

A portrait of Rob Swiatek, a middle-aged man with short brown hair, smiling. He is wearing a light blue button-down shirt over a teal t-shirt. The background is a dark, blue-tinted outdoor scene, possibly a marina at night, with some lights and a boat visible.

ROB SWIATEK

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00:00:00,000 --> 00:00:09,060

foreign

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00:00:33,170 --> 00:00:26,540

[Music]

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00:00:33,180 --> 00:00:35,650

foreign

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00:01:03,910 --> 00:00:42,620

[Music]

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00:01:11,030 --> 00:01:06,890

I am filling in for Martin who is on the

6
00:01:13,130 --> 00:01:11,040

road and uh what can I say it is so

7
00:01:14,990 --> 00:01:13,140

great to be back I'm very excited about

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00:01:16,130 --> 00:01:15,000

this guest because I know nothing about

9
00:01:18,050 --> 00:01:16,140

him

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00:01:19,190 --> 00:01:18,060

um Rob zweitek uh let's see I'm just

11
00:01:20,330 --> 00:01:19,200

going to hit a couple of the highlights

12
00:01:22,249 --> 00:01:20,340

here

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00:01:24,109 --> 00:01:22,259

um he is a UFO researcher with a

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00:01:27,109 --> 00:01:24,119

coalition and the board of the National

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00:01:29,990 --> 00:01:27,119

UFO historical record Center

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00:01:32,929 --> 00:01:30,000

um he has been working with mufon since

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00:01:36,289 --> 00:01:32,939

uh looks like 1976.

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00:01:38,270 --> 00:01:36,299

um he also in his past is has had great

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00:01:39,830 --> 00:01:38,280

experience in all different Sciences in

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00:01:43,370 --> 00:01:39,840

fact he had a double major

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00:01:44,630 --> 00:01:43,380

of earth science and physics

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00:01:46,670 --> 00:01:44,640

um I'm just going to bring him on

23

00:01:48,890 --> 00:01:46,680

because I I can't wait I love opening

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00:01:52,550 --> 00:01:48,900

new packages and sorry Rob you're a new

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00:01:57,289 --> 00:01:55,130

and he's taken a while to uh come down

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00:02:00,530 --> 00:01:57,299

the chimney here with a new package

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00:02:02,330 --> 00:02:00,540

hello Rob Martin uh Dean sorry about

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00:02:04,249 --> 00:02:02,340

that great two hours great to see you

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00:02:06,590 --> 00:02:04,259

and good to be on the show tonight

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00:02:07,490 --> 00:02:06,600

glad to have you here how are you first

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00:02:09,469 --> 00:02:07,500

of all

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00:02:10,850 --> 00:02:09,479

fairly well thank you very much I hope

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00:02:12,229 --> 00:02:10,860

hope you're doing well

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00:02:15,190 --> 00:02:12,239

I am

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00:02:18,110 --> 00:02:15,200

um I I want to dive in and and get into

36

00:02:20,449 --> 00:02:18,120

how you got into this and and where

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00:02:22,190 --> 00:02:20,459

you're going but first I want to kind of

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00:02:25,190 --> 00:02:22,200

get your opinion uh there have been two

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00:02:28,850 --> 00:02:25,200

videos that were dropped recently one

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00:02:30,530 --> 00:02:28,860

was the um Jeremy Corbell and um George

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00:02:33,770 --> 00:02:30,540

Knapp

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00:02:36,050 --> 00:02:33,780

um still which is from I guess one

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00:02:37,910 --> 00:02:36,060

second of footage which is in the total

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00:02:40,390 --> 00:02:37,920

footage is is four seconds but the

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00:02:43,190 --> 00:02:40,400

actual footage of the this spherical

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00:02:44,390 --> 00:02:43,200

metallic ball is one second I don't know

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00:02:46,850 --> 00:02:44,400

if you got a chance to look at that and

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00:02:48,170 --> 00:02:46,860

then Dave Beatty also had some footage

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00:02:49,790 --> 00:02:48,180

that he showed it looks like flair

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00:02:51,710 --> 00:02:49,800

footage want to get your take on that

51
00:02:53,869 --> 00:02:51,720
yeah I haven't seen any in the last day

52
00:02:54,949 --> 00:02:53,879
or so you know so

53
00:02:57,650 --> 00:02:54,959
um

54
00:03:00,050 --> 00:02:57,660
busy with a couple things here yeah well

55
00:03:03,050 --> 00:03:00,060
I can tell you I I took a look at it

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00:03:05,890 --> 00:03:03,060
um it's interesting I'm I'm kind of

57
00:03:08,449 --> 00:03:05,900
waiting for the some of the the the

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00:03:10,009 --> 00:03:08,459
pundits to take a look at this

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00:03:12,589 --> 00:03:10,019
um anytime I get new information the

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00:03:13,490 --> 00:03:12,599
first thing I do is I go into uh and I

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00:03:15,649 --> 00:03:13,500
don't know if you do this as well I'm

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00:03:18,410 --> 00:03:15,659
assuming you do you go into analyst mode

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00:03:20,690 --> 00:03:18,420

I'm not a skeptic or debunker but I do

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00:03:22,190 --> 00:03:20,700

like to analyze and take a look and um

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00:03:24,770 --> 00:03:22,200

you know anytime someone serves up

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00:03:26,390 --> 00:03:24,780

something that's kind of um you know

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00:03:28,790 --> 00:03:26,400

exciting to dive in but I want to make

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00:03:30,009 --> 00:03:28,800

sure that you know that it it feels

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00:03:32,630 --> 00:03:30,019

incredible

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00:03:35,210 --> 00:03:32,640

absolutely absolutely what I do I I

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00:03:39,589 --> 00:03:35,220

probably look through hundreds of uh of

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00:03:41,390 --> 00:03:39,599

videos and still still shots that occur

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00:03:43,190 --> 00:03:41,400

in the um the mufons case management

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00:03:46,490 --> 00:03:43,200

system each year I'm always trying to

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00:03:50,809 --> 00:03:46,500

find some good cases to speak about or

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00:03:53,449 --> 00:03:50,819
to refer someone to and uh so yeah I see

77
00:03:56,390 --> 00:03:53,459
my in my fair share maybe more than my

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00:03:57,830 --> 00:03:56,400
fair share of uh of videos most of which

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00:04:00,289 --> 00:03:57,840
aren't all that great but there's some

80
00:04:02,750 --> 00:04:00,299
that are rather amazing the diamond and

81
00:04:05,089 --> 00:04:02,760
the rough so let's back up and kind of

82
00:04:06,770 --> 00:04:05,099
start where it all started what was the

83
00:04:08,750 --> 00:04:06,780
um what was the impetus what was that

84
00:04:11,390 --> 00:04:08,760
that Rosebud moment for you where you

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00:04:13,789 --> 00:04:11,400
went oh this is something yeah the

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00:04:18,490 --> 00:04:13,799
impetus uh

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00:04:23,330 --> 00:04:20,449
were uh

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00:04:25,610 --> 00:04:23,340

fairly big news items and the University

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00:04:27,770 --> 00:04:25,620
of Colorado study was going on and

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00:04:29,629 --> 00:04:27,780
sightings were appearing in in the local

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00:04:32,450 --> 00:04:29,639
newspapers and and books were coming out

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00:04:35,030 --> 00:04:32,460
and somehow in school or whatever I

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00:04:37,070 --> 00:04:35,040
either saw a reference to a book that

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00:04:39,590 --> 00:04:37,080
had just been published on UFOs and I

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00:04:42,710 --> 00:04:39,600
read some of these uh sightings in the

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00:04:45,950 --> 00:04:42,720
in the newspapers and I was just hooked

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00:04:48,110 --> 00:04:45,960
I recall seeing believe it or not one of

98

00:04:50,990 --> 00:04:48,120
the very first books I read was Georgia

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00:04:52,310 --> 00:04:51,000
damsky's flying saucers have landed and

100

00:04:54,650 --> 00:04:52,320
I've since learned that a lot of

101
00:04:58,249 --> 00:04:54,660
Promenade UFO researchers in the field

102
00:05:00,409 --> 00:04:58,259
had that as their first book but uh once

103
00:05:03,530 --> 00:05:00,419
I got past of that and I realized that

104
00:05:08,629 --> 00:05:03,540
the true UFO phenomenon is is just

105
00:05:11,749 --> 00:05:08,639
amazingly intriguing and I I never sort

106
00:05:13,969 --> 00:05:11,759
of left off my interest in field from

107
00:05:16,430 --> 00:05:13,979
that time until till this time today I'm

108
00:05:18,710 --> 00:05:16,440
still as intrigued as I was uh 50 plus

109
00:05:21,110 --> 00:05:18,720
years ago so was that the first exposure

110
00:05:23,210 --> 00:05:21,120
you had was uh damskey's book or was it

111
00:05:25,909 --> 00:05:23,220
something that you saw on TV what was

112
00:05:29,210 --> 00:05:25,919
your kind of um thoughts on on life

113
00:05:32,749 --> 00:05:29,220

elsewhere well yeah going really back

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00:05:35,450 --> 00:05:32,759

far before I really was into reading UFO

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00:05:37,430 --> 00:05:35,460

books per se I I do recall reading the

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00:05:39,950 --> 00:05:37,440

Kecksburg incident in the in our local

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00:05:43,129 --> 00:05:39,960

paper in Scranton Pennsylvania and that

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00:05:44,689 --> 00:05:43,139

was 65 I think something like that yeah

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00:05:47,090 --> 00:05:44,699

so that might have been my first

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00:05:49,370 --> 00:05:47,100

exposure to a UFO report and I might

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00:05:52,249 --> 00:05:49,380

have said to my folks or something what

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00:05:55,730 --> 00:05:52,259

are UFOs what's going on here with this

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00:05:57,890 --> 00:05:55,740

and then over the subsequent years I

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00:06:01,010 --> 00:05:57,900

would encounter a few other cases but it

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00:06:02,270 --> 00:06:01,020

it finally came down to one day in 1968

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00:06:04,430 --> 00:06:02,280

where I was just walking through a field

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00:06:06,650 --> 00:06:04,440

and I thought gee what I need to do

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00:06:09,350 --> 00:06:06,660

right now is is read a UFO book I just

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00:06:11,810 --> 00:06:09,360

want to read a book on this and start I

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00:06:13,909 --> 00:06:11,820

I just felt intensely curious to want to

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00:06:15,590 --> 00:06:13,919

just dive into the subject and that's

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00:06:19,010 --> 00:06:15,600

what I did then in the in the summer of

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00:06:22,010 --> 00:06:19,020

68 is when I started really focusing my

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00:06:25,249 --> 00:06:22,020

energies more on the true UFO phenomenon

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00:06:27,710 --> 00:06:25,259

and the UFO Problem whatever it might be

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00:06:31,189 --> 00:06:27,720

interesting you say problem

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00:06:33,409 --> 00:06:31,199

um yeah it's kind of a a challenge for

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00:06:36,350 --> 00:06:33,419

those who are trying to find something

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00:06:38,270 --> 00:06:36,360

that you can hold up as tangible

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00:06:41,809 --> 00:06:38,280

um it's funny I'm I'm working on the

141

00:06:44,749 --> 00:06:41,819

script right now and and I'm trying to

142

00:06:46,309 --> 00:06:44,759

deal with exactly that and so there's a

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00:06:47,870 --> 00:06:46,319

line in it which is you know anything

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00:06:50,150 --> 00:06:47,880

that you can repeat

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00:06:52,370 --> 00:06:50,160

in like a lab setting you can

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00:06:54,890 --> 00:06:52,380

quantifiably say yes this is you know

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00:06:56,450 --> 00:06:54,900

this is evidence of this but you can't

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00:06:58,909 --> 00:06:56,460

do that and you can't repeat the

149

00:07:01,790 --> 00:06:58,919

Northern Lights you can't say oh hold on

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00:07:04,189 --> 00:07:01,800

I will make it come up you know in two

151
00:07:06,590 --> 00:07:04,199
weeks from now it just is its own you

152
00:07:10,249 --> 00:07:06,600
know thing in a life of its own

153
00:07:12,110 --> 00:07:10,259
yeah yeah correct and I'm I'm getting a

154
00:07:14,270 --> 00:07:12,120
little tired of hearing about how and I

155
00:07:17,210 --> 00:07:14,280
know UFOs are in just the way you

156
00:07:19,370 --> 00:07:17,220
described non-repeatable but but like

157
00:07:21,589 --> 00:07:19,380
the northern lights they are repeatable

158
00:07:23,029 --> 00:07:21,599
in the sense that we know we're going to

159
00:07:25,309 --> 00:07:23,039
get hundreds of

160
00:07:27,350 --> 00:07:25,319
UFO reports each or thousands actually

161
00:07:29,749 --> 00:07:27,360
mufon gets thousands and of those

162
00:07:32,629 --> 00:07:29,759
thousands hundreds remain unexplained or

163
00:07:35,629 --> 00:07:32,639

unknowns so those are always repeating

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00:07:38,089 --> 00:07:35,639

year after year and what repeats also is

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00:07:40,430 --> 00:07:38,099

their behavior shapes sometimes and

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00:07:43,129 --> 00:07:40,440

their characteristics and other subtle

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00:07:44,749 --> 00:07:43,139

subtle events and effects that keeps

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00:07:46,249 --> 00:07:44,759

repeating year after year but you're

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00:07:49,270 --> 00:07:46,259

right we can't

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00:07:51,650 --> 00:07:49,280

summon it up on a laboratory bench

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00:07:52,909 --> 00:07:51,660

anything like that at this at this

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00:07:54,589 --> 00:07:52,919

moment we don't know when the next

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00:07:56,510 --> 00:07:54,599

sightings are going to occur it could be

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00:07:59,029 --> 00:07:56,520

right over your place right now or it

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00:08:00,529 --> 00:07:59,039

could be over who knows what any place

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00:08:03,529 --> 00:08:00,539

in the U.S or Canada or the world

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00:08:04,850 --> 00:08:03,539

seemingly you don't know and that's the

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00:08:06,890 --> 00:08:04,860

other thing is that people like to say

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00:08:09,409 --> 00:08:06,900

it only happens in America or it only

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00:08:10,909 --> 00:08:09,419

happens out in the country and uh the

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00:08:11,809 --> 00:08:10,919

the evidence if anyone were to take a

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00:08:14,510 --> 00:08:11,819

look

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00:08:16,730 --> 00:08:14,520

at some evidence uh there's a heck of a

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00:08:18,770 --> 00:08:16,740

lot of it that shows that this has you

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00:08:20,570 --> 00:08:18,780

know been around for a very long time in

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00:08:22,850 --> 00:08:20,580

all different areas

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00:08:27,950 --> 00:08:22,860

um you know if you just look at the uh

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00:08:30,890 --> 00:08:27,960

the Brooklyn Bridge uh Linda story Alone

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00:08:33,469 --> 00:08:30,900

um but so okay so you're interested you

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00:08:34,909 --> 00:08:33,479

have an interest in this when do you

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00:08:37,010 --> 00:08:34,919

start taking it kind of serious because

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00:08:40,610 --> 00:08:37,020

first you went into the academic

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00:08:43,209 --> 00:08:40,620

academic path and you're doing a double

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00:08:45,290 --> 00:08:43,219

major here which is uh you know

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00:08:47,750 --> 00:08:45,300

accepting I just you just dropped off

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00:08:49,009 --> 00:08:47,760

there a little bit sure so you go off to

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00:08:50,570 --> 00:08:49,019

college and you're still holding this

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00:08:52,370 --> 00:08:50,580

and your double major kind of reflects

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00:08:55,250 --> 00:08:52,380

that you know the subject matters that

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00:08:58,430 --> 00:08:55,260

you're studying Earth studies and and uh

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00:09:01,730 --> 00:08:58,440

Astro um or physics

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00:09:03,530 --> 00:09:01,740

um so how does that incorporate what do

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00:09:04,910 --> 00:09:03,540

you when you're going to to college

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00:09:06,650 --> 00:09:04,920

there how are you feeling like you're

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00:09:07,550 --> 00:09:06,660

going to incorporate this into your your

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00:09:10,670 --> 00:09:07,560

interest

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00:09:12,710 --> 00:09:10,680

I well in the field I can't say as I had

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00:09:14,269 --> 00:09:12,720

any such a highfaluding thoughts like

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00:09:16,550 --> 00:09:14,279

that I really didn't know how I would

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00:09:19,370 --> 00:09:16,560

incorporate my interest into UFOs into

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00:09:20,449 --> 00:09:19,380

any kind of of an activity at that time

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00:09:21,889 --> 00:09:20,459

and point

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00:09:24,710 --> 00:09:21,899

yeah you know when you when you're going

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00:09:26,870 --> 00:09:24,720

to college at least my experience was

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00:09:28,910 --> 00:09:26,880

that geez I got to get through these

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00:09:30,530 --> 00:09:28,920

classes and I was reading stuff on the

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00:09:32,690 --> 00:09:30,540

UFOs when I could but okay I have to get

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00:09:34,370 --> 00:09:32,700

through the classes then after I get

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00:09:36,410 --> 00:09:34,380

through college I have to find it at

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00:09:38,210 --> 00:09:36,420

work I have to find something to do and

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00:09:41,750 --> 00:09:38,220

UFOs didn't pay money it wasn't

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00:09:44,210 --> 00:09:41,760

something that you could choose as a as

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00:09:46,130 --> 00:09:44,220

a vocation uh

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00:09:48,050 --> 00:09:46,140

to to immediately start off and get a

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00:09:50,630 --> 00:09:48,060

full-time job in ufology I knew that

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00:09:52,730 --> 00:09:50,640

wasn't going to happen so after I

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00:09:55,009 --> 00:09:52,740

graduated my interest in UFOs for a

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00:09:58,009 --> 00:09:55,019

number of years thereafter I still

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00:10:00,650 --> 00:09:58,019

remained that of a

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00:10:02,870 --> 00:10:00,660

looking through uh

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00:10:05,090 --> 00:10:02,880

magazines and you know doing a lot of

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00:10:08,150 --> 00:10:05,100

reading and little by little I started

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00:10:10,310 --> 00:10:08,160

to to uh so creeping a little bit closer

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00:10:13,250 --> 00:10:10,320

to the field I met Stan Friedman he

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00:10:15,710 --> 00:10:13,260

spoke at our College one one uh day in

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00:10:18,769 --> 00:10:15,720

October in in the in the fall I guess it

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00:10:20,030 --> 00:10:18,779

was and I got some of my professors kind

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00:10:21,650 --> 00:10:20,040

of interested in that and they went to

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00:10:24,410 --> 00:10:21,660

see Stan Friedman and they were very

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00:10:28,550 --> 00:10:24,420

impressed and I crept into the field and

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00:10:30,590 --> 00:10:28,560

joined mufon in the 70s but I I have to

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admit it wasn't until I was was really

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rather established in my job at the at

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the patent office the United States

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patent office here in Virginia that I

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made the step to really reach out to a

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group and that was the fun for UFO

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research which was headquartered in the

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Washington DC area and I knew all the

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principles by name and in in that group

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but I had never met any of them so I

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00:10:56,210 --> 00:10:54,420

knew Richard Hall and and I'd heard of

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Don Berliner and Bruce Maccabee and all

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00:11:03,069 --> 00:10:57,660

those kind of people but that's the

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group I I fill in with and um so in any

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oh you're Frozen they had and looking at

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00:11:16,490 --> 00:11:14,880

cases and and I still adhere to a lot of

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00:11:19,190 --> 00:11:16,500

what they said and looked at the subject

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00:11:23,030 --> 00:11:19,200

the way they looked at it

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00:11:25,610 --> 00:11:23,040

so um was this before or after NASA when

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00:11:28,730 --> 00:11:25,620

you worked with NASA uh yeah NASA was

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00:11:30,650 --> 00:11:28,740

1974 so my my actual uh

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00:11:33,290 --> 00:11:30,660

integration into the fund for UFO

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00:11:36,290 --> 00:11:33,300
research would have been 1986.

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00:11:38,329 --> 00:11:36,300
okay so so you're doing you're working

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00:11:42,230 --> 00:11:38,339
the patent office and that's

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00:11:44,150 --> 00:11:42,240
um before your work at Nasa correct uh

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00:11:46,850 --> 00:11:44,160
that was after yeah after okay so then

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00:11:49,430 --> 00:11:46,860
let's back up and and hit the uh NASA

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00:11:51,650 --> 00:11:49,440
note so how did NASA come about working

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00:11:53,870 --> 00:11:51,660
there and and what was um

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00:11:56,210 --> 00:11:53,880
what was what were you doing that was

273

00:11:59,290 --> 00:11:56,220
mostly a summer job unfortunately and it

274

00:12:01,670 --> 00:11:59,300
lasted for a number of months but uh

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00:12:03,290 --> 00:12:01,680
curiously enough I I don't know how

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00:12:06,590 --> 00:12:03,300

these things happen but I but I ended up

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00:12:08,889 --> 00:12:06,600

on on a on a project at NASA

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00:12:12,230 --> 00:12:08,899

headquarters called the csap project

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00:12:14,690 --> 00:12:12,240

headed by a guy named McCandless and so

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00:12:16,550 --> 00:12:14,700

I was involved with that and helping

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00:12:18,590 --> 00:12:16,560

write up technical documents and edit

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00:12:21,949 --> 00:12:18,600

things and doing whatever they said to

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00:12:24,350 --> 00:12:21,959

do and and I wish that had lasted and I

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00:12:26,389 --> 00:12:24,360

could have gotten a faster but it just

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00:12:28,910 --> 00:12:26,399

didn't work out and maybe I wasn't

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00:12:31,550 --> 00:12:28,920

aggressive enough but anyhow I ended up

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00:12:33,769 --> 00:12:31,560

at the patent office uh some a few years

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00:12:36,949 --> 00:12:33,779

I think it was three years after my NASA

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00:12:39,050 --> 00:12:36,959

uh stint I was working at the patent

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00:12:40,670 --> 00:12:39,060

office I would have gotten kicked out of

291

00:12:43,430 --> 00:12:40,680

uh NASA I wouldn't have lasted as long

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00:12:45,470 --> 00:12:43,440

as you because I'm I'm that UFO geek who

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00:12:47,329 --> 00:12:45,480

would be grilling them everyone I'd go

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00:12:49,610 --> 00:12:47,339

to the janitor you see anything kind of

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00:12:51,530 --> 00:12:49,620

out of the ordinary anything going on

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00:12:55,610 --> 00:12:51,540

here well that's a good thing that's

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00:12:57,350 --> 00:12:55,620

that's to be applauded and one time when

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00:12:59,030 --> 00:12:57,360

I was at Nasa it was in the summertime

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00:13:01,009 --> 00:12:59,040

and I was walking out of the building

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00:13:02,990 --> 00:13:01,019

and I stopped into the other they made a

301
00:13:04,670 --> 00:13:03,000
little Bookshop at that time in the

302
00:13:05,990 --> 00:13:04,680
headquarters and a woman was working

303
00:13:07,310 --> 00:13:06,000
behind the desk

304
00:13:09,470 --> 00:13:07,320
and

305
00:13:10,970 --> 00:13:09,480
she was on the phone I I had a question

306
00:13:12,650 --> 00:13:10,980
or something like that for her I can't

307
00:13:14,750 --> 00:13:12,660
recall right now what it was but she

308
00:13:16,550 --> 00:13:14,760
hung up at the phone and said Gee I just

309
00:13:18,310 --> 00:13:16,560
got a UFO report

310
00:13:20,449 --> 00:13:18,320
oh no way

311
00:13:23,629 --> 00:13:20,459
what happened what was it what do they

312
00:13:26,449 --> 00:13:23,639
say and and she said a few things and

313
00:13:28,910 --> 00:13:26,459

this was now 40 some years ago and but

314

00:13:31,970 --> 00:13:28,920

she said I just we we don't have

315

00:13:34,310 --> 00:13:31,980

anywhere to to transfer those things and

316

00:13:35,870 --> 00:13:34,320

she just didn't hang up on the guy but

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00:13:37,790 --> 00:13:35,880

she was polite and courteous to him and

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00:13:39,590 --> 00:13:37,800

ultimately hung up and and that's the

319

00:13:41,690 --> 00:13:39,600

way UFO reports were treated when they

320

00:13:45,050 --> 00:13:41,700

came into at least the gift shop there

321

00:13:46,970 --> 00:13:45,060

yeah that's a very good point wow we've

322

00:13:50,889 --> 00:13:46,980

come up kind of a long way from the gift

323

00:13:53,930 --> 00:13:50,899

shop at Nasa to uh the UAP task force

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00:13:55,250 --> 00:13:53,940

some may argue the other way but yes in

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00:13:57,949 --> 00:13:55,260

some ways we haven't in some ways we

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00:14:00,949 --> 00:13:57,959

haven't yeah exactly

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00:14:02,690 --> 00:14:00,959

um so you're working at Nasa now how do

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00:14:06,110 --> 00:14:02,700

we go from NASA to the patent office

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00:14:09,230 --> 00:14:06,120

which uh as you know the patent offices

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00:14:12,490 --> 00:14:09,240

is ripe with conspiracy theories

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00:14:15,590 --> 00:14:12,500

um and so did you go into that with any

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00:14:17,690 --> 00:14:15,600

idea or any uh exploration need to

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00:14:19,069 --> 00:14:17,700

explore desire to or was it just hey

334

00:14:22,610 --> 00:14:19,079

I've got a connection at that office

335

00:14:24,470 --> 00:14:22,620

yeah I it was the kind of thing where

336

00:14:27,710 --> 00:14:24,480

my folks said you know you're gonna have

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00:14:29,329 --> 00:14:27,720

to get a job and I I had applied for

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00:14:31,190 --> 00:14:29,339

government positions and and then

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00:14:33,590 --> 00:14:31,200

suddenly I was offered one even even

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00:14:35,870 --> 00:14:33,600

without an interview so Beggars can't be

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00:14:37,730 --> 00:14:35,880

choosers let's put it that way so I

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00:14:39,889 --> 00:14:37,740

packed up my bags and moved from uh

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00:14:41,930 --> 00:14:39,899

northeast Pennsylvania down to Virginia

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00:14:44,030 --> 00:14:41,940

and began working at the patent office

345

00:14:46,670 --> 00:14:44,040

and whatever was going to happen to me

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00:14:47,930 --> 00:14:46,680

was going to happen and I ended up in a

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00:14:50,210 --> 00:14:47,940

lot of different working in a lot of

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00:14:52,310 --> 00:14:50,220

different technical areas in in the

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00:14:53,689 --> 00:14:52,320

patent office which were some some of

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00:15:00,230 --> 00:14:53,699

which were quite interesting and

351
00:15:04,009 --> 00:15:02,449
you know that's that would have been the

352
00:15:06,170 --> 00:15:04,019
place I wanted to be in right from the

353
00:15:09,110 --> 00:15:06,180
beginning so it sort of worked out okay

354
00:15:10,610 --> 00:15:09,120
what excited you about it what got your

355
00:15:13,210 --> 00:15:10,620
interest in that was Aviation you know

356
00:15:17,449 --> 00:15:13,220
you'd be working on satellite stuff uh

357
00:15:21,410 --> 00:15:17,459
launch uh launch technology sometime uh

358
00:15:23,410 --> 00:15:21,420
Aviation Technology uh ailerons if all

359
00:15:25,370 --> 00:15:23,420
parts of airplanes triangular

360
00:15:26,750 --> 00:15:25,380
anti-gravitational technology no you

361
00:15:30,350 --> 00:15:26,760
know just something like that I would

362
00:15:33,230 --> 00:15:30,360
get those kind of applications but uh

363
00:15:34,730 --> 00:15:33,240

every patent has to be and I don't want

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00:15:37,610 --> 00:15:34,740

to get into a big description here of

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00:15:39,889 --> 00:15:37,620

how how complicated the patent patent

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00:15:42,050 --> 00:15:39,899

application process is but basically

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00:15:44,629 --> 00:15:42,060

patent applications have to describe

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00:15:46,550 --> 00:15:44,639

whatever the invention is insufficient

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00:15:49,129 --> 00:15:46,560

detail that that a person who was

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00:15:51,110 --> 00:15:49,139

skilled in the area to which The

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00:15:52,850 --> 00:15:51,120

Invention purchase could make or use the

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00:15:55,009 --> 00:15:52,860

invention just by reading what the

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00:15:57,170 --> 00:15:55,019

inventor had to say about it so if you

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00:16:00,350 --> 00:15:57,180

invent an improvement to a landing gear

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00:16:02,449 --> 00:16:00,360

to an engineer an aeronautical engineer

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00:16:04,610 --> 00:16:02,459

it ought to be pretty clear to that

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00:16:06,410 --> 00:16:04,620

person oh yeah okay I see exactly how

378

00:16:08,329 --> 00:16:06,420

this person's building this this uh

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00:16:10,610 --> 00:16:08,339

landing gear based on his specification

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00:16:13,730 --> 00:16:10,620

I see exactly what he claims to say is

381

00:16:15,290 --> 00:16:13,740

his invention and I understand it but if

382

00:16:22,329 --> 00:16:15,300

someone submits an application that

383

00:16:27,650 --> 00:16:26,090

at least normal physics today and we

384

00:16:29,990 --> 00:16:27,660

just don't have anti-gravity devices

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00:16:31,910 --> 00:16:30,000

obviously we plug into our our airplanes

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00:16:34,790 --> 00:16:31,920

to make them fly it's

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00:16:36,230 --> 00:16:34,800

you just you just can't even really work

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00:16:37,550 --> 00:16:36,240

on the application you give them a

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00:16:40,069 --> 00:16:37,560

certain type of a technical rejection

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00:16:42,350 --> 00:16:40,079

that says it doesn't adhere to science

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00:16:44,629 --> 00:16:42,360

as we understand it and that's that

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00:16:46,189 --> 00:16:44,639

that's how you deal with them right and

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00:16:49,370 --> 00:16:46,199

that's how I dealt with them

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00:16:51,650 --> 00:16:49,380

and I even okay was in the classified

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00:16:54,050 --> 00:16:51,660

area and I can tell you that the same

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00:16:56,689 --> 00:16:54,060

principles applied there even classified

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00:16:58,670 --> 00:16:56,699

projects still have to adhere to physics

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00:17:00,769 --> 00:16:58,680

and Engineering as it's currently

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00:17:02,629 --> 00:17:00,779

understood in the world today you can't

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00:17:04,250 --> 00:17:02,639

just say oh I put an anti-gravity device

401
00:17:05,809 --> 00:17:04,260
into the bottom of this satellite and

402
00:17:08,390 --> 00:17:05,819
then it just can take off by itself from

403
00:17:11,870 --> 00:17:08,400
the surface of the Earth sorry

404
00:17:14,090 --> 00:17:11,880
that's not going to fly patent-wise so

405
00:17:15,710 --> 00:17:14,100
if I were to like donate to your patreon

406
00:17:17,569 --> 00:17:15,720
account you could tell me what some of

407
00:17:19,490 --> 00:17:17,579
this classified information was in some

408
00:17:20,890 --> 00:17:19,500
of these patents

409
00:17:25,990 --> 00:17:20,900
well

410
00:17:32,990 --> 00:17:30,770
to say I I you know I wish I had all

411
00:17:34,190 --> 00:17:33,000
okay let me put it this way here's an

412
00:17:38,029 --> 00:17:34,200
interesting way of putting it and this

413
00:17:39,190 --> 00:17:38,039

is a 100 true I did get across on a

414

00:17:41,930 --> 00:17:39,200

number of times

415

00:17:44,270 --> 00:17:41,940

probably 10 or fewer times in in the

416

00:17:47,150 --> 00:17:44,280

course of my uh patents examining our

417

00:17:49,789 --> 00:17:47,160

career disc shaped aircraft or

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00:17:53,510 --> 00:17:49,799

saucer-shaped aircraft and none of them

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00:17:55,730 --> 00:17:53,520

they were all unclassified and

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00:17:58,130 --> 00:17:55,740

I looked at those things and and they

421

00:17:59,870 --> 00:17:58,140

people would put uh they'd have a

422

00:18:02,990 --> 00:17:59,880

saucer-shaped craft and they'd put some

423

00:18:05,390 --> 00:18:03,000

kind of a a lifting engine in it a a

424

00:18:06,890 --> 00:18:05,400

rotating fan might be a good thing and

425

00:18:08,570 --> 00:18:06,900

they might have a series of lows around

426

00:18:10,310 --> 00:18:08,580

the circumference of the saucer then

427

00:18:12,169 --> 00:18:10,320

they'd have something that gave a

428

00:18:14,270 --> 00:18:12,179

horizontal impetus to the thing so once

429

00:18:16,610 --> 00:18:14,280

the fans lifted it off the ground it had

430

00:18:19,970 --> 00:18:16,620

a something at right angles through the

431

00:18:21,289 --> 00:18:19,980

uh to the surface of lyrics to push this

432

00:18:23,150 --> 00:18:21,299

long so they could they could fly where

433

00:18:25,750 --> 00:18:23,160

they wanted to go but each and every one

434

00:18:28,190 --> 00:18:25,760

of them I worked at adhered to

435

00:18:30,529 --> 00:18:28,200

conventional aeronautical and

436

00:18:32,570 --> 00:18:30,539

engineering technology they might have

437

00:18:34,549 --> 00:18:32,580

been improvements on it and I ended up

438

00:18:36,289 --> 00:18:34,559

giving these people patents but there

439

00:18:37,669 --> 00:18:36,299

wasn't anything mysterious about how

440

00:18:39,830 --> 00:18:37,679

these things worked

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00:18:41,390 --> 00:18:39,840

so they're all public documents they're

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00:18:42,650 --> 00:18:41,400

all public documents you can read read

443

00:18:51,049 --> 00:18:42,660

them

444

00:18:52,370 --> 00:18:51,059

um so um I want to dive into

445

00:18:53,750 --> 00:18:52,380

um oh hold on we've got a question here

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00:18:57,230 --> 00:18:53,760

from Steve long

447

00:19:01,270 --> 00:18:57,240

uh Robert can you elaborate on

448

00:19:04,070 --> 00:19:01,280

on how the par patterns for the past and

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00:19:06,529 --> 00:19:04,080

patterns were about uh were able to be

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00:19:08,330 --> 00:19:06,539

approved how they were without such uh

451
00:19:09,590 --> 00:19:08,340
clear standards that's a good question I

452
00:19:12,049 --> 00:19:09,600
was trying to figure out the name of

453
00:19:17,630 --> 00:19:14,330
yeah I'm that that's a really good

454
00:19:19,490 --> 00:19:17,640
question and the The Examiner of the of

455
00:19:21,110 --> 00:19:19,500
of the pious application the one that

456
00:19:23,690 --> 00:19:21,120
this individual is probably reporting to

457
00:19:25,310 --> 00:19:23,700
if I had like 15 seconds or 20 seconds I

458
00:19:26,990 --> 00:19:25,320
could I could pull that from the papers

459
00:19:28,610 --> 00:19:27,000
behind me and show it to you but but

460
00:19:32,870 --> 00:19:28,620
anyhow

461
00:19:34,789 --> 00:19:32,880
I I I don't think that well I I hate to

462
00:19:37,490 --> 00:19:34,799
bad to bad mother say anything really

463
00:19:39,409 --> 00:19:37,500

poor about how how something what the

464

00:19:42,770 --> 00:19:39,419

patent office issues but I'm not 100

465

00:19:44,390 --> 00:19:42,780

sure that that Pious device which

466

00:19:46,610 --> 00:19:44,400

describes a device that's capable of

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00:19:49,430 --> 00:19:46,620

moving at tremendous speeds in the water

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00:19:51,890 --> 00:19:49,440

or in the air or in in space where

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00:19:53,990 --> 00:19:51,900

there's nowhere at speeds far beyond

470

00:19:57,049 --> 00:19:54,000

what we have achieved as as human beings

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00:19:59,830 --> 00:19:57,059

on this planet and it's it's a very

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00:20:02,330 --> 00:19:59,840

short patent and it's got

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00:20:04,250 --> 00:20:02,340

uh at the end of every patent they have

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00:20:06,230 --> 00:20:04,260

what they call the claims and the claims

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00:20:08,930 --> 00:20:06,240

describe they claim what the inventor

476
00:20:11,630 --> 00:20:08,940
believes to be his or her invention the

477
00:20:14,630 --> 00:20:11,640
claims are very very short but like I

478
00:20:18,890 --> 00:20:14,640
said earlier the application including

479
00:20:23,750 --> 00:20:21,770
failed it if you're an engineer you

480
00:20:26,150 --> 00:20:23,760
could make and design and use this

481
00:20:28,669 --> 00:20:26,160
invention and I don't see anybody flying

482
00:20:30,590 --> 00:20:28,679
around on the pious device and I don't

483
00:20:32,529 --> 00:20:30,600
think it would I just don't think we

484
00:20:35,270 --> 00:20:32,539
have the technology to be able to

485
00:20:37,850 --> 00:20:35,280
replicate that device and to be honest

486
00:20:40,029 --> 00:20:37,860
with you to be frank I'm a little

487
00:20:43,610 --> 00:20:40,039
unclear how that got a patent but it did

488
00:20:46,310 --> 00:20:43,620

and it was sponsored by the Navy and

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00:20:48,289 --> 00:20:46,320

Pious worked for the Navy and

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00:20:50,150 --> 00:20:48,299

if the Navy had thought this invention

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00:20:53,390 --> 00:20:50,160

could be reduced to practice

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00:20:56,090 --> 00:20:53,400

I guarantee you this would have had a

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00:20:58,370 --> 00:20:56,100

secrecy order imposed on it it would

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00:21:00,529 --> 00:20:58,380

never have been let out publicly because

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00:21:02,930 --> 00:21:00,539

enemies of the United States enemies of

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00:21:05,049 --> 00:21:02,940

the Free World whatever could make this

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00:21:08,810 --> 00:21:05,059

thing and uh and

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00:21:10,250 --> 00:21:08,820

dominate the skies but they aren't that

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00:21:12,830 --> 00:21:10,260

could be a whole show for those of you

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00:21:15,710 --> 00:21:12,840

who who don't know about this it was a

501
00:21:17,630 --> 00:21:15,720
um a device or vehicle or the the

502
00:21:20,330 --> 00:21:17,640
promise thereof

503
00:21:22,850 --> 00:21:20,340
um that this thing would be able to fly

504
00:21:24,770 --> 00:21:22,860
with a new technology that so far we

505
00:21:26,029 --> 00:21:24,780
don't really have and I always thought

506
00:21:27,650 --> 00:21:26,039
well if the government was going to do

507
00:21:30,649 --> 00:21:27,660
this and they absolutely had to have it

508
00:21:32,450 --> 00:21:30,659
patent in order to control it

509
00:21:33,770 --> 00:21:32,460
um that you would do it in bits and

510
00:21:36,230 --> 00:21:33,780
pieces and then when you put it all

511
00:21:37,850 --> 00:21:36,240
together you would then have all those

512
00:21:39,470 --> 00:21:37,860
pieces covered and no one could do that

513
00:21:41,390 --> 00:21:39,480

even though they wouldn't you know have

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00:21:44,029 --> 00:21:41,400

the whole structure of it it could just

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00:21:49,430 --> 00:21:44,039

be like assembled with all these various

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00:21:54,590 --> 00:21:52,070

interview today he would say I presented

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00:21:56,930 --> 00:21:54,600

a complete working device that's my

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00:21:58,430 --> 00:21:56,940

device and I I set it forth in

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00:22:00,470 --> 00:21:58,440

engineering language and then the

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00:22:03,289 --> 00:22:00,480

technical terminology that's required

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00:22:05,570 --> 00:22:03,299

and um that's what it is and that's how

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00:22:07,490 --> 00:22:05,580

it works but I assure you if you read

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00:22:09,830 --> 00:22:07,500

the thing it's not all that clear how it

524

00:22:11,149 --> 00:22:09,840

works and I don't want to keep going on

525

00:22:13,070 --> 00:22:11,159

and take up the rest of your hour on

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00:22:14,930 --> 00:22:13,080

this but I have looked into the what

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00:22:16,789 --> 00:22:14,940

papers publicly are available on this

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00:22:20,510 --> 00:22:16,799

Pious patent the whole file is available

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00:22:22,610 --> 00:22:20,520

for public consumption on on the

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00:22:24,950 --> 00:22:22,620

internet okay through the patent office

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00:22:26,570 --> 00:22:24,960

and you can see how how this this

532

00:22:28,370 --> 00:22:26,580

application window its way through the

533

00:22:31,730 --> 00:22:28,380

patent office and I have my own opinions

534

00:22:32,870 --> 00:22:31,740

on and what happened to cause this to

535

00:22:34,789 --> 00:22:32,880

become a patent but there's nothing

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00:22:37,610 --> 00:22:34,799

mysterious about it it's just the way

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00:22:39,950 --> 00:22:37,620

the patent system works and the fella

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00:22:42,770 --> 00:22:39,960

got a patent and I know for a fact the

539

00:22:44,450 --> 00:22:42,780

examiner couldn't find this invention in

540

00:22:46,610 --> 00:22:44,460

all the prior patents he looked through

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the wall I know the examiner of this

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00:22:51,470 --> 00:22:48,480

patentee I helped train him when he came

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00:22:53,570 --> 00:22:51,480

into the patent office and uh oh wow a

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00:22:55,730 --> 00:22:53,580

guy named Phil I think his name is Phil

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00:22:58,610 --> 00:22:55,740

bonzell and

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00:23:01,070 --> 00:22:58,620

and he's a very very good examiner he's

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00:23:04,310 --> 00:23:01,080

very good engineer and scientist and he

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00:23:05,870 --> 00:23:04,320

couldn't find it and long story short if

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00:23:10,730 --> 00:23:05,880

I can't find it in the patent literature

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00:23:14,570 --> 00:23:13,070

basically that's what happened oh you

551
00:23:17,149 --> 00:23:14,580
froze it but I think basically what

552
00:23:19,430 --> 00:23:17,159
you're saying is if I can't find it

553
00:23:22,070 --> 00:23:19,440
um in in our records then it's not going

554
00:23:23,330 --> 00:23:22,080
to fly by you that's unintended that's

555
00:23:24,409 --> 00:23:23,340
something it's understandable you know I

556
00:23:26,210 --> 00:23:24,419
mean they write it properly and

557
00:23:29,210 --> 00:23:26,220
everything like that but yeah then then

558
00:23:31,669 --> 00:23:29,220
we let it go if it's trivial or if it's

559
00:23:34,490 --> 00:23:31,679
complicated and very important they get

560
00:23:37,070 --> 00:23:34,500
a pound okay so

561
00:23:40,490 --> 00:23:37,080
um now you're working within that and

562
00:23:43,010 --> 00:23:40,500
then on the side you're you're getting

563
00:23:45,409 --> 00:23:43,020

dialed in with uh mufon

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00:23:47,690 --> 00:23:45,419

correct uh well actually for the fun for

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00:23:50,270 --> 00:23:47,700

UFO research first that went on for

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00:23:52,370 --> 00:23:50,280

about 15 years before I really

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00:23:55,070 --> 00:23:52,380

or maybe even 18 years before I really

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00:23:57,350 --> 00:23:55,080

got on the muffons board but the fund

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00:23:58,669 --> 00:23:57,360

for UFO research

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00:23:59,750 --> 00:23:58,679

I mentioned it's based here in

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00:24:01,850 --> 00:23:59,760

Washington

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00:24:03,950 --> 00:24:01,860

uh we interacted with all the other

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00:24:07,909 --> 00:24:03,960

groups so we would be at meetings with

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00:24:09,310 --> 00:24:07,919

Walt Andrus and John schussler and we we

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00:24:11,690 --> 00:24:09,320

would uh

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00:24:14,149 --> 00:24:11,700

encounter other in independent

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00:24:16,970 --> 00:24:14,159

researchers and and have chances to meet

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00:24:19,430 --> 00:24:16,980

with them and so we were pretty well

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00:24:21,710 --> 00:24:19,440

connected as an organization

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00:24:23,570 --> 00:24:21,720

and we would

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00:24:26,090 --> 00:24:23,580

that the fund was set up to be a

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00:24:28,730 --> 00:24:26,100

non-membership organization and it and

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00:24:33,350 --> 00:24:30,890

reduce that money and funnel it by back

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00:24:35,270 --> 00:24:33,360

into scientific research and I swear

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00:24:37,250 --> 00:24:35,280

that we probably raised and and gave

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00:24:39,890 --> 00:24:37,260

back into the field well over a million

587

00:24:42,830 --> 00:24:39,900

dollars raised from donations and people

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00:24:47,990 --> 00:24:42,840

buying our Publications that's that sort

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00:24:49,669 --> 00:24:48,000

of thing uh so wow yeah it was it was

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00:24:52,669 --> 00:24:49,679

fascinating I must say they had a good

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00:24:54,110 --> 00:24:52,679

idea to call and and and Bruce Maccabee

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00:24:56,570 --> 00:24:54,120

when they and others when they set up

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00:24:58,490 --> 00:24:56,580

the uh when the set up the fund it's

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00:25:00,649 --> 00:24:58,500

interesting because people have that

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00:25:03,770 --> 00:25:00,659

idea that oh you can make money

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00:25:05,149 --> 00:25:03,780

in UFOs and alien research and it's just

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00:25:07,610 --> 00:25:05,159

like any other research and it's like

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00:25:10,970 --> 00:25:07,620

well yes in a way if you're doing

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00:25:12,110 --> 00:25:10,980

research and you need to show that I'm

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00:25:14,690 --> 00:25:12,120

going to go out and I'm going to study

601
00:25:18,529 --> 00:25:14,700
this certain type of say Wildlife you

602
00:25:21,049 --> 00:25:18,539
can get grants Etc but for UFOs it's you

603
00:25:23,450 --> 00:25:21,059
know it's very difficult it's just it's

604
00:25:26,990 --> 00:25:23,460
not a job that you can get it's a job

605
00:25:29,149 --> 00:25:27,000
that you have to get funded and so

606
00:25:31,549 --> 00:25:29,159
you know unless you're writing books you

607
00:25:33,470 --> 00:25:31,559
can maybe you know do well but most of

608
00:25:34,730 --> 00:25:33,480
the people who are writing books that's

609
00:25:36,409 --> 00:25:34,740
that's not their main you know

610
00:25:38,090 --> 00:25:36,419
sustenance it's it's other things in

611
00:25:40,490 --> 00:25:38,100
conjunction with

612
00:25:43,250 --> 00:25:40,500
it's passion that drives it yeah yeah

613
00:25:45,289 --> 00:25:43,260

you're 100 right Dean there have been

614

00:25:47,269 --> 00:25:45,299

some people who I mean for a little

615

00:25:50,510 --> 00:25:47,279

while the fund for UFO research paid a

616

00:25:52,669 --> 00:25:50,520

researcher a full-time salary because we

617

00:25:54,529 --> 00:25:52,679

got a grant a large Grant

618

00:25:56,210 --> 00:25:54,539

a couple hundred grand and we were able

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00:25:59,810 --> 00:25:56,220

to pay this fellow back around the turn

620

00:26:04,010 --> 00:26:01,850

oh you froze up there with abductees

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00:26:06,289 --> 00:26:04,020

sorry I'm just going to back you up you

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00:26:08,870 --> 00:26:06,299

froze up say again Rob yeah uh sorry

623

00:26:10,970 --> 00:26:08,880

about that no worries uh yeah yeah we

624

00:26:13,190 --> 00:26:10,980

got a grant from a a large benefactor

625

00:26:14,870 --> 00:26:13,200

around the turn of the century and

626

00:26:15,769 --> 00:26:14,880

basically we use we got the grant

627

00:26:17,390 --> 00:26:15,779

because we were going to build an

628

00:26:19,310 --> 00:26:17,400

instrument package and we ended up

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00:26:21,649 --> 00:26:19,320

Building 13 or 14 Instagram packages

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00:26:23,870 --> 00:26:21,659

that were then placed in

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00:26:25,970 --> 00:26:23,880

the putative bedrooms and homes of

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00:26:27,350 --> 00:26:25,980

abductees with the hope that they might

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00:26:28,310 --> 00:26:27,360

capture something during an abduction

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00:26:31,850 --> 00:26:28,320

account

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00:26:34,070 --> 00:26:31,860

and uh so we had enough money to pay to

636

00:26:36,230 --> 00:26:34,080

pay someone to constantly monitor these

637

00:26:38,149 --> 00:26:36,240

boxes each and every day

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00:26:39,830 --> 00:26:38,159

but this is funds that you had to go out

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00:26:41,930 --> 00:26:39,840

and raise it wasn't something that

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00:26:44,029 --> 00:26:41,940

automatically I mean you had a donor who

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00:26:46,310 --> 00:26:44,039

came in absolutely yeah you're hard to

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00:26:48,350 --> 00:26:46,320

come by right from very hard to come by

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00:26:51,230 --> 00:26:48,360

we never gotten any government grants of

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00:26:53,570 --> 00:26:51,240

course and ufology still doesn't really

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00:26:55,789 --> 00:26:53,580

get a civilian ufology doesn't get any

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00:26:58,010 --> 00:26:55,799

government grants it would be nice if

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00:27:01,970 --> 00:26:58,020

the National Science Foundation were

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00:27:04,070 --> 00:27:01,980

just to to give several millions of

649

00:27:05,210 --> 00:27:04,080

dollars to UFO research but so far it

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00:27:09,769 --> 00:27:05,220

hasn't happened

651
00:27:12,110 --> 00:27:09,779
so um so you're doing this this research

652
00:27:14,390 --> 00:27:12,120
where you have different sensors I'm

653
00:27:16,430 --> 00:27:14,400
guessing in people's abductees or

654
00:27:18,409 --> 00:27:16,440
experiences as we call them now

655
00:27:21,350 --> 00:27:18,419
um they're home what did that generate

656
00:27:23,690 --> 00:27:21,360
anything was it promising well it was

657
00:27:26,210 --> 00:27:23,700
promising and it has it has a sad ending

658
00:27:30,830 --> 00:27:26,220
and we've we've all heard that like way

659
00:27:36,169 --> 00:27:33,470
we we got this funding to put the boxes

660
00:27:38,029 --> 00:27:36,179
out there and each box was in a house

661
00:27:40,010 --> 00:27:38,039
for anywhere from three to six months

662
00:27:42,350 --> 00:27:40,020
and it was an elaborate scheme we had

663
00:27:44,149 --> 00:27:42,360

for how the person was supposed to log

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00:27:46,250 --> 00:27:44,159

in every day they had to write a journal

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00:27:48,470 --> 00:27:46,260

and talk about their memories of the

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00:27:50,510 --> 00:27:48,480

night before it might just be I had no

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00:27:52,070 --> 00:27:50,520

memories or if they had what they

668

00:27:54,950 --> 00:27:52,080

thought was an abduction experience we

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00:27:56,690 --> 00:27:54,960

asked them to write it down uh we tried

670

00:27:58,090 --> 00:27:56,700

to keep things in the blind from from

671

00:28:00,289 --> 00:27:58,100

the full-time

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00:28:01,549 --> 00:28:00,299

fellow who was working full time on the

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00:28:04,010 --> 00:28:01,559

project so he wouldn't really know who

674

00:28:07,430 --> 00:28:04,020

the people were and uh

675

00:28:09,350 --> 00:28:07,440

and we we got all this data and then it

676

00:28:12,590 --> 00:28:09,360

we the funding didn't come through to

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00:28:15,370 --> 00:28:12,600

have it the very voluminous digital

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00:28:18,370 --> 00:28:15,380

files of this stuff uh

679

00:28:21,409 --> 00:28:18,380

analyzed to see whether or not

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00:28:23,450 --> 00:28:21,419

experiences occurred on the nights when

681

00:28:24,830 --> 00:28:23,460

people might have said they thought they

682

00:28:27,470 --> 00:28:24,840

remembered being abducted in their

683

00:28:29,690 --> 00:28:27,480

journal and to this very day that's

684

00:28:32,090 --> 00:28:29,700

that's still uh that we're still trying

685

00:28:33,649 --> 00:28:32,100

to come up with and analyze this data

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00:28:36,470 --> 00:28:33,659

and little by little it is getting

687

00:28:38,510 --> 00:28:36,480

analyzed and I I don't know if there's

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00:28:42,049 --> 00:28:38,520

any black and white signatures so far

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00:28:44,390 --> 00:28:42,059

that have been found my guess is no but

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00:28:46,430 --> 00:28:44,400

um there were some interesting there

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00:28:50,990 --> 00:28:46,440

were some interesting correlations

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00:28:54,289 --> 00:28:51,000

yeah I am I went to a um uh zero support

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00:28:56,029 --> 00:28:54,299

group meeting and there was a um a major

694

00:28:59,149 --> 00:28:56,039

in the army

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00:29:02,390 --> 00:28:59,159

um who asked me if I could come and

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00:29:03,710 --> 00:29:02,400

plant cameras he figured I'm a filmmaker

697

00:29:06,950 --> 00:29:03,720

um I could get in there and he says

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00:29:08,269 --> 00:29:06,960

don't tell me yes or no you know with

699

00:29:10,310 --> 00:29:08,279

regards to when you're going to do this

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00:29:11,890 --> 00:29:10,320

because if I know I'm pretty sure

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00:29:16,370 --> 00:29:11,900

they're gonna know

702

00:29:18,889 --> 00:29:16,380

and ultimately it it seemed like

703

00:29:21,230 --> 00:29:18,899

um it was you know when you do something

704

00:29:23,990 --> 00:29:21,240

like this is is you know interesting it

705

00:29:26,269 --> 00:29:24,000

is you have to kind of tread lightly you

706

00:29:29,090 --> 00:29:26,279

know you don't a wanna be doing a Fool's

707

00:29:31,789 --> 00:29:29,100

errand because um I think whatever it is

708

00:29:34,430 --> 00:29:31,799

that that is running things knows what's

709

00:29:37,310 --> 00:29:34,440

going on much better than we do

710

00:29:38,630 --> 00:29:37,320

um but you know when I think about the

711

00:29:40,789 --> 00:29:38,640

way that most of the footage has been

712

00:29:43,070 --> 00:29:40,799

captured it's been almost accidental to

713

00:29:45,590 --> 00:29:43,080

a degree like I keep waiting for um

714

00:29:48,049 --> 00:29:45,600

Amazon's the ring you know those cameras

715

00:29:50,389 --> 00:29:48,059

when they drop off the boxes and stuff

716

00:29:52,010 --> 00:29:50,399

that you can see that that they're going

717

00:29:53,210 --> 00:29:52,020

to capture something but they don't seem

718

00:29:55,370 --> 00:29:53,220

to come through the front door that's

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00:29:57,070 --> 00:29:55,380

the only problem they may come through

720

00:29:59,870 --> 00:29:57,080

the front wall but you're 100

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00:30:02,210 --> 00:29:59,880

front door or front window for that

722

00:30:03,889 --> 00:30:02,220

matter so um yeah or the front of the

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00:30:05,210 --> 00:30:03,899

front window right or the ceiling

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00:30:07,430 --> 00:30:05,220

sometimes so yeah there you go yeah

725

00:30:09,529 --> 00:30:07,440

interesting so

726

00:30:12,230 --> 00:30:09,539

um you you're you're doing that

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00:30:14,930 --> 00:30:12,240

experiment working with that group and

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00:30:16,970 --> 00:30:14,940

then talking about how mufon was mufon

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00:30:19,430 --> 00:30:16,980

kind of like a grad graduate program how

730

00:30:21,830 --> 00:30:19,440

is it looked upon at that time uh well

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00:30:23,750 --> 00:30:21,840

Newfoundland was looked upon as as equal

732

00:30:25,430 --> 00:30:23,760

it would be like being traded from or

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00:30:27,710 --> 00:30:25,440

going from

734

00:30:29,930 --> 00:30:27,720

you know the Toronto Blue Jacket

735

00:30:31,909 --> 00:30:29,940

or something like that in baseball you

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00:30:34,010 --> 00:30:31,919

know maybe they yeah

737

00:30:36,590 --> 00:30:34,020

the teams are basically at the the major

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00:30:38,930 --> 00:30:36,600

league level and that's how mufon always

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00:30:42,950 --> 00:30:38,940

was John Schuster asked me to be on the

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00:30:44,690 --> 00:30:42,960

board in around 2004 2005 and the fund

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00:30:46,010 --> 00:30:44,700

was starting to wind down because some

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00:30:48,169 --> 00:30:46,020

several of the principles were getting

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00:30:50,930 --> 00:30:48,179

fairly old and weren't as active as

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00:30:53,930 --> 00:30:50,940

before and the internet put a whole new

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00:30:57,470 --> 00:30:53,940

spin on things it was uh not not as easy

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00:30:59,029 --> 00:30:57,480

to uh to to make Publications and sell

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00:31:00,230 --> 00:30:59,039

them people wanted to read stuff online

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00:31:02,450 --> 00:31:00,240

as they

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00:31:04,669 --> 00:31:02,460

still do and they found a lot of ways to

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00:31:07,190 --> 00:31:04,679

satisfy their UFO urge they didn't have

751
00:31:09,110 --> 00:31:07,200
to keep buying our Publications now when

752
00:31:11,289 --> 00:31:09,120
we had when the fund had a had a

753
00:31:13,310 --> 00:31:11,299
scientific work that was done one of the

754
00:31:16,669 --> 00:31:13,320
requisites the prerequisites it's

755
00:31:18,710 --> 00:31:16,679
actually was that the the researcher had

756
00:31:21,169 --> 00:31:18,720
to publish his results or her results in

757
00:31:23,450 --> 00:31:21,179
a paper or a monograph or however a

758
00:31:25,549 --> 00:31:23,460
large however long it it took to to set

759
00:31:28,070 --> 00:31:25,559
forth the results in in a publication

760
00:31:29,750 --> 00:31:28,080
that we could sell so we had that's how

761
00:31:31,070 --> 00:31:29,760
we would get these Publications more or

762
00:31:34,970 --> 00:31:31,080
less and they would all result from work

763
00:31:36,470 --> 00:31:34,980

that we had uh undertaken but that's

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00:31:38,149 --> 00:31:36,480

sort of dried up around the turn of the

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00:31:40,850 --> 00:31:38,159

century and John Schuster asked me to be

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00:31:44,210 --> 00:31:40,860

on the board of mufon and Walt Andrus

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00:31:46,250 --> 00:31:44,220

had left a few years earlier and so so I

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00:31:48,409 --> 00:31:46,260

said yes and I've been on the on the

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00:31:50,630 --> 00:31:48,419

board since since that time through

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00:31:51,769 --> 00:31:50,640

several International directors

771

00:31:54,889 --> 00:31:51,779

so

772

00:31:57,769 --> 00:31:54,899

um I'm kind of and you know I know that

773

00:31:59,269 --> 00:31:57,779

that anything can be

774

00:32:01,970 --> 00:31:59,279

um a challenge when you're working in

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00:32:03,830 --> 00:32:01,980

any type of organization

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00:32:06,230 --> 00:32:03,840

um you know whether it's Google right

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00:32:09,350 --> 00:32:06,240

now or a whole bunch of people got let

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00:32:11,450 --> 00:32:09,360

go are it's it's mufon

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00:32:14,029 --> 00:32:11,460

um what were some of the challenges uh

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00:32:16,970 --> 00:32:14,039

you're still with mufon

781

00:32:18,710 --> 00:32:16,980

yeah it's it's a different I made the

782

00:32:20,690 --> 00:32:18,720

analogy before between two beginning

783

00:32:23,450 --> 00:32:20,700

going from one baseball team to another

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00:32:25,730 --> 00:32:23,460

but in this case it's the Newfoundland does

785

00:32:28,070 --> 00:32:25,740

not operate in the same way as as the

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00:32:30,529 --> 00:32:28,080

fund did you find as we all know is a

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00:32:32,389 --> 00:32:30,539

membership organization so it always has

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00:32:35,450 --> 00:32:32,399

challenges of

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00:32:37,730 --> 00:32:35,460

coming up with money of course uh from

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00:32:40,430 --> 00:32:37,740

subscriptions in this case to to the

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00:32:43,490 --> 00:32:40,440

mufon journal and from donations and

792

00:32:45,470 --> 00:32:43,500

from the sale of products but we we're

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00:32:48,470 --> 00:32:45,480

always faced with

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00:32:50,510 --> 00:32:48,480

getting investigators and keeping them

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00:32:52,909 --> 00:32:50,520

on board and training them and having

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00:32:55,850 --> 00:32:52,919

them look into cases where you're always

797

00:32:58,730 --> 00:32:55,860

engaged with trying to in

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00:33:02,090 --> 00:32:58,740

just engage and collect as many UFO

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00:33:03,230 --> 00:33:02,100

reports and events as we can

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00:33:06,049 --> 00:33:03,240

and

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00:33:08,330 --> 00:33:06,059
so we we've succeeded there we get four

802
00:33:09,830 --> 00:33:08,340
or five thousand a year easily and

803
00:33:11,630 --> 00:33:09,840
they're all investigated by a large

804
00:33:13,730 --> 00:33:11,640
group of of investigators throughout

805
00:33:16,789 --> 00:33:13,740
Canada throughout the Us and other

806
00:33:18,409 --> 00:33:16,799
countries and so it's all yeah it's it's

807
00:33:19,730 --> 00:33:18,419
there's a lot of challenges posed there

808
00:33:21,889 --> 00:33:19,740
to the people who actually run the

809
00:33:24,830 --> 00:33:21,899
organization on a day-to-day basis

810
00:33:27,710 --> 00:33:24,840
so when you're doing this um what field

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00:33:29,930 --> 00:33:27,720
in particular are you studying and is it

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00:33:32,509 --> 00:33:29,940
like it's it's kind of like oh Rob we go

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00:33:35,149 --> 00:33:32,519

to for technology doing certain things

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00:33:38,210 --> 00:33:35,159

or is it um areas that you start out in

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00:33:39,529 --> 00:33:38,220

one and then you kind of progress where

816

00:33:43,430 --> 00:33:39,539

where's your sweet spot what's your

817

00:33:45,169 --> 00:33:43,440

pocket yeah well it's it's I I'm on on

818

00:33:47,870 --> 00:33:45,179

the board and it's really as a business

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00:33:50,690 --> 00:33:47,880

board so here we deal more with the with

820

00:33:54,470 --> 00:33:50,700

the financial things and new fund

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00:33:57,289 --> 00:33:54,480

doesn't do research per se in in in in

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00:33:59,210 --> 00:33:57,299

in in a in an investigatory way they do

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00:34:02,269 --> 00:33:59,220

but they're not giving grants to people

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00:34:05,029 --> 00:34:02,279

to do scientific research like the fund

825

00:34:06,950 --> 00:34:05,039

was so no one's actually coming to me to

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00:34:10,070 --> 00:34:06,960

say oh what do you think we should do in

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00:34:14,149 --> 00:34:10,080

with this aspect of the of the subject

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00:34:15,950 --> 00:34:14,159

that just doesn't happen uh I I we have

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00:34:18,710 --> 00:34:15,960

a meeting coming up about tomorrow to be

830

00:34:21,649 --> 00:34:18,720

honest with you a board meeting will all

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00:34:23,510 --> 00:34:21,659

be together but uh yeah we're trying to

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00:34:26,570 --> 00:34:23,520

just from the organization financially

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00:34:28,970 --> 00:34:26,580

and we have some people on the

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00:34:31,190 --> 00:34:28,980

organization whose purpose it is to

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00:34:33,050 --> 00:34:31,200

basically

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00:34:35,629 --> 00:34:33,060

just see that the field investigators

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00:34:37,790 --> 00:34:35,639

are doing their jobs as as are set forth

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00:34:39,290 --> 00:34:37,800

in our field investigators manual

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00:34:41,030 --> 00:34:39,300

so those are the people that are sort of

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00:34:42,530 --> 00:34:41,040

have their literally boots on the ground

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00:34:45,349 --> 00:34:42,540

in a lot of cases

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00:34:47,030 --> 00:34:45,359

what is the um not not to get too

843

00:34:50,210 --> 00:34:47,040

controversial and I want to move into

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00:34:52,190 --> 00:34:50,220

some of the cases that that you um have

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00:34:53,169 --> 00:34:52,200

kind of uh pinned

846

00:34:56,210 --> 00:34:53,179

um

847

00:35:00,410 --> 00:34:56,220

there since 2000

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00:35:02,329 --> 00:35:00,420

you know uh uh 17 December when the

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00:35:05,150 --> 00:35:02,339

first stories came out it's brought in a

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00:35:07,070 --> 00:35:05,160

huge influx of of people young people

851
00:35:09,349 --> 00:35:07,080
interested in this field and and are

852
00:35:10,190 --> 00:35:09,359
studying this and doing research

853
00:35:11,630 --> 00:35:10,200
um

854
00:35:13,430 --> 00:35:11,640
yeah everyone will tell you there's kind

855
00:35:15,470 --> 00:35:13,440
of a a big

856
00:35:17,210 --> 00:35:15,480
a step going from you know doing the

857
00:35:18,829 --> 00:35:17,220
research that you can do now online that

858
00:35:20,390 --> 00:35:18,839
when we were young it was you go to the

859
00:35:22,010 --> 00:35:20,400
bookstore and there's a special section

860
00:35:24,349 --> 00:35:22,020
that you go some bookstores still have

861
00:35:26,690 --> 00:35:24,359
that section and you would find those

862
00:35:29,210 --> 00:35:26,700
few books and it was always you know

863
00:35:32,870 --> 00:35:29,220

put together with Bermuda Triangle and

864

00:35:35,510 --> 00:35:32,880

and right and other things and and and

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00:35:37,210 --> 00:35:35,520

then you go from that to people who are

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00:35:39,290 --> 00:35:37,220

again you know boots on the ground

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00:35:41,810 --> 00:35:39,300

research going up knocking on doors

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00:35:42,589 --> 00:35:41,820

people have reported and doing that

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00:35:47,210 --> 00:35:42,599

um

870

00:35:48,710 --> 00:35:47,220

so it's interesting you know that both

871

00:35:50,390 --> 00:35:48,720

are trying to get you know to the

872

00:35:52,910 --> 00:35:50,400

answers but one is kind of more like an

873

00:35:55,430 --> 00:35:52,920

armchair expert which I've been for many

874

00:35:57,230 --> 00:35:55,440

years and

875

00:35:59,750 --> 00:35:57,240

um and then the actual people who are

876

00:36:02,050 --> 00:35:59,760

working on specific areas

877

00:36:04,849 --> 00:36:02,060

um you know like yourself

878

00:36:07,370 --> 00:36:04,859

so the question in there is what do you

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00:36:09,770 --> 00:36:07,380

see the differences have have you seen

880

00:36:11,030 --> 00:36:09,780

um people coming in what is the

881

00:36:12,710 --> 00:36:11,040

difference empirically the evidence and

882

00:36:15,109 --> 00:36:12,720

stuff that you're working on that the

883

00:36:17,690 --> 00:36:15,119

organization like mufon and the new one

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00:36:19,130 --> 00:36:17,700

that you're in versus someone who's you

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00:36:20,510 --> 00:36:19,140

know doing their own you know research

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00:36:22,310 --> 00:36:20,520

so to speak

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00:36:25,609 --> 00:36:22,320

well the person who's doing their own

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00:36:29,390 --> 00:36:25,619

research at least at this point doesn't

889

00:36:32,690 --> 00:36:29,400

have access to as a a huge database of

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00:36:34,670 --> 00:36:32,700

cases and all the UFO organizations well

891

00:36:38,329 --> 00:36:34,680

all the UFO organizations the center for

892

00:36:40,910 --> 00:36:38,339

UFO studies headquartered in Chicago and

893

00:36:44,870 --> 00:36:40,920

and mufon for example both have

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00:36:46,010 --> 00:36:44,880

tremendous uh Case Files of of UFO cases

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00:36:50,089 --> 00:36:46,020

and

896

00:36:54,770 --> 00:36:53,270

really so an independent researcher who

897

00:36:57,710 --> 00:36:54,780

was just decides they want to start

898

00:36:59,450 --> 00:36:57,720

really looking into the subject today is

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00:37:01,430 --> 00:36:59,460

going to have a hard time finding out or

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00:37:03,589 --> 00:37:01,440

what cases are occurring right now where

901
00:37:05,450 --> 00:37:03,599
were UFOs seen last week and what types

902
00:37:06,829 --> 00:37:05,460
of UFOs we're seeing unless they're

903
00:37:08,750 --> 00:37:06,839
lucky enough to read an account in a

904
00:37:10,790 --> 00:37:08,760
newspaper or ultimately someone

905
00:37:12,589 --> 00:37:10,800
published publishes an article in a

906
00:37:15,410 --> 00:37:12,599
magazine or something you're not going

907
00:37:17,690 --> 00:37:15,420
to have uh access to these tremendous

908
00:37:20,050 --> 00:37:17,700
files or if you're young you see it on

909
00:37:22,490 --> 00:37:20,060
Tick Tock and so if it's on technology

910
00:37:24,950 --> 00:37:22,500
yeah you can go to the National UFO

911
00:37:27,109 --> 00:37:24,960
Reporting Center in Seattle and all

912
00:37:28,970 --> 00:37:27,119
their cases are made public every every

913
00:37:31,130 --> 00:37:28,980

month I guess Peter Davenport the

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00:37:32,930 --> 00:37:31,140

director launched the case uploads the

915

00:37:34,670 --> 00:37:32,940

cases but there's not big descriptions

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00:37:39,050 --> 00:37:34,680

there and he doesn't investigate cases

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00:37:40,670 --> 00:37:39,060

so you can't sift between ifos and UFOs

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00:37:43,630 --> 00:37:40,680

so

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00:37:47,870 --> 00:37:43,640

but even with access to the Case Files

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00:37:50,870 --> 00:37:47,880

we we need more actual research to find

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00:37:53,390 --> 00:37:50,880

out how What similarities are there

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00:37:55,430 --> 00:37:53,400

between the unknowns what odd quarks

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00:37:58,069 --> 00:37:55,440

might they show that might help us

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00:37:59,990 --> 00:37:58,079

understand how they work or what their

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00:38:02,930 --> 00:38:00,000

modus operandi is or what their

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00:38:04,490 --> 00:38:02,940

intentions are this type thing that's

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00:38:07,430 --> 00:38:04,500

the kind of work that has not been done

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00:38:10,250 --> 00:38:07,440

in in my personal opinion I don't think

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00:38:13,490 --> 00:38:10,260

we've moved very far down the road as as

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00:38:16,370 --> 00:38:13,500

to knowing who's behind or what is

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00:38:17,270 --> 00:38:16,380

behind the UFO phenomenon and why they

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00:38:20,450 --> 00:38:17,280

are here

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00:38:22,069 --> 00:38:20,460

I think to an open-minded individual we

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00:38:25,849 --> 00:38:22,079

can show that there's a real phenomenon

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00:38:31,089 --> 00:38:25,859

there that's not of human origin and it

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00:38:37,069 --> 00:38:34,730

we froze up there yeah not of human or

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00:38:39,470 --> 00:38:37,079

why that keeps happening that's all

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00:38:40,849 --> 00:38:39,480

right you cut out on not of human origin

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00:38:42,710 --> 00:38:40,859

or

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00:38:44,990 --> 00:38:42,720

yeah uh

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00:38:47,450 --> 00:38:45,000

that that but they have an intelligent

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00:38:50,270 --> 00:38:47,460

origin I don't believe they're humans I

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00:38:51,710 --> 00:38:50,280

don't in my opinion this is me speaking

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00:38:54,710 --> 00:38:51,720

I can't scientifically prove it

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00:38:58,190 --> 00:38:54,720

obviously but there is whatever's behind

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00:39:01,250 --> 00:38:58,200

UFOs is is is not residing here on the

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00:39:03,890 --> 00:39:01,260

earth let's put it back that way so

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00:39:06,710 --> 00:39:03,900

um here it is do you carve out any um

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00:39:09,589 --> 00:39:06,720

Niche for uh the extra-term Pastoral uh

950

00:39:11,870 --> 00:39:09,599

hypothesis uh Dr Michael Masters that

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00:39:14,150 --> 00:39:11,880
they're from the future right well it

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00:39:17,030 --> 00:39:14,160
could be the I I have a problem with the

953
00:39:19,190 --> 00:39:17,040
future uh scenario we all have a problem

954
00:39:22,069 --> 00:39:19,200
with the future yeah we're looking too

955
00:39:23,450 --> 00:39:22,079
good it's well yeah maybe I don't want

956
00:39:25,130 --> 00:39:23,460
to be there after I see how where things

957
00:39:27,109 --> 00:39:25,140
are heading but

958
00:39:30,349 --> 00:39:27,119
it's it's sort of like solving one

959
00:39:33,890 --> 00:39:30,359
mystery with another and I I I see too

960
00:39:36,410 --> 00:39:33,900
many paradoxes there time paradoxes that

961
00:39:37,490 --> 00:39:36,420
that sort of make no sense and people

962
00:39:40,970 --> 00:39:37,500
say

963
00:39:42,589 --> 00:39:40,980

oh the aliens they they're humans uh way

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00:39:44,930 --> 00:39:42,599

down the line we're going to evolve into

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00:39:46,849 --> 00:39:44,940

that well Evolution doesn't seem to be

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00:39:49,490 --> 00:39:46,859

drawing humans toward the common

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00:39:52,370 --> 00:39:49,500

perception of of what aliens will look

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00:39:54,950 --> 00:39:52,380

like and how they act they don't act

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00:39:56,210 --> 00:39:54,960

like they there are ancestors they don't

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00:40:01,810 --> 00:39:56,220

seem to know what's going on here on

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00:40:06,530 --> 00:40:04,730

they're out there whatever's behind UFOs

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00:40:08,890 --> 00:40:06,540

is is somewhere out there but I prefer

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00:40:11,329 --> 00:40:08,900

not to solve

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00:40:14,089 --> 00:40:11,339

breaking up again

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00:40:15,890 --> 00:40:14,099

can you hear me yeah okay

976
00:40:17,210 --> 00:40:15,900
um we have another question uh Steve

977
00:40:19,370 --> 00:40:17,220
longan here

978
00:40:21,650 --> 00:40:19,380
um why was none of the data our results

979
00:40:25,609 --> 00:40:21,660
from the ambient research project ever

980
00:40:30,410 --> 00:40:28,790
well the the research wasn't released

981
00:40:31,910 --> 00:40:30,420
because we haven't gone through it we

982
00:40:34,069 --> 00:40:31,920
haven't sifted through that information

983
00:40:37,010 --> 00:40:34,079
yet and and collated and looked at it

984
00:40:38,870 --> 00:40:37,020
with experts and this has been an

985
00:40:40,910 --> 00:40:38,880
ongoing thread now for many years on a

986
00:40:42,530 --> 00:40:40,920
number of blog sites that we're holding

987
00:40:44,450 --> 00:40:42,540
on to this information we're not letting

988
00:40:47,750 --> 00:40:44,460

it out but uh

989

00:40:49,910 --> 00:40:47,760

Our intention was at the time to get

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00:40:54,050 --> 00:40:49,920

enough money and we needed another 25 or

991

00:40:56,390 --> 00:40:54,060

30 000 to complete the statistical

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00:40:57,890 --> 00:40:56,400

investigation of the electronic files to

993

00:41:00,290 --> 00:40:57,900

see whether or not like I mentioned

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00:41:03,650 --> 00:41:00,300

before we had correlations

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00:41:05,810 --> 00:41:03,660

that ran out and then

996

00:41:08,150 --> 00:41:05,820

you know people left and we just didn't

997

00:41:10,730 --> 00:41:08,160

have the the wherewithal then to go

998

00:41:13,370 --> 00:41:10,740

through those that rather huge pile of

999

00:41:15,290 --> 00:41:13,380

electronic data so I know for a fact

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00:41:18,470 --> 00:41:15,300

that Mark roderer at the center for UFO

1001
00:41:21,530 --> 00:41:18,480
studies and myself and and some of the

1002
00:41:23,510 --> 00:41:21,540
the original principal in in

1003
00:41:26,630 --> 00:41:23,520
in the field who was being paid

1004
00:41:28,970 --> 00:41:26,640
full-time we are still engaging with

1005
00:41:30,829 --> 00:41:28,980
people statisticians independent

1006
00:41:32,930 --> 00:41:30,839
statisticians in this case there's one

1007
00:41:34,670 --> 00:41:32,940
one guy actually and who is not

1008
00:41:37,010 --> 00:41:34,680
connected with UFO groups who is looking

1009
00:41:39,530 --> 00:41:37,020
through the data

1010
00:41:41,089 --> 00:41:39,540
the electronic data and the notebooks

1011
00:41:43,310 --> 00:41:41,099
kept by the researchers and we're going

1012
00:41:45,050 --> 00:41:43,320
to find out if there are any

1013
00:41:46,010 --> 00:41:45,060

if there's any Wheat there among the

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00:41:47,870 --> 00:41:46,020

chaff

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00:41:49,250 --> 00:41:47,880

yeah that is really exciting for me

1016

00:41:51,650 --> 00:41:49,260

whenever I hear people that don't

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00:41:54,050 --> 00:41:51,660

normally work in the field who take

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00:41:56,270 --> 00:41:54,060

their special skill set and say hey I'm

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00:41:57,950 --> 00:41:56,280

open to applying it here I feel like

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00:42:00,650 --> 00:41:57,960

that doesn't happen without you know

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00:42:04,010 --> 00:42:00,660

what had happened uh with the Navy Tic

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00:42:06,230 --> 00:42:04,020

Tac stuff um certainly uh Avi Loeb was

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00:42:08,210 --> 00:42:06,240

uh was um

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00:42:11,150 --> 00:42:08,220

you know it kind of cleared the way for

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00:42:13,010 --> 00:42:11,160

for his um take on it

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00:42:16,730 --> 00:42:13,020

um do you find that that groups like

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00:42:18,230 --> 00:42:16,740

uapx as an example who were like you

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00:42:19,490 --> 00:42:18,240

were doing setting up the sensors and

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00:42:21,470 --> 00:42:19,500

stuff or the abductions that they were

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00:42:23,150 --> 00:42:21,480

doing in in another way is there any

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00:42:25,370 --> 00:42:23,160

overlap or do you guys work in

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00:42:27,829 --> 00:42:25,380

conjunction are you dialoguing with each

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00:42:31,550 --> 00:42:27,839

other well I I personally am not but I

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00:42:33,230 --> 00:42:31,560

know all of uipx and and I know that uh

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00:42:34,790 --> 00:42:33,240

the center for UFO studies Michael

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00:42:37,069 --> 00:42:34,800

Rodger does interact with a number of

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00:42:40,730 --> 00:42:37,079

those people not necessarily Avi lobe

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

but uh Evan knuth and yeah and there's

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00:42:45,410 --> 00:42:42,720

some other folks too and and yeah there

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00:42:47,690 --> 00:42:45,420

are a number of uh efforts to make these

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00:42:49,730 --> 00:42:47,700

uh call them what you will boxes or

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00:42:51,650 --> 00:42:49,740

instrument units or what have you but I

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00:42:53,569 --> 00:42:51,660

think that's a fruitful field and and

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00:42:55,730 --> 00:42:53,579

believe me I'm I'm very

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00:42:57,890 --> 00:42:55,740

very very annoyed that the amp project

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00:42:59,510 --> 00:42:57,900

didn't work out here as we expected it

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00:43:02,750 --> 00:42:59,520

to and it's it's almost forgotten now

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00:43:04,370 --> 00:43:02,760

it's a footnote to your UFO history but

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00:43:08,089 --> 00:43:04,380

for some people who sort of keep it

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00:43:09,890 --> 00:43:08,099

alive and and keep sort of uh uh coming

1051
00:43:11,870 --> 00:43:09,900
down on us a little bit as to what are

1052
00:43:14,630 --> 00:43:11,880
you guys doing with that information but

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00:43:16,370 --> 00:43:14,640
it's embarrassing and we we we didn't

1054
00:43:19,309 --> 00:43:16,380
get the job done there

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00:43:21,710 --> 00:43:19,319
okay so for those of you who who aren't

1056
00:43:23,569 --> 00:43:21,720
familiar with this can we take out the

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00:43:25,970 --> 00:43:23,579
um shock paddles and put them our life

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00:43:26,750 --> 00:43:25,980
uh in into the amp project and talk

1059
00:43:29,930 --> 00:43:26,760
about

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00:43:32,990 --> 00:43:29,940
um just over our review uh what what it

1061
00:43:34,910 --> 00:43:33,000
was intended well the intention was to

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00:43:36,410 --> 00:43:34,920
see whether or not there were actual

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00:43:38,990 --> 00:43:36,420

events

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00:43:42,170 --> 00:43:39,000

that abductees described as abductions

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00:43:45,170 --> 00:43:42,180

obviously occurring in in a person's

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00:43:46,790 --> 00:43:45,180

life mostly there we had to decide where

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00:43:49,370 --> 00:43:46,800

do these events occur most of the time

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00:43:51,050 --> 00:43:49,380

in an automobile when they're just

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00:43:52,490 --> 00:43:51,060

walking down the street and in a room in

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00:43:54,050 --> 00:43:52,500

their house in a bedroom what have you

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00:43:56,990 --> 00:43:54,060

because we had to put this instrument

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00:43:59,329 --> 00:43:57,000

unit somewhere and it's a situated

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00:44:01,910 --> 00:43:59,339

somewhere it wasn't portable and so we

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00:44:03,290 --> 00:44:01,920

ended up putting these units mostly in

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00:44:04,910 --> 00:44:03,300

the bedroom of a person because they

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00:44:07,370 --> 00:44:04,920

would say they would be taken in the

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00:44:08,569 --> 00:44:07,380

night and the light would appear and the

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00:44:11,630 --> 00:44:08,579

temperature might go down all this kind

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00:44:13,670 --> 00:44:11,640

of stuff so we studied and worked very

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00:44:16,309 --> 00:44:13,680

closely with Dr Jacobs and Bun Hawkins

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00:44:18,050 --> 00:44:16,319

at the time to find out what types of uh

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00:44:19,550 --> 00:44:18,060

phenomena were reported by people during

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00:44:21,109 --> 00:44:19,560

an abduction and what kind of

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00:44:23,210 --> 00:44:21,119

instruments might be used to pick these

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00:44:26,150 --> 00:44:23,220

up we did not have a camera in the Box

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00:44:29,990 --> 00:44:26,160

for the Privacy aspects you alluded to

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00:44:33,290 --> 00:44:30,000

before nor did we have a us a microphone

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00:44:35,510 --> 00:44:33,300

per se we had a level I A A an

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00:44:38,210 --> 00:44:35,520

instrument that picked up the absence or

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00:44:40,190 --> 00:44:38,220

or the presence of sound and and what

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00:44:41,809 --> 00:44:40,200

decibel level it was but it couldn't

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00:44:43,730 --> 00:44:41,819

make out words or anything like that so

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00:44:46,550 --> 00:44:43,740

you could say oh yes a loud sound just

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00:44:50,630 --> 00:44:46,560

occurred in a lasted uh a third of a

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00:44:52,970 --> 00:44:50,640

second so we had a best guess as to what

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00:44:54,890 --> 00:44:52,980

the instruments might pick up uh parts

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00:44:58,010 --> 00:44:54,900

of an abduction and we stuff those into

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00:44:59,569 --> 00:44:58,020

this box and we plugged it in and hooked

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00:45:01,730 --> 00:44:59,579

it up to a modem

1100

00:45:04,569 --> 00:45:01,740

and it's just a way for three or six

1101
00:45:10,370 --> 00:45:04,579
months until this the particular uh

1102
00:45:14,809 --> 00:45:13,010
so um it's interesting because AI

1103
00:45:18,050 --> 00:45:14,819
technology is

1104
00:45:19,730 --> 00:45:18,060
it's getting so I the first thought came

1105
00:45:22,670 --> 00:45:19,740
in was scary

1106
00:45:26,690 --> 00:45:22,680
um because it's you know like I chat

1107
00:45:28,250 --> 00:45:26,700
um right I mean it's it's it's insane

1108
00:45:29,809 --> 00:45:28,260
um what is I want to say coming but it's

1109
00:45:31,910 --> 00:45:29,819
already here because you know they're

1110
00:45:34,370 --> 00:45:31,920
Stanford students that got called out

1111
00:45:37,910 --> 00:45:34,380
for using them to write their term

1112
00:45:41,870 --> 00:45:37,920
papers the technology and it's it is uh

1113
00:45:45,170 --> 00:45:41,880

Jesus insane I'm interested in in

1114

00:45:48,109 --> 00:45:45,180

applying that to some of the

1115

00:45:50,750 --> 00:45:48,119

um data that has been gathered I wonder

1116

00:45:52,790 --> 00:45:50,760

what would be you know derived from that

1117

00:45:56,210 --> 00:45:52,800

if anything

1118

00:45:58,790 --> 00:45:56,220

yeah who who who who knows there Dean

1119

00:46:01,010 --> 00:45:58,800

um and it's been 20 years now since

1120

00:46:02,510 --> 00:46:01,020

the amp project came to end and the data

1121

00:46:05,750 --> 00:46:02,520

we got

1122

00:46:07,609 --> 00:46:05,760

it could be much more easily harvested

1123

00:46:09,770 --> 00:46:07,619

now with with better equipment smaller

1124

00:46:13,010 --> 00:46:09,780

equipment less expensive equipment that

1125

00:46:14,270 --> 00:46:13,020

the study could be redone and this time

1126
00:46:16,069 --> 00:46:14,280
maybe it could even be something that

1127
00:46:18,950 --> 00:46:16,079
you could have in a car or it could it

1128
00:46:20,329 --> 00:46:18,960
could use you know Wi-Fi and Bluetooth

1129
00:46:22,430 --> 00:46:20,339
and all this kind of stuff that was a

1130
00:46:24,950 --> 00:46:22,440
little bit ahead of us we still had to

1131
00:46:28,490 --> 00:46:24,960
have our units hooked up via by a cable

1132
00:46:30,290 --> 00:46:28,500
to to the uh to the phone lines and in

1133
00:46:32,569 --> 00:46:30,300
the house so we could modem the

1134
00:46:35,750 --> 00:46:32,579
information each day but if anybody

1135
00:46:38,809 --> 00:46:35,760
wants to do abduction research that's a

1136
00:46:41,690 --> 00:46:38,819
fantastic area to start and

1137
00:46:43,370 --> 00:46:41,700
it's easier to do than it was for us we

1138
00:46:46,250 --> 00:46:43,380

had to engage a lab to build this stuff

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00:46:51,230 --> 00:46:46,260

and pay someone to design the Box a lot

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00:46:55,790 --> 00:46:53,690

oh I'm losing you a lot of this was

1141

00:46:59,210 --> 00:46:55,800

really yeah a lot of this equipment is

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00:47:01,069 --> 00:46:59,220

off the shelf now and uh I think the the

1143

00:47:03,290 --> 00:47:01,079

amp project could be done much cheaper

1144

00:47:05,750 --> 00:47:03,300

and much better I think than than we

1145

00:47:11,089 --> 00:47:05,760

than our pioneering effort to do it so

1146

00:47:13,329 --> 00:47:11,099

what area of uh ufology u8 apology I

1147

00:47:16,130 --> 00:47:13,339

guess we can't say UAP all that sounds

1148

00:47:17,569 --> 00:47:16,140

that just sounds awful it does not roll

1149

00:47:21,890 --> 00:47:17,579

off the tongue at all

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00:47:25,190 --> 00:47:21,900

um what area of it uh is your your uh

1151
00:47:26,990 --> 00:47:25,200
kind of the the chewy inside for you the

1152
00:47:29,210 --> 00:47:27,000
caramel inside what is the thing that

1153
00:47:31,309 --> 00:47:29,220
really um keeps you going did it start

1154
00:47:33,950 --> 00:47:31,319
out with sightings and then become

1155
00:47:36,349 --> 00:47:33,960
abductions or

1156
00:47:37,970 --> 00:47:36,359
yeah yeah it you know that's a good

1157
00:47:39,410 --> 00:47:37,980
question do you no one ever quite put it

1158
00:47:41,930 --> 00:47:39,420
that way to me

1159
00:47:44,030 --> 00:47:41,940
um I I did morph into abductions for a

1160
00:47:45,470 --> 00:47:44,040
while into studying abductions my wife

1161
00:47:47,690 --> 00:47:45,480
and I did and I worked closely with

1162
00:47:50,809 --> 00:47:47,700
Richard Hall and we interviewed quite a

1163
00:47:52,730 --> 00:47:50,819

few people but I I'm not comfortable

1164

00:47:55,550 --> 00:47:52,740

with abductions I certainly think

1165

00:47:57,890 --> 00:47:55,560

something's going on and

1166

00:48:00,589 --> 00:47:57,900

uh after the amp project came to an end

1167

00:48:02,210 --> 00:48:00,599

I didn't see any what Mike continued

1168

00:48:04,609 --> 00:48:02,220

presence with abductees was going to do

1169

00:48:06,349 --> 00:48:04,619

short of reassuring them that the

1170

00:48:08,630 --> 00:48:06,359

phenomenon probably wasn't going to kill

1171

00:48:11,030 --> 00:48:08,640

them or if they they did emerge alive

1172

00:48:13,010 --> 00:48:11,040

after each episode I would still keep in

1173

00:48:14,930 --> 00:48:13,020

touch with people and I work closely

1174

00:48:17,030 --> 00:48:14,940

with some of them but gee I sort of

1175

00:48:21,589 --> 00:48:17,040

moved a little bit away from abductions

1176

00:48:24,410 --> 00:48:21,599

and I'm still just back to sightings

1177

00:48:31,250 --> 00:48:24,420

unfortunately and and what time I have

1178

00:48:36,770 --> 00:48:34,250

Outreach basis you you do try to find

1179

00:48:38,569 --> 00:48:36,780

sorry we lost you again yeah I'm I'm

1180

00:48:41,210 --> 00:48:38,579

trying to find what what sightings are

1181

00:48:43,430 --> 00:48:41,220

are occurring nowadays because I I think

1182

00:48:45,290 --> 00:48:43,440

the only thing I can do at this point is

1183

00:48:47,990 --> 00:48:45,300

to try to

1184

00:48:51,410 --> 00:48:48,000

get a scientist or scientists interested

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00:48:53,569 --> 00:48:51,420

in looking into the phenomenon and how

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00:48:56,270 --> 00:48:53,579

can I do that the best way to do it is

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00:48:58,370 --> 00:48:56,280

to show that person what kind of cases

1188

00:48:59,210 --> 00:48:58,380

are occurring today and what's happening

1189

00:49:02,630 --> 00:48:59,220

today

1190

00:49:05,510 --> 00:49:02,640

and you know working with Newfoundland to

1191

00:49:09,230 --> 00:49:05,520

the best of my ability there and

1192

00:49:11,510 --> 00:49:09,240

and because ultimately if science looks

1193

00:49:13,010 --> 00:49:11,520

at this phenomenon and gets paid for

1194

00:49:16,010 --> 00:49:13,020

doing it they're going to have to look

1195

00:49:18,470 --> 00:49:16,020

at new cases and new cases are something

1196

00:49:20,450 --> 00:49:18,480

that muon has they're not going to look

1197

00:49:22,670 --> 00:49:20,460

at cases from the 50s as much as we like

1198

00:49:26,030 --> 00:49:22,680

them as in the 60s as much as we like

1199

00:49:28,670 --> 00:49:26,040

them they want new data and I can tell

1200

00:49:31,309 --> 00:49:28,680

somebody what kind of new sightings or

1201
00:49:32,750 --> 00:49:31,319
what the sightings are today and where

1202
00:49:35,930 --> 00:49:32,760
you might want to go and who you might

1203
00:49:38,510 --> 00:49:35,940
want to speak with and that's I think

1204
00:49:40,910 --> 00:49:38,520
what I could I could do okay I want to

1205
00:49:42,490 --> 00:49:40,920
hit that but it's it's interesting I I

1206
00:49:45,829 --> 00:49:42,500
kind of went the other way

1207
00:49:48,470 --> 00:49:45,839
I I mean I've always been fascinated in

1208
00:49:50,230 --> 00:49:48,480
all aspects of the phenomenon

1209
00:49:53,690 --> 00:49:50,240
um but

1210
00:49:55,730 --> 00:49:53,700
I started out interested in the craft

1211
00:49:57,290 --> 00:49:55,740
and wanting to get footage of the craft

1212
00:49:58,790 --> 00:49:57,300
and and see it and I've seen some

1213
00:50:00,349 --> 00:49:58,800

compelling

1214

00:50:03,109 --> 00:50:00,359

um footage for sure

1215

00:50:04,910 --> 00:50:03,119

uh and I kind of feel like after all

1216

00:50:06,170 --> 00:50:04,920

these years and even though everyone has

1217

00:50:08,030 --> 00:50:06,180

a cell phone I always like to make the

1218

00:50:09,290 --> 00:50:08,040

joke when everyone says you know when I

1219

00:50:10,849 --> 00:50:09,300

get the old

1220

00:50:12,589 --> 00:50:10,859

the old knee-jerk reaction well

1221

00:50:14,510 --> 00:50:12,599

everyone's got a phone camera now so

1222

00:50:17,150 --> 00:50:14,520

they can be doing I'm like yeah but look

1223

00:50:20,270 --> 00:50:17,160

at their field of view

1224

00:50:22,910 --> 00:50:20,280

you know no one is going like this

1225

00:50:25,250 --> 00:50:22,920

you know and so uh everyone's looking

1226
00:50:26,870 --> 00:50:25,260
down and so it doesn't mean that you

1227
00:50:28,849 --> 00:50:26,880
know we're going to be getting more of

1228
00:50:32,930 --> 00:50:28,859
this but

1229
00:50:35,390 --> 00:50:32,940
um I feel like it's kind of so far

1230
00:50:37,670 --> 00:50:35,400
almost capped out in certain things I

1231
00:50:40,609 --> 00:50:37,680
mean I still do not have any shots that

1232
00:50:42,589 --> 00:50:40,619
I've seen footage that are compelling

1233
00:50:44,990 --> 00:50:42,599
for me that that I feel intuitively like

1234
00:50:46,670 --> 00:50:45,000
all right I'm seeing nuts and bolts I'm

1235
00:50:49,130 --> 00:50:46,680
seeing panels I'm seeing this and that

1236
00:50:50,990 --> 00:50:49,140
several witnesses have seen those

1237
00:50:53,690 --> 00:50:51,000
but I there's no picture I can hold up

1238
00:50:55,549 --> 00:50:53,700

and say hey here it is here's the panel

1239

00:50:57,710 --> 00:50:55,559

here's a little smudge print here's you

1240

00:50:59,809 --> 00:50:57,720

know right they left a little gas or you

1241

00:51:01,309 --> 00:50:59,819

know a little oil from changing the oil

1242

00:51:04,370 --> 00:51:01,319

under it

1243

00:51:06,290 --> 00:51:04,380

um and so for me it it always is about

1244

00:51:07,790 --> 00:51:06,300

humans always about people The Human

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00:51:10,130 --> 00:51:07,800

Experience the you know people

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00:51:13,430 --> 00:51:10,140

experience and so I I kind of ended up

1247

00:51:14,569 --> 00:51:13,440

finding myself going back to the

1248

00:51:17,450 --> 00:51:14,579

experiencers

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00:51:20,569 --> 00:51:17,460

and and looking at at what they have and

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00:51:22,309 --> 00:51:20,579

and I again anything that that I'm

1251

00:51:24,309 --> 00:51:22,319

pursuing I think we have to look at you

1252

00:51:27,470 --> 00:51:24,319

know sleep paralysis and all those other

1253

00:51:28,970 --> 00:51:27,480

prosaic possibilities but you know I

1254

00:51:32,150 --> 00:51:28,980

always look for certain things like if

1255

00:51:35,750 --> 00:51:32,160

someone says you know no my spouse next

1256

00:51:37,490 --> 00:51:35,760

to me in bed saw the same thing well two

1257

00:51:38,569 --> 00:51:37,500

people don't have sleep paralysis I

1258

00:51:41,210 --> 00:51:38,579

don't know unless there's a sleep

1259

00:51:42,950 --> 00:51:41,220

paralysis dating website app that you

1260

00:51:45,589 --> 00:51:42,960

you know swipe right for someone that

1261

00:51:46,910 --> 00:51:45,599

that has paralysis while they sleep yeah

1262

00:51:48,410 --> 00:51:46,920

let's hook up

1263

00:51:50,569 --> 00:51:48,420

um so it's really

1264

00:51:52,130 --> 00:51:50,579

you know for me though those things are

1265

00:51:55,549 --> 00:51:52,140

still of Interest

1266

00:51:57,890 --> 00:51:55,559

but you know again it's it's how do we

1267

00:51:59,210 --> 00:51:57,900

get that I hate to use that term because

1268

00:52:00,349 --> 00:51:59,220

it's like saying disclosure but the

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00:52:02,150 --> 00:52:00,359

Smoking Gun

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00:52:04,670 --> 00:52:02,160

and so it sounds like you've had your

1271

00:52:06,650 --> 00:52:04,680

frustrations you know across the board

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00:52:08,630 --> 00:52:06,660

but you're still very you know

1273

00:52:11,950 --> 00:52:08,640

optimistic and you're getting you know

1274

00:52:14,329 --> 00:52:11,960

doing sightings research I I am and and

1275

00:52:16,490 --> 00:52:14,339

one of the reasons I I haven't

1276

00:52:18,049 --> 00:52:16,500

completely walked away from abductions

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00:52:21,410 --> 00:52:18,059

you know and yeah I would like to find

1278

00:52:24,109 --> 00:52:21,420

the Smoky saucer but nonetheless

1279

00:52:26,450 --> 00:52:24,119

but Bud Hopkins passed away a number of

1280

00:52:27,710 --> 00:52:26,460

years ago uh we'd have a guy we used to

1281

00:52:29,990 --> 00:52:27,720

have a fellow Richard Haynes who was

1282

00:52:30,890 --> 00:52:30,000

another researcher he he's very elderly

1283

00:52:33,410 --> 00:52:30,900

now and

1284

00:52:35,089 --> 00:52:33,420

I'm always retired for field uh Dave

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00:52:37,730 --> 00:52:35,099

Jacobs is no longer active in the field

1286

00:52:40,069 --> 00:52:37,740

so we don't have these large profile

1287

00:52:42,710 --> 00:52:40,079

prominent abduction researchers that we

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00:52:44,510 --> 00:52:42,720

had 20 25 years ago who were pretty

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00:52:46,910 --> 00:52:44,520

transparent about the work they were

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00:52:50,230 --> 00:52:46,920

doing and I don't know of anybody I

1291

00:52:53,089 --> 00:52:50,240

could really point to that is prominent

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00:52:55,970 --> 00:52:53,099

I know some abduction researchers but

1293

00:52:58,370 --> 00:52:55,980

who is prominent and and is publishing a

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00:53:00,530 --> 00:52:58,380

lot and is making lectures and is saying

1295

00:53:03,410 --> 00:53:00,540

here's what here's what abductees are

1296

00:53:05,329 --> 00:53:03,420

reporting now so I couldn't really tell

1297

00:53:07,730 --> 00:53:05,339

you are there any new wrinkles in the

1298

00:53:11,569 --> 00:53:07,740

UFO Abduction field now that weren't

1299

00:53:15,290 --> 00:53:11,579

there in the year 2000 or in 1990

1300

00:53:17,210 --> 00:53:15,300

uh and and there's a big hole there I

1301
00:53:18,650 --> 00:53:17,220
and when I read every once in a while

1302
00:53:20,270 --> 00:53:18,660
someone will write an account of an

1303
00:53:21,589 --> 00:53:20,280
abduction who apparently is an abduction

1304
00:53:23,809 --> 00:53:21,599
researcher

1305
00:53:26,270 --> 00:53:23,819
I don't learn anything new they're just

1306
00:53:28,730 --> 00:53:26,280
telling me stuff that was extant back in

1307
00:53:30,650 --> 00:53:28,740
1980 about missing time and oh they can

1308
00:53:32,030 --> 00:53:30,660
disappear anytime on and that they're

1309
00:53:34,130 --> 00:53:32,040
gone missing they could go for a walk

1310
00:53:35,930 --> 00:53:34,140
and have an experience I know all that

1311
00:53:38,930 --> 00:53:35,940
like but

1312
00:53:40,930 --> 00:53:38,940
is anything new there Dave Jacobs had

1313
00:53:44,210 --> 00:53:40,940

some very

1314

00:53:46,430 --> 00:53:44,220

buy into it or not as you will he had a

1315

00:53:48,710 --> 00:53:46,440

very explicit scenario he saw that was

1316

00:53:50,870 --> 00:53:48,720

unfolding here on Earth with regard to

1317

00:53:52,549 --> 00:53:50,880

the the so-called aliens and abduction

1318

00:53:55,069 --> 00:53:52,559

and abductees

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00:53:57,829 --> 00:53:55,079

are those things still occurring to

1320

00:54:00,910 --> 00:53:57,839

abductees Dave's not around to tell us

1321

00:54:04,130 --> 00:54:00,920

but our people still being trained by

1322

00:54:06,349 --> 00:54:04,140

these people who are half hybrids are

1323

00:54:09,109 --> 00:54:06,359

these are they still being asked oh how

1324

00:54:11,390 --> 00:54:09,119

do I eat or how do I act in public so I

1325

00:54:13,370 --> 00:54:11,400

can fit in with human society I have no

1326
00:54:14,569 --> 00:54:13,380
idea because no abduction researchers

1327
00:54:16,790 --> 00:54:14,579
are writing about that kind of stuff

1328
00:54:19,010 --> 00:54:16,800
that's a really good point we don't have

1329
00:54:22,970 --> 00:54:19,020
you know someone who who comes from

1330
00:54:26,089 --> 00:54:22,980
Temple University right or Harvard or is

1331
00:54:27,530 --> 00:54:26,099
a you know world-class artists like Bud

1332
00:54:29,150 --> 00:54:27,540
Hopkins

1333
00:54:30,770 --> 00:54:29,160
um David is still around but he's yeah

1334
00:54:33,829 --> 00:54:30,780
like you said you know kind of inactive

1335
00:54:36,049 --> 00:54:33,839
but his research in the hybrids I think

1336
00:54:37,490 --> 00:54:36,059
was um I would say that would be a

1337
00:54:38,750 --> 00:54:37,500
specialty uh

1338
00:54:41,990 --> 00:54:38,760

um a good friend of mine is actually

1339

00:54:43,849 --> 00:54:42,000

working on something right now that um

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00:54:45,410 --> 00:54:43,859

you know gets involved in the hybrid

1341

00:54:46,309 --> 00:54:45,420

program

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00:54:48,349 --> 00:54:46,319

um

1343

00:54:50,390 --> 00:54:48,359

which it's

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00:54:52,370 --> 00:54:50,400

again it's it's

1345

00:54:54,410 --> 00:54:52,380

you can tell me anything you can say

1346

00:54:57,349 --> 00:54:54,420

that dragons exist

1347

00:54:59,089 --> 00:54:57,359

but I need to study you

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00:55:01,730 --> 00:54:59,099

I need to study the person who's telling

1349

00:55:03,230 --> 00:55:01,740

me this in order for me to find uh you

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00:55:05,569 --> 00:55:03,240

know something that is relatable to

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00:55:08,750 --> 00:55:05,579
truth because unless you know I can I

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00:55:10,430 --> 00:55:08,760
can see it and um you know it is that's

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00:55:13,569 --> 00:55:10,440
a really good point we don't have that

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00:55:16,490 --> 00:55:13,579
kind of person out there I mean you know

1355
00:55:18,109 --> 00:55:16,500
you know to a lesser or more or lesser

1356
00:55:19,430 --> 00:55:18,119
degree you've got Avi Loeb who's kind of

1357
00:55:20,809 --> 00:55:19,440
you know the Galileo project who's

1358
00:55:23,809 --> 00:55:20,819
leading that and and you know there's

1359
00:55:25,069 --> 00:55:23,819
Harvard again but yeah we don't we don't

1360
00:55:26,569 --> 00:55:25,079
have that I mean there's a lot of people

1361
00:55:28,490 --> 00:55:26,579
not to insult people that do a lot of

1362
00:55:29,750 --> 00:55:28,500
research like Yvonne Smith

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00:55:30,950 --> 00:55:29,760

you know

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00:55:33,589 --> 00:55:30,960

um probably a whole bunch of other

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00:55:36,410 --> 00:55:33,599

people but as far as people who are out

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00:55:38,150 --> 00:55:36,420

there on Oprah say are you know

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00:55:40,670 --> 00:55:38,160

you know writing those books that are

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00:55:42,770 --> 00:55:40,680

covered by the big we you know we don't

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00:55:45,410 --> 00:55:42,780

we need that yeah they're not there and

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00:55:48,349 --> 00:55:45,420

you combine that with the uh very

1371

00:55:50,930 --> 00:55:48,359

well-known reluctance of abductees to

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00:55:54,230 --> 00:55:50,940

really go out and be interviewed by

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00:55:57,549 --> 00:55:54,240

people and appear on uh publicly and or

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00:55:59,870 --> 00:55:57,559

on talk shows or podcasts now

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00:56:02,210 --> 00:55:59,880

speaking of talk shows and radio every

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00:56:04,250 --> 00:56:02,220

once in a while we would get a request

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00:56:07,430 --> 00:56:04,260

from someone in the news media can you

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00:56:08,690 --> 00:56:07,440

kgrn for you for one second KGO we're

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00:56:11,270 --> 00:56:08,700

going to be signing off so thank you

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00:56:14,329 --> 00:56:11,280

kgra listeners

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00:56:16,970 --> 00:56:14,339

um continue we'll be going to uh YouTube

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00:56:18,470 --> 00:56:16,980

as we continue here but uh sign off

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00:56:20,450 --> 00:56:18,480

there and thank you for listening sorry

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00:56:23,210 --> 00:56:20,460

go ahead oh yeah I was just saying that

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00:56:26,809 --> 00:56:23,220

that every once in a while we would get

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00:56:28,609 --> 00:56:26,819

a request from a news media person can

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00:56:30,829 --> 00:56:28,619

you direct me to an abductee that I

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00:56:32,390 --> 00:56:30,839

could interview or speak with and I

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00:56:33,530 --> 00:56:32,400

always cringe when that request comes up

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00:56:37,309 --> 00:56:33,540

because

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00:56:38,930 --> 00:56:37,319

the abductees or experiencers don't like

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00:56:41,630 --> 00:56:38,940

to do that they don't really like to

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00:56:43,849 --> 00:56:41,640

give lectures at the mufon Symposium on

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00:56:47,870 --> 00:56:43,859

their experiences you get the rare one

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00:56:49,849 --> 00:56:47,880

that will but it's not very common and

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00:56:53,270 --> 00:56:49,859

so that even makes it more difficult

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00:56:56,809 --> 00:56:53,280

okay that that is really interesting

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00:56:58,549 --> 00:56:56,819

um Rob because I always uh analogy I use

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00:57:01,390 --> 00:56:58,559

whenever I hear someone who's who's

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00:57:06,290 --> 00:57:01,400

inclined to look at it in a humorous way

1401

00:57:08,210 --> 00:57:06,300

the tinfoil hat you know um slant it

1402

00:57:10,790 --> 00:57:08,220

it's always very upsetting because I say

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00:57:13,130 --> 00:57:10,800

you know you're going to say oh really

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00:57:14,750 --> 00:57:13,140

it was a UFO was a triangular was it a

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00:57:17,089 --> 00:57:14,760

flying saucer

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00:57:18,530 --> 00:57:17,099

um and then they you know do they probe

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00:57:21,650 --> 00:57:18,540

you do they do this and that and I

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00:57:25,130 --> 00:57:21,660

always say okay what if I said oh you

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00:57:27,770 --> 00:57:25,140

were abducted by another human was it a

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00:57:30,290 --> 00:57:27,780

black van or was it a white fan you know

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00:57:33,410 --> 00:57:30,300

was there rope in the back did they do

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00:57:35,510 --> 00:57:33,420

this and that blah blah and so when you

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00:57:36,770 --> 00:57:35,520

have abductees that go and speak in

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00:57:39,950 --> 00:57:36,780

front of people that have to do that

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00:57:41,089 --> 00:57:39,960

it's like saying I'm someone and Grant I

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00:57:44,030 --> 00:57:41,099

know there are a lot of experiences that

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00:57:46,190 --> 00:57:44,040

that have made their peace with with

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00:57:48,530 --> 00:57:46,200

that type of relationship that they're

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00:57:51,410 --> 00:57:48,540

you know having with these beings but

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00:57:53,030 --> 00:57:51,420

but there still is that aspect of I have

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00:57:54,890 --> 00:57:53,040

to go and say Here's this traumatic

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00:57:55,970 --> 00:57:54,900

thing where I was overtaken I mean

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00:57:58,250 --> 00:57:55,980

that's the fact

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00:58:00,470 --> 00:57:58,260

and and I'm I got to speak about it so

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00:58:02,390 --> 00:58:00,480

how many people who are you know who

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00:58:04,069 --> 00:58:02,400

have been abducted by other humans and

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00:58:05,690 --> 00:58:04,079

stuff want to get up on stage and speak

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00:58:08,930 --> 00:58:05,700

about that and talk about that and do

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00:58:11,150 --> 00:58:08,940

selfies with people you know and some of

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00:58:13,670 --> 00:58:11,160

these cases as you well know are

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00:58:15,290 --> 00:58:13,680

enormously personal it's difficult to do

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00:58:18,230 --> 00:58:15,300

it even in the privacy of a room with

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00:58:19,670 --> 00:58:18,240

the abductees to ask them some of the

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00:58:21,589 --> 00:58:19,680

questions you have to ask in order to

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00:58:24,170 --> 00:58:21,599

give a to give up

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00:58:27,770 --> 00:58:24,180

get a complete review of what occurred

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00:58:29,930 --> 00:58:27,780

to them and all kinds of questions and

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00:58:31,370 --> 00:58:29,940

and some of them are very touchy and

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00:58:32,750 --> 00:58:31,380

then you're going to say to a person oh

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00:58:34,670 --> 00:58:32,760

do you want to go up and talk about the

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00:58:37,130 --> 00:58:34,680

new funds Symposium about this

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00:58:40,309 --> 00:58:37,140

particular abduction hell no they're not

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00:58:42,170 --> 00:58:40,319

going to do that yeah yeah I always feel

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00:58:44,030 --> 00:58:42,180

like whenever I'm I'm asking someone to

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00:58:45,530 --> 00:58:44,040

do that I you know I worked on crime

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00:58:47,750 --> 00:58:45,540

shows for 20 years

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00:58:50,150 --> 00:58:47,760

and it's like going and talking to the

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00:58:51,770 --> 00:58:50,160

victims again you know a lot of these

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00:58:52,970 --> 00:58:51,780

people are not you know victims some of

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00:58:54,589 --> 00:58:52,980

these people have done TED talks and

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00:58:56,930 --> 00:58:54,599

stuff you wouldn't know it uh they're

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00:58:58,069 --> 00:58:56,940

functioning and they're able to to um

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00:58:59,569 --> 00:58:58,079

you know look at it like it's this

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00:59:03,109 --> 00:58:59,579

relationship thing especially like you

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00:59:04,730 --> 00:59:03,119

know Whitley strieber will say that but

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00:59:06,349 --> 00:59:04,740

but at the end of the day it's still you

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00:59:08,390 --> 00:59:06,359

know going up and asking people to say

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00:59:10,370 --> 00:59:08,400

yeah you know share this and it's kind

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00:59:12,589 --> 00:59:10,380

of like why am I sharing this you know

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00:59:14,930 --> 00:59:12,599

are we furthering the agenda along or is

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00:59:17,990 --> 00:59:14,940

it just kind of entertainment so

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00:59:20,390 --> 00:59:18,000

somewhere between the two I think is uh

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00:59:22,609 --> 00:59:20,400

is where it at least should lie so what

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00:59:24,410 --> 00:59:22,619

are you excited about today in the UFO

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00:59:26,510 --> 00:59:24,420

field what what gets you up what gets

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00:59:29,030 --> 00:59:26,520

you excited uh

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00:59:32,210 --> 00:59:29,040

well the the prospect that maybe uh

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00:59:34,069 --> 00:59:32,220

things might open up a little bit with

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00:59:35,750 --> 00:59:34,079

regard to the the government's sightings

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00:59:37,970 --> 00:59:35,760

and the frustrations that are behind

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00:59:39,890 --> 00:59:37,980

their their research and and they're

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00:59:41,630 --> 00:59:39,900

they're obviously have pushed into the

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00:59:45,710 --> 00:59:41,640

tent here the at least the U.S

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00:59:47,210 --> 00:59:45,720

government has and uh and what's going

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00:59:50,030 --> 00:59:47,220

to come up you know after they turn the

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00:59:51,770 --> 00:59:50,040

crank on the other end there and so it's

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00:59:53,990 --> 00:59:51,780

from from that aspect it's just pretty

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00:59:55,130 --> 00:59:54,000

exciting and and mufon has been working

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00:59:57,470 --> 00:59:55,140

a little bit with some of the

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00:59:59,270 --> 00:59:57,480

congressional committees so it will be

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01:00:02,150 --> 00:59:59,280

interesting to hear exactly how far some

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01:00:06,049 --> 01:00:02,160

of that that has gone I don't know where

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01:00:08,950 --> 01:00:06,059

it has gone and so we have

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01:00:11,150 --> 01:00:08,960

the possibility that maybe

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01:00:13,370 --> 01:00:11,160

they'll be

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01:00:16,130 --> 01:00:13,380

some more definitive conclusions about

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01:00:17,930 --> 01:00:16,140

some of these sightings than we have

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01:00:19,849 --> 01:00:17,940

received in the past I'm not

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01:00:22,730 --> 01:00:19,859

tremendously hopeful that that's going

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01:00:24,470 --> 01:00:22,740

to happen but Hope Springs Eternal I

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01:00:25,789 --> 01:00:24,480

guess

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01:00:28,730 --> 01:00:25,799

um there's a question here I can see in

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01:00:30,470 --> 01:00:28,740

the chat by Dr Richard

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01:00:32,750 --> 01:00:30,480

um he says can't the ETS present

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01:00:35,150 --> 01:00:32,760

themselves in the ways that they want us

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01:00:36,950 --> 01:00:35,160

to perceive them in ways that may be

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01:00:40,690 --> 01:00:36,960

deceptive

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01:00:43,670 --> 01:00:40,700

that kind of um

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01:00:45,410 --> 01:00:43,680

that kind of answers uh that question in

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01:00:48,650 --> 01:00:45,420

and of itself that that they do want to

1501
01:00:51,109 --> 01:00:48,660
be deceptive so the question is why why

1502
01:00:53,210 --> 01:00:51,119
would they want to be deceptive yeah

1503
01:00:55,250 --> 01:00:53,220
well Dean that's that's completely

1504
01:00:57,770 --> 01:00:55,260
speculative because you you and I could

1505
01:00:59,809 --> 01:00:57,780
do another three hours of podcasting

1506
01:01:01,309 --> 01:00:59,819
could just speculate on exactly why they

1507
01:01:05,510 --> 01:01:01,319
might be doing what what it is they seem

1508
01:01:09,049 --> 01:01:05,520
to be doing but uh we we don't know uh

1509
01:01:10,789 --> 01:01:09,059
and I I don't know why UFOs appear like

1510
01:01:13,430 --> 01:01:10,799
they do or why abduction really why

1511
01:01:15,349 --> 01:01:13,440
abductions occur uh if we're dealing

1512
01:01:18,230 --> 01:01:15,359
with I always end up by saying if we're

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01:01:20,450 --> 01:01:18,240

dealing with an alien species or a

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01:01:22,549 --> 01:01:20,460

non-human intelligence we don't know how

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01:01:24,950 --> 01:01:22,559

that intelligence is going to act their

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01:01:26,930 --> 01:01:24,960

logic doesn't equal our logic

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01:01:28,490 --> 01:01:26,940

uh the things that we would say well

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01:01:30,349 --> 01:01:28,500

they should land and make contact with

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01:01:32,690 --> 01:01:30,359

the leaders of the countries well that

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01:01:35,270 --> 01:01:32,700

might not be in their playbook

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01:01:37,190 --> 01:01:35,280

another thing I sometimes have said is

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01:01:38,210 --> 01:01:37,200

that Woody Allen once wrote about UFOs

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01:01:40,010 --> 01:01:38,220

and he said

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01:01:42,950 --> 01:01:40,020

for all I know maybe they just like to

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01:01:45,530 --> 01:01:42,960

hover so you know that's as good an

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01:01:47,630 --> 01:01:45,540

answer as almost any uh

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01:01:51,109 --> 01:01:47,640

right

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01:01:52,670 --> 01:01:51,119

you know my cat doesn't know why I I do

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01:01:55,069 --> 01:01:52,680

the things I I do and I don't know why

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01:01:56,770 --> 01:01:55,079

she does the things she does and and the

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01:01:58,910 --> 01:01:56,780

cats in the house all the time

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01:01:59,809 --> 01:01:58,920

yeah well it's kind of interesting

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01:02:02,210 --> 01:01:59,819

because

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01:02:05,569 --> 01:02:02,220

um looking at it from that that other

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01:02:07,430 --> 01:02:05,579

perspective you know it's uh it's it is

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01:02:10,370 --> 01:02:07,440

a challenge because you know again

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01:02:12,049 --> 01:02:10,380

whenever I hear someone who is is like

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01:02:14,030 --> 01:02:12,059

an astrophysicist they say well you know

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01:02:17,329 --> 01:02:14,040

the physics are the physics it's the law

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01:02:19,309 --> 01:02:17,339

it's this or that it's like no they've

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01:02:21,650 --> 01:02:19,319

changed a few times over the history and

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01:02:25,069 --> 01:02:21,660

and and Einstein himself has been

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01:02:26,630 --> 01:02:25,079

Rewritten you know a couple times and so

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01:02:30,049 --> 01:02:26,640

I think it's you know we don't know what

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01:02:32,870 --> 01:02:30,059

we don't know and for me it's you know I

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01:02:34,309 --> 01:02:32,880

kind of um if I can step out and and and

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01:02:37,010 --> 01:02:34,319

take my frustrations and

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01:02:38,990 --> 01:02:37,020

compartmentalize it I'm left with

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01:02:40,970 --> 01:02:39,000

well I guess we're not supposed to know

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01:02:44,930 --> 01:02:40,980

the ending you know the third act the

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01:02:47,569 --> 01:02:44,940

climax of this yet and you know for

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01:02:49,609 --> 01:02:47,579

researching bears

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01:02:52,130 --> 01:02:49,619

um you know we tag them we knock them

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01:02:54,410 --> 01:02:52,140

out so they don't rip our heads off

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01:02:56,630 --> 01:02:54,420

um we do the same type of you know we

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01:02:58,549 --> 01:02:56,640

take uh you know stool samples we take

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01:03:02,210 --> 01:02:58,559

blood sample et cetera I'm not gonna

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01:03:04,010 --> 01:03:02,220

drop myself off in a den of bears

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01:03:05,450 --> 01:03:04,020

and just assume everything's going to be

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01:03:08,150 --> 01:03:05,460

fine

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01:03:10,970 --> 01:03:08,160

um you know we're definitely a violent

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01:03:12,589 --> 01:03:10,980

you know species and and uh still

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01:03:13,789 --> 01:03:12,599

warring heavily

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01:03:15,890 --> 01:03:13,799

um I think we have we'll have better

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01:03:17,930 --> 01:03:15,900

luck with that when we get our you know

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01:03:20,630 --> 01:03:17,940

what together and

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01:03:22,309 --> 01:03:20,640

um and and you know we can all agree on

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01:03:24,470 --> 01:03:22,319

you know certain things that are

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01:03:26,750 --> 01:03:24,480

empirical like not killing your fellow

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01:03:29,329 --> 01:03:26,760

man and not doing things that that want

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01:03:30,770 --> 01:03:29,339

to make them kill you so when we get to

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01:03:35,390 --> 01:03:30,780

that then we know all right well there's

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01:03:37,970 --> 01:03:35,400

no you know um danger here but barring

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01:03:40,309 --> 01:03:37,980

that I'm not I'm not sure as much as I

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01:03:42,710 --> 01:03:40,319

really you know would like to see them

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01:03:44,809 --> 01:03:42,720

and have it be a formal thing but it's

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01:03:46,910 --> 01:03:44,819

again it's kind of like um

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01:03:48,410 --> 01:03:46,920

you know I don't we can't handle their

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01:03:50,750 --> 01:03:48,420

technology we keep screwing up or

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01:03:52,490 --> 01:03:50,760

weaponizing everything so I don't I see

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01:03:56,390 --> 01:03:52,500

both sides I don't know where you sit on

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01:03:58,190 --> 01:03:56,400

that yeah well I I basically yeah I do I

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01:04:01,190 --> 01:03:58,200

am still enthusiastic about the study of

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01:04:03,530 --> 01:04:01,200

UFOs I I still like reading about what's

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01:04:05,690 --> 01:04:03,540

occurring both from a research point of

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01:04:07,430 --> 01:04:05,700

view on from a citing point of view but

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01:04:09,289 --> 01:04:07,440

but truly

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01:04:11,150 --> 01:04:09,299

I'm I'm not sure we're going to learn

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01:04:12,530 --> 01:04:11,160

what the answer is for maybe hundreds of

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01:04:15,109 --> 01:04:12,540

years

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01:04:17,390 --> 01:04:15,119

I I you know I don't have a hell of a

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01:04:18,829 --> 01:04:17,400

lot of years left in my life here but I

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01:04:20,450 --> 01:04:18,839

I'm not sure I'm going to see this

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01:04:23,150 --> 01:04:20,460

resolved

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01:04:24,349 --> 01:04:23,160

yeah yeah well if they've if that the

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01:04:27,650 --> 01:04:24,359

research that that was done where

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01:04:29,630 --> 01:04:27,660

they're able to uh regress uh that Mouse

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01:04:31,370 --> 01:04:29,640

um DH them

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01:04:32,210 --> 01:04:31,380

you might get a chance you might get a

1600

01:04:34,849 --> 01:04:32,220

shot at it who knows

1601
01:04:35,470 --> 01:04:34,859
[Laughter]

1602
01:04:38,809 --> 01:04:35,480
um

1603
01:04:40,910 --> 01:04:38,819
uh yeah I mean I just kind of looking

1604
01:04:43,190 --> 01:04:40,920
forward what are what are your hopes for

1605
01:04:45,890 --> 01:04:43,200
the field what are you what do you hope

1606
01:04:47,930 --> 01:04:45,900
to gain that you feel is realistic

1607
01:04:50,770 --> 01:04:47,940
well I think It ultimately is realistic

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01:04:54,530 --> 01:04:50,780
that we'll get more civilian researchers

1609
01:04:57,170 --> 01:04:54,540
Engineers scientists uh in Private

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01:04:59,089 --> 01:04:57,180
Industry and just in Academia looking at

1611
01:05:01,370 --> 01:04:59,099
the subject

1612
01:05:02,630 --> 01:05:01,380
Maybe by virtue of reading some of these

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01:05:04,010 --> 01:05:02,640

government reports where they keep

1614

01:05:05,210 --> 01:05:04,020

reiterating that there are things they

1615

01:05:09,349 --> 01:05:05,220

can't explain

1616

01:05:11,390 --> 01:05:09,359

and I'm so my hope is that we'll get

1617

01:05:12,890 --> 01:05:11,400

like I say more civilian researchers in

1618

01:05:14,510 --> 01:05:12,900

involved in this where we'll have more

1619

01:05:17,930 --> 01:05:14,520

transparency as to what's going on

1620

01:05:19,630 --> 01:05:17,940

because every time the government comes

1621

01:05:22,670 --> 01:05:19,640

out with a report

1622

01:05:25,190 --> 01:05:22,680

it's about a classified we just get a

1623

01:05:28,250 --> 01:05:25,200

little bit of the story so it needs to

1624

01:05:30,470 --> 01:05:28,260

be in the hands of of of of of the of

1625

01:05:31,910 --> 01:05:30,480

the non-military establishment and I

1626
01:05:33,349 --> 01:05:31,920
think maybe at that point we could see

1627
01:05:35,870 --> 01:05:33,359
some progress

1628
01:05:37,549 --> 01:05:35,880
yeah it's interesting because so far

1629
01:05:39,530 --> 01:05:37,559
it's been the most effective

1630
01:05:42,470 --> 01:05:39,540
um kind of covert operation if you will

1631
01:05:44,450 --> 01:05:42,480
if you look at at these um

1632
01:05:46,370 --> 01:05:44,460
these visitors

1633
01:05:49,130 --> 01:05:46,380
um the way that they've you know

1634
01:05:51,710 --> 01:05:49,140
operated without you know fully

1635
01:05:55,010 --> 01:05:51,720
committed to revealing themselves you

1636
01:05:57,950 --> 01:05:55,020
know for you know um decades if not

1637
01:05:59,630 --> 01:05:57,960
centuries uh and Beyond

1638
01:06:02,049 --> 01:05:59,640

um it really is a pretty well

1639

01:06:05,150 --> 01:06:02,059

comparatively you know um

1640

01:06:07,069 --> 01:06:05,160

operation but it definitely does seem

1641

01:06:10,370 --> 01:06:07,079

like an you know an operation that's

1642

01:06:12,650 --> 01:06:10,380

that's being done it it it does and and

1643

01:06:15,230 --> 01:06:12,660

to a certain extent they know us better

1644

01:06:17,450 --> 01:06:15,240

than we know ourselves

1645

01:06:19,010 --> 01:06:17,460

if you want to look at it like that they

1646

01:06:20,510 --> 01:06:19,020

seem to know how far they can go with

1647

01:06:22,670 --> 01:06:20,520

regard to sightings and then pull back

1648

01:06:25,069 --> 01:06:22,680

so that it doesn't quite tip the barrel

1649

01:06:26,390 --> 01:06:25,079

over into getting the humans all stirred

1650

01:06:27,529 --> 01:06:26,400

up and they'll start a research project

1651
01:06:29,390 --> 01:06:27,539
and they'll really figure out what's

1652
01:06:31,549 --> 01:06:29,400
going on but they just managed to keep

1653
01:06:35,029 --> 01:06:31,559
on the periphery of our

1654
01:06:36,410 --> 01:06:35,039
uh society and our culture uh and like

1655
01:06:38,750 --> 01:06:36,420
you say they're not quite tipping their

1656
01:06:41,390 --> 01:06:38,760
hands yeah and it's also interesting how

1657
01:06:44,569 --> 01:06:41,400
people react and I'm I'm it's kind of

1658
01:06:46,370 --> 01:06:44,579
like my last few questions here is when

1659
01:06:48,829 --> 01:06:46,380
people do react to seeing this like as

1660
01:06:51,770 --> 01:06:48,839
an example when I had um uh when Dave

1661
01:06:55,789 --> 01:06:51,780
Foley was a guest he had seen his first

1662
01:06:58,849 --> 01:06:55,799
UFO Only months before and uh with uh

1663
01:07:02,990 --> 01:06:58,859

Jeremy Corbell who hadn't seen

1664

01:07:04,910 --> 01:07:03,000

um a UAP and they saw this thing and

1665

01:07:06,230 --> 01:07:04,920

neither of them and Jeremy's a filmmaker

1666

01:07:07,789 --> 01:07:06,240

neither of them pulled out their phone

1667

01:07:09,289 --> 01:07:07,799

and took the picture they just looked at

1668

01:07:11,569 --> 01:07:09,299

it and went

1669

01:07:14,390 --> 01:07:11,579

oh wow

1670

01:07:17,750 --> 01:07:14,400

yeah that's that's one of those that's

1671

01:07:20,150 --> 01:07:17,760

that's you know UFO uh as it went by

1672

01:07:23,210 --> 01:07:20,160

that was an exact dialogue I'm sure they

1673

01:07:25,069 --> 01:07:23,220

both agreed oh this is now we've

1674

01:07:27,109 --> 01:07:25,079

seen we're seeing this thing and it

1675

01:07:28,730 --> 01:07:27,119

seemed to Dave like it put on a little

1676

01:07:30,549 --> 01:07:28,740

bit of a show it's like here we're here

1677

01:07:33,529 --> 01:07:30,559

and now we're gonna go

1678

01:07:34,789 --> 01:07:33,539

and you know a lot of people claim that

1679

01:07:36,650 --> 01:07:34,799

they look up and they're able to almost

1680

01:07:37,970 --> 01:07:36,660

invoke it it comes it does its thing

1681

01:07:41,170 --> 01:07:37,980

there's a little show and Robbie Graham

1682

01:07:43,970 --> 01:07:41,180

will say yeah the lights has written on

1683

01:07:45,490 --> 01:07:43,980

on a number of articles on the fact that

1684

01:07:48,829 --> 01:07:45,500

and one of them was even titled

1685

01:07:51,410 --> 01:07:48,839

something like they know where you live

1686

01:07:53,329 --> 01:07:51,420

or they know where you are yeah that

1687

01:07:54,890 --> 01:07:53,339

some of these signings are seem to be

1688

01:07:57,589 --> 01:07:54,900

deliberately engineered for the people

1689

01:07:59,630 --> 01:07:57,599

who are seeing it and if you were just a

1690

01:08:01,670 --> 01:07:59,640

few feet literally 100 feet to one side

1691

01:08:04,130 --> 01:08:01,680

or the other to the right or the left

1692

01:08:07,069 --> 01:08:04,140

you wouldn't have seen this object it

1693

01:08:08,870 --> 01:08:07,079

would do what it did and uh yeah he's

1694

01:08:12,109 --> 01:08:08,880

they know where you live I think is is

1695

01:08:13,370 --> 01:08:12,119

what Mike Mike wrote on but yeah it's

1696

01:08:14,930 --> 01:08:13,380

there doesn't seem to be a personal

1697

01:08:17,990 --> 01:08:14,940

interaction every once in a while

1698

01:08:19,729 --> 01:08:18,000

between a witness and and the UFO when

1699

01:08:22,610 --> 01:08:19,739

it's just a signing and not an abduction

1700

01:08:25,789 --> 01:08:22,620

well the connection is to me

1701

01:08:28,130 --> 01:08:25,799

um just like endlessly fascinating that

1702

01:08:31,849 --> 01:08:28,140

I mean when I think if I were to see UFO

1703

01:08:33,229 --> 01:08:31,859

I've not seen a UFO I think I would you

1704

01:08:34,849 --> 01:08:33,239

know be kind of elated and would be

1705

01:08:36,110 --> 01:08:34,859

taking this in and oh my God and the

1706

01:08:37,610 --> 01:08:36,120

whole theme and I know that some people

1707

01:08:39,050 --> 01:08:37,620

do have that reaction

1708

01:08:41,269 --> 01:08:39,060

but

1709

01:08:46,249 --> 01:08:41,279

for Dave he felt like it was this kind

1710

01:08:48,050 --> 01:08:46,259

of this wash this mild Xanax shower that

1711

01:08:49,550 --> 01:08:48,060

calmed him and it was just like wow I'm

1712

01:08:51,709 --> 01:08:49,560

now in the moment watching this thing

1713

01:08:53,930 --> 01:08:51,719

and I'm just going to appreciate it and

1714

01:08:56,329 --> 01:08:53,940

go almost like the vehicle whatever was

1715

01:08:59,150 --> 01:08:56,339

in it whatever energy was controlling

1716

01:09:02,749 --> 01:08:59,160

him from you know a couple miles away

1717

01:09:07,430 --> 01:09:05,030

yeah I have heard similar descriptions

1718

01:09:08,329 --> 01:09:07,440

of the aftermath of a UFO signing from

1719

01:09:09,590 --> 01:09:08,339

people

1720

01:09:12,110 --> 01:09:09,600

yeah

1721

01:09:14,150 --> 01:09:12,120

so um what is the next

1722

01:09:16,490 --> 01:09:14,160

um phase for you what are you working on

1723

01:09:17,510 --> 01:09:16,500

next what's uh what's exciting for you

1724

01:09:20,329 --> 01:09:17,520

what is

1725

01:09:22,610 --> 01:09:20,339

well some of it's pretty mundane I I end

1726

01:09:24,410 --> 01:09:22,620

up uh helping out with the mufon journal

1727

01:09:26,030 --> 01:09:24,420

each month so every month like uh

1728

01:09:28,430 --> 01:09:26,040

literally like clockwork here I have to

1729

01:09:30,349 --> 01:09:28,440

uh do some of the copy editing for the

1730

01:09:33,650 --> 01:09:30,359

Articles coming in so that takes up a

1731

01:09:35,570 --> 01:09:33,660

lot of my time and uh I'm now working a

1732

01:09:37,490 --> 01:09:35,580

little bit with the the National UFO

1733

01:09:40,610 --> 01:09:37,500

historical records Center in Albuquerque

1734

01:09:42,110 --> 01:09:40,620

with Dave marlar and so that that's an

1735

01:09:45,410 --> 01:09:42,120

up-and-coming project that has great

1736

01:09:48,370 --> 01:09:45,420

promise in finding a place for storing

1737

01:09:51,650 --> 01:09:48,380

records and valuable citing information

1738

01:09:53,090 --> 01:09:51,660

possibly down in Albuquerque and so yeah

1739

01:09:56,330 --> 01:09:53,100

I have a number of irons in the fire

1740

01:09:57,830 --> 01:09:56,340

there from that regard that uh always

1741

01:09:59,930 --> 01:09:57,840

keep me uh

1742

01:10:02,030 --> 01:09:59,940

keep me going not to mention things that

1743

01:10:04,669 --> 01:10:02,040

have not nothing to do with ufology that

1744

01:10:05,810 --> 01:10:04,679

seem to intrude on life so uh what can I

1745

01:10:07,790 --> 01:10:05,820

say

1746

01:10:10,070 --> 01:10:07,800

so if you could speak to anyone about

1747

01:10:11,570 --> 01:10:10,080

this who you think might have answers

1748

01:10:13,310 --> 01:10:11,580

who would it be and what question would

1749

01:10:15,650 --> 01:10:13,320

you ask that's my final question yeah

1750

01:10:17,150 --> 01:10:15,660

that's a good one I I don't know uh who

1751

01:10:21,229 --> 01:10:17,160

that would be to be honest with you and

1752

01:10:24,530 --> 01:10:21,239

let you down there on that I I can't Rob

1753

01:10:26,930 --> 01:10:24,540

yeah I know I know damn it it's like I I

1754

01:10:29,270 --> 01:10:26,940

wish I could speak with some people who

1755

01:10:30,950 --> 01:10:29,280

are no longer here in the sense of I

1756

01:10:33,830 --> 01:10:30,960

wish I could have met Alan heineck and

1757

01:10:36,830 --> 01:10:33,840

James McDonald and Alan and Donald

1758

01:10:39,970 --> 01:10:36,840

Keyhole but and yeah I would have a lot

1759

01:10:42,950 --> 01:10:39,980

of questions for them but uh

1760

01:10:44,149 --> 01:10:42,960

unfortunately this I I don't see that

1761

01:10:45,410 --> 01:10:44,159

there's nobody sitting on top of a

1762

01:10:46,610 --> 01:10:45,420

mountain where I want to climb up to the

1763

01:10:49,070 --> 01:10:46,620

mountain and ask them you know what's

1764

01:10:51,169 --> 01:10:49,080

the truth behind all this

1765

01:10:54,350 --> 01:10:51,179

the the that person is just isn't there

1766

01:10:56,810 --> 01:10:54,360

yeah no that's a good point

1767

01:10:58,130 --> 01:10:56,820

um well uh Rob thank you so much for

1768

01:10:59,270 --> 01:10:58,140

coming on the show

1769

01:11:02,270 --> 01:10:59,280

um I think this was your first time

1770

01:11:04,430 --> 01:11:02,280

right um podcast UFO

1771

01:11:06,250 --> 01:11:04,440

um welcome on board

1772

01:11:08,570 --> 01:11:06,260

um

1773

01:11:09,590 --> 01:11:08,580

do you have anything coming as far as

1774

01:11:13,130 --> 01:11:09,600

that you're publishing or anything

1775

01:11:16,310 --> 01:11:13,140

coming up um that you want to or or um

1776

01:11:18,350 --> 01:11:16,320

recommend here before we sign off

1777

01:11:19,910 --> 01:11:18,360

oh could you say that again Dina once

1778

01:11:20,930 --> 01:11:19,920

again I dropped off here on my end oh is

1779

01:11:23,209 --> 01:11:20,940

there anything that you're working on

1780

01:11:24,649 --> 01:11:23,219

any type of um appearances or anything

1781

01:11:25,910 --> 01:11:24,659

that you've got coming up that you want

1782

01:11:28,250 --> 01:11:25,920

to uh

1783

01:11:29,810 --> 01:11:28,260

um no no I can't say that there are this

1784

01:11:31,130 --> 01:11:29,820

this is you know we have our board

1785

01:11:32,810 --> 01:11:31,140

meeting here in the next few days and

1786

01:11:35,209 --> 01:11:32,820

will be interesting to see how that goes

1787

01:11:37,250 --> 01:11:35,219

and my wife runs the Virginia mufan and

1788

01:11:39,110 --> 01:11:37,260

I know she has a uh a little conference

1789

01:11:41,689 --> 01:11:39,120

coming up in this in the Virginia area

1790

01:11:43,130 --> 01:11:41,699

here in March I think it is that uh she

1791

01:11:45,050 --> 01:11:43,140

always asked me to say a few words there

1792

01:11:51,490 --> 01:11:45,060

so I probably will so that's that's

1793

01:11:55,850 --> 01:11:53,930

UFO meeting monthly meeting

1794

01:11:57,770 --> 01:11:55,860

okay great

1795

01:12:00,470 --> 01:11:57,780

um all right well Rob thank you so much

1796

01:12:03,890 --> 01:12:00,480

again for for being on the show thank

1797

01:12:06,830 --> 01:12:03,900

you I want to um

1798

01:12:08,270 --> 01:12:06,840

um mention that tomorrow's or next

1799

01:12:10,250 --> 01:12:08,280

week's uh show is going to be a

1800

01:12:12,290 --> 01:12:10,260

pre-recorded show it's going to be a

1801

01:12:15,050 --> 01:12:12,300

fascinated conversation

1802

01:12:16,669 --> 01:12:15,060

um with Martin and his guest which is uh

1803

01:12:18,490 --> 01:12:16,679

I'm going to butcher these names so

1804

01:12:23,510 --> 01:12:18,500

enjoy the butchering here it comes

1805

01:12:26,330 --> 01:12:23,520

Jensine Andresen and Drazen and Massimo

1806

01:12:31,850 --> 01:12:26,340

that's an Italian name so I'm going with

1807

01:12:33,070 --> 01:12:31,860

that uh last name is Tio Duran Duran on

1808

01:12:35,990 --> 01:12:33,080

their recently released book

1809

01:12:39,050 --> 01:12:36,000

extraterrestrial intelligence academic

1810

01:12:40,490 --> 01:12:39,060

and societal implications sounds really

1811

01:12:43,490 --> 01:12:40,500

interesting

1812

01:12:46,630 --> 01:12:43,500

um this is uh Dean Alieri signing off I

1813

01:12:50,030 --> 01:12:46,640

do want to let you guys know that um

1814

01:12:53,450 --> 01:12:50,040

uh with the encouragement of Martin and

1815

01:12:54,770 --> 01:12:53,460

several of of you guys out there

1816

01:12:56,330 --> 01:12:54,780

um something that I've been thinking

1817

01:12:58,669 --> 01:12:56,340

about doing for a very long time I'm

1818

01:13:00,709 --> 01:12:58,679

finally doing which I am getting ready

1819

01:13:02,450 --> 01:13:00,719

to do yes

1820

01:13:05,630 --> 01:13:02,460

a podcast

1821

01:13:09,530 --> 01:13:05,640

so it'll be a unique take on this with

1822

01:13:12,050 --> 01:13:09,540

some levity and uh some humor but um we

1823

01:13:13,430 --> 01:13:12,060

will be bringing not just um experts and

1824

01:13:18,169 --> 01:13:13,440

stuff but also

1825

01:13:20,570 --> 01:13:18,179

um UFO folks and um and uh and the such

1826

01:13:24,590 --> 01:13:20,580

so thank you again uh for everyone's

1827

01:13:26,630 --> 01:13:24,600

support and don't uh forget that patreon

1828

01:13:29,930 --> 01:13:26,640

is a great way to say you appreciate

1829

01:13:32,570 --> 01:13:29,940

Martin's show so uh Martin be safe on

1830

01:13:33,950 --> 01:13:32,580

the road and um we will see you next

1831

01:13:35,990 --> 01:13:33,960

week guys

1832

01:13:45,310 --> 01:13:36,000

foreign