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NOW A
TERRIFYING
MOTION
PICTURE!

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THE BYE BYE MAN


And Other Strange-but-True Tales

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INTERVIEW

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1
00:00:37,479 --> 00:00:28,080

[Music]

2
00:00:44,439 --> 00:00:41,780

explore the bazaars are your e-ticket

3
00:00:47,720 --> 00:00:44,449

ride into the world of the paranoid

4
00:00:52,030 --> 00:00:47,730

strap yourself in as we traverse the

5
00:00:57,170 --> 00:00:52,040

universe exploring the unexplained UFO s

6
00:01:00,890 --> 00:00:57,180

ghosts lost world cryptozoology as well

7
00:01:05,119 --> 00:01:00,900

as other dimensions it's time to take

8
00:01:07,280 --> 00:01:05,129

back the night last night now your

9
00:01:15,670 --> 00:01:07,290

electrifying hosts of exploring the

10
00:01:21,770 --> 00:01:18,650

well why don't you tell us Tim who we

11
00:01:26,740 --> 00:01:21,780

have tonight Wow with pleasure our guest

12
00:01:30,469 --> 00:01:26,750

tonight is a Roberts neck and Robert is

13
00:01:33,080 --> 00:01:30,479

a catch I mean he is he has written all

14

00:01:38,660 --> 00:01:33,090

kinds of fantastic books presidents

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00:01:42,710 --> 00:01:38,670

vampire I I think you're is your latest

16

00:01:44,840 --> 00:01:42,720

one Robert the bye-bye man no the latest

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00:01:47,899 --> 00:01:44,850

book is mrs. Wakeman versus the

18

00:01:49,969 --> 00:01:47,909

Antichrist okay okay I was acting a

19

00:01:53,660 --> 00:01:49,979

little earlier the president's vampire

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00:01:56,270 --> 00:01:53,670

is being re-released as the bye-bye man

21

00:01:58,550 --> 00:01:56,280

because of one of the stories is being

22

00:02:02,090 --> 00:01:58,560

made into a mu is being is coming out as

23

00:02:06,080 --> 00:02:02,100

a movie this year well then oh it's

24

00:02:07,880 --> 00:02:06,090

coming out last weekend it was like what

25

00:02:10,699 --> 00:02:07,890

dimension films or something which is a

26

00:02:12,470 --> 00:02:10,709

i'll be on really large i'll be honest

27

00:02:18,350 --> 00:02:12,480

with you i can't figure out who exactly

28

00:02:21,860 --> 00:02:18,360

made the movie uh if there's st x and y

29

00:02:24,140 --> 00:02:21,870

en and a bunch of other people i know

30

00:02:26,240 --> 00:02:24,150

who's in the movie but i can't tell you

31

00:02:29,539 --> 00:02:26,250

exactly what company is responsible for

32

00:02:32,449 --> 00:02:29,549

it and any big names in the Malloy well

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00:02:36,979 --> 00:02:32,459

yeah Doug Jones is the is playing the

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00:02:44,990 --> 00:02:36,989

bye-bye man he's famous for playing the

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00:02:48,100 --> 00:02:45,000

pale man in pans labyrinth and the the

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00:02:50,950 --> 00:02:48,110

gentleman in Buffy in the Vampire Slayer

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00:02:53,230 --> 00:02:50,960

and I

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00:02:55,740 --> 00:02:53,240

probably one of his best-known roles as

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00:02:59,260 --> 00:02:55,750

one of his earliest where he played that

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00:03:02,080 --> 00:02:59,270

crescent headed piano player on the

41

00:03:04,030 --> 00:03:02,090

McDonalds commercials oh my gosh yeah

42

00:03:07,780 --> 00:03:04,040

that's that that's what got him started

43

00:03:09,970 --> 00:03:07,790

uh so he's actually playing the bye-bye

44

00:03:11,700 --> 00:03:09,980

man but the movies got some well-known

45

00:03:18,940 --> 00:03:11,710

people in it including Faye Dunaway

46

00:03:20,980 --> 00:03:18,950

sorry yeah I was surprised so it's right

47

00:03:23,950 --> 00:03:20,990

now they keep moving around the release

48

00:03:27,760 --> 00:03:23,960

date so I think at the moment it's

49

00:03:30,700 --> 00:03:27,770

coming out in December I I knew I knew

50

00:03:35,800 --> 00:03:30,710

foul things like I I I knew Faye

51
00:03:40,120 --> 00:03:35,810
Dunaway's ex-husband peter wolf while

52
00:03:41,680 --> 00:03:40,130
Peter wood from the Jay geils Band Wow I

53
00:03:44,050 --> 00:03:41,690
have not seen I don't know if they're

54
00:03:45,910 --> 00:03:44,060
still out there performing but they were

55
00:03:48,610 --> 00:03:45,920
one of my favorite two groups and I had

56
00:03:50,920 --> 00:03:48,620
met him a couple of times back stage we

57
00:03:53,460 --> 00:03:50,930
talked about 14 phenomena a friend of

58
00:03:57,160 --> 00:03:53,470
mine had gone to a concert and taken a a

59
00:03:59,620 --> 00:03:57,170
photograph of the of the band and behind

60
00:04:01,870 --> 00:03:59,630
peter wolf was i know some kind of

61
00:04:03,340 --> 00:04:01,880
apparition or something so we tried to

62
00:04:06,070 --> 00:04:03,350
convince him that it was some ghostly

63
00:04:07,960 --> 00:04:06,080

phenomena and i'm not sure he whether he

64

00:04:10,180 --> 00:04:07,970

actually believed it or not but we we

65

00:04:12,370 --> 00:04:10,190

could sit and talk about this and Frank

66

00:04:16,000 --> 00:04:12,380

Edwards that's what got me started it

67

00:04:18,940 --> 00:04:16,010

was a it was a battered and dog-eared

68

00:04:20,530 --> 00:04:18,950

edition of stranger than science that my

69

00:04:22,630 --> 00:04:20,540

mother left on her night table I think

70

00:04:24,820 --> 00:04:22,640

someone gave it to her I remember it

71

00:04:27,970 --> 00:04:24,830

very well because the cover was held on

72

00:04:31,690 --> 00:04:27,980

with a piece of a silver masking tape

73

00:04:36,130 --> 00:04:31,700

electric duct tape rather and I devoured

74

00:04:38,950 --> 00:04:36,140

the book and it's the reason it more or

75

00:04:42,160 --> 00:04:38,960

less put me on this path uh if Frank

76
00:04:45,640 --> 00:04:42,170
Edwards was much more easy to read than

77
00:04:48,760 --> 00:04:45,650
40 when I yes no yes when I finally got

78
00:04:54,370 --> 00:04:48,770
to Fort I was shocked how difficult how

79
00:04:56,080 --> 00:04:54,380
um how vague or incomprehensible he

80
00:04:58,300 --> 00:04:56,090
could sometimes be and I know he was

81
00:05:00,580 --> 00:04:58,310
doing it deliberately and that he had a

82
00:05:02,740 --> 00:05:00,590
very odd sense of humor that came out in

83
00:05:04,750 --> 00:05:02,750
his right Angus yes but but at the time

84
00:05:07,000 --> 00:05:04,760
it just went right over my

85
00:05:10,990 --> 00:05:07,010
head because i went from Frank Edwards

86
00:05:13,300 --> 00:05:11,000
to people like Ivan Sanderson oh yes and

87
00:05:16,120 --> 00:05:13,310
Bernard heuvelmans people like that who

88
00:05:18,730 --> 00:05:16,130

were much easier to understand and of

89

00:05:20,350 --> 00:05:18,740

course John keel I still remember I

90

00:05:22,530 --> 00:05:20,360

still remember the copy of the mothman

91

00:05:25,810 --> 00:05:22,540

prophecies that was in my public library

92

00:05:29,860 --> 00:05:25,820

that was back when the in the library

93

00:05:33,010 --> 00:05:29,870

when the section 001 consisted of one

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00:05:36,040 --> 00:05:33,020

book on flying saucers 11 copy of the

95

00:05:42,010 --> 00:05:36,050

mothman prophecies and and a book called

96

00:05:43,780 --> 00:05:42,020

the coming age of the computer I think

97

00:05:48,400 --> 00:05:43,790

you've I think you went to buy a local

98

00:05:51,780 --> 00:05:48,410

library I was a kid that sounds exactly

99

00:05:54,820 --> 00:05:51,790

like it I you know I have that been to a

100

00:05:58,870 --> 00:05:54,830

library in a long time I wonder I wonder

101
00:06:02,890 --> 00:05:58,880
if those old books are still there and

102
00:06:04,960 --> 00:06:02,900
if they have been replaced by anything

103
00:06:06,910 --> 00:06:04,970
you know what would be the the big

104
00:06:09,640 --> 00:06:06,920
titles now that you could get it go into

105
00:06:12,400 --> 00:06:09,650
a library and well now now a few years

106
00:06:16,540 --> 00:06:12,410
ago they were a lot of the abductee

107
00:06:19,150 --> 00:06:16,550
books oh quit least reaper of course and

108
00:06:21,370 --> 00:06:19,160
you'll still find a few abductee books

109
00:06:26,560 --> 00:06:21,380
but now I've noticed that there seemed

110
00:06:29,140 --> 00:06:26,570
to be more books on things like alien

111
00:06:32,710 --> 00:06:29,150
abduction pro and con more books by

112
00:06:38,620 --> 00:06:32,720
skeptics yeah you'll still find books on

113
00:06:40,960 --> 00:06:38,630

ghosts witchcraft dreams it right before

114

00:06:43,270 --> 00:06:40,970

the psychology section there's a chapter

115

00:06:45,780 --> 00:06:43,280

in president's vampire about a mass

116

00:06:49,270 --> 00:06:45,790

disappearance in newark new jersey in

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00:06:52,150 --> 00:06:49,280

1978 that's a way yeah it happened in

118

00:06:55,060 --> 00:06:52,160

1978 and that's that's a very urban area

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00:06:57,880 --> 00:06:55,070

oh yeah there were a group of young men

120

00:07:00,940 --> 00:06:57,890

who had been hired to move boxes for the

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00:07:03,130 --> 00:07:00,950

day and they were dropped off at a

122

00:07:06,400 --> 00:07:03,140

street corner in a on a summer afternoon

123

00:07:08,350 --> 00:07:06,410

a summer evening rather they broke up I

124

00:07:11,110 --> 00:07:08,360

think I think there were seven of them

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00:07:13,870 --> 00:07:11,120

total they were all about they were all

126

00:07:15,490 --> 00:07:13,880

around 17 years old one group went one

127

00:07:17,650 --> 00:07:15,500

way the other group went the other way I

128

00:07:18,490 --> 00:07:17,660

think maybe there was three in one group

129

00:07:20,710 --> 00:07:18,500

and four in the

130

00:07:24,580 --> 00:07:20,720

other and vanished they've never been

131

00:07:27,030 --> 00:07:24,590

seen again they were erased their the

132

00:07:29,650 --> 00:07:27,040

police in Newark have been looking for

133

00:07:33,640 --> 00:07:29,660

decades trying to figure out what

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00:07:36,220 --> 00:07:33,650

happened to them and they have they

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00:07:38,890 --> 00:07:36,230

there was the man who hired them to move

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00:07:45,550 --> 00:07:38,900

the boxes that day was the main suspect

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00:07:49,090 --> 00:07:45,560

he was um he was interviewed many times

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00:07:52,330 --> 00:07:49,100

then he was released many times finally

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00:07:55,150 --> 00:07:52,340

he was tried about two years ago and the

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00:08:00,340 --> 00:07:55,160

evidence against him was very thin so

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00:08:04,000 --> 00:08:00,350

the he was released and that was it the

142

00:08:06,550 --> 00:08:04,010

it just has remained utterly mysterious

143

00:08:10,450 --> 00:08:06,560

well I would say it's kind of it's kind

144

00:08:13,780 --> 00:08:10,460

of hard to get rid of seven bodies maybe

145

00:08:16,810 --> 00:08:13,790

one maybe one or two yeah you know you

146

00:08:19,810 --> 00:08:16,820

could put it at Runkle well people don't

147

00:08:21,400 --> 00:08:19,820

realize how difficult it is I know it

148

00:08:26,170 --> 00:08:21,410

happen all weekend a couple of times

149

00:08:29,320 --> 00:08:26,180

doing as much as creep a mr. creep of my

150

00:08:32,110 --> 00:08:29,330

heart movie well there's not a yes for

151

00:08:34,060 --> 00:08:32,120

exact one of the one of the most

152

00:08:35,740 --> 00:08:34,070

efficient well people think if you're

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00:08:39,250 --> 00:08:35,750

going to get rid of a body you burn it

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00:08:43,149 --> 00:08:39,260

but keep in mind a human body is a great

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00:08:46,690 --> 00:08:43,159

big bag of water try burning it it's not

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00:08:49,030 --> 00:08:46,700

easy the the limbs might curl up and

157

00:08:51,160 --> 00:08:49,040

it'll look awful but it won't even touch

158

00:08:57,180 --> 00:08:51,170

the internal organs because they're all

159

00:09:00,430 --> 00:08:57,190

water so uh the this has just gone on as

160

00:09:04,930 --> 00:09:00,440

one of the one of the local mysteries

161

00:09:09,040 --> 00:09:04,940

the police have checked every time there

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00:09:11,079 --> 00:09:09,050

was a mass death for example of

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00:09:13,780 --> 00:09:11,089

Jonestown they check to see if they were

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00:09:16,300 --> 00:09:13,790

among the men who died at Jonestown a

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00:09:19,150 --> 00:09:16,310

check to see if they were among Jeffrey

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00:09:20,380 --> 00:09:19,160

Dahmer's victims they looked for years

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00:09:22,920 --> 00:09:20,390

and years they've even called in

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00:09:25,630 --> 00:09:22,930

psychics in fact one of the

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00:09:28,390 --> 00:09:25,640

investigations was done on the

170

00:09:32,140 --> 00:09:28,400

recommendation of a psychic so they

171

00:09:35,920 --> 00:09:32,150

never let it go but the story just

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00:09:39,190 --> 00:09:35,930

it's very little known and remains

173

00:09:42,850 --> 00:09:39,200

completely unsolved you know it's it

174

00:09:46,270 --> 00:09:42,860

reminds me somewhat of the the the

175

00:09:48,220 --> 00:09:46,280

smiley face murders I mean not you know

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00:09:50,380 --> 00:09:48,230

the smiley face murderers don't don't

177

00:09:54,310 --> 00:09:50,390

happen you know in in mass it's just

178

00:09:56,620 --> 00:09:54,320

like one young man at a time but you

179

00:09:58,200 --> 00:09:56,630

know you've been seeing these cases all

180

00:10:00,910 --> 00:09:58,210

across the country you know where

181

00:10:03,850 --> 00:10:00,920

generally it's it's it's a guy I say

182

00:10:06,370 --> 00:10:03,860

like at a bar with friends he'll step

183

00:10:10,300 --> 00:10:06,380

outside for a smoke and then just

184

00:10:12,580 --> 00:10:10,310

disappear and then they'll find him days

185

00:10:16,810 --> 00:10:12,590

weeks months later floating in a nearby

186

00:10:18,430 --> 00:10:16,820

river and I'm go ahead know how it works

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00:10:22,380 --> 00:10:18,440

I'm always interested in the mass

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00:10:27,160 --> 00:10:22,390

disappearances because they are just so

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00:10:29,500 --> 00:10:27,170

incomprehensible which is why I I love

190

00:10:31,930 --> 00:10:29,510

when they find a car under a bridge

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00:10:34,600 --> 00:10:31,940

that's been there for 30 years in the

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00:10:35,920 --> 00:10:34,610

water and they'll drag it out and

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00:10:38,200 --> 00:10:35,930

they'll find a few bones and they'll

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00:10:39,670 --> 00:10:38,210

realize oh these five teenagers that

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00:10:41,830 --> 00:10:39,680

disappeared back in nineteen seventy

196

00:10:44,020 --> 00:10:41,840

this is what happened to them here they

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00:10:46,660 --> 00:10:44,030

drove them they drove on the bridge and

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00:10:49,300 --> 00:10:46,670

the this the river never went low enough

199

00:10:51,160 --> 00:10:49,310

for the bridge to be exposed and here it

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00:10:53,410 --> 00:10:51,170

is that's happened a few times in the

201
00:10:56,950 --> 00:10:53,420
last few years that they found these

202
00:10:59,680 --> 00:10:56,960
cars you know Tim we've talked about a

203
00:11:01,990 --> 00:10:59,690
case on the air here where I think it

204
00:11:04,180 --> 00:11:02,000
was it was it Christmas Eve where these

205
00:11:06,250 --> 00:11:04,190
a fireball or the house was set on fire

206
00:11:08,620 --> 00:11:06,260
and fire balls landed on the roof of the

207
00:11:11,850 --> 00:11:08,630
house and what was that seven or eight

208
00:11:15,520 --> 00:11:11,860
children disappeared right yeah it was

209
00:11:17,380 --> 00:11:15,530
in Tennessee he's a West Regional i

210
00:11:22,210 --> 00:11:17,390
think was virginia was it west virginia

211
00:11:23,980 --> 00:11:22,220
ok and the it was like christmas and the

212
00:11:26,050 --> 00:11:23,990
mother remembered hearing what's

213
00:11:28,000 --> 00:11:26,060

something striking the roof and rolling

214

00:11:30,520 --> 00:11:28,010

off and then just short while later the

215

00:11:33,310 --> 00:11:30,530

house was on fire and a couple of the

216

00:11:35,500 --> 00:11:33,320

children made it out but then the other

217

00:11:37,450 --> 00:11:35,510

is just vanish they couldn't as you were

218

00:11:40,650 --> 00:11:37,460

saying Robert you know it's even in a

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00:11:44,020 --> 00:11:40,660

house fire there's always if there are

220

00:11:45,020 --> 00:11:44,030

humans you know victims inside you will

221

00:11:46,610 --> 00:11:45,030

find there remain

222

00:11:49,160 --> 00:11:46,620

so I mean they will not burn up

223

00:11:51,620 --> 00:11:49,170

completely where they're just ashes and

224

00:11:53,540 --> 00:11:51,630

these children were never found and that

225

00:11:55,550 --> 00:11:53,550

apparent parents always suspected that

226

00:11:58,700 --> 00:11:55,560

something it also happened to them I

227

00:12:01,280 --> 00:11:58,710

yeah I have a book called West Virginia

228

00:12:05,770 --> 00:12:01,290

unsolved murders right in front of me

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00:12:10,070 --> 00:12:05,780

and the the name of the family was

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00:12:11,510 --> 00:12:10,080

excuse me just one second the picture

231

00:12:16,510 --> 00:12:11,520

that they've got the pictures on the

232

00:12:20,230 --> 00:12:16,520

back and it was Christmas Eve 1945 uh

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00:12:23,480 --> 00:12:20,240

the there were one two three four five

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00:12:26,480 --> 00:12:23,490

there were five children one of whom is

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00:12:29,380 --> 00:12:26,490

believed one of whom the family believed

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00:12:34,070 --> 00:12:29,390

survived and appeared a few years later

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00:12:38,090 --> 00:12:34,080

Robert we were talking during her break

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00:12:42,110 --> 00:12:38,100

and I was asking about how frustrating

239

00:12:44,210 --> 00:12:42,120

it can be with newspaper reports and how

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00:12:47,030 --> 00:12:44,220

a lot of times you'll run across an

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00:12:50,360 --> 00:12:47,040

interesting story but then there's no

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00:12:52,730 --> 00:12:50,370

follow-up on on you know what what may

243

00:12:54,710 --> 00:12:52,740

have happened down the line and you made

244

00:12:56,450 --> 00:12:54,720

an interesting comment about newspaper

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00:12:59,990 --> 00:12:56,460

hoaxes do i get into that little bit

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00:13:04,250 --> 00:13:00,000

sure yeah I in the night one of the most

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00:13:07,730 --> 00:13:04,260

famous newspaper hoaxes was about 1835

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00:13:10,130 --> 00:13:07,740

when there were reports that astronomers

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00:13:13,280 --> 00:13:10,140

were seeing bizarre creatures living on

250

00:13:15,560 --> 00:13:13,290

the moon and that kind of got the whole

251
00:13:18,530 --> 00:13:15,570
newspaper hoax thing started people

252
00:13:20,750 --> 00:13:18,540
realize that on a slow news day or when

253
00:13:24,950 --> 00:13:20,760
you had to get sales going you could

254
00:13:27,050 --> 00:13:24,960
just invent an outrageous story and sell

255
00:13:31,580 --> 00:13:27,060
a lot of papers and some of these have

256
00:13:34,160 --> 00:13:31,590
become classics some of them are stories

257
00:13:37,910 --> 00:13:34,170
that people are still arguing about for

258
00:13:39,860 --> 00:13:37,920
example the Aurora space man who

259
00:13:44,810 --> 00:13:39,870
supposedly crashed into a windmill in

260
00:13:48,230 --> 00:13:44,820
Texas the there are reports of monsters

261
00:13:51,470 --> 00:13:48,240
that some of which are still being seen

262
00:13:55,310 --> 00:13:51,480
but supposedly began as as newspaper

263
00:13:57,650 --> 00:13:55,320

hoaxes one of at this point I think I'm

264

00:13:59,990 --> 00:13:57,660

going to be ending all of my books with

265

00:14:02,380 --> 00:14:00,000

chapter on stories that either didn't

266

00:14:04,880 --> 00:14:02,390

pan out or turned out to be hoaxes hey

267

00:14:07,250 --> 00:14:04,890

Robert how about the flying man over

268

00:14:09,410 --> 00:14:07,260

Coney Island what's a famous one you

269

00:14:13,400 --> 00:14:09,420

know a friend of mine looked into that

270

00:14:16,820 --> 00:14:13,410

and he dissected that he took it apart

271

00:14:21,230 --> 00:14:16,830

piece by piece by piece and it is a hoax

272

00:14:23,690 --> 00:14:21,240

no yeah I know but but you know keep in

273

00:14:26,300 --> 00:14:23,700

mind that a lot of that stuff is what

274

00:14:29,450 --> 00:14:26,310

attracts us to it in the first place you

275

00:14:31,940 --> 00:14:29,460

know we really shouldn't it's I know

276

00:14:34,190 --> 00:14:31,950

that the people involved in the

277

00:14:35,750 --> 00:14:34,200

paranormal who despise hope TSA's they

278

00:14:38,150 --> 00:14:35,760

say for example when you're talking

279

00:14:40,310 --> 00:14:38,160

about cryptozoology that it puts

280

00:14:42,710 --> 00:14:40,320

cryptozoology you know cryptozoology

281

00:14:46,120 --> 00:14:42,720

will never be taken seriously as long as

282

00:14:50,840 --> 00:14:46,130

people keep finding bigfoot suits in

283

00:14:53,030 --> 00:14:50,850

beer freezers he's not he but the fact

284

00:14:56,480 --> 00:14:53,040

of the matter is it's not taken that

285

00:14:58,330 --> 00:14:56,490

seriously anyway so I know you know I

286

00:15:00,520 --> 00:14:58,340

know some of my best friends are

287

00:15:03,800 --> 00:15:00,530

cryptozoologists and they take it very

288

00:15:07,180 --> 00:15:03,810

seriously they are serious investigators

289

00:15:09,980 --> 00:15:07,190

they are scientists they know anatomy

290

00:15:13,460 --> 00:15:09,990

zoology they're serious but there's also

291

00:15:20,270 --> 00:15:13,470

a lot of other stuff involved folklore

292

00:15:22,880 --> 00:15:20,280

of hoaxing just a degree of fun that you

293

00:15:26,270 --> 00:15:22,890

hate it's an it's a part of it that

294

00:15:29,900 --> 00:15:26,280

can't be discounted and to my mind it's

295

00:15:33,830 --> 00:15:29,910

often very revealing about the about

296

00:15:35,990 --> 00:15:33,840

where cryptozoology is for example in in

297

00:15:38,180 --> 00:15:36,000

society right now that somebody will

298

00:15:42,110 --> 00:15:38,190

stick a Bigfoot suit in a beer freezer

299

00:15:44,600 --> 00:15:42,120

and it will become a national story what

300

00:15:45,830 --> 00:15:44,610

does that say about us right now it says

301
00:15:50,300 --> 00:15:45,840
that somebody ought to come up with a

302
00:15:52,910 --> 00:15:50,310
Bigfoot beer actually there really is

303
00:15:57,290 --> 00:15:52,920
right yeah i also have Bigfoot wine and

304
00:16:00,500 --> 00:15:57,300
i think Bigfoot I yeah flora florida has

305
00:16:05,420 --> 00:16:00,510
like your skunky skunky beer you know

306
00:16:07,280 --> 00:16:05,430
what that's good now now that although

307
00:16:08,660 --> 00:16:07,290
some of the wider although some of the

308
00:16:11,510 --> 00:16:08,670
cheap wine that I've drank over the

309
00:16:13,790 --> 00:16:11,520
years must be related I mean

310
00:16:16,520 --> 00:16:13,800
by the the my first book the president's

311
00:16:19,490 --> 00:16:16,530
vampire turned out to be a hoax the

312
00:16:22,130 --> 00:16:19,500
story I which I found in one of charles

313
00:16:25,610 --> 00:16:22,140

sports books was that a sailor on a

314

00:16:28,910 --> 00:16:25,620

whaling ship began to kill and drink the

315

00:16:31,760 --> 00:16:28,920

blood of fellow sailors so he was put in

316

00:16:35,810 --> 00:16:31,770

Chains taken back to Boston put on trial

317

00:16:40,610 --> 00:16:35,820

and that was more or less where the

318

00:16:43,910 --> 00:16:40,620

story ended well after some really deep

319

00:16:46,520 --> 00:16:43,920

research I even found the ship's log

320

00:16:49,310 --> 00:16:46,530

from the day that the murder happened it

321

00:16:52,220 --> 00:16:49,320

turned out that the story was completely

322

00:16:54,050 --> 00:16:52,230

wrong there had he wasn't a vampire he

323

00:16:55,730 --> 00:16:54,060

was a ship's cook who had gotten into a

324

00:16:57,710 --> 00:16:55,740

knife he got into an argument with a

325

00:17:00,800 --> 00:16:57,720

sailor over the quality of the food

326

00:17:03,500 --> 00:17:00,810

stabbed him he was taken back to Boston

327

00:17:06,650 --> 00:17:03,510

put on trial he was sentenced to hang

328

00:17:08,270 --> 00:17:06,660

but President Andrew Johnson commuted

329

00:17:11,090 --> 00:17:08,280

his sentence because he was clearly

330

00:17:12,860 --> 00:17:11,100

insane in fact when I owe doing the

331

00:17:14,840 --> 00:17:12,870

research i found out for example that

332

00:17:17,300 --> 00:17:14,850

sailors used to be able to pay their

333

00:17:21,199 --> 00:17:17,310

lawyers with a barrel of whale oil which

334

00:17:24,050 --> 00:17:21,209

I didn't know but he ended up he ended

335

00:17:25,610 --> 00:17:24,060

up being sent to a prison where he

336

00:17:28,040 --> 00:17:25,620

supposedly drank the blood of more

337

00:17:29,720 --> 00:17:28,050

inmates that didn't happen either and he

338

00:17:33,290 --> 00:17:29,730

ended up in st. Elizabeth's mental

339

00:17:35,630 --> 00:17:33,300

hospital in Washington DC where I found

340

00:17:38,390 --> 00:17:35,640

a bunch of letters that he wrote and as

341

00:17:41,690 --> 00:17:38,400

time went on he clearly became crazier

342

00:17:44,330 --> 00:17:41,700

and crazier and crazier but he wasn't a

343

00:17:45,950 --> 00:17:44,340

vampire it never happened but you'll

344

00:17:48,380 --> 00:17:45,960

find it in almost any collection of

345

00:17:53,030 --> 00:17:48,390

real-life vampires you know of all the

346

00:17:55,190 --> 00:17:53,040

paranormal denizens of the dark side why

347

00:17:58,180 --> 00:17:55,200

is it Robert it to think vampires seem

348

00:18:01,550 --> 00:17:58,190

to be the one that most people are

349

00:18:03,680 --> 00:18:01,560

titillated and fascinated by their sexy

350

00:18:06,050 --> 00:18:03,690

at least the Hollywood version of it is

351

00:18:08,480 --> 00:18:06,060

sexy the folklore version of it is not

352

00:18:12,830 --> 00:18:08,490

sexy at all definitely not in fact it's

353

00:18:15,380 --> 00:18:12,840

repulsive but uh you know the the way

354

00:18:18,680 --> 00:18:15,390

they the way they've been translated in

355

00:18:21,250 --> 00:18:18,690

literature and film makes them very

356

00:18:24,890 --> 00:18:21,260

erotic in fact there's a section of

357

00:18:29,270 --> 00:18:24,900

Dracula where Jonathan Harker is being

358

00:18:33,290 --> 00:18:29,280

a attacked by Dracula three wives that

359

00:18:36,500 --> 00:18:33,300

is pretty heavy reading for a 19th

360

00:18:40,580 --> 00:18:36,510

century book it's pretty erotic and I

361

00:18:44,720 --> 00:18:40,590

think that's always been a subtext of

362

00:18:46,820 --> 00:18:44,730

the of jar of the vampire lit at least

363

00:18:49,640 --> 00:18:46,830

the modern form of it again the

364

00:18:52,400 --> 00:18:49,650

traditional folk version of it and when

365

00:18:54,650 --> 00:18:52,410

you get out of Western culture and you

366

00:18:57,440 --> 00:18:54,660

go to asian cultures the vampires are

367

00:18:59,870 --> 00:18:57,450

even more disgusting what what do they

368

00:19:04,670 --> 00:18:59,880

do oh there's this one called the pen

369

00:19:07,490 --> 00:19:04,680

angle on that is peers in Indonesia and

370

00:19:11,780 --> 00:19:07,500

in countries in that area and what it is

371

00:19:16,580 --> 00:19:11,790

is a witch whose head separates from the

372

00:19:19,940 --> 00:19:16,590

body and as she as her head flies out of

373

00:19:23,000 --> 00:19:19,950

the body all the intestines and internal

374

00:19:26,210 --> 00:19:23,010

organs stay on so she's flying through

375

00:19:28,760 --> 00:19:26,220

the air dragging her intestines behind

376

00:19:31,820 --> 00:19:28,770

her and feeding on the blood of children

377

00:19:34,310 --> 00:19:31,830

and women so the way you get rid of her

378

00:19:36,350 --> 00:19:34,320

is you put thorned branches around your

379

00:19:39,800 --> 00:19:36,360

window because she's afraid of getting

380

00:19:44,480 --> 00:19:39,810

her intestines caught on them oh love

381

00:19:46,850 --> 00:19:44,490

very nice lovely I like that way uh when

382

00:19:48,620 --> 00:19:46,860

you look at when seat century mysticism

383

00:19:50,750 --> 00:19:48,630

and early twentieth century mysticism

384

00:19:53,990 --> 00:19:50,760

you'll also find many references to

385

00:19:57,890 --> 00:19:54,000

psychic vampires that is a people who

386

00:20:00,530 --> 00:19:57,900

somehow have this ability according to

387

00:20:02,540 --> 00:20:00,540

the according to the Mystics the people

388

00:20:04,880 --> 00:20:02,550

that have this ability to take energy

389

00:20:07,820 --> 00:20:04,890

from others and and bring it into

390

00:20:10,520 --> 00:20:07,830

themselves Dionne fortune writes about

391

00:20:13,640 --> 00:20:10,530

it in some of her books and it gives

392

00:20:18,230 --> 00:20:13,650

ideas on how to cope with it you know

393

00:20:20,630 --> 00:20:18,240

some of my relatives my death years ago

394

00:20:23,330 --> 00:20:20,640

when I was a director of the New York

395

00:20:25,610 --> 00:20:23,340

School of occult arts and sciences which

396

00:20:28,520 --> 00:20:25,620

is one of the first physical centers in

397

00:20:32,690 --> 00:20:28,530

the country I ran from the late 60s to

398

00:20:35,180 --> 00:20:32,700

the mid 70s we had a lot of people

399

00:20:37,070 --> 00:20:35,190

coming in I would say let's say it off

400

00:20:38,690 --> 00:20:37,080

the street you know through ads they

401
00:20:40,970 --> 00:20:38,700
came in to buy books and Ouija

402
00:20:43,340 --> 00:20:40,980
words and stuff like that and and that's

403
00:20:45,980 --> 00:20:43,350
how I became I think familiar with the

404
00:20:48,880 --> 00:20:45,990
the psychic vampire and probably one of

405
00:20:53,240 --> 00:20:48,890
the reasons that I never got into the

406
00:20:56,570 --> 00:20:53,250
occult retail business because i found i

407
00:21:00,590 --> 00:20:56,580
discovered that a very high percentage

408
00:21:02,780 --> 00:21:00,600
of the people who claim that they came

409
00:21:05,450 --> 00:21:02,790
for knowledge we're not coming for

410
00:21:09,680 --> 00:21:05,460
knowledge they were coming to withdraw

411
00:21:13,280 --> 00:21:09,690
energy from from us or from the speakers

412
00:21:15,800 --> 00:21:13,290
and not giving anything in return I it's

413
00:21:17,780 --> 00:21:15,810

a very very very unusual type of a thing

414

00:21:20,060 --> 00:21:17,790

and I don't think it lets you have

415

00:21:22,400 --> 00:21:20,070

constant contact with the public most

416

00:21:26,690 --> 00:21:22,410

people realize that it exists but it's a

417

00:21:29,890 --> 00:21:26,700

it can be frightening well I can't speak

418

00:21:32,600 --> 00:21:29,900

for that because I have had very little

419

00:21:36,710 --> 00:21:32,610

contact with the public i generally stay

420

00:21:39,170 --> 00:21:36,720

at home and write the but i have spent

421

00:21:43,070 --> 00:21:39,180

time with psychics and they are utterly

422

00:21:45,560 --> 00:21:43,080

exhausting i don't i'm not saying that

423

00:21:48,380 --> 00:21:45,570

they're sucking on my energy or anything

424

00:21:50,260 --> 00:21:48,390

like that but i find that there's

425

00:21:54,080 --> 00:21:50,270

something about being around them that

426
00:21:56,210 --> 00:21:54,090
saps me and leaves me utterly exhausted

427
00:21:58,670 --> 00:21:56,220
which is one of the reasons why i don't

428
00:22:02,120 --> 00:21:58,680
have much to do with them anymore well

429
00:22:05,750 --> 00:22:02,130
some some some teleport I know tim has

430
00:22:08,570 --> 00:22:05,760
done some research on teleportation out

431
00:22:12,170 --> 00:22:08,580
there in Indiana did you not attend the

432
00:22:14,330 --> 00:22:12,180
am or do an investigation in a house

433
00:22:19,310 --> 00:22:14,340
where objects were falling from the

434
00:22:21,620 --> 00:22:19,320
ceiling oh yes yeah well rocks it was it

435
00:22:25,430 --> 00:22:21,630
was a it was a house that had kind of a

436
00:22:27,770 --> 00:22:25,440
yeah i hate's a mundane but it really

437
00:22:31,730 --> 00:22:27,780
was it was kind of just like a mundane

438
00:22:35,200 --> 00:22:31,740

poltergeist activity and while while i

439

00:22:39,830 --> 00:22:35,210

was there talking to the people that

440

00:22:41,990 --> 00:22:39,840

there was a it's hard to describe it was

441

00:22:44,919 --> 00:22:42,000

like there was I it was like a crash or

442

00:22:47,749 --> 00:22:44,929

a boom it's

443

00:22:49,909 --> 00:22:47,759

but but you know some kind of loud noise

444

00:22:52,610 --> 00:22:49,919

shook the house and then all of a sudden

445

00:22:54,950 --> 00:22:52,620

you know like small rocks started

446

00:22:56,899 --> 00:22:54,960

falling from the ceiling just in one

447

00:22:58,970 --> 00:22:56,909

location just kind of almost right in

448

00:23:00,320 --> 00:22:58,980

the middle of the ceiling and they're

449

00:23:02,690 --> 00:23:00,330

just like the you know little white

450

00:23:06,139 --> 00:23:02,700

limestone gravel rocks and in fact they

451
00:23:07,460 --> 00:23:06,149
had their their driveway was was full of

452
00:23:09,409 --> 00:23:07,470
them and you know you really couldn't

453
00:23:12,310 --> 00:23:09,419
tell the difference it looked like that

454
00:23:15,799 --> 00:23:12,320
maybe they had been you know scooped out

455
00:23:18,799 --> 00:23:15,809
from that from that driveway but your

456
00:23:21,649 --> 00:23:18,809
year you were talking about cats I I do

457
00:23:24,649 --> 00:23:21,659
think that cats have the ability to

458
00:23:27,950 --> 00:23:24,659
teleport somehow from one place to the

459
00:23:30,680 --> 00:23:27,960
other because I mean I remember as a kid

460
00:23:35,090 --> 00:23:30,690
I had a friend who had a Siamese cat

461
00:23:37,279 --> 00:23:35,100
that they would put it outside and it

462
00:23:38,749 --> 00:23:37,289
would be back inside in just a few

463
00:23:41,960 --> 00:23:38,759

minutes and they never could figure out

464

00:23:44,330 --> 00:23:41,970

how he was finding his way in but he

465

00:23:47,419 --> 00:23:44,340

always managed to it was kind of bizarre

466

00:23:49,879 --> 00:23:47,429

hey Robert do you remember some of the

467

00:23:53,090 --> 00:23:49,889

early cases that they've been mentioned

468

00:23:56,019 --> 00:23:53,100

in the written up in the 14 times where

469

00:23:58,730 --> 00:23:56,029

people's homes were pelted by

470

00:24:00,379 --> 00:23:58,740

continuously pelted by rocks I yeah I

471

00:24:03,499 --> 00:24:00,389

know that's one of the classic

472

00:24:07,009 --> 00:24:03,509

poltergeist phenomena in fact it even

473

00:24:09,940 --> 00:24:07,019

has a Greek name they call it litho

474

00:24:13,070 --> 00:24:09,950

bowlea for rockets right throwing yeah

475

00:24:15,350 --> 00:24:13,080

it's uh in fact when Tim was talking

476

00:24:18,980 --> 00:24:15,360

about the rocks that were just dropping

477

00:24:21,980 --> 00:24:18,990

into the into the house my first I

478

00:24:25,249 --> 00:24:21,990

wondered for example were they fall in a

479

00:24:27,440 --> 00:24:25,259

straight path were they warm because for

480

00:24:30,259 --> 00:24:27,450

some reason rock falls during

481

00:24:33,680 --> 00:24:30,269

poltergeist are sometimes warm yes to

482

00:24:36,049 --> 00:24:33,690

both right yesterday and he did that

483

00:24:40,129 --> 00:24:36,059

also if it happened at night were they

484

00:24:43,159 --> 00:24:40,139

cool because it's cool outside oh no

485

00:24:45,230 --> 00:24:43,169

well it was it was early evening the the

486

00:24:49,070 --> 00:24:45,240

Sun was in the process of setting but

487

00:24:51,769 --> 00:24:49,080

hadn't quite set yet it was like around

488

00:24:56,360 --> 00:24:51,779

August so and it was fairly warm outside

489

00:24:58,159 --> 00:24:56,370

but yes the rocks they fell in a just

490

00:25:00,799 --> 00:24:58,169

straight down

491

00:25:02,419 --> 00:25:00,809

and on to the carpeting and they didn't

492

00:25:04,190 --> 00:25:02,429

bounce or anything like that but you

493

00:25:06,139 --> 00:25:04,200

know I mean it was it was carpeting with

494

00:25:08,149 --> 00:25:06,149

padding and so they probably well they

495

00:25:10,909 --> 00:25:08,159

would walk what was there the classic

496

00:25:14,359 --> 00:25:10,919

poltergeist child there there were two

497

00:25:17,720 --> 00:25:14,369

of them there was an older girl who was

498

00:25:21,859 --> 00:25:17,730

about 12 and then she had a younger

499

00:25:23,539 --> 00:25:21,869

brother who is 10 and they they had just

500

00:25:25,580 --> 00:25:23,549

recently moved in with their

501
00:25:28,759 --> 00:25:25,590
grandparents because both of their

502
00:25:31,009 --> 00:25:28,769
parents had been sent to jail why are

503
00:25:33,619 --> 00:25:31,019
different things this is a classic

504
00:25:36,379 --> 00:25:33,629
poltergeist setup it really was well you

505
00:25:39,259 --> 00:25:36,389
know the yeah lewberty a family under a

506
00:25:42,289 --> 00:25:39,269
lot of stress uh thatthat's all the

507
00:25:45,019 --> 00:25:42,299
ingredients well the the really bizarre

508
00:25:48,499 --> 00:25:45,029
part you know and I'm not talking about

509
00:25:51,680 --> 00:25:48,509
this before it's from here oh yeah and I

510
00:25:55,129 --> 00:25:51,690
got this from Ivan t Sanderson who did

511
00:25:57,590 --> 00:25:55,139
the same thing and I took out a sharpie

512
00:25:59,960 --> 00:25:57,600
and I mark the rocks with a big X and

513
00:26:02,570 --> 00:25:59,970

then I took them out the back door there

514

00:26:04,580 --> 00:26:02,580

was a cornfield behind the house and I

515

00:26:07,840 --> 00:26:04,590

tossed them all as far as I could into

516

00:26:10,609 --> 00:26:07,850

the cornfield came back in sit down and

517

00:26:14,269 --> 00:26:10,619

you know almost immediately they came

518

00:26:16,549 --> 00:26:14,279

back that's classic same same same

519

00:26:20,539 --> 00:26:16,559

pattern dropping from the ceiling and

520

00:26:21,859 --> 00:26:20,549

and then onto the onto the floor where

521

00:26:24,680 --> 00:26:21,869

the kids present were they in the house

522

00:26:27,200 --> 00:26:24,690

they were in the house but they were in

523

00:26:30,680 --> 00:26:27,210

their bedroom down the hallway which I

524

00:26:32,690 --> 00:26:30,690

was situated where I could see them down

525

00:26:35,359 --> 00:26:32,700

the hallway in the room because the the

526

00:26:39,129 --> 00:26:35,369

hallway came off from the living room

527

00:26:41,930 --> 00:26:39,139

and then their room was the last room

528

00:26:44,359 --> 00:26:41,940

down the hallway and I could see them

529

00:26:47,720 --> 00:26:44,369

they were sitting on the bed playing a

530

00:26:50,269 --> 00:26:47,730

game mm-hmm and that you got that up go

531

00:26:52,190 --> 00:26:50,279

ahead Glenn I'm just that is just your

532

00:26:55,039 --> 00:26:52,200

it's like you're ticking off every box

533

00:26:57,799 --> 00:26:55,049

on the classic poltergeist checklist

534

00:27:01,009 --> 00:26:57,809

well and the the odd thing about it is

535

00:27:03,729 --> 00:27:01,019

is that after that incident the the the

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00:27:06,529 --> 00:27:03,739

couple you know I I kept in touch as

537

00:27:09,019 --> 00:27:06,539

somewhat they they told me that after

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00:27:10,879 --> 00:27:09,029

that after that evening then the

539

00:27:11,779 --> 00:27:10,889

poltergeist activity just basically

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00:27:14,060 --> 00:27:11,789

stopped

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00:27:16,249 --> 00:27:14,070

the there there was a few more minor

542

00:27:18,289 --> 00:27:16,259

incidents but it just basically then

543

00:27:22,180 --> 00:27:18,299

went away it was like all the energy had

544

00:27:24,560 --> 00:27:22,190

had been used we're on strike that today

545

00:27:29,899 --> 00:27:24,570

Robert what about you I mean do you have

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00:27:32,139 --> 00:27:29,909

a any favorite paranormal incidents of

547

00:27:35,139 --> 00:27:32,149

your own that you've either you know

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00:27:38,389 --> 00:27:35,149

experienced or researched extensively

549

00:27:40,430 --> 00:27:38,399

well I've got some stories most most of

550

00:27:43,999 --> 00:27:40,440

them are old historical stories that I

551
00:27:47,539 --> 00:27:44,009
just are very frustratingly they just

552
00:27:49,669 --> 00:27:47,549
dried up for example i think you know

553
00:27:52,759 --> 00:27:49,679
when you keep doing this long enough you

554
00:27:55,789 --> 00:27:52,769
get hints of what might explain it for

555
00:27:59,029 --> 00:27:55,799
example i have this one story from 19th

556
00:28:01,849 --> 00:27:59,039
century main of this family that went

557
00:28:04,969 --> 00:28:01,859
out to their barn and discovered that

558
00:28:06,830 --> 00:28:04,979
their cow had dried up and they were

559
00:28:09,589 --> 00:28:06,840
starting to get worried because the cow

560
00:28:13,369 --> 00:28:09,599
was not giving milk and it turned out

561
00:28:16,609 --> 00:28:13,379
that a man was hiding in their bar and

562
00:28:20,359 --> 00:28:16,619
he was sleeping in the hay and he was

563
00:28:24,219 --> 00:28:20,369

living off the cow's milk and eating um

564

00:28:28,249 --> 00:28:24,229

what italo candles but he had no feet

565

00:28:31,399 --> 00:28:28,259

they had been crudely chopped off and

566

00:28:34,310 --> 00:28:31,409

somehow he had been he had ended up at

567

00:28:38,330 --> 00:28:34,320

this family's barn no one knows where he

568

00:28:40,129 --> 00:28:38,340

came from he never spoke and he ended up

569

00:28:44,570 --> 00:28:40,139

being put into the local poor house

570

00:28:47,029 --> 00:28:44,580

where supposedly he was put into a sort

571

00:28:49,789 --> 00:28:47,039

of an outdoor cage in the summer where

572

00:28:51,349 --> 00:28:49,799

he was where they aired him out they

573

00:28:54,830 --> 00:28:51,359

never learned anything else about him

574

00:28:58,279 --> 00:28:54,840

now I I I wrote to the local Historical

575

00:29:01,759 --> 00:28:58,289

Society I I was never able to find out

576

00:29:04,849 --> 00:29:01,769

anything precise the only thing I can

577

00:29:07,909 --> 00:29:04,859

think of and this was just something I

578

00:29:10,899 --> 00:29:07,919

happened to come across was that it

579

00:29:14,419 --> 00:29:10,909

might be a newspaper story based on

580

00:29:17,239 --> 00:29:14,429

another story from Canada where a man

581

00:29:19,759 --> 00:29:17,249

without anything just showed up but he's

582

00:29:22,460 --> 00:29:19,769

pretty well documented I I haven't

583

00:29:24,589 --> 00:29:22,470

really I had him in my filing cabinet I

584

00:29:25,430 --> 00:29:24,599

have the story of my filing cabinet but

585

00:29:27,619 --> 00:29:25,440

I haven't really

586

00:29:29,869 --> 00:29:27,629

looked into it because it's Canadian and

587

00:29:34,279 --> 00:29:29,879

I try to concentrate on American stories

588

00:29:38,299 --> 00:29:34,289

uh these this man with no legs though

589

00:29:40,369 --> 00:29:38,309

that bothered me because it if the story

590

00:29:43,789 --> 00:29:40,379

was true again there was this question

591

00:29:46,159 --> 00:29:43,799

of how did he get there who who left him

592

00:29:50,149 --> 00:29:46,169

there did he do it himself people do

593

00:29:53,659 --> 00:29:50,159

bizarre things uh I mean I've got I've

594

00:29:56,210 --> 00:29:53,669

got clippings of I have a bizarre

595

00:29:59,029 --> 00:29:56,220

suicide folder of people that kill

596

00:30:02,419 --> 00:29:59,039

themselves by dry pounding a nail into

597

00:30:06,680 --> 00:30:02,429

their heart people that kill themselves

598

00:30:11,169 --> 00:30:06,690

yeah I have this one of somebody who

599

00:30:14,629 --> 00:30:11,179

built he took a hard hat and he put

600

00:30:18,200 --> 00:30:14,639

rifle cartridges all around it and then

601
00:30:21,549 --> 00:30:18,210
put electrical outlet he put he contact

602
00:30:24,039 --> 00:30:21,559
you put electrical contacts under the

603
00:30:26,869 --> 00:30:24,049
cartridges and he killed himself by

604
00:30:30,740 --> 00:30:26,879
simultaneously shooting something like

605
00:30:34,310 --> 00:30:30,750
nine rifle shotgun cartridges into his

606
00:30:36,259 --> 00:30:34,320
head out so I mean the way people will

607
00:30:40,490 --> 00:30:36,269
the things people can do to themselves

608
00:30:42,619 --> 00:30:40,500
are astonishing yeah in fact oh i think

609
00:30:45,259 --> 00:30:42,629
there's going to be a story a chapter in

610
00:30:48,279 --> 00:30:45,269
my next book dedicated to people that

611
00:30:51,259 --> 00:30:48,289
took matt with the line from Matthew 18

612
00:30:54,440 --> 00:30:51,269
about if your eye offends thee pluck it

613
00:30:57,259 --> 00:30:54,450

out if I had friends I I these people

614

00:30:59,779 --> 00:30:57,269

took the admonition way to literally

615

00:31:01,730 --> 00:30:59,789

yeah I think I'm gonna do a chapter on

616

00:31:03,860 --> 00:31:01,740

them in the next book interesting

617

00:31:08,749 --> 00:31:03,870

tentatively titled the Matthew

618

00:31:10,460 --> 00:31:08,759

mutilators because one compact you Robin

619

00:31:13,310 --> 00:31:10,470

what was what was the last article you

620

00:31:16,460 --> 00:31:13,320

wrote for 14 times about it was about a

621

00:31:19,310 --> 00:31:16,470

man named Benny evangelist who was found

622

00:31:22,100 --> 00:31:19,320

with his head chopped off sitting at his

623

00:31:25,070 --> 00:31:22,110

desk well he was sitting at his desk his

624

00:31:28,249 --> 00:31:25,080

head was on the floor and his family was

625

00:31:30,700 --> 00:31:28,259

all murdered upstairs and the police

626

00:31:34,669 --> 00:31:30,710

were never able to find out he did it

627

00:31:39,289 --> 00:31:34,679

but they came up with this idea that he

628

00:31:43,100 --> 00:31:39,299

had that he was he practiced a form of

629

00:31:45,979 --> 00:31:43,110

you folk witchcraft cold our power right

630

00:31:49,729 --> 00:31:45,989

there we have up we have a book is it's

631

00:31:53,629 --> 00:31:49,739

the the book of pow wows no yeah it's an

632

00:31:55,820 --> 00:31:53,639

old oh it's mainly weird the treatments

633

00:32:00,739 --> 00:31:55,830

for animals and things like that it's a

634

00:32:03,799 --> 00:32:00,749

well he was a he came from Italy and he

635

00:32:05,869 --> 00:32:03,809

lived he worked on the railroad in York

636

00:32:08,779 --> 00:32:05,879

County Pennsylvania for a few years and

637

00:32:11,090 --> 00:32:08,789

for some reason they decided that he was

638

00:32:13,539 --> 00:32:11,100

practicing powwow although he does seem

639

00:32:15,859 --> 00:32:13,549

to have been the local the local

640

00:32:18,950 --> 00:32:15,869

sorcerer he was like the the

641

00:32:21,499 --> 00:32:18,960

neighborhood which who gave out who gave

642

00:32:24,169 --> 00:32:21,509

out love potions and helped people find

643

00:32:27,499 --> 00:32:24,179

people things like that but this

644

00:32:29,479 --> 00:32:27,509

mysterious death led to them

645

00:32:33,070 --> 00:32:29,489

investigating his house and they

646

00:32:36,229 --> 00:32:33,080

discovered these bizarre life-size

647

00:32:38,239 --> 00:32:36,239

dummies down in his basement they

648

00:32:40,220 --> 00:32:38,249

discovered the book he wrote which was

649

00:32:42,499 --> 00:32:40,230

the oldest history of the world as

650

00:32:44,690 --> 00:32:42,509

discovered by psychic science which is a

651
00:32:47,899 --> 00:32:44,700
book that you really have to try to plow

652
00:32:50,419 --> 00:32:47,909
through one day it is so strange it was

653
00:32:52,220 --> 00:32:50,429
supposed supposedly visions that he

654
00:32:54,830 --> 00:32:52,230
experienced every night for three hours

655
00:32:57,109 --> 00:32:54,840
over the period when hey if it's if it's

656
00:32:59,119 --> 00:32:57,119
in public domain we'll we'll put a nice

657
00:33:02,599 --> 00:32:59,129
new cover on it change the title and

658
00:33:05,330 --> 00:33:02,609
publish it so um Robert I wanted to ask

659
00:33:07,999 --> 00:33:05,340
you about he said your most recent book

660
00:33:10,070 --> 00:33:08,009
is mrs. Wakeman versus the Antichrist

661
00:33:11,659 --> 00:33:10,080
yeah I love that I love that title won't

662
00:33:14,330 --> 00:33:11,669
you tell us a little bit about that land

663
00:33:15,950 --> 00:33:14,340

that's a great title well it all got

664

00:33:18,859 --> 00:33:15,960

started when I was watching a

665

00:33:21,859 --> 00:33:18,869

documentary called on the Manson Family

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00:33:24,379 --> 00:33:21,869

and one of the women that they were

667

00:33:27,070 --> 00:33:24,389

talking to said that the Manson Family

668

00:33:31,099 --> 00:33:27,080

was the first real cult in America and

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00:33:33,320 --> 00:33:31,109

the tate-labianca murders were the first

670

00:33:36,979 --> 00:33:33,330

real cult murders and I said no that

671

00:33:41,570 --> 00:33:36,989

can't be right so I started looking into

672

00:33:44,359 --> 00:33:41,580

19th century cults and I found several

673

00:33:46,849 --> 00:33:44,369

that committed murders some that could

674

00:33:49,190 --> 00:33:46,859

even be called human sacrifices but one

675

00:33:52,259 --> 00:33:49,200

that stuck in my mind was mrs. Wakeman

676

00:33:55,979 --> 00:33:52,269

who had a small cult in

677

00:33:58,799 --> 00:33:55,989

Connecticut and she it was right it was

678

00:34:01,139 --> 00:33:58,809

in the shadow of Yale was the way they

679

00:34:04,799 --> 00:34:01,149

kept putting it in the newspapers at the

680

00:34:08,039 --> 00:34:04,809

time but she believed that she was being

681

00:34:10,589 --> 00:34:08,049

tormented by the Antichrist who which

682

00:34:13,190 --> 00:34:10,599

would jump from person to person usually

683

00:34:15,990 --> 00:34:13,200

whoever she disliked at the time would

684

00:34:19,579 --> 00:34:16,000

become the would become the new home of

685

00:34:23,369 --> 00:34:19,589

the Antichrist and he would send magical

686

00:34:25,500 --> 00:34:23,379

magical things to torment her well one

687

00:34:29,159 --> 00:34:25,510

of her own followers eventually became

688

00:34:32,279 --> 00:34:29,169

possessed by the Antichrist and he was

689

00:34:35,430 --> 00:34:32,289

murdered by her other followers because

690

00:34:38,940 --> 00:34:35,440

they thought that he was magically

691

00:34:41,819 --> 00:34:38,950

killing Mrs. Wakeman who was the Messiah

692

00:34:44,430 --> 00:34:41,829

and the savior of the world right after

693

00:34:50,220 --> 00:34:44,440

he was murdered it was on it was on

694

00:34:52,950 --> 00:34:50,230

Christmas 1850 I believe another one of

695

00:34:55,019 --> 00:34:52,960

her sort of semi followers somebody who

696

00:34:57,620 --> 00:34:55,029

regularly attracted who you regularly

697

00:35:01,349 --> 00:34:57,630

attended her meetings he went out and

698

00:35:06,329 --> 00:35:01,359

murdered two old men with an axe

699

00:35:08,609 --> 00:35:06,339

chopping their heads off he so again the

700

00:35:10,829 --> 00:35:08,619

idea that that was the the idea that

701
00:35:13,019 --> 00:35:10,839
tate-labianca was the first cult murder

702
00:35:16,049 --> 00:35:13,029
in the United States was just very very

703
00:35:18,480 --> 00:35:16,059
wrong III have a lot of them that we

704
00:35:19,740 --> 00:35:18,490
could bring up so it ended up being

705
00:35:22,950 --> 00:35:19,750
called mrs. Wakeman versus the

706
00:35:26,400 --> 00:35:22,960
Antichrist and people do seem to like

707
00:35:30,089 --> 00:35:26,410
that title it is good we received it

708
00:35:31,890 --> 00:35:30,099
from your publicist oh great great did

709
00:35:34,769 --> 00:35:31,900
you uh did you have a chance to look at

710
00:35:37,620 --> 00:35:34,779
some of the other stories actually no

711
00:35:40,650 --> 00:35:37,630
not yet we have we receive about six or

712
00:35:42,120 --> 00:35:40,660
seven books a week sure and having to do

713
00:35:45,450 --> 00:35:42,130

my own work it's difficult to read a

714

00:35:47,700 --> 00:35:45,460

stop sign never mom of course one of the

715

00:35:50,339 --> 00:35:47,710

most popular has actually been on people

716

00:35:51,960 --> 00:35:50,349

that commit suicide by building

717

00:35:55,680 --> 00:35:51,970

guillotines and chopping their own heads

718

00:35:57,210 --> 00:35:55,690

off I i l'd might have to meijer the

719

00:35:59,910 --> 00:35:57,220

enterprise well you know it's funny

720

00:36:01,980 --> 00:35:59,920

because as nearly as I can tell a lot of

721

00:36:03,539 --> 00:36:01,990

these beloved they're almost always men

722

00:36:05,370 --> 00:36:03,549

with a few exceptions but they're almost

723

00:36:08,460 --> 00:36:05,380

always men and

724

00:36:10,950 --> 00:36:08,470

they're usually engineers or inventors

725

00:36:13,140 --> 00:36:10,960

and they seem to really enjoy putting

726

00:36:16,770 --> 00:36:13,150

the putting together a quality

727

00:36:19,260 --> 00:36:16,780

guillotine that takes their head off the

728

00:36:22,920 --> 00:36:19,270

the best one though was a man named a

729

00:36:25,730 --> 00:36:22,930

moon who out in lafayette indiana built

730

00:36:28,980 --> 00:36:25,740

a big hinged acts in a hotel room and

731

00:36:31,290 --> 00:36:28,990

stuck his head into a box wit that had

732

00:36:35,550 --> 00:36:31,300

some chloroform soaked cotton in it and

733

00:36:38,460 --> 00:36:35,560

he suspended the the ax the ax was

734

00:36:40,950 --> 00:36:38,470

hinged to the floor and he suspended it

735

00:36:43,080 --> 00:36:40,960

with a cord and put a candle next to the

736

00:36:45,120 --> 00:36:43,090

cord so when the court when the candle

737

00:36:47,280 --> 00:36:45,130

burned down it burnt through the cord

738

00:36:49,410 --> 00:36:47,290

released the axe and chopped his head

739

00:36:51,240 --> 00:36:49,420

off while he was stupefied by the

740

00:36:54,180 --> 00:36:51,250

chloroform I could just hear

741

00:36:56,310 --> 00:36:54,190

housekeeping well the poor thing some

742

00:36:59,370 --> 00:36:56,320

poor maid she was about 13 years old

743

00:37:01,380 --> 00:36:59,380

it's just she had just started a week

744

00:37:05,280 --> 00:37:01,390

before and she's the one who found him

745

00:37:08,580 --> 00:37:05,290

of course all my years of whiskey guys

746

00:37:10,470 --> 00:37:08,590

must be a graduate of Purdue well she

747

00:37:13,350 --> 00:37:10,480

actually ended up staying at the hotel

748

00:37:14,700 --> 00:37:13,360

for the next 40 years or so so I guess

749

00:37:16,680 --> 00:37:14,710

you figured that once she'd seen that

750

00:37:22,770 --> 00:37:16,690

everything else was going to be downhill

751

00:37:26,870 --> 00:37:22,780

uh yep you'd get it hope so nothing's

752

00:37:30,270 --> 00:37:26,880

top that uh I don't know i mean that

753

00:37:32,490 --> 00:37:30,280

that sounds like a case that that that i

754

00:37:35,910 --> 00:37:32,500

researched for for quite a while what i

755

00:37:38,340 --> 00:37:35,920

was still in the news business of up in

756

00:37:41,280 --> 00:37:38,350

the you know the region as i call it you

757

00:37:44,760 --> 00:37:41,290

know the chicago northern indiana area

758

00:37:47,130 --> 00:37:44,770

of a guy who allegedly committed suicide

759

00:37:51,570 --> 00:37:47,140

by beating himself in the head with a

760

00:37:54,120 --> 00:37:51,580

hammer wow i believe it on there was

761

00:37:57,360 --> 00:37:54,130

another man a German immigrant in

762

00:37:59,550 --> 00:37:57,370

Brooklyn who tried to chop he tried

763

00:38:02,070 --> 00:37:59,560

building a homemade guillotine with an

764

00:38:04,950 --> 00:38:02,080

axe but he couldn't get it to work so he

765

00:38:06,890 --> 00:38:04,960

finally just took the axe and smacked

766

00:38:11,100 --> 00:38:06,900

himself right in the face with it ah

767

00:38:14,910 --> 00:38:11,110

yeah well you know I I think this would

768

00:38:17,560 --> 00:38:14,920

make a wonderful TV series over there

769

00:38:21,220 --> 00:38:17,570

yes or or or

770

00:38:25,750 --> 00:38:21,230

or a movie I don't know I gotta show

771

00:38:27,130 --> 00:38:25,760

yeah yeah I was it wasn't wasn't just

772

00:38:29,230 --> 00:38:27,140

people that build guillotines either

773

00:38:31,360 --> 00:38:29,240

there were men who there was I have one

774

00:38:33,840 --> 00:38:31,370

case of a man who managed to slice his

775

00:38:37,270 --> 00:38:33,850

own head off with a straight razor house

776

00:38:41,200 --> 00:38:37,280

yeah I don't know how I'd do that about

777

00:38:44,560 --> 00:38:41,210

once a week how could you how could you

778

00:38:46,570 --> 00:38:44,570

do that I honestly though oh I figure

779

00:38:49,330 --> 00:38:46,580

that he either had a very thin neck and

780

00:38:52,120 --> 00:38:49,340

it was a very long racer and he just

781

00:38:54,430 --> 00:38:52,130

looked out that somehow you know it was

782

00:38:56,620 --> 00:38:54,440

not it back in the days when men shaved

783

00:38:58,810 --> 00:38:56,630

with straight razors it was not unusual

784

00:39:02,680 --> 00:38:58,820

to commit suicide by cutting her throat

785

00:39:04,090 --> 00:39:02,690

was oh well I think I figure what he did

786

00:39:06,130 --> 00:39:04,100

was he tried to cutting his throat with

787

00:39:09,040 --> 00:39:06,140

a razor and just went a little too deep

788

00:39:11,920 --> 00:39:09,050

and somehow just managed to get through

789

00:39:13,510 --> 00:39:11,930

the vertebra they they found a headless

790

00:39:15,310 --> 00:39:13,520

body but he must have done it on the

791

00:39:16,720 --> 00:39:15,320

hill or something because the head rolls

792

00:39:20,530 --> 00:39:16,730

away and they didn't find it for another

793

00:39:23,230 --> 00:39:20,540

few weeks very i always worry when i go

794

00:39:24,760 --> 00:39:23,240

to a boy you know get my hair done and

795

00:39:27,100 --> 00:39:24,770

then they want to trim the sideburns and

796

00:39:34,570 --> 00:39:27,110

stuff to let somebody go wild with a

797

00:39:36,970 --> 00:39:34,580

straight razor like that is so suddenly

798

00:39:39,070 --> 00:39:36,980

they'll remember some slight that

799

00:39:41,620 --> 00:39:39,080

happened years ago or something and I'd

800

00:39:43,450 --> 00:39:41,630

it's a well I think there was a there

801
00:39:45,910 --> 00:39:43,460
was a Babylonian king who didn't like

802
00:39:50,280 --> 00:39:45,920
anyone near his hair with a razor so he

803
00:40:03,000 --> 00:39:58,600
to each their own and I well I you know

804
00:40:05,110 --> 00:40:03,010
I've heard of people who have

805
00:40:08,980 --> 00:40:05,120
constructed just all kinds of

806
00:40:12,640 --> 00:40:08,990
interesting devices I mean not only like

807
00:40:17,880 --> 00:40:12,650
you said to to to take themselves out of

808
00:40:20,830 --> 00:40:17,890
this world but also and I'll just out

809
00:40:24,660 --> 00:40:20,840
I'll be I'll be kind with this but just

810
00:40:26,650 --> 00:40:24,670
generally for a more more pleasant thing

811
00:40:28,060 --> 00:40:26,660
well you know it's funny you should

812
00:40:29,470 --> 00:40:28,070
mention that because I think there's

813
00:40:31,300 --> 00:40:29,480

also going to be a chapter in my next

814

00:40:35,380 --> 00:40:31,310

book on auto

815

00:40:39,370 --> 00:40:35,390

erotic fatalities maybe Paul yeah they

816

00:40:43,480 --> 00:40:39,380

ever since uh which Carradine died that

817

00:40:47,080 --> 00:40:43,490

way they know David David David ever

818

00:40:49,000 --> 00:40:47,090

since that happened uh it's become part

819

00:40:50,620 --> 00:40:49,010

of the national conversation it's not

820

00:40:52,510 --> 00:40:50,630

something that's just completely

821

00:40:55,870 --> 00:40:52,520

obscurely never brought up the subject

822

00:40:58,690 --> 00:40:55,880

of UFOs this evening Robert have you

823

00:41:00,340 --> 00:40:58,700

ever any good UFO cases out your way

824

00:41:02,020 --> 00:41:00,350

that you've investigated you know I'll

825

00:41:05,740 --> 00:41:02,030

tell you the truth Tim I have always

826

00:41:09,370 --> 00:41:05,750

avoided UFOs because it is such a big

827

00:41:13,390 --> 00:41:09,380

area and so contentious that I I never

828

00:41:16,690 --> 00:41:13,400

really wanted to dive into it the I I've

829

00:41:18,970 --> 00:41:16,700

always avoided UFOs the Kennedy

830

00:41:24,340 --> 00:41:18,980

assassination and anything with the word

831

00:41:27,400 --> 00:41:24,350

Illuminati in it well you know we're

832

00:41:29,770 --> 00:41:27,410

getting close to wrap up time I can't

833

00:41:32,920 --> 00:41:29,780

believe that really it's the bewitching

834

00:41:37,270 --> 00:41:32,930

hour here on the east coast which means

835

00:41:40,150 --> 00:41:37,280

that we turn into AI's I don't know what

836

00:41:44,020 --> 00:41:40,160

what do we turn into Tim pumpkins hunter

837

00:41:45,790 --> 00:41:44,030

yeah well it's becoming speak for

838

00:41:50,680 --> 00:41:45,800

yourself speak for yourself i'm trying

839

00:41:53,680 --> 00:41:50,690

to lose a little weight but Robert why

840

00:41:56,560 --> 00:41:53,690

don't you tell us about your website how

841

00:41:58,870 --> 00:41:56,570

do people find you sure the best way to

842

00:42:01,870 --> 00:41:58,880

get in touch with me is on facebook and

843

00:42:04,330 --> 00:42:01,880

my facebook page is historian of the

844

00:42:07,300 --> 00:42:04,340

strange i try to post something odd

845

00:42:11,650 --> 00:42:07,310

there every day and tim and i are

846

00:42:13,960 --> 00:42:11,660

finishing up on a book on Nazi UFOs as

847

00:42:21,050 --> 00:42:13,970

time travel machines and another book by

848

00:42:27,390 --> 00:42:24,000

you've been listening to exploring the

849

00:42:31,140 --> 00:42:27,400

bazaars with hosts Timothy Beck knee and

850

00:42:34,050 --> 00:42:31,150

Terry Swartz taking back the night by

851

00:42:36,630 --> 00:42:34,060

jetting non-stop across the cosmos in

852

00:42:40,220 --> 00:42:36,640

search of the truly bizarre and totally

853

00:42:43,340 --> 00:42:40,230

unexplained with you as their compounds

854

00:42:47,820 --> 00:42:43,350

thursday nights at seven p.m. pacific

855

00:42:50,880 --> 00:42:47,830

10pm mr. on the k co are digital radio

856

00:42:54,150 --> 00:42:50,890

name for more information on exploring

857

00:42:56,790 --> 00:42:54,160

the bizarre and hosts timothy beckley

858

00:43:00,000 --> 00:42:56,800

and tim Swartz check out there K cor

859

00:43:06,060 --> 00:43:00,010

digital radio network follow their

860

00:43:15,520 --> 00:43:06,070

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