480

conspiracy is quite dangerous because

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00:27:03,029 --> 00:27:01,120

i think people are or do want to do

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00:27:05,750 --> 00:27:03,039

something and take action

801
00:27:06,630 --> 00:27:05,760
you see rallies and that sort of thing

802
00:27:09,510 --> 00:27:06,640
you have here

803
00:27:09,990 --> 00:27:09,520
anti-mask protests and there's a cue and

804
00:27:12,310 --> 00:27:10,000
on

805
00:27:13,350 --> 00:27:12,320
presence um at those sort of things and

806
00:27:17,669 --> 00:27:13,360
there's a

807
00:27:19,909 --> 00:27:17,679
save the children uh protests

808
00:27:21,830 --> 00:27:19,919
and rallies but then obviously you're

809
00:27:23,669 --> 00:27:21,840
going to get people on their own like

810
00:27:25,269 --> 00:27:23,679
pizzagate that sort of thing where

811
00:27:26,070 --> 00:27:25,279
people try and take it into their own

812
00:27:27,909 --> 00:27:26,080
hands

813
00:27:29,269 --> 00:27:27,919

and that's that's the thing that i find

814

00:27:32,549 --> 00:27:29,279

most worrying about this

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00:27:34,310 --> 00:27:32,559

is that um people could really ruin

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00:27:37,510 --> 00:27:34,320

their lives

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00:27:40,470 --> 00:27:37,520

um yeah there's been a few

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00:27:41,190 --> 00:27:40,480

uh more cases uh in the states recently

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00:27:43,430 --> 00:27:41,200

like there was

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00:27:44,870 --> 00:27:43,440

there was a pharmacist like a you know

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00:27:47,990 --> 00:27:44,880

chemist who

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00:27:50,630 --> 00:27:48,000

uh i destroyed some corona

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00:27:52,630 --> 00:27:50,640

backs chrono virus vaccines here in the

824

00:27:55,350 --> 00:27:52,640

states like 500 doses

825

00:27:57,190 --> 00:27:55,360

because he he believed that the you know

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00:27:59,669 --> 00:27:57,200

that they were doing harm and so

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00:28:00,710 --> 00:27:59,679

yeah and then after he got arrested and

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00:28:02,310 --> 00:28:00,720

questioned for this

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00:28:04,470 --> 00:28:02,320

it came out that he believed a whole

830

00:28:05,669 --> 00:28:04,480

bunch of other q-type conspiracy

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00:28:08,710 --> 00:28:05,679

theories

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00:28:11,430 --> 00:28:08,720

uh you know all of the usual suspects

833

00:28:12,549 --> 00:28:11,440

and he's a guy who's in the local uh

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00:28:15,430 --> 00:28:12,559

drug store

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00:28:17,590 --> 00:28:15,440

like filling people's scriptures and has

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00:28:18,470 --> 00:28:17,600

been doing this for many years and yet

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00:28:21,909 --> 00:28:18,480

he's

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00:28:23,510 --> 00:28:21,919

beliefs and who knows you know what

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00:28:26,470 --> 00:28:23,520

what he might have done but yeah people

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00:28:28,549 --> 00:28:26,480

do these uh quite dramatic things

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00:28:29,909 --> 00:28:28,559

your friend though like yeah i mean i

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00:28:30,389 --> 00:28:29,919

guess she's not the type of person who

843

00:28:33,510 --> 00:28:30,399

would

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00:28:35,350 --> 00:28:33,520

do anything like that but it other

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00:28:37,909 --> 00:28:35,360

actions that she has taken as a

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00:28:41,750 --> 00:28:37,919

consequence of her belief

847

00:28:43,590 --> 00:28:41,760

yeah so um not wearing a mask

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00:28:45,110 --> 00:28:43,600

when you're out and about is is one of

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00:28:48,549 --> 00:28:45,120

them so in the uk

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00:28:49,430 --> 00:28:48,559

um i i think it's a law that you have to

851
00:28:52,310 --> 00:28:49,440
wear a mask

852
00:28:54,070 --> 00:28:52,320
in inside a shop or that sort of thing

853
00:28:56,789 --> 00:28:54,080
but some people are exempt

854
00:28:58,549 --> 00:28:56,799
if you have anxiety or breathing

855
00:29:00,870 --> 00:28:58,559
condition that sort of thing

856
00:29:01,590 --> 00:29:00,880
there's usually a policy of not asking

857
00:29:02,549 --> 00:29:01,600
people and

858
00:29:04,789 --> 00:29:02,559
british people aren't very

859
00:29:07,669 --> 00:29:04,799
confrontational anyway

860
00:29:08,950 --> 00:29:07,679
um so she doesn't wear a mask and we've

861
00:29:10,870 --> 00:29:08,960
got another friend who

862
00:29:11,990 --> 00:29:10,880
who also believes the same stuff she

863
00:29:14,230 --> 00:29:12,000

doesn't wear a mask either

864

00:29:15,190 --> 00:29:14,240

and obviously doesn't follow the the

865

00:29:17,510 --> 00:29:15,200

guidelines

866

00:29:18,710 --> 00:29:17,520

the gatherings were of people and things

867

00:29:20,630 --> 00:29:18,720

like that

868

00:29:22,070 --> 00:29:20,640

yeah so that sort of thing gatherings

869

00:29:24,389 --> 00:29:22,080

using hand wash

870

00:29:25,669 --> 00:29:24,399

she believes that using the alcohol hand

871

00:29:28,389 --> 00:29:25,679

wash can actually make you

872

00:29:29,990 --> 00:29:28,399

sick wearing a mask can make you sick

873

00:29:33,350 --> 00:29:30,000

and obviously

874

00:29:36,149 --> 00:29:33,360

she's worried about mandated vaccines

875

00:29:36,870 --> 00:29:36,159

so she she won't be taking the vaccine

876

00:29:38,630 --> 00:29:36,880

you mentioned

877

00:29:40,549 --> 00:29:38,640

in your email that you had a shared

878

00:29:42,070 --> 00:29:40,559

interest in cults

879

00:29:43,909 --> 00:29:42,080

which is very interesting to me because

880

00:29:46,710 --> 00:29:43,919

there's obviously this kind of

881

00:29:47,669 --> 00:29:46,720

overlap about how people get sucked into

882

00:29:49,990 --> 00:29:47,679

cults

883

00:29:52,149 --> 00:29:50,000

and how you get sucked into beliefs like

884

00:29:54,149 --> 00:29:52,159

this can you talk about that

885

00:29:56,549 --> 00:29:54,159

yeah one of the things that we're both

886

00:29:59,590 --> 00:29:56,559

interested in as a hobby i suppose

887

00:30:01,990 --> 00:29:59,600

is um reading about cults watching

888

00:30:02,870 --> 00:30:02,000

documentaries about cults we're both

889

00:30:04,389 --> 00:30:02,880

really into

890

00:30:05,669 --> 00:30:04,399

that sort of thing the same sort of way

891

00:30:12,070 --> 00:30:05,679

that people are into murder

892

00:30:15,510 --> 00:30:13,830

so we watch murder documentaries and

893

00:30:17,430 --> 00:30:15,520

cults documentaries

894

00:30:18,789 --> 00:30:17,440

it's funny that it's such a it's such a

895

00:30:20,389 --> 00:30:18,799

big thing people love

896

00:30:21,909 --> 00:30:20,399

that sort of stuff and obviously it's

897

00:30:23,269 --> 00:30:21,919

all about human psychology it's

898

00:30:26,549 --> 00:30:23,279

interesting

899

00:30:28,549 --> 00:30:26,559

um so yeah that's

900

00:30:30,230 --> 00:30:28,559

that's one of the things that um

901
00:30:33,350 --> 00:30:30,240
flummoxed me a little bit because

902
00:30:35,430 --> 00:30:33,360
we both have this shared interest and i

903
00:30:38,470 --> 00:30:35,440
see a lot of similarities between

904
00:30:39,990 --> 00:30:38,480
q and on and colts the fact that she

905
00:30:42,870 --> 00:30:40,000
decided that she didn't want to speak to

906
00:30:45,990 --> 00:30:42,880
me anymore when i challenged her beliefs

907
00:30:48,149 --> 00:30:46,000
that's quite cult-like and in the

908
00:30:49,830 --> 00:30:48,159
q and on casualties read it a lot of

909
00:30:50,870 --> 00:30:49,840
people talk about how their families

910
00:30:52,149 --> 00:30:50,880
have decided

911
00:30:54,710 --> 00:30:52,159
that they would don't want to speak to

912
00:30:57,590 --> 00:30:54,720
them anymore because they don't believe

913
00:30:59,350 --> 00:30:57,600

what they believe and whether it's cue

914

00:31:01,990 --> 00:30:59,360

or people in the queue community

915

00:31:03,350 --> 00:31:02,000

have sort of said just get rid of people

916

00:31:06,149 --> 00:31:03,360

in your life that

917

00:31:07,110 --> 00:31:06,159

don't support your views so i do i find

918

00:31:10,230 --> 00:31:07,120

it strange that

919

00:31:11,190 --> 00:31:10,240

she's armored with this knowledge of how

920

00:31:14,070 --> 00:31:11,200

cults work

921

00:31:14,950 --> 00:31:14,080

and how people get drawn in but yet it

922

00:31:16,870 --> 00:31:14,960

still hasn't

923

00:31:18,149 --> 00:31:16,880

stopped her from being drawn in yeah

924

00:31:19,190 --> 00:31:18,159

it's interesting like you say armored

925

00:31:20,549 --> 00:31:19,200

with that knowledge

926
00:31:22,149 --> 00:31:20,559
because you know i would have thought

927
00:31:23,430 --> 00:31:22,159
that this this knowledge of how

928
00:31:26,149 --> 00:31:23,440
something works

929
00:31:27,990 --> 00:31:26,159
like uh this mind control this coercive

930
00:31:30,710 --> 00:31:28,000
mind control

931
00:31:32,149 --> 00:31:30,720
would in some ways inoculate you against

932
00:31:33,669 --> 00:31:32,159
these things uh

933
00:31:35,029 --> 00:31:33,679
maybe inoculation wouldn't be the good

934
00:31:36,870 --> 00:31:35,039
phrase to use with your friend because

935
00:31:40,549 --> 00:31:36,880
she doesn't believe in inoculation but

936
00:31:42,470 --> 00:31:40,559
armors are against it if you're aware of

937
00:31:44,630 --> 00:31:42,480
the technique someone uses for mind

938
00:31:47,509 --> 00:31:44,640

control

939

00:31:49,190 --> 00:31:47,519

but yeah i think you hear about people

940

00:31:51,990 --> 00:31:49,200

who get into cults

941

00:31:53,190 --> 00:31:52,000

and they all say oh i i would never fall

942

00:31:55,269 --> 00:31:53,200

for a cult and

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00:31:56,950 --> 00:31:55,279

yeah there's no way you would it would

944

00:31:59,990 --> 00:31:56,960

affect me and so

945

00:32:02,630 --> 00:32:00,000

what this can't be a cult because

946

00:32:03,990 --> 00:32:02,640

it's me and i know about cults so maybe

947

00:32:05,909 --> 00:32:04,000

maybe it gave her a false sense of

948

00:32:07,990 --> 00:32:05,919

security the fact that she knew about

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00:32:09,669 --> 00:32:08,000

cults yeah and i think i don't think

950

00:32:11,909 --> 00:32:09,679

there's many people that would say

951
00:32:12,789 --> 00:32:11,919
that they that they would fall for a

952
00:32:15,909 --> 00:32:12,799
cult

953
00:32:17,750 --> 00:32:15,919
indeed you know and people that people

954
00:32:19,830 --> 00:32:17,760
that fall into them don't realize until

955
00:32:20,549 --> 00:32:19,840
they've left and it takes quite a bit of

956
00:32:22,630 --> 00:32:20,559
undoing

957
00:32:25,430 --> 00:32:22,640
and i think q anon is probably the same

958
00:32:27,909 --> 00:32:25,440
because it contains so much stuff that

959
00:32:28,470 --> 00:32:27,919
it's going to take people a long time to

960
00:32:30,789 --> 00:32:28,480
come

961
00:32:31,990 --> 00:32:30,799
out the other side i do i do find it

962
00:32:34,070 --> 00:32:32,000
interesting though that

963
00:32:35,029 --> 00:32:34,080

yeah but one of the things that i've

964

00:32:37,350 --> 00:32:35,039

been thinking about is

965

00:32:38,470 --> 00:32:37,360

my friend's just slightly older than me

966

00:32:40,870 --> 00:32:38,480

and um

967

00:32:41,590 --> 00:32:40,880

when i was growing up i was aware of

968

00:32:44,470 --> 00:32:41,600

4chan

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00:32:46,149 --> 00:32:44,480

and it obviously wasn't taken seriously

970

00:32:48,870 --> 00:32:46,159

it was a website for trolls

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00:32:50,149 --> 00:32:48,880

um and a chan there was child

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00:32:52,389 --> 00:32:50,159

pornography on there

973

00:32:54,789 --> 00:32:52,399

but she would have grown up when people

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00:32:57,190 --> 00:32:54,799

didn't have internet in their houses

975

00:32:58,230 --> 00:32:57,200

and maybe she wasn't aware of those

976
00:32:59,909 --> 00:32:58,240
sites or

977
00:33:02,310 --> 00:32:59,919
because if someone says to me this has

978
00:33:03,990 --> 00:33:02,320
come from 4chan or this has come from a

979
00:33:07,029 --> 00:33:04,000
chan

980
00:33:09,350 --> 00:33:07,039
i'm i sort of have this knowledge that

981
00:33:11,350 --> 00:33:09,360
i'm not going to believe it whereas

982
00:33:12,070 --> 00:33:11,360
maybe i think q anon affects people who

983
00:33:15,830 --> 00:33:12,080
are slightly

984
00:33:18,310 --> 00:33:15,840
older because um they're not as aware of

985
00:33:19,430 --> 00:33:18,320
those parts of the internet yeah

986
00:33:22,789 --> 00:33:19,440
interesting

987
00:33:23,509 --> 00:33:22,799
yeah you do tend to see somewhat older

988
00:33:26,310 --> 00:33:23,519

people

989

00:33:28,149 --> 00:33:26,320

like 40 plus yeah you know i'm pretty

990

00:33:29,750 --> 00:33:28,159

old myself but i i

991

00:33:31,750 --> 00:33:29,760

i've been deeply involved with the

992

00:33:33,430 --> 00:33:31,760

internet uh since a very early age so

993

00:33:34,549 --> 00:33:33,440

i'm familiar with all kinds of aspects

994

00:33:36,149 --> 00:33:34,559

of it

995

00:33:37,750 --> 00:33:36,159

but a lot of the older people like you

996

00:33:39,669 --> 00:33:37,760

say perhaps uh

997

00:33:40,950 --> 00:33:39,679

yeah you you miss out on the new things

998

00:33:42,630 --> 00:33:40,960

that are coming out at some point you

999

00:33:44,310 --> 00:33:42,640

stop following all the new stuff like

1000

00:33:47,509 --> 00:33:44,320

yeah you don't know what tic toc is when

1001
00:33:51,509 --> 00:33:50,070
uh yeah whatever the whatever the kids

1002
00:33:54,389 --> 00:33:51,519
are using nowadays it's not

1003
00:33:55,830 --> 00:33:54,399
how you would describe it so like a

1004
00:33:58,789 --> 00:33:55,840
younger person you think

1005
00:33:59,750 --> 00:33:58,799
might have a better uh knowledge of what

1006
00:34:02,789 --> 00:33:59,760
what 4chan and

1007
00:34:05,909 --> 00:34:02,799
chan actually are and so

1008
00:34:07,269 --> 00:34:05,919
be able to dismiss it more more uh

1009
00:34:09,669 --> 00:34:07,279
accurately

1010
00:34:10,389 --> 00:34:09,679
than the other you just say well why

1011
00:34:12,710 --> 00:34:10,399
wouldn't

1012
00:34:14,389 --> 00:34:12,720
q have their own website if they've got

1013
00:34:17,430 --> 00:34:14,399

a queue clearance

1014

00:34:20,470 --> 00:34:17,440

why are they posting on some obscure

1015

00:34:21,829 --> 00:34:20,480

meme internet forum

1016

00:34:24,710 --> 00:34:21,839

why aren't they posting on their own

1017

00:34:27,510 --> 00:34:24,720

website or somewhere more reputable

1018

00:34:29,270 --> 00:34:27,520

um yeah because they could they could

1019

00:34:31,030 --> 00:34:29,280

come up with something or at least

1020

00:34:32,950 --> 00:34:31,040

yeah somewhere more reputable because i

1021

00:34:33,669 --> 00:34:32,960

think the the reason they would give is

1022

00:34:35,430 --> 00:34:33,679

that

1023

00:34:37,909 --> 00:34:35,440

on these image boards you can use this

1024

00:34:39,030 --> 00:34:37,919

anonymous verification code the trip

1025

00:34:40,629 --> 00:34:39,040

code

1026

00:34:42,149 --> 00:34:40,639

which proves that it's the same person

1027

00:34:43,669 --> 00:34:42,159

posting or at least a person who has the

1028

00:34:45,430 --> 00:34:43,679

same code

1029

00:34:47,990 --> 00:34:45,440

posting over and over again but if it

1030

00:34:48,869 --> 00:34:48,000

was um legitimate they could post on the

1031

00:34:51,349 --> 00:34:48,879

dart web

1032

00:34:52,629 --> 00:34:51,359

they could use a vpn and they could put

1033

00:34:54,310 --> 00:34:52,639

it in one place

1034

00:34:56,310 --> 00:34:54,320

rather than just being corrupted by all

1035

00:34:58,630 --> 00:34:56,320

this this nonsense around them on

1036

00:34:59,589 --> 00:34:58,640

on hand and they can it's a very good

1037

00:35:00,630 --> 00:34:59,599

point uh

1038

00:35:02,550 --> 00:35:00,640

how do you think your friend would

1039

00:35:03,190 --> 00:35:02,560

respond if you've raised that point with

1040

00:35:05,910 --> 00:35:03,200

her

1041

00:35:07,670 --> 00:35:05,920

i don't think she follows the drops on

1042

00:35:09,349 --> 00:35:07,680

eight koon so i don't know

1043

00:35:10,790 --> 00:35:09,359

how she would feel about that i'm sure

1044

00:35:11,990 --> 00:35:10,800

she would probably come up with some

1045

00:35:13,589 --> 00:35:12,000

sort of answer she would

1046

00:35:15,990 --> 00:35:13,599

i listened to a really interesting

1047

00:35:19,670 --> 00:35:16,000

podcast recently about q and on called a

1048

00:35:23,670 --> 00:35:19,680

q clearance um where they talk about

1049

00:35:26,069 --> 00:35:23,680

who who q actually is um

1050

00:35:27,510 --> 00:35:26,079

and they think it's actually run by the

1051

00:35:30,790 --> 00:35:27,520

watkins family the

1052

00:35:31,990 --> 00:35:30,800

the people that own account ron and jim

1053

00:35:33,349 --> 00:35:32,000

watkins

1054

00:35:35,510 --> 00:35:33,359

yeah and there's a lot of interesting

1055

00:35:37,430 --> 00:35:35,520

things to say about them and why

1056

00:35:39,109 --> 00:35:37,440

why you wouldn't follow some of these

1057

00:35:39,670 --> 00:35:39,119

guys they're not the morally the best

1058

00:35:41,030 --> 00:35:39,680

people

1059

00:35:42,870 --> 00:35:41,040

if they they're talking about a

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00:35:44,790 --> 00:35:42,880

pedophile ring um

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00:35:46,550 --> 00:35:44,800

but yeah they run a site where

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00:35:48,390 --> 00:35:46,560

pedophiles are allowed to post child

1063

00:35:50,390 --> 00:35:48,400

pornography

1064

00:35:51,750 --> 00:35:50,400

it almost reminds me of you know people

1065

00:35:55,190 --> 00:35:51,760

excusing trump's

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00:35:57,990 --> 00:35:55,200

uh sins uh because they think he is

1067

00:35:59,030 --> 00:35:58,000

a you know an agent of god or you know a

1068

00:36:00,710 --> 00:35:59,040

a weapon of god

1069

00:36:03,030 --> 00:36:00,720

and they're just using him for this this

1070

00:36:04,550 --> 00:36:03,040

thing and they might excuse this

1071

00:36:06,470 --> 00:36:04,560

the fact that it's gone through hate

1072

00:36:06,870 --> 00:36:06,480

chan for similar reasons but you know

1073

00:36:09,589 --> 00:36:06,880

just

1074

00:36:10,390 --> 00:36:09,599

it seems like a pretty bizarre belief to

1075

00:36:11,829 --> 00:36:10,400

me but i guess

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00:36:13,829 --> 00:36:11,839

some people might do that this is

1077

00:36:16,790 --> 00:36:13,839

another one of the things that's

1078

00:36:17,910 --> 00:36:16,800

baffled me is that previously my friend

1079

00:36:19,750 --> 00:36:17,920

hated trump

1080

00:36:21,270 --> 00:36:19,760

she thought that he was you know as

1081

00:36:23,349 --> 00:36:21,280

horrible as i think he is

1082

00:36:24,550 --> 00:36:23,359

because of this his attitude towards

1083

00:36:26,950 --> 00:36:24,560

women racism

1084

00:36:28,150 --> 00:36:26,960

that sort of thing but i've seen her

1085

00:36:30,550 --> 00:36:28,160

post maga

1086

00:36:31,910 --> 00:36:30,560

on her facebook page which i just like

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00:36:34,390 --> 00:36:31,920

find absolutely

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00:36:35,670 --> 00:36:34,400

it's just a 180. she went to a festival

1089

00:36:36,790 --> 00:36:35,680

a couple of years ago and there was a

1090

00:36:39,030 --> 00:36:36,800

guy there who

1091

00:36:40,550 --> 00:36:39,040

believed in cuenon and she when she came

1092

00:36:41,670 --> 00:36:40,560

back she told me oh there's this guy

1093

00:36:43,750 --> 00:36:41,680

there he

1094

00:36:45,030 --> 00:36:43,760

believed this crazy conspiracy and it

1095

00:36:47,030 --> 00:36:45,040

was embarrassing

1096

00:36:48,790 --> 00:36:47,040

but now she recently said to me oh we're

1097

00:36:50,230 --> 00:36:48,800

really good friends and he sends me all

1098

00:36:52,470 --> 00:36:50,240

this really good information

1099

00:36:54,870 --> 00:36:52,480

and i used to think he was crazy but now

1100

00:36:56,150 --> 00:36:54,880

i think he's got the right idea

1101

00:36:58,310 --> 00:36:56,160

do you feel like your friend is a

1102

00:37:00,950 --> 00:36:58,320

different person now yes

1103

00:37:02,069 --> 00:37:00,960

it's difficult i one of the things i've

1104

00:37:04,310 --> 00:37:02,079

been wrestling

1105

00:37:05,349 --> 00:37:04,320

with is is this person i still want in

1106

00:37:07,030 --> 00:37:05,359

my life they

1107

00:37:08,630 --> 00:37:07,040

believe things that are massively

1108

00:37:09,910 --> 00:37:08,640

against what i believe but they are

1109

00:37:11,589 --> 00:37:09,920

still my friend

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00:37:13,829 --> 00:37:11,599

i don't know will we be able to have a

1111

00:37:16,390 --> 00:37:13,839

normal relationship again because

1112

00:37:18,230 --> 00:37:16,400

q anon takes over people's lives they

1113

00:37:20,390 --> 00:37:18,240

don't think about anything else

1114

00:37:21,990 --> 00:37:20,400

it's something that they do the whole in

1115

00:37:24,150 --> 00:37:22,000

their whole spell time when they

1116

00:37:25,750 --> 00:37:24,160

speak to you that's all they can speak

1117

00:37:27,349 --> 00:37:25,760

about because

1118

00:37:28,950 --> 00:37:27,359

if they believe these things are so

1119

00:37:29,910 --> 00:37:28,960

horrendous that are happening in the

1120

00:37:32,710 --> 00:37:29,920

world

1121

00:37:34,230 --> 00:37:32,720

they can't not think about them or it's

1122

00:37:35,750 --> 00:37:34,240

a massive part of their life

1123

00:37:37,990 --> 00:37:35,760

to me it's my friend but for other

1124

00:37:39,589 --> 00:37:38,000

people it's their family members

1125

00:37:41,349 --> 00:37:39,599

especially if we're being locked down

1126

00:37:43,670 --> 00:37:41,359

together people are

1127

00:37:45,670 --> 00:37:43,680

with their parents that may be believing

1128

00:37:48,870 --> 00:37:45,680

it that sort of thing and

1129

00:37:49,109 --> 00:37:48,880

it's it's a it's a big dilemma to sort

1130

00:37:51,030 --> 00:37:49,119

of

1131

00:37:53,990 --> 00:37:51,040

decide is this something that i'm going

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00:37:55,430 --> 00:37:54,000

to try and help this person out of this

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00:37:58,069 --> 00:37:55,440

or is this something where i'm going to

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00:37:59,589 --> 00:37:58,079

say i'm just going to step aside and let

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00:38:00,390 --> 00:37:59,599

them get on with it because it is so

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00:38:02,790 --> 00:38:00,400

huge

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00:38:03,510 --> 00:38:02,800

that it's going to take a long time what

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00:38:05,829 --> 00:38:03,520

do you think the

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00:38:07,270 --> 00:38:05,839

the future holds for you and your friend

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00:38:10,230 --> 00:38:07,280

i was kind of hoping that

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00:38:11,910 --> 00:38:10,240

after the election things would die down

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00:38:13,190 --> 00:38:11,920

i was really hoping for biden to win

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00:38:15,270 --> 00:38:13,200

because i was hoping that

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00:38:16,630 --> 00:38:15,280

people would come away from q and c

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00:38:18,790 --> 00:38:16,640

nothing's come true

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00:38:21,190 --> 00:38:18,800

and how can we keep following something

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00:38:23,109 --> 00:38:21,200

if none of it comes true but

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00:38:25,829 --> 00:38:23,119

it feel like because they've based such

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00:38:26,550 --> 00:38:25,839

a massive part of their lives on this

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00:38:29,190 --> 00:38:26,560

belief

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00:38:30,630 --> 00:38:29,200

it would almost be worse to just discard

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00:38:32,630 --> 00:38:30,640

it

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00:38:34,390 --> 00:38:32,640

and so they in a way they have to carry

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00:38:36,950 --> 00:38:34,400

it on for themselves

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00:38:37,990 --> 00:38:36,960

so i'm not sure if if i'm if there's

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00:38:40,390 --> 00:38:38,000

anything i can do

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00:38:41,670 --> 00:38:40,400

i think uh perhaps you know the the

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00:38:45,190 --> 00:38:41,680

election itself

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00:38:48,550 --> 00:38:45,200

wasn't conclusive for a lot of people uh

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00:38:49,589 --> 00:38:48,560

because uh you know trump is still

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00:38:53,109 --> 00:38:49,599

president

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00:38:55,910 --> 00:38:53,119

for the next few weeks uh so

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00:38:56,630 --> 00:38:55,920

perhaps there might be a better

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00:38:59,670 --> 00:38:56,640

opportunity

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00:39:01,190 --> 00:38:59,680

after biden becomes president and it

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00:39:04,310 --> 00:39:01,200

becomes more clear that

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00:39:05,990 --> 00:39:04,320

trump did not in fact win and the

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00:39:07,990 --> 00:39:06,000

if there was a plan that it didn't

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00:39:09,990 --> 00:39:08,000

actually work and so perhaps there

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00:39:12,790 --> 00:39:10,000

wasn't a plan because right now i think

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00:39:14,390 --> 00:39:12,800

the q people are reframing uh trump's

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00:39:18,150 --> 00:39:14,400

loss in the election

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00:39:20,230 --> 00:39:18,160

as being essentially part of the plan

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00:39:21,349 --> 00:39:20,240

yeah right at the start they were saying

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00:39:24,470 --> 00:39:21,359

it was a trick

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00:39:26,390 --> 00:39:24,480

to expose election fraud and all this

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00:39:27,750 --> 00:39:26,400

election fraud was going to be exposed

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00:39:29,910 --> 00:39:27,760

they had like secrets

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00:39:31,109 --> 00:39:29,920

secret bar codes on the on the ballots

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00:39:32,470 --> 00:39:31,119

and things like that there was all these

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00:39:33,829 --> 00:39:32,480

theories about what was actually

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00:39:37,109 --> 00:39:33,839

happening

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00:39:40,230 --> 00:39:37,119

none of which is coming true and if

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00:39:43,109 --> 00:39:40,240

we get to this this hard stop

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00:39:44,150 --> 00:39:43,119

when biden becomes president i would

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00:39:47,270 --> 00:39:44,160

hope that that

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00:39:49,990 --> 00:39:47,280

uh you know becomes

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00:39:52,069 --> 00:39:50,000

a turning point for a lot of people it

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00:39:54,470 --> 00:39:52,079

won't be immediate i'm sure

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00:39:56,630 --> 00:39:54,480

but it will be it's a very solid thing

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00:39:58,069 --> 00:39:56,640

you know biden is now president whereas

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00:39:59,349 --> 00:39:58,079

right now after the election he's not

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00:40:00,390 --> 00:39:59,359

president yet and there's all this

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00:40:03,270 --> 00:40:00,400

dispute

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00:40:05,270 --> 00:40:03,280

so maybe wait a few weeks and uh

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00:40:06,390 --> 00:40:05,280

re-evaluate yeah fingers crossed i'm

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00:40:07,750 --> 00:40:06,400

hoping that

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00:40:09,510 --> 00:40:07,760

that will make a difference i mean i'm

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00:40:11,990 --> 00:40:09,520

hoping that i mean i think tomorrow

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00:40:14,630 --> 00:40:12,000

there's meant to be a blackout

1201
00:40:16,150 --> 00:40:14,640
that's what i think hughes predicted so

1202
00:40:17,910 --> 00:40:16,160
hopefully well obviously that's not

1203
00:40:19,270 --> 00:40:17,920
going to come true

1204
00:40:21,750 --> 00:40:19,280
yeah i think things are things are going

1205
00:40:22,950 --> 00:40:21,760
to happen uh over the next few days

1206
00:40:24,630 --> 00:40:22,960
which will clarify

1207
00:40:25,990 --> 00:40:24,640
these predictions like you know if

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00:40:28,069 --> 00:40:26,000
there's a blackout that's being

1209
00:40:31,190 --> 00:40:28,079
predicted and it doesn't happen

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00:40:32,309 --> 00:40:31,200
uh is that a wake-up call and you see

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00:40:33,349 --> 00:40:32,319
lots of people who used to be cue

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00:40:35,750 --> 00:40:33,359
believers and

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00:40:37,990 --> 00:40:35,760

something didn't come true and they they

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00:40:41,670 --> 00:40:38,000

that allows them to question it

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00:40:43,510 --> 00:40:41,680

but obviously in cults and you know

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00:40:44,710 --> 00:40:43,520

religious like millennial religions

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00:40:45,589 --> 00:40:44,720

where they think the end of the world is

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00:40:47,750 --> 00:40:45,599

coming

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00:40:49,589 --> 00:40:47,760

things can go wrong numerous times

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00:40:52,550 --> 00:40:49,599

before people they just move the date

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00:40:53,750 --> 00:40:52,560

forward yeah yeah they say oh it wasn't

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00:40:55,670 --> 00:40:53,760

a blackout or

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00:40:57,430 --> 00:40:55,680

they were claimed that they themselves

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00:40:58,550 --> 00:40:57,440

prevented this thing from happening and

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00:41:00,069 --> 00:40:58,560

it was their warnings

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00:41:01,990 --> 00:41:00,079
of this thing happening that caused it

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00:41:05,829 --> 00:41:02,000
not to happen which is a useful

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00:41:08,069 --> 00:41:05,839
get out of jail card yeah and i also

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00:41:10,470 --> 00:41:08,079
hope that when the um

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00:41:11,190 --> 00:41:10,480
coronavirus restrictions start to become

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00:41:15,030 --> 00:41:11,200
lifted

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00:41:16,870 --> 00:41:15,040
when the vaccines rolled out and

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00:41:18,470 --> 00:41:16,880
we can start seeing things sort of going

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00:41:20,390 --> 00:41:18,480
back to normal that that will help

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00:41:21,990 --> 00:41:20,400
yes because i think a big thing that

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00:41:24,150 --> 00:41:22,000
plays into this is that

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00:41:25,829 --> 00:41:24,160
um people think that this isn't a

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00:41:27,510 --> 00:41:25,839

temporary thing that this is what the

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00:41:31,030 --> 00:41:27,520

government actually wants

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00:41:33,430 --> 00:41:31,040

people to be um locked down and not be

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00:41:35,750 --> 00:41:33,440

able to meet up together

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00:41:37,349 --> 00:41:35,760

um yeah i totally agree that's going to

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00:41:39,589 --> 00:41:37,359

be a huge thing because

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00:41:41,750 --> 00:41:39,599

there's been predictions from the very

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00:41:44,630 --> 00:41:41,760

start that it's going to be martial law

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00:41:46,550 --> 00:41:44,640

and everybody's going to be ushered into

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00:41:47,990 --> 00:41:46,560

concentration camps or whatever

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00:41:49,670 --> 00:41:48,000

or it's going to be a continuous

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00:41:52,390 --> 00:41:49,680

lockdown uh

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00:41:54,230 --> 00:41:52,400

but i think hopefully you know we're not

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00:41:56,470 --> 00:41:54,240

going to go back to exactly the same

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00:41:57,510 --> 00:41:56,480

way things were before for quite a long

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00:41:59,670 --> 00:41:57,520

time

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00:42:02,550 --> 00:41:59,680

but over the next year or two things are

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00:42:03,670 --> 00:42:02,560

going to return to normal and that i

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00:42:06,470 --> 00:42:03,680

think we'll uh

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00:42:07,270 --> 00:42:06,480

will damp down some of the flames

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00:42:09,430 --> 00:42:07,280

hopefully

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00:42:11,190 --> 00:42:09,440

yeah i hope so i mean it'd be nice for

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00:42:12,710 --> 00:42:11,200

us all to get out of this situation

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00:42:15,270 --> 00:42:12,720

anyway

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00:42:17,510 --> 00:42:15,280

yes interesting though it's a unique

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00:42:19,910 --> 00:42:17,520

time in human history really

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00:42:21,910 --> 00:42:19,920

as we had we had pandemics before but we

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00:42:22,230 --> 00:42:21,920

never had pandemics with the internet

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00:42:27,030 --> 00:42:22,240

and

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00:42:30,390 --> 00:42:27,040

now

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00:42:32,790 --> 00:42:30,400

and it's it's it's uncharted territory

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00:42:33,670 --> 00:42:32,800

and it's it's the historians are going

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00:42:36,470 --> 00:42:33,680

to look back on

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00:42:37,349 --> 00:42:36,480

on this period as uh as being a very

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00:42:38,309 --> 00:42:37,359

interesting one

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00:42:40,710 --> 00:42:38,319

and we're just going to cross our

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00:42:41,910 --> 00:42:40,720

fingers i don't think that youtube has

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00:42:44,390 --> 00:42:41,920

helped i think

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00:42:44,950 --> 00:42:44,400
obviously um youtube have tried to fix

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00:42:48,069 --> 00:42:44,960
their

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00:42:49,910 --> 00:42:48,079
algorithm so that people don't get just

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00:42:51,829 --> 00:42:49,920
conspiracy videos it used to be that if

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00:42:53,990 --> 00:42:51,839
you looked at conspiracy theories

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00:42:55,990 --> 00:42:54,000
you just only got conspiracy theory

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00:42:56,950 --> 00:42:56,000
videos we used to have a joke in our

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00:42:58,950 --> 00:42:56,960
house that

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00:43:00,710 --> 00:42:58,960
if you just left youtube running

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00:43:02,470 --> 00:43:00,720
eventually it would start playing

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00:43:03,910 --> 00:43:02,480
conspiracy videos

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00:43:05,990 --> 00:43:03,920
because you'd come back to it eight

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00:43:06,790 --> 00:43:06,000

hours later and there'd be some video

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00:43:09,990 --> 00:43:06,800

about

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00:43:11,430 --> 00:43:10,000

9 11 where's that coming from

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00:43:12,950 --> 00:43:11,440

it's interesting because you you get

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00:43:13,750 --> 00:43:12,960

this skewed perspective i think of

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00:43:16,790 --> 00:43:13,760

conspiracy

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00:43:19,829 --> 00:43:16,800

uh well of youtube and what's on it

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00:43:21,349 --> 00:43:19,839

uh i i did some experiments where i

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00:43:23,030 --> 00:43:21,359

started with a clean browser so i didn't

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00:43:25,589 --> 00:43:23,040

know who i was

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00:43:26,630 --> 00:43:25,599

and the stuff it showed was the most

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00:43:29,349 --> 00:43:26,640

boring

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00:43:29,910 --> 00:43:29,359

pap imaginable it was it was like

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00:43:32,950 --> 00:43:29,920
colorful

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00:43:35,829 --> 00:43:32,960
videos of people dancing and uh

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00:43:37,510 --> 00:43:35,839
uh youtube influencers like showing

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00:43:38,309 --> 00:43:37,520
their vacation photographs and things

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00:43:39,670 --> 00:43:38,319
like that

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00:43:41,750 --> 00:43:39,680
which i think is actually what most

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00:43:44,470 --> 00:43:41,760
people watch on youtube

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00:43:45,829 --> 00:43:44,480
is this kind of really you know mundane

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00:43:47,589 --> 00:43:45,839
ordinary stuff

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00:43:49,030 --> 00:43:47,599
and if you are interested in conspiracy

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00:43:50,870 --> 00:43:49,040
theories you end up getting this

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00:43:52,230 --> 00:43:50,880
this this very distorted view of the

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00:43:54,069 --> 00:43:52,240

world because the conspiracy

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00:43:55,750 --> 00:43:54,079

theory stuff on youtube is only like one

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00:43:57,990 --> 00:43:55,760

percent of it if that in

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00:44:00,069 --> 00:43:58,000

in terms of what people actually watch

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00:44:03,030 --> 00:44:00,079

you look at the big youtube channels

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00:44:04,710 --> 00:44:03,040

um the big uh thinking pewdiepie or

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00:44:08,470 --> 00:44:04,720

someone like that who just makes silly

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00:44:10,950 --> 00:44:08,480

videos about video games and memes

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00:44:13,030 --> 00:44:10,960

uh that's he's got like whatever it is

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00:44:15,030 --> 00:44:13,040

like you know 200 million or a billion

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00:44:17,109 --> 00:44:15,040

followers or whatever it is but

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00:44:18,390 --> 00:44:17,119

then you've got the conspiracy theory

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00:44:21,190 --> 00:44:18,400

people who have

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00:44:21,990 --> 00:44:21,200

200 000 followers and yet if you're

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00:44:23,910 --> 00:44:22,000

interested in

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00:44:25,270 --> 00:44:23,920

that yeah so that's all you see you

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00:44:28,230 --> 00:44:25,280

don't see pewdiepie

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00:44:32,230 --> 00:44:28,240

pewdiepie never shows up on my feed but

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00:44:34,230 --> 00:44:32,240

all this conspiracy nonsense does so

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00:44:35,910 --> 00:44:34,240

you got to try i think to break people

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00:44:37,670 --> 00:44:35,920

out of this bubble and

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00:44:38,950 --> 00:44:37,680

this tiny little bubble really and

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00:44:42,309 --> 00:44:38,960

getting to see the

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00:44:44,150 --> 00:44:42,319

the real world it's a challenge in a way

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00:44:46,790 --> 00:44:44,160

it's sort of taken over my life

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00:44:47,910 --> 00:44:46,800

because it's something that i'm looking

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00:44:50,470 --> 00:44:47,920

at all the time now

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00:44:51,270 --> 00:44:50,480

i don't believe in it but it's something

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00:44:53,910 --> 00:44:51,280

that i'm

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00:44:54,309 --> 00:44:53,920

constantly looking at or wanting updates

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00:44:57,430 --> 00:44:54,319

on

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00:45:00,150 --> 00:44:57,440

and listening to podcasts about it and

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00:45:01,990 --> 00:45:00,160

i'm watching stuff on youtube and

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00:45:03,910 --> 00:45:02,000

debunking stuff

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00:45:05,270 --> 00:45:03,920

so in a way even though i'm not a

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00:45:07,589 --> 00:45:05,280

conspiracy theorist

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00:45:08,950 --> 00:45:07,599

it's sort of it's a huge part of my life

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now as well

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well i suppose in a way it's an

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extension of an interest in

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uh cults or you know or even like people

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00:45:18,870 --> 00:45:17,359

who listen to murder podcasts

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00:45:20,470 --> 00:45:18,880

only if you listen to murder podcasts

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00:45:20,790 --> 00:45:20,480

like my favorite murder you might get

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00:45:21,990 --> 00:45:20,800

the

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impression that people are being

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00:45:25,589 --> 00:45:23,060

murdered all the time

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00:45:29,349 --> 00:45:25,599

[Laughter]

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00:45:32,550 --> 00:45:29,359

so because it's not

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00:45:32,950 --> 00:45:32,560

it's not as big as as people think like

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00:45:34,710 --> 00:45:32,960

this

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00:45:36,950 --> 00:45:34,720

yeah especially like the adrenacurum

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00:45:37,349 --> 00:45:36,960

aspect of it the more extreme aspects of

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it are

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a fairly small number of people

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obviously the election fraud thing is

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00:45:44,309 --> 00:45:41,839

quite popular and

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anti-backs is quite popular but these

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00:45:49,910 --> 00:45:45,680

these more extreme things

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i think are pretty uh pretty um marginal

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yeah most people that i mentioned q and

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on two don't

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00:45:58,069 --> 00:45:55,839

don't know it um obviously i'm in the uk

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00:45:59,670 --> 00:45:58,079

so it's different but yeah most

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00:46:01,510 --> 00:45:59,680

most people that i've sort of mentioned

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to here don't know about

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pizzagate don't don't know about q and

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on not some not something that's on

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their radar

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but then you do see people um

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sharing conspiracy related content or q

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anon related content without actually

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knowing

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do do you have like uh any kind of

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british or european

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uh conspiracy theories that are somewhat

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00:46:30,230 --> 00:46:28,000

similar or at the same level

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as that that you're aware of that we

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might not have heard of

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in the united states the same as um

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q and on yeah in terms of like

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you know there being some kind of deep

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state conspiracy to do certain i mean

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what about the

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the great replacement theory have you

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heard of that one no i've not heard of

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that one

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it's like a theory that white people are

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being replaced by immigrants

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as a deliberate way of changing society

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and

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changing the power structure or

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something like that

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yeah i mean i think i've sort of heard

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of that sort of thing but that's

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00:47:05,270 --> 00:47:01,760

i think i would say that's probably

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00:47:09,349 --> 00:47:06,870

it's a white nationalist type thing

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00:47:10,550 --> 00:47:09,359

obviously and uh yeah i think you guys

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00:47:12,710 --> 00:47:10,560

in america

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00:47:14,470 --> 00:47:12,720

are much better at conspiracies than we

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00:47:17,589 --> 00:47:14,480

are

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00:47:19,510 --> 00:47:17,599

well we've got uh it's the whole jfk

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00:47:21,589 --> 00:47:19,520

thing the whole jfk thing i think

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00:47:23,270 --> 00:47:21,599

was was a big part they've been around

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00:47:26,390 --> 00:47:23,280

for since before jfk

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00:47:27,030 --> 00:47:26,400

and they've been a a constant feature of

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00:47:36,470 --> 00:47:27,040

the

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00:47:38,150 --> 00:47:36,480

mainstream

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00:47:39,510 --> 00:47:38,160

and you know the very term conspiracy

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00:47:41,829 --> 00:47:39,520

theory itself

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00:47:43,589 --> 00:47:41,839

only really gained in popularity after

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00:47:46,790 --> 00:47:43,599

the jfk assassinations and then

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00:47:48,150 --> 00:47:46,800

after uh the rfk assassinations martin

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00:47:49,910 --> 00:47:48,160

luther king as well

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00:47:52,309 --> 00:47:49,920

uh there was looking at this slew of

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00:47:54,069 --> 00:47:52,319

assassinations in the 60s

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00:47:56,150 --> 00:47:54,079

and i think the whole conspiracy theory

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00:47:56,870 --> 00:47:56,160

thing kind of dates back to around that

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00:47:58,309 --> 00:47:56,880

time

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00:48:00,150 --> 00:47:58,319

and of course the there's a conspiracy

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00:48:02,150 --> 00:48:00,160

theory about that which is that

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00:48:03,670 --> 00:48:02,160

the term conspiracy theory was invented

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00:48:05,910 --> 00:48:03,680

to denigrate people who believed in

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00:48:07,589 --> 00:48:05,920

these conspiracy theories

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00:48:09,190 --> 00:48:07,599

because it also came out around that

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00:48:11,430 --> 00:48:09,200

time

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00:48:12,710 --> 00:48:11,440

yes i agree with you the americans do do

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00:48:14,870 --> 00:48:12,720

conspiracy theories

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00:48:15,990 --> 00:48:14,880

at a different uh in a different

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00:48:19,190 --> 00:48:16,000

different level

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00:48:21,270 --> 00:48:19,200

uh yeah like i said at the

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00:48:22,630 --> 00:48:21,280

beginning there are there are conspiracy

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00:48:23,430 --> 00:48:22,640

theories that are real like you've got

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00:48:25,750 --> 00:48:23,440

stuff like mk

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00:48:27,910 --> 00:48:25,760

ultra and that sort of thing yeah and so

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00:48:30,069 --> 00:48:27,920

there are real conspiracies

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00:48:31,589 --> 00:48:30,079

um and that's one of the things i always

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00:48:33,829 --> 00:48:31,599

point to when i discuss

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00:48:35,430 --> 00:48:33,839

discuss it is that um the amount of

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00:48:39,030 --> 00:48:35,440

people that would be involved

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00:48:42,390 --> 00:48:39,040

um for this conspiracy to work

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00:48:45,349 --> 00:48:42,400

that eventually it's bound to leak

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00:48:46,549 --> 00:48:45,359

somehow from a reputable source and you

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00:48:49,190 --> 00:48:46,559

see that with

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00:48:50,069 --> 00:48:49,200

conspiracies that ha that are real um

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00:48:51,990 --> 00:48:50,079

that

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00:48:53,190 --> 00:48:52,000

it's there's too many people involved

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00:48:56,150 --> 00:48:53,200

for them to keep it

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00:48:57,589 --> 00:48:56,160

sort of under wraps that's why you know

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00:48:59,430 --> 00:48:57,599

a lot of these things they don't

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00:49:01,109 --> 00:48:59,440

they don't stand up because why are

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00:49:02,870 --> 00:49:01,119

people not saying anything

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00:49:05,190 --> 00:49:02,880

yeah and i think that's even more true

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00:49:07,030 --> 00:49:05,200

now i was thinking yesterday you know

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00:49:10,230 --> 00:49:07,040

this tape came out

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00:49:12,069 --> 00:49:10,240

uh like straight away uh with this

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00:49:13,589 --> 00:49:12,079

this phone call when you go back to

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00:49:15,829 --> 00:49:13,599

times like watergate

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00:49:17,109 --> 00:49:15,839

where tapes were actual tapes and there

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00:49:19,670 --> 00:49:17,119

was no way of the public

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00:49:20,870 --> 00:49:19,680

actually listening to a piece of audio

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00:49:21,510 --> 00:49:20,880

like how do you actually the only way

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00:49:22,870 --> 00:49:21,520

you would

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00:49:24,630 --> 00:49:22,880

hear it is if it was aired on the

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00:49:26,069 --> 00:49:24,640

evening news or aired on the radio or

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00:49:28,309 --> 00:49:26,079

something like that

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00:49:29,750 --> 00:49:28,319

whereas now things get out so quickly

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00:49:30,950 --> 00:49:29,760

and everything is the potential of being

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00:49:32,870 --> 00:49:30,960

recorded

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00:49:34,069 --> 00:49:32,880

it's it's probably a hundred times

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00:49:37,109 --> 00:49:34,079

harder now to keep

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00:49:40,390 --> 00:49:37,119

a conspiracy uh secret than it was

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00:49:42,309 --> 00:49:40,400

back in the 1960s and even in the 1960s

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00:49:44,150 --> 00:49:42,319

relatively mundane conspiracy theories

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00:49:46,710 --> 00:49:44,160

came out all the time

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00:49:47,589 --> 00:49:46,720

yeah and stuff gets leaked all the time

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00:49:49,349 --> 00:49:47,599

to the press

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00:49:51,589 --> 00:49:49,359

um in the uk you know from the

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00:49:53,670 --> 00:49:51,599

government and stuff is getting leaked

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00:49:55,829 --> 00:49:53,680

gets leaked all the time almost every

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00:49:57,510 --> 00:49:55,839

week there's a leak

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00:49:59,109 --> 00:49:57,520

i think they the conspiracy theorists

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00:49:59,910 --> 00:49:59,119

would claim that all those leaks are

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00:50:03,270 --> 00:49:59,920

actually

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00:50:04,630 --> 00:50:03,280

controlled disinformation so

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00:50:06,150 --> 00:50:04,640

they kind of wrap it all up as being

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00:50:06,790 --> 00:50:06,160

part of the plan in which you know is

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00:50:09,589 --> 00:50:06,800

the cue

1501
00:50:10,870 --> 00:50:09,599
accused strategy uh that everything is

1502
00:50:12,309 --> 00:50:10,880
part of the plan

1503
00:50:13,990 --> 00:50:12,319
so if something appears to be going

1504
00:50:15,030 --> 00:50:14,000
wrong that's part of the plan too and if

1505
00:50:17,910 --> 00:50:15,040
something doesn't come true

1506
00:50:18,470 --> 00:50:17,920
that's part of the plan so it's a get

1507
00:50:20,549 --> 00:50:18,480
out of jail

1508
00:50:22,870 --> 00:50:20,559
jail free card and i think one other

1509
00:50:24,870 --> 00:50:22,880
thing that that draws people in is this

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00:50:28,390 --> 00:50:24,880
idea of there being a plan

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00:50:30,790 --> 00:50:28,400
um because life is chaotic and

1512
00:50:31,910 --> 00:50:30,800
there isn't a plan um no one really

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00:50:33,190 --> 00:50:31,920

knows what they're doing

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00:50:35,670 --> 00:50:33,200

it just shows the way that this

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00:50:38,549 --> 00:50:35,680

pandemic's been handled

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00:50:39,829 --> 00:50:38,559

yeah interesting you know they are

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00:50:41,589 --> 00:50:39,839

trying to follow the best advice that

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00:50:43,030 --> 00:50:41,599

they can but they're juggling other

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00:50:43,910 --> 00:50:43,040

things like the economy that sort of

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00:50:46,309 --> 00:50:43,920

stuff

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00:50:47,270 --> 00:50:46,319

and it's just sort of shown there isn't

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00:50:49,190 --> 00:50:47,280

really a plan

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00:50:51,270 --> 00:50:49,200

we're all winging it and i think that

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00:50:51,750 --> 00:50:51,280

people like the idea of there being a

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00:50:54,309 --> 00:50:51,760

plan

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00:50:56,390 --> 00:50:54,319

yeah that's quite apparent when they one

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00:50:58,150 --> 00:50:56,400

of the sayings of the q anon crowd is

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00:51:00,150 --> 00:50:58,160

trust the plan

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00:51:01,829 --> 00:51:00,160

and you hear that repeated over and over

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00:51:04,950 --> 00:51:01,839

again it's like a mantra

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00:51:06,950 --> 00:51:04,960

and i think it does actually have like

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00:51:08,630 --> 00:51:06,960

a calming soothing effect on your mind

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00:51:12,230 --> 00:51:08,640

you trust the plan there's a plan

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00:51:13,109 --> 00:51:12,240

trust the plan and yeah if you trust the

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00:51:16,150 --> 00:51:13,119

plan

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00:51:17,510 --> 00:51:16,160

it's like the same religious effect of

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00:51:20,870 --> 00:51:17,520

like having faith in god

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00:51:23,109 --> 00:51:20,880

like trust god's plan is a direct

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00:51:24,069 --> 00:51:23,119

equivalent to that thing like we don't

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00:51:25,430 --> 00:51:24,079

know

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00:51:28,069 --> 00:51:25,440

why we're going through this hardship

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00:51:30,549 --> 00:51:28,079

but trust god's plan and now we've got

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00:51:31,430 --> 00:51:30,559

trust cues plan and i think it helps

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00:51:34,069 --> 00:51:31,440

people

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00:51:35,510 --> 00:51:34,079

uh get through difficult times if they

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00:51:35,990 --> 00:51:35,520

have trust that there is some kind of

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00:51:37,750 --> 00:51:36,000

plan

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00:51:40,150 --> 00:51:37,760

that is all going to come out well in

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00:51:41,829 --> 00:51:40,160

the end yeah because we're obviously in

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00:51:43,589 --> 00:51:41,839

a crisis at the moment and i

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00:51:45,190 --> 00:51:43,599
i think it's like yeah people become

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00:51:45,910 --> 00:51:45,200
drawn to religion when they're in a

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00:51:47,910 --> 00:51:45,920
crisis

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00:51:48,950 --> 00:51:47,920
and and i think people have become drawn

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00:51:51,910 --> 00:51:48,960
to this

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00:51:52,470 --> 00:51:51,920
because it's nice to feel like there's a

1557
00:52:01,670 --> 00:51:52,480
plan

1558
00:52:03,990 --> 00:52:01,680
evil that's going on in the world then

1559
00:52:05,109 --> 00:52:04,000
let's just follow the plan and i think

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00:52:08,230 --> 00:52:05,119
before

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00:52:09,910 --> 00:52:08,240
um covered 19 people were sort of

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00:52:11,750 --> 00:52:09,920
the q and on things sort of seemed like

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00:52:15,430 --> 00:52:11,760

it was dying down a little bit

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00:52:17,589 --> 00:52:15,440

that's the impression that i got um

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00:52:19,430 --> 00:52:17,599

but obviously as this pandemic's

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00:52:20,790 --> 00:52:19,440

progressed it feels like it's ramped up

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00:52:22,630 --> 00:52:20,800

again

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00:52:24,470 --> 00:52:22,640

yeah indeed yeah it's given its fresh

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00:52:27,030 --> 00:52:24,480

wings and the election

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00:52:27,670 --> 00:52:27,040

has become the focal point of it as well

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00:52:31,190 --> 00:52:27,680

which

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00:52:33,349 --> 00:52:31,200

gave it a huge boost especially when uh

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00:52:34,470 --> 00:52:33,359

yeah trump didn't disavow it and then

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00:52:37,510 --> 00:52:34,480

other people around him

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00:52:40,230 --> 00:52:37,520

started echoing q-type things

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00:52:41,270 --> 00:52:40,240
it's really become pretty mainstream now

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00:52:43,670 --> 00:52:41,280
and

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00:52:45,670 --> 00:52:43,680
yeah i think i was along with a lot of

1579
00:52:48,790 --> 00:52:45,680
people a year or two ago

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00:52:51,030 --> 00:52:48,800
thinking it was just nonsense that

1581
00:52:52,069 --> 00:52:51,040
didn't really deserve too much attention

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00:52:55,190 --> 00:52:52,079
but obviously that's

1583
00:52:57,109 --> 00:52:55,200
that was wrong and it's

1584
00:52:59,109 --> 00:52:57,119
become this very significant force in

1585
00:53:02,230 --> 00:52:59,119
american politics really

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00:53:04,069 --> 00:53:02,240
when i um first sort of

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00:53:05,270 --> 00:53:04,079
heard about q anon and i was looking

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00:53:07,430 --> 00:53:05,280

into debunking it

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00:53:09,430 --> 00:53:07,440

that sort of stuff there wasn't really a

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00:53:11,430 --> 00:53:09,440

lot out there for

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00:53:12,630 --> 00:53:11,440

debunking queueing on that um i was

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looking on metabunk

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00:53:16,309 --> 00:53:15,280

your site um yeah there wasn't much

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00:53:18,230 --> 00:53:16,319

there really yeah

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00:53:20,069 --> 00:53:18,240

no because i don't think yeah people

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00:53:20,710 --> 00:53:20,079

didn't take it seriously it's like a

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00:53:22,950 --> 00:53:20,720

kooky

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00:53:24,309 --> 00:53:22,960

thing it's like people that follow david

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00:53:26,870 --> 00:53:24,319

ike it's

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00:53:28,390 --> 00:53:26,880

sort of really out there like really far

1601
00:53:32,309 --> 00:53:28,400
along the conspiracy

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00:53:33,910 --> 00:53:32,319
timeline um and yeah i don't think

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00:53:34,790 --> 00:53:33,920
people were paying a lot of attention to

1604
00:53:36,309 --> 00:53:34,800
it didn't seem

1605
00:53:38,470 --> 00:53:36,319
like something that a lot of people were

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00:53:39,510 --> 00:53:38,480
really into it was just like a few

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00:53:41,990 --> 00:53:39,520
extreme

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00:53:43,510 --> 00:53:42,000
people but now it seems like that it's

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00:53:45,910 --> 00:53:43,520
it's leaked out

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00:53:48,150 --> 00:53:45,920
a lot further into society than than it

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00:53:50,230 --> 00:53:48,160
was initially anticipated do

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00:53:51,349 --> 00:53:50,240
yeah well let's hope that uh i guess

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00:53:54,150 --> 00:53:51,359

we'll uh

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00:53:55,670 --> 00:53:54,160

see what the next six months will bring

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00:53:57,270 --> 00:53:55,680

yeah i'll be interested to find out what

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00:54:01,430 --> 00:53:57,280

happens at the end of january

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00:54:04,390 --> 00:54:01,440

hopefully yeah no i'm uh i'm glued to my

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00:54:05,750 --> 00:54:04,400

computer with every new development here

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00:54:07,670 --> 00:54:05,760

this is always something new coming

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00:54:09,990 --> 00:54:07,680

along

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00:54:11,109 --> 00:54:10,000

well uh is there anything else you think

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00:54:13,670 --> 00:54:11,119

you want to bring up that

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00:54:14,309 --> 00:54:13,680

you haven't talked about i just want to

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00:54:16,230 --> 00:54:14,319

say that

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00:54:17,589 --> 00:54:16,240

if you're living at home at the moment

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00:54:19,750 --> 00:54:17,599

with someone who's

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00:54:20,870 --> 00:54:19,760

into queueing on come on the q and on

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00:54:22,870 --> 00:54:20,880

casualties

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00:54:25,190 --> 00:54:22,880

read it there's loads of support on

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00:54:28,710 --> 00:54:25,200

there and great advice and

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00:54:30,790 --> 00:54:28,720

it's good to then um and

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00:54:32,230 --> 00:54:30,800

you might get some valuable information

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00:54:34,470 --> 00:54:32,240

on how to help someone

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00:54:36,069 --> 00:54:34,480

and if you do see a friend or family

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00:54:38,309 --> 00:54:36,079

member going down that road

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00:54:39,829 --> 00:54:38,319

it's best to try and speak to them

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00:54:42,549 --> 00:54:39,839

before they get too far

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00:54:44,230 --> 00:54:42,559

in and to remain compassionate people

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00:54:46,789 --> 00:54:44,240

aren't idiots because they believe in

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00:54:47,430 --> 00:54:46,799

conspiracy theories it could happen to

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00:54:50,150 --> 00:54:47,440

anyone

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00:54:52,069 --> 00:54:50,160

so treat people with compassion that's

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00:54:53,670 --> 00:54:52,079

great advice uh

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00:54:55,670 --> 00:54:53,680

well thank you very much sir georgina