

**The Skeptic Zone**

**Show 234 - 13 April 2013**



QED

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00:00:22,960 --> 00:00:09,110  
welcome to the skeptic zone the podcast

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00:00:29,439 --> 00:00:25,579  
hello and welcome to the skeptic zone

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00:00:33,710 --> 00:00:29,449  
episode number 234 for the 13th of april

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00:00:35,750 --> 00:00:33,720  
2013 nothin it's a it's a Saturday so I

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00:00:39,350 --> 00:00:35,760  
must be in Manchester Richard Saunders

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00:00:43,220 --> 00:00:39,360  
coming to you from QED question explore

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00:00:47,420 --> 00:00:43,230  
discover here in Manchester and well

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00:00:50,360 --> 00:00:47,430  
what an an international skeptic zone I

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00:00:53,780 --> 00:00:50,370  
have for you this week and then kick off

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00:00:55,670 --> 00:00:53,790  
our little skeptical trip in Norway I

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00:00:57,980 --> 00:00:55,680  
had a wonderful time in Norway folks

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00:01:01,370 --> 00:00:57,990  
said was what a what a beautiful place

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00:01:03,410 --> 00:01:01,380

no is well Oslo anyway I really didn't

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00:01:05,570 --> 00:01:03,420

get outside of Oslo but it's just

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00:01:08,140 --> 00:01:05,580

stunning and we're going to kick off

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00:01:10,940 --> 00:01:08,150

with an interview with a Norwegian

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00:01:14,990 --> 00:01:10,950

podcaster and sort of active skeptic

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00:01:18,260 --> 00:01:15,000

Leisha Camden now she also appears on

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00:01:21,399 --> 00:01:18,270

the Norwegian podcast pinch of salt what

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00:01:23,570 --> 00:01:21,409

I her views on skepticism and Norwegian

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00:01:24,890 --> 00:01:23,580

society very interesting interview

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00:01:28,040 --> 00:01:24,900

coming up at the top of the show and I

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00:01:32,780 --> 00:01:28,050

must must must thank absolutely thank

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00:01:37,250 --> 00:01:32,790

Jurgen Bachmann in Oslo who took myself

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00:01:41,120 --> 00:01:37,260

and a group of skeptics around the

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00:01:45,770 --> 00:01:41,130

Viking ship Museum a personal guided

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00:01:47,780 --> 00:01:45,780

tour which was simply stunning the time

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flew by when we learnt about all the

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artifacts and saw the giant of Viking

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ships and the stories and some of the

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00:01:56,960 --> 00:01:54,360

mystery so a big THANK YOU yogen you

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00:01:59,570 --> 00:01:56,970

were a wonderful wonderful host and I

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00:02:02,180 --> 00:01:59,580

really very much appreciate it and folks

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00:02:04,310 --> 00:02:02,190

if you ever in Oslo you must put that on

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00:02:05,750 --> 00:02:04,320

your list of things to see well worth it

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00:02:08,600 --> 00:02:05,760

and a general thank you to the wonderful

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00:02:11,809 --> 00:02:08,610

people martin kristen in oslo for

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00:02:14,720 --> 00:02:11,819

looking after me after that it's a quick

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00:02:17,269 --> 00:02:14,730

clip in an aeroplane to Dublin Dublin

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00:02:19,100 --> 00:02:17,279

Ireland where I was the guest of the

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00:02:21,500 --> 00:02:19,110

Irish skeptics and I spoke

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00:02:23,300 --> 00:02:21,510

sort of an impromptu skeptics meeting

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00:02:25,490 --> 00:02:23,310

there which was a great great deal of

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00:02:27,380 --> 00:02:25,500

fun thank you to Finola Murphy for

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00:02:30,650 --> 00:02:27,390

looking after me in fact I have a quick

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00:02:34,670 --> 00:02:30,660

chat too Finola halfway through the

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00:02:36,970 --> 00:02:34,680

episode today and also after we after we

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00:02:40,070 --> 00:02:36,980

had our talk after I gave my talk we all

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00:02:43,370 --> 00:02:40,080

prepared to a lovely Irish pub and had a

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mess Pegasus folding about to imagine

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00:02:50,090 --> 00:02:46,470  
and some interesting characters in the

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00:02:52,790 --> 00:02:50,100  
pub some young men suddenly decided to

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00:02:54,650 --> 00:02:52,800  
strike up some songs I'm not sure why

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00:02:56,360 --> 00:02:54,660  
but they were very loud mmm you'll hear

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00:02:58,880 --> 00:02:56,370  
it pretty soon after that report from

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00:03:02,000 --> 00:02:58,890  
Ireland and again wow what a wonderful

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00:03:03,560 --> 00:03:02,010  
place dublin is yes it was cold yes it

58  
00:03:05,930 --> 00:03:03,570  
was wet but I didn't care it's full of

59  
00:03:08,120 --> 00:03:05,940  
statues Dublin is full of statues

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00:03:10,160 --> 00:03:08,130  
interesting statues with interesting

61  
00:03:11,900 --> 00:03:10,170  
names like the Stiletto in the ghetto in

62  
00:03:13,490 --> 00:03:11,910  
the tart with the cart I think you'll

63  
00:03:15,740 --> 00:03:13,500

have to google that folks but then it's

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00:03:19,040 --> 00:03:15,750

another plane trip from Dublin to hear

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00:03:21,560 --> 00:03:19,050

to Manchester where I am catch up with

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00:03:25,220 --> 00:03:21,570

dr. Reggie who's also a guest here at

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00:03:27,050 --> 00:03:25,230

QED dr. Richie and John Carney and

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00:03:29,509 --> 00:03:27,060

myself drove up to what they call the

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00:03:31,340 --> 00:03:29,519

Lake District here and parted about

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00:03:33,680 --> 00:03:31,350

there and fed some geese no it's

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00:03:35,930 --> 00:03:33,690

exciting stuff that's coming up followed

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00:03:37,820 --> 00:03:35,940

by chat with some lovely people here QED

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00:03:40,520 --> 00:03:37,830

and I'm going to get lots of interviews

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00:03:42,979 --> 00:03:40,530

before this weekend is that I hope and a

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00:03:45,140 --> 00:03:42,989

little bit of the opening ceremony and

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00:03:46,820 --> 00:03:45,150

after that it's a weakened science with

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00:03:51,650 --> 00:03:46,830

dr. Paul Willis from the Royal

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00:03:54,350 --> 00:03:51,660

Institution of Australia www r-ia us dot

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00:03:56,720 --> 00:03:54,360

org dot a you and what a popular segment

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00:04:00,110 --> 00:03:56,730

a week in science is really interesting

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00:04:01,970 --> 00:04:00,120

stuff and to wrap up the show let's go

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00:04:03,890 --> 00:04:01,980

to what country oh I don't know let's go

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00:04:05,990 --> 00:04:03,900

to the United States let's visit our

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00:04:08,330 --> 00:04:06,000

friend Travis Roy our reporter a

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00:04:10,070 --> 00:04:08,340

reporter on the east coast of the United

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00:04:12,590 --> 00:04:10,080

States where he and his friends get

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00:04:13,910 --> 00:04:12,600

together for a think tank yes it's a

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00:04:16,159 --> 00:04:13,920

think tank on the other side of the

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00:04:18,800 --> 00:04:16,169

world thanks Travis thanks for sending

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00:04:20,420 --> 00:04:18,810

me that and Travis Roy and his friends

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00:04:22,690 --> 00:04:20,430

in the think tank they're up in New

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00:04:26,450 --> 00:04:22,700

England they're going to be discussing

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00:04:29,570 --> 00:04:26,460

various recent skeptical conferences

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00:04:31,339 --> 00:04:29,580

like Nexus and their opinion on Tam as

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00:04:32,399 --> 00:04:31,349

well also they chat about conspiracy

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00:04:35,939 --> 00:04:32,409

theories

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00:04:37,949 --> 00:04:35,949

and popcorn an interesting and different

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00:04:40,829 --> 00:04:37,959

think tank coming up in this week's show

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00:04:44,129 --> 00:04:40,839

well it's time for me to run out of my

100

00:04:47,359 --> 00:04:44,139

hotel room run to the to the lift go

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00:04:50,820 --> 00:04:47,369

down to level three level three find

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00:04:52,350 --> 00:04:50,830

find if there are any noms about mmm

103

00:04:54,359 --> 00:04:52,360

maybe I can bump into somebody who can

104

00:04:56,489 --> 00:04:54,369

offer me a nom who knows while I'm doing

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00:04:58,979 --> 00:04:56,499

that well I'm doing that I hope you

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00:05:19,330 --> 00:04:58,989

enjoyed this truly international episode

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00:05:24,560 --> 00:05:22,250

norway the land i dream of in fact it's

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00:05:27,200 --> 00:05:24,570

not a dream it's a reality i'm still in

109

00:05:32,060 --> 00:05:27,210

norway having a wonderful time and i'm

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00:05:34,340 --> 00:05:32,070

talking with misha come from the now on

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00:05:36,590 --> 00:05:34,350

hiatus a norwegian procaster south

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00:05:38,960 --> 00:05:36,600

creeper a pinch of salt a pinch of salt

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00:05:42,110 --> 00:05:38,970

yes I've heard of your podcast I've

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00:05:43,909 --> 00:05:42,120

heard of your podcast now I you're very

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00:05:46,180 --> 00:05:43,919

nice to me now you interviewed me for

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00:05:49,070 --> 00:05:46,190

your youtube channel which was very

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00:05:50,510 --> 00:05:49,080

flattering now I'm going to interview

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00:05:51,920 --> 00:05:50,520

you I'm gonna ask you sort of the same

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00:05:54,350 --> 00:05:51,930

sort of questions and you are obviously

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00:05:56,140 --> 00:05:54,360

a keen and interested skeptic why are

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00:06:01,040 --> 00:05:56,150

you a keen and interested skeptic

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00:06:02,480 --> 00:06:01,050

because I basically I am in the skeptics

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00:06:05,390 --> 00:06:02,490

moment because there is so much

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00:06:07,520 --> 00:06:05,400

stupidity and I get so annoyed and

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00:06:11,150 --> 00:06:07,530

sometimes I just have to say something

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00:06:13,760 --> 00:06:11,160

but no I was more or less raised as a

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00:06:16,820 --> 00:06:13,770

skeptic my parents are atheists and they

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00:06:20,690 --> 00:06:16,830

their idea for raising me was that in

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00:06:23,330 --> 00:06:20,700

the big questions you know what happens

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00:06:24,650 --> 00:06:23,340

when we die why it's there life on other

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00:06:26,900 --> 00:06:24,660

planets you know things like that they

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00:06:29,930 --> 00:06:26,910

would explain that some people believe

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00:06:31,520 --> 00:06:29,940

this and other people believe that and I

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00:06:35,450 --> 00:06:31,530

would have to actually ask them what do

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00:06:38,350 --> 00:06:35,460

you think mommy hmm to get their opinion

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00:06:40,279 --> 00:06:38,360

so I was kind of always been used to

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00:06:43,010 --> 00:06:40,289

seeing things for more than one side

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00:06:44,390 --> 00:06:43,020

because I feel that I've been raised to

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00:06:46,100 --> 00:06:44,400

be very open-minded because my parents

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00:06:48,590 --> 00:06:46,110

really really have not pushed anything

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00:06:50,300 --> 00:06:48,600

on me but of explaining our differing

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00:06:51,950 --> 00:06:50,310

opinions some people believe that God

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00:06:53,900 --> 00:06:51,960

created the world other people believe

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00:06:55,640 --> 00:06:53,910

that it evolved and then when I asked

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00:06:59,360 --> 00:06:55,650

they have said well I think that it

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00:07:01,880 --> 00:06:59,370

evolved you like yeah so I just sort of

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00:07:04,790 --> 00:07:01,890

always been thinking this way but in

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00:07:06,140 --> 00:07:04,800

recent years I think it is more more

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00:07:08,180 --> 00:07:06,150

important with activism because

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00:07:13,070 --> 00:07:08,190

certainly in this country we see a

151  
00:07:14,750 --> 00:07:13,080  
growing tendency away from their normal

152  
00:07:18,080 --> 00:07:14,760  
skepticism I mean I consider myself

153  
00:07:19,940 --> 00:07:18,090  
something on activists but in everyday

154  
00:07:20,690 --> 00:07:19,950  
life people should be skeptical but

155  
00:07:23,680 --> 00:07:20,700  
we're sort of

156  
00:07:26,720 --> 00:07:23,690  
leaving that behind a bit in our way and

157  
00:07:29,360 --> 00:07:26,730  
it's interesting because we are a very

158  
00:07:32,600 --> 00:07:29,370  
secular society yes but in the sort of

159  
00:07:36,440 --> 00:07:32,610  
gap that has risen up we're getting a

160  
00:07:39,260 --> 00:07:36,450  
lot more sort of new-age things I see

161  
00:07:41,390 --> 00:07:39,270  
that the other world really yeah you

162  
00:07:43,460 --> 00:07:41,400  
know spiritualism yes parts of it but

163  
00:07:45,020 --> 00:07:43,470

also alternative medicine yeah which is

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00:07:46,550 --> 00:07:45,030

very big in Norway partly of course

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00:07:49,370 --> 00:07:46,560

because we have the money to spend and

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00:07:52,360 --> 00:07:49,380

we're spending so much money on it we're

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00:07:57,320 --> 00:07:52,370

really seeing a lot of dangerous things

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00:07:58,700 --> 00:07:57,330

yes you said to me about homeopathy and

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00:08:03,170 --> 00:07:58,710

other alternative medicine you know

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00:08:05,090 --> 00:08:03,180

cancer cures cancer care facing the same

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00:08:07,420 --> 00:08:05,100

to a problem I guess we are in Australia

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00:08:10,370 --> 00:08:07,430

where you have people's promoting

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00:08:12,110 --> 00:08:10,380

nonsense but saying this will cure you

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00:08:14,330 --> 00:08:12,120

can don't go to the doctor you know

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00:08:16,970 --> 00:08:14,340

don't have radio treatment radiation

176  
00:08:20,840 --> 00:08:16,980  
treatment chemotherapy try this black

177  
00:08:22,100 --> 00:08:20,850  
sludge exactly and in this country we

178  
00:08:25,520 --> 00:08:22,110  
have rules and regulations for

179  
00:08:27,560 --> 00:08:25,530  
everything and that has sort of left the

180  
00:08:29,810 --> 00:08:27,570  
field kind of open for a lot of people

181  
00:08:31,340 --> 00:08:29,820  
who want to fill that gap because there

182  
00:08:33,020 --> 00:08:31,350  
aren't that many restrictions strangely

183  
00:08:35,210 --> 00:08:33,030  
on petitioners of at alternative

184  
00:08:36,590 --> 00:08:35,220  
medicine whereas on doctors there are a

185  
00:08:38,600 --> 00:08:36,600  
lot of restrictions isn't that

186  
00:08:40,910 --> 00:08:38,610  
interesting yeah yeah we have we had

187  
00:08:43,790 --> 00:08:40,920  
something that was called the Kwok

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00:08:47,390 --> 00:08:43,800

paragraph yeah which basically was very

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00:08:50,300 --> 00:08:47,400

crux yeah but that was removed and there

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00:08:52,280 --> 00:08:50,310

is some legislation which now is more

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00:08:55,790 --> 00:08:52,290

geared towards the marketing side of it

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00:08:58,310 --> 00:08:55,800

saying that you are not allowed to sell

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00:09:03,950 --> 00:08:58,320

something under false premises I you

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00:09:06,380 --> 00:09:03,960

cannot sell something saying these seeds

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00:09:08,510 --> 00:09:06,390

can cure cancer whatever you can say

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00:09:10,370 --> 00:09:08,520

they're healthy but you can't make

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00:09:11,870 --> 00:09:10,380

specific make specific health claims

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00:09:13,910 --> 00:09:11,880

yeah unless they're backed up yes but

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00:09:16,490 --> 00:09:13,920

the problem is people do it all the time

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00:09:18,440 --> 00:09:16,500

and almost nothing is done right um for

201  
00:09:20,600 --> 00:09:18,450  
lack of resources or lack of interest I

202  
00:09:22,550 --> 00:09:20,610  
don't really know but very little it's

203  
00:09:24,770 --> 00:09:22,560  
done it's interesting I mean you're

204  
00:09:26,330 --> 00:09:24,780  
you're telling me stuff I hear and I

205  
00:09:28,310 --> 00:09:26,340  
know from Australia there's a lot of

206  
00:09:30,650 --> 00:09:28,320  
people selling a lot of crazy stuff and

207  
00:09:32,329 --> 00:09:30,660  
nothing's we're getting there slowly but

208  
00:09:35,210 --> 00:09:32,339  
by and large you know it's it's

209  
00:09:37,579 --> 00:09:35,220  
at the moment I'm seeing Norway going

210  
00:09:38,869 --> 00:09:37,589  
into the wrong direction and not just

211  
00:09:42,350 --> 00:09:38,879  
with alternative medicine with with all

212  
00:09:43,670 --> 00:09:42,360  
kinds of whoo we have a princess you may

213  
00:09:45,499 --> 00:09:43,680

have heard about this to release an

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00:09:48,650 --> 00:09:45,509

angel she can talk to the dead talk to

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00:09:50,420 --> 00:09:48,660

angels and yeah look over she has her

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00:09:52,639 --> 00:09:50,430

freedom of speech and I understand that

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00:09:53,989 --> 00:09:52,649

that life is very difficult and you need

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00:09:57,439 --> 00:09:53,999

to find something to sort of fill it up

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00:09:59,569 --> 00:09:57,449

with but she's legitimizing it because

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00:10:03,069 --> 00:09:59,579

she is at the very top of our society

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00:10:05,509 --> 00:10:03,079

yeah she's the king's daughter yeah and

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00:10:08,540 --> 00:10:05,519

that legitimizes it and we've had

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00:10:10,489 --> 00:10:08,550

several other incidents where for

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00:10:13,269 --> 00:10:10,499

instance there is a very famous man in

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00:10:15,559 --> 00:10:13,279

Norway who is called utopia he's

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00:10:18,319 --> 00:10:15,569

supposedly by his own allegation he's

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00:10:21,499 --> 00:10:18,329

psychic he's a healer he's all kinds of

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00:10:25,519 --> 00:10:21,509

things uh but he's quite old now yeah

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00:10:27,170 --> 00:10:25,529

he's old he's in his 80s yeah and we had

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00:10:30,049 --> 00:10:27,180

an incident for instance where the then

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00:10:32,629 --> 00:10:30,059

minister of health claimed that this man

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00:10:34,850 --> 00:10:32,639

had cured his son of colic over the

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00:10:37,790 --> 00:10:34,860

phone yeah over the phone yes over the

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00:10:39,199 --> 00:10:37,800

phone in a very obvious the situation

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00:10:40,429 --> 00:10:39,209

was that the boy had been having

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00:10:41,840 --> 00:10:40,439

colleague for quite a while and they

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00:10:43,189 --> 00:10:41,850

were desperate and they called the sky

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00:10:46,249 --> 00:10:43,199

who healed the boy over the phone and he

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00:10:48,259 --> 00:10:46,259

was cured but as we all know colic is

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00:10:50,540 --> 00:10:48,269

self-limited condition it clears up in a

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00:10:52,160 --> 00:10:50,550

few weeks and when they were at their

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00:10:54,199 --> 00:10:52,170

most desperate they called him so I

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00:10:56,540 --> 00:10:54,209

don't think we need to be geniuses to

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00:10:57,679 --> 00:10:56,550

figure out that it just cleared up on

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00:10:59,509 --> 00:10:57,689

its own and that would have happened

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00:11:01,999 --> 00:10:59,519

regardless yeah but when the minister of

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00:11:05,210 --> 00:11:02,009

health goes out and says that I totally

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00:11:07,610 --> 00:11:05,220

believe that that's right yeah and a guy

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00:11:09,079 --> 00:11:07,620

who is quite famous sees no no longer

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00:11:11,299 --> 00:11:09,089

politician but he was at that time and

251  
00:11:13,579 --> 00:11:11,309  
it's also a medical doctor he said that

252  
00:11:16,519 --> 00:11:13,589  
he and he's from up north and he knows

253  
00:11:18,710 --> 00:11:16,529  
prayers that can cure bleeding squint

254  
00:11:21,980 --> 00:11:18,720  
staunch bleeding and he's a medical

255  
00:11:25,309 --> 00:11:21,990  
doctor s'ok listeners can't see my face

256  
00:11:28,340 --> 00:11:25,319  
but my jaw is dropping yes you know so

257  
00:11:30,049 --> 00:11:28,350  
we're having things like that we're also

258  
00:11:31,999 --> 00:11:30,059  
in my opinion the norwegian school

259  
00:11:33,739 --> 00:11:32,009  
system really isn't that good and i

260  
00:11:35,749 --> 00:11:33,749  
don't think we're equipping young people

261  
00:11:36,949 --> 00:11:35,759  
with the tools that they need the mental

262  
00:11:38,239 --> 00:11:36,959  
tools to be able to sort this

263  
00:11:40,939 --> 00:11:38,249

information and when it's coming from

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00:11:42,740 --> 00:11:40,949

someone who is a member of parliament

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00:11:44,059 --> 00:11:42,750

and a doctor and he's saying that he

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00:11:46,079 --> 00:11:44,069

knows prayers that can start bleeding

267

00:11:47,519 --> 00:11:46,089

then you need

268

00:11:50,040 --> 00:11:47,529

really be a serious skeptic should be

269

00:11:52,379 --> 00:11:50,050

able to what how did the media generally

270

00:11:55,110 --> 00:11:52,389

treat this sort of when these people

271

00:11:57,749 --> 00:11:55,120

make these statements far too leniently

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00:11:59,850 --> 00:11:57,759

really far too leniently um this guy

273

00:12:03,569 --> 00:11:59,860

yash drove the heel old healer he gets

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00:12:05,879 --> 00:12:03,579

no critical press at all Wi-Fi because

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00:12:07,860 --> 00:12:05,889

he's a beloved old carriage yes he looks

276

00:12:10,230 --> 00:12:07,870

like this charming old grandfather yeah

277

00:12:13,889 --> 00:12:10,240

and he's old and he's not entirely well

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00:12:16,860 --> 00:12:13,899

he doesn't heal himself yes no I guess

279

00:12:20,040 --> 00:12:16,870

this powers just don't work that way but

280

00:12:22,889 --> 00:12:20,050

you know it's mean to be a critical of

281

00:12:24,929 --> 00:12:22,899

an Oregon you know I right but it's very

282

00:12:27,960 --> 00:12:24,939

strange because he will say things like

283

00:12:30,559 --> 00:12:27,970

he's he's never heard any money office

284

00:12:32,999 --> 00:12:30,569

activities at all but we all know that

285

00:12:34,590 --> 00:12:33,009

not asking for money doesn't mean that

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00:12:36,239 --> 00:12:34,600

he doesn't get money he doesn't charge

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00:12:37,110 --> 00:12:36,249

anyone but he has gotten a lot of gifts

288

00:12:40,199 --> 00:12:37,120

and he's written several books

289

00:12:42,629 --> 00:12:40,209

biographies of himself and his deeds and

290

00:12:44,460 --> 00:12:42,639

he's heard a lot of money on that yeah a

291

00:12:48,299 --> 00:12:44,470

lot of money hundreds of thousands

292

00:12:50,040 --> 00:12:48,309

probably millions and he's always saying

293

00:12:51,569 --> 00:12:50,050

things like I'm just a humble old man

294

00:12:54,210 --> 00:12:51,579

who wants to be left alone but he's

295

00:12:56,340 --> 00:12:54,220

published five autobiographies and the

296

00:12:57,689 --> 00:12:56,350

press doesn't even point that out you

297

00:12:59,669 --> 00:12:57,699

know if you want if you don't want

298

00:13:01,710 --> 00:12:59,679

publicity why do you keep writing books

299

00:13:03,660 --> 00:13:01,720

about yourself yeah and I must remind

300

00:13:05,129 --> 00:13:03,670

listeners that when you say millions of

301

00:13:09,239 --> 00:13:05,139

course you're talking about general

302

00:13:11,579 --> 00:13:09,249

region crowns yes which is some not know

303

00:13:13,739 --> 00:13:11,589

why don't billions of what the blood was

304

00:13:16,619 --> 00:13:13,749

listen to think of american dollars yeah

305

00:13:18,150 --> 00:13:16,629

i think that 10 million dollar is about

306

00:13:20,220 --> 00:13:18,160

six crowns something up but still quite

307

00:13:22,559 --> 00:13:20,230

a lot of money from one who claims to

308

00:13:24,030 --> 00:13:22,569

knock on any money and even that obvious

309

00:13:25,350 --> 00:13:24,040

is someone who publishes books about

310

00:13:29,549 --> 00:13:25,360

himself claims to not want publicity

311

00:13:31,379 --> 00:13:29,559

they don't even grab hold of that which

312

00:13:32,699 --> 00:13:31,389

you would imagine would be an

313

00:13:35,910 --> 00:13:32,709

interesting i mean it probably obvious

314

00:13:39,119 --> 00:13:35,920

to a lot of reporters but i think they

315

00:13:41,040 --> 00:13:39,129

sell more by publishing what he has to

316

00:13:42,720 --> 00:13:41,050

say as he says it than they would by

317

00:13:45,290 --> 00:13:42,730

being critical of this we don't lil man

318

00:13:48,749 --> 00:13:45,300

who is also a very religious man he's

319

00:13:52,110 --> 00:13:48,759

worked for the church so you know it's

320

00:13:54,030 --> 00:13:52,120

very yeah it's mean and of course the

321

00:13:57,210 --> 00:13:54,040

princess they have ridiculed her quite a

322

00:13:58,710 --> 00:13:57,220

bit but that's also they're supposed to

323

00:13:59,519 --> 00:13:58,720

be nice to the Royals because they can't

324

00:14:01,379 --> 00:13:59,529

really defend them

325

00:14:03,900 --> 00:14:01,389

yes they're not really allowed to go out

326

00:14:05,189 --> 00:14:03,910

and say I guess there's a limit that if

327

00:14:08,040 --> 00:14:05,199

one of the rules is saying something

328

00:14:11,129 --> 00:14:08,050

ridiculous there is a limited she has

329

00:14:12,509 --> 00:14:11,139

really been saying haha to ridiculous

330

00:14:18,749 --> 00:14:12,519

things and she has taken quite a lot of

331

00:14:21,179 --> 00:14:18,759

flock but not so much on the actual you

332

00:14:23,579 --> 00:14:21,189

might say scientific side of it because

333

00:14:25,470 --> 00:14:23,589

she has claimed to really have seen

334

00:14:29,340 --> 00:14:25,480

angels to the point where they have left

335

00:14:31,230 --> 00:14:29,350

feathers behind literally so where are

336

00:14:33,299 --> 00:14:31,240

the feathers then you know let's have

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00:14:38,720 --> 00:14:33,309

the feather can we examine it and see is

338

00:14:41,759 --> 00:14:38,730

it angelic or avian you know so that

339

00:14:44,639 --> 00:14:41,769

criticism is more making fun of the

340

00:14:47,579 --> 00:14:44,649

rocco and that's not really criticism as

341

00:14:49,470 --> 00:14:47,589

such that's just pandering to the lowest

342

00:14:51,540 --> 00:14:49,480

common denominator we can all laugh at

343

00:14:53,040 --> 00:14:51,550

the crazy princess yeah yeahs thinks she

344

00:14:54,989 --> 00:14:53,050

can talk to her horse well there's I

345

00:14:57,660 --> 00:14:54,999

mean and there's also the question of

346

00:14:59,549 --> 00:14:57,670

what what harm is being done now with

347

00:15:01,829 --> 00:14:59,559

the princess where you can say well it's

348

00:15:03,569 --> 00:15:01,839

probably not that much harm really but

349

00:15:05,460 --> 00:15:03,579

was with this old guy I would imagine

350

00:15:07,710 --> 00:15:05,470

there are people desperately who would

351

00:15:09,509 --> 00:15:07,720

call him or you know the worst case

352

00:15:11,879 --> 00:15:09,519

situations people who reject real

353

00:15:13,530 --> 00:15:11,889

medicine because all yes that is a big

354

00:15:15,210 --> 00:15:13,540

danger that's the you know this guy can

355

00:15:18,240 --> 00:15:15,220

heal me why would I take my pill yeah

356

00:15:20,999 --> 00:15:18,250

and we have also had practitioners

357

00:15:24,540 --> 00:15:21,009

square they have said for instance this

358

00:15:27,090 --> 00:15:24,550

German Rica cattleman who practices this

359

00:15:30,240 --> 00:15:27,100

new German medicine he has been active

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00:15:34,559 --> 00:15:30,250

in Norway and he peed feels thought or

361

00:15:38,400 --> 00:15:34,569

believes that and modern medicine

362

00:15:40,920 --> 00:15:38,410

against cancer is a Jewish conspiracy to

363

00:15:43,230 --> 00:15:40,930

kill people that it's the chemo and the

364

00:15:45,449 --> 00:15:43,240

radiation that kills you so people like

365

00:15:49,199 --> 00:15:45,459

that will actually say as you mentioned

366

00:15:51,210 --> 00:15:49,209

don't take yeah yeah as the modern

367

00:15:52,559 --> 00:15:51,220

medicine because that is what's going to

368

00:15:54,929 --> 00:15:52,569

tell you it's interesting there's a lot

369

00:15:57,239 --> 00:15:54,939

of some of the anti-vaccination mob down

370

00:15:59,939 --> 00:15:57,249

in in Australia have the same line with

371

00:16:02,400 --> 00:15:59,949

chemotherapy yeah they say that doesn't

372

00:16:04,259 --> 00:16:02,410

work and you should drink fruit juice

373

00:16:06,030 --> 00:16:04,269

and breathe healthy air or take this

374

00:16:08,069 --> 00:16:06,040

black sludge and it's interesting that

375

00:16:09,749 --> 00:16:08,079

the same people who advocate do not take

376

00:16:11,400 --> 00:16:09,759

vaccinations also say don't you know

377

00:16:12,460 --> 00:16:11,410

chemotherapy doesn't work it's this

378

00:16:15,370 --> 00:16:12,470

whole

379

00:16:16,780 --> 00:16:15,380

suspicion of Medicine but what do you

380

00:16:20,380 --> 00:16:16,790

see in those people is that and we have

381

00:16:22,210 --> 00:16:20,390

anti-vaxxers here too yeah who I'm not

382

00:16:24,160 --> 00:16:22,220

sure if you've had that and Australia

383

00:16:26,350 --> 00:16:24,170

but here there has been among the

384

00:16:28,420 --> 00:16:26,360

extreme part of the anti-vaccination

385

00:16:29,860 --> 00:16:28,430

movement this idea that because

386

00:16:32,290 --> 00:16:29,870

Norwegian authorities they bought a lot

387

00:16:34,170 --> 00:16:32,300

of swine flu vaccines hmm and wanted to

388

00:16:37,900 --> 00:16:34,180

inoculate everyone in the entire country

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00:16:39,610 --> 00:16:37,910

and there was actually conspiracy but

390

00:16:41,350 --> 00:16:39,620

because there's a theory i should say of

391

00:16:44,410 --> 00:16:41,360

course was pretty among these people

392

00:16:48,100 --> 00:16:44,420

that what they really wanted was to

393

00:16:49,810 --> 00:16:48,110

inoculate us with nanobots basically no

394

00:16:51,850 --> 00:16:49,820

no chips yeah i've heard things like

395

00:16:54,610 --> 00:16:51,860

this absolutely so they can keep track

396

00:16:56,920 --> 00:16:54,620

of us people who think that the

397

00:16:59,950 --> 00:16:56,930

airplanes are dropping yes from the sky

398

00:17:03,700 --> 00:16:59,960

exactly the condensation trails yeah

399

00:17:05,350 --> 00:17:03,710

yeah yeah we've got and this is quite a

400

00:17:07,510 --> 00:17:05,360

controlled society there are lots of

401  
00:17:10,030 --> 00:17:07,520  
rules and regulations for everything and

402  
00:17:12,790 --> 00:17:10,040  
obviously our government wants to keep

403  
00:17:16,060 --> 00:17:12,800  
total tract of us in every possible way

404  
00:17:18,550 --> 00:17:16,070  
so don't you yeah exactly but it does

405  
00:17:20,080 --> 00:17:18,560  
exist they're just keeping it under

406  
00:17:22,450 --> 00:17:20,090  
balls yeah and they're working with the

407  
00:17:24,160 --> 00:17:22,460  
CIA or not you and I get out regular

408  
00:17:25,570 --> 00:17:24,170  
paycheck from them yes of quite live a

409  
00:17:28,200 --> 00:17:25,580  
naughty and all that sort of stuff of

410  
00:17:31,390 --> 00:17:28,210  
course we do yeah my job is just a cover

411  
00:17:34,360 --> 00:17:31,400  
obviously the law in Norway doesn't

412  
00:17:37,780 --> 00:17:34,370  
really give the opportunities that he

413  
00:17:40,060 --> 00:17:37,790

used to to prosecute people for you know

414

00:17:42,460 --> 00:17:40,070

quackery they can get around it now by

415

00:17:44,650 --> 00:17:42,470

not making those claims but there are a

416

00:17:46,300 --> 00:17:44,660

lot of ways in which you can convey to

417

00:17:49,000 --> 00:17:46,310

your audience that this my treatment

418

00:17:50,950 --> 00:17:49,010

cures councillors out see you absolutely

419

00:17:54,420 --> 00:17:50,960

and this is a khaki again the sort of

420

00:17:57,280 --> 00:17:54,430

thing that we've we've come across or

421

00:17:59,920 --> 00:17:57,290

may assist we're though you know just

422

00:18:03,370 --> 00:17:59,930

weasel words we call them yeah it's very

423

00:18:04,840 --> 00:18:03,380

sneaky and then people will believe it

424

00:18:08,350 --> 00:18:04,850

because again they don't have the tools

425

00:18:10,600 --> 00:18:08,360

and our media is terrible and doesn't

426

00:18:13,300 --> 00:18:10,610

help at all they do they focus on what

427

00:18:17,440 --> 00:18:13,310

sells there are some you know points of

428

00:18:20,920 --> 00:18:17,450

light one of our co-founders at my

429

00:18:22,510 --> 00:18:20,930

podcast behmen he had a TV show he's

430

00:18:25,490 --> 00:18:22,520

working on the second series now I think

431

00:18:27,860 --> 00:18:25,500

and the first series was all about

432

00:18:32,150 --> 00:18:27,870

medicine and it got very good ratings

433

00:18:34,160 --> 00:18:32,160

and sparked a serious debate but the

434

00:18:38,120 --> 00:18:34,170

people in the debate were on either one

435

00:18:40,400 --> 00:18:38,130

side or the other and the people who

436

00:18:42,110 --> 00:18:40,410

were on the other side it was pretty

437

00:18:44,570 --> 00:18:42,120

obvious that he could not hope to sway

438

00:18:45,980 --> 00:18:44,580

them you know it when he did except set

439

00:18:48,140 --> 00:18:45,990  
on homeopathy of course all the

440

00:18:49,610 --> 00:18:48,150  
arguments came out on psychics

441

00:18:51,710 --> 00:18:49,620  
everything it was all the same and you

442

00:18:53,570 --> 00:18:51,720  
could tell he wasn't reaching yeah any

443

00:18:55,190 --> 00:18:53,580  
one of these people but hopefully he

444

00:18:59,630 --> 00:18:55,200  
could reach the people on the fence and

445

00:19:01,790 --> 00:18:59,640  
make them see that maybe things are not

446

00:19:05,090 --> 00:19:01,800  
as these petitioners are telling us but

447

00:19:08,540 --> 00:19:05,100  
and that RIM series was broadcast on our

448

00:19:09,800 --> 00:19:08,550  
big state-owned channel so everybody got

449

00:19:11,780 --> 00:19:09,810  
the chance to see it on a lot of people

450

00:19:15,010 --> 00:19:11,790  
did see it it had fantastic ratings and

451  
00:19:17,810 --> 00:19:15,020  
has been optioned for another season so

452  
00:19:20,480 --> 00:19:17,820  
come good things are happening but yeah

453  
00:19:22,220 --> 00:19:20,490  
it is very good but it is relatively

454  
00:19:24,050 --> 00:19:22,230  
simplistic because it's made for popular

455  
00:19:27,020 --> 00:19:24,060  
audience and oh I know about you know

456  
00:19:29,450 --> 00:19:27,030  
yeah but it's very effective good and

457  
00:19:31,930 --> 00:19:29,460  
he's really good at communicating with

458  
00:19:34,820 --> 00:19:31,940  
audiences who tossed out for a living so

459  
00:19:36,770 --> 00:19:34,830  
you know there is an audience for a show

460  
00:19:39,170 --> 00:19:36,780  
like that which is a very good sign yeah

461  
00:19:41,390 --> 00:19:39,180  
but the question is do people when they

462  
00:19:45,290 --> 00:19:41,400  
go back to their everyday lives do they

463  
00:19:48,110 --> 00:19:45,300

take that with them that's hard to say

464

00:19:50,090 --> 00:19:48,120

that's how it's the general mindset in

465

00:19:52,100 --> 00:19:50,100

this country is not heading in the right

466

00:19:54,320 --> 00:19:52,110

direction I'm afraid and I think part of

467

00:19:56,870 --> 00:19:54,330

that is because nothing has been put in

468

00:19:59,420 --> 00:19:56,880

place to replace you know when religion

469

00:20:01,010 --> 00:19:59,430

has sort of been used out there is a

470

00:20:02,480 --> 00:20:01,020

spirituality that will spring up to take

471

00:20:05,480 --> 00:20:02,490

its place and some of that can be good

472

00:20:08,330 --> 00:20:05,490

you know meditation for instance yoga

473

00:20:10,310 --> 00:20:08,340

things like that but there are also

474

00:20:12,050 --> 00:20:10,320

unscrupulous people who see this as a

475

00:20:15,590 --> 00:20:12,060

great opportunity to make money it is

476  
00:20:19,400 --> 00:20:15,600  
and that's where the dangerous that when

477  
00:20:22,250 --> 00:20:19,410  
you're not able to filter woo from hard

478  
00:20:24,290 --> 00:20:22,260  
fact that leaves the door open for a lot

479  
00:20:26,900 --> 00:20:24,300  
certainly the other stuff to come into

480  
00:20:28,490 --> 00:20:26,910  
well I am interested to hear all this

481  
00:20:30,140 --> 00:20:28,500  
because it's I can see so many

482  
00:20:31,940 --> 00:20:30,150  
similarities to what's happening in

483  
00:20:33,740 --> 00:20:31,950  
Australia and I suppose it's pretty

484  
00:20:36,230 --> 00:20:33,750  
generic moral lesson first world

485  
00:20:38,450 --> 00:20:36,240  
societies that we face a lot of the

486  
00:20:39,379 --> 00:20:38,460  
similar problems but I'm glad that

487  
00:20:41,359 --> 00:20:39,389  
you're there

488  
00:20:43,759 --> 00:20:41,369

then you're active in the friends to

489

00:20:46,009 --> 00:20:43,769

herein are low and the Norwegian

490

00:20:48,109 --> 00:20:46,019

skeptics um who have treated me so well

491

00:20:50,060 --> 00:20:48,119

and must say and what all that hot

492

00:20:51,859 --> 00:20:50,070

chocolate we just had what it was that

493

00:20:54,289 --> 00:20:51,869

place just around the corner it's a cafe

494

00:20:56,659 --> 00:20:54,299

Bristol I can recommend it best hot

495

00:20:58,399 --> 00:20:56,669

chocolate in town definitely really was

496

00:21:00,469 --> 00:20:58,409

it was fantastic so thank you for taking

497

00:21:03,769 --> 00:21:00,479

me there and spending some of the day

498

00:21:05,419 --> 00:21:03,779

with me at the Viking ship Museum what's

499

00:21:06,769 --> 00:21:05,429

that great it's a wonderful place on

500

00:21:09,579 --> 00:21:06,779

that's the only place in the entire

501  
00:21:12,139 --> 00:21:09,589  
world to see real Viking Age longships

502  
00:21:16,699 --> 00:21:12,149  
those two are the only two preserved

503  
00:21:18,769 --> 00:21:16,709  
which which amazes me that that's it I

504  
00:21:20,779 --> 00:21:18,779  
have seen the world's collection of

505  
00:21:23,119 --> 00:21:20,789  
Viking ships it's seen all there is to

506  
00:21:24,769 --> 00:21:23,129  
see it's incredible folks come to Norway

507  
00:21:46,750 --> 00:21:24,779  
that's all actually thank you very much

508  
00:21:51,800 --> 00:21:50,300  
hi yeah maudit oh yeah Kristen or evil

509  
00:21:53,510 --> 00:21:51,810  
tips advice on wash cliff they're all

510  
00:21:55,070 --> 00:21:53,520  
the skeptics own um skip the comedian

511  
00:21:56,780 --> 00:21:55,080  
more again if it's not can prob get

512  
00:21:58,370 --> 00:21:56,790  
upper bleph a podcast over and against

513  
00:22:00,680 --> 00:21:58,380

kept sativa you like if I'm ever after

514

00:22:03,200 --> 00:22:00,690

this man since ralph i skipped system

515

00:22:05,030 --> 00:22:03,210

loop or hypothesis the deep plane origin

516

00:22:06,530 --> 00:22:05,040

and calendar or escape disc after death

517

00:22:07,970 --> 00:22:06,540

or link you till i will escape this

518

00:22:09,170 --> 00:22:07,980

guild association escapes his blog

519

00:22:10,880 --> 00:22:09,180

enough authority and lay over this

520

00:22:13,220 --> 00:22:10,890

guitar is heavy epilepsies ramazzotti

521

00:22:16,730 --> 00:22:13,230

keen on a starve yourself skips a stop

522

00:22:18,650 --> 00:22:16,740

mmm hello I'm moderate and I'm Kristin

523

00:22:20,360 --> 00:22:18,660

and we want to let you know that there

524

00:22:22,520 --> 00:22:20,370

are lots of Norwegian skeptics for you

525

00:22:24,320 --> 00:22:22,530

to get to know their blogs and pub meats

526

00:22:26,090 --> 00:22:24,330

and a podcast and the Norwegian skeptics

527

00:22:28,070 --> 00:22:26,100

also do paranormal tests and consumer

528

00:22:30,260 --> 00:22:28,080

activism to find out more Google

529

00:22:38,620 --> 00:22:30,270

Norwegian skeptics or visit skep

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00:22:44,210 --> 00:22:41,600

norway one day island the next in fact

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00:22:46,820 --> 00:22:44,220

the same day I'm in Dublin Ireland my

532

00:22:49,550 --> 00:22:46,830

first visit Thailand and I'm walking

533

00:22:51,890 --> 00:22:49,560

around with vanilla Murphy hello hi are

534

00:22:54,350 --> 00:22:51,900

you I'm having a wonderful time as you

535

00:22:56,390 --> 00:22:54,360

can tell I'm smiling and giggling and

536

00:22:58,190 --> 00:22:56,400

we're in the middle of your favorite

537

00:22:59,930 --> 00:22:58,200

part my favorite park this is the IV

538

00:23:02,090 --> 00:22:59,940

gardens in the middle of dublin city

539

00:23:04,610 --> 00:23:02,100

centre and it's kind of a little secret

540

00:23:07,220 --> 00:23:04,620

garden if you don't know it's there it's

541

00:23:09,710 --> 00:23:07,230

hard to find oh just hold thousands of

542

00:23:12,650 --> 00:23:09,720

people I don't they have to get to

543

00:23:16,310 --> 00:23:12,660

Ireland first I do they do it's it's

544

00:23:18,110 --> 00:23:16,320

just wonderful now I'm here I'm very

545

00:23:20,060 --> 00:23:18,120

quick visit of course which is a pity

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00:23:22,580 --> 00:23:20,070

I'd like to stay longer are we speaking

547

00:23:24,110 --> 00:23:22,590

to the local skeptics tomorrow night yes

548

00:23:25,910 --> 00:23:24,120

yes I'm looking forward to that very

549

00:23:27,710 --> 00:23:25,920

much yes or a week we were very excited

550

00:23:30,230 --> 00:23:27,720

when you you knew offered to pop over

551  
00:23:33,440 --> 00:23:30,240  
and see us before going to QED just a

552  
00:23:35,840 --> 00:23:33,450  
photo just a popular yeah yeah and so

553  
00:23:38,740 --> 00:23:35,850  
endlessness of course no you is the one

554  
00:23:41,960 --> 00:23:38,750  
of the skipper course i'm skipper con tu

555  
00:23:46,640 --> 00:23:41,970  
tu tu yes Rebecca skipper phone number

556  
00:23:48,290 --> 00:23:46,650  
one of us can pecan yeah the Irish

557  
00:23:52,940 --> 00:23:48,300  
podcast well let's continue walking

558  
00:23:54,530 --> 00:23:52,950  
through this wonderful parking I was

559  
00:23:56,390 --> 00:23:54,540  
just don't say we're all over there's a

560  
00:23:58,580 --> 00:23:56,400  
fellow just walk enough often others

561  
00:23:59,720 --> 00:23:58,590  
here a man with a little boy but apart

562  
00:24:02,900 --> 00:23:59,730  
from that you know we've got the whole

563  
00:24:04,970 --> 00:24:02,910

park to ourselves I think you've taken

564

00:24:06,980 --> 00:24:04,980

me to a secret place well I love this

565

00:24:10,040 --> 00:24:06,990

place because it is kind of secret and

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00:24:12,470 --> 00:24:10,050

nobody really knows about it and it's a

567

00:24:14,120 --> 00:24:12,480

little bit Wilder I mean I know it is

568

00:24:16,270 --> 00:24:14,130

still very well maintained its a little

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00:24:18,980 --> 00:24:16,280

bit wilder than the other city parks and

570

00:24:20,630 --> 00:24:18,990

kind of an element of Faerie of it but

571

00:24:22,990 --> 00:24:20,640

you know what it is to I've just noticed

572

00:24:26,780 --> 00:24:23,000

that as we look around it sort of got

573

00:24:29,120 --> 00:24:26,790

natural or much natural walls hasn't it

574

00:24:33,840 --> 00:24:29,130

is like we're a little valley here yes

575

00:24:36,480 --> 00:24:33,850

yeah well spotted that's why I like it

576

00:24:38,310 --> 00:24:36,490

yeah and then at the moment all the

577

00:24:40,590 --> 00:24:38,320

waterfalls are switched off but during

578

00:24:42,450 --> 00:24:40,600

the summer the waterfalls are on and the

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00:24:43,710 --> 00:24:42,460

Phantom's are on and we've just walked

580

00:24:46,289 --> 00:24:43,720

around the corner and there's a lovely

581

00:24:48,779 --> 00:24:46,299

fountain of is a statue of a range like

582

00:24:49,830 --> 00:24:48,789

yes but it's not the water's not going

583

00:24:52,320 --> 00:24:49,840

there's another one over there on the

584

00:24:54,960 --> 00:24:52,330

other side and there's a duck look at

585

00:24:59,010 --> 00:24:54,970

the dock waiting for the fun yeah let's

586

00:25:01,740 --> 00:24:59,020

be waiting a while everybody and and if

587

00:25:04,350 --> 00:25:01,750

you got in here yes ma'am around this

588

00:25:07,350 --> 00:25:04,360

tree yeah yeah oh yes it's like a little

589

00:25:09,330 --> 00:25:07,360

corridor of trees I little bit further

590

00:25:12,630 --> 00:25:09,340

down here there's a maze well it's not

591

00:25:14,310 --> 00:25:12,640

it's a labyrinth no amazed and then a

592

00:25:15,870 --> 00:25:14,320

little rose garden which is the

593

00:25:17,669 --> 00:25:15,880

labyrinth of the end of this yes oh we

594

00:25:20,070 --> 00:25:17,679

got to see that it's it's a classic lot

595

00:25:22,110 --> 00:25:20,080

like a labyrinth the style of the blue

596

00:25:24,360 --> 00:25:22,120

hedge work isn't labyrinth see you don't

597

00:25:28,500 --> 00:25:24,370

get lost cuz it's only about like knee

598

00:25:37,529 --> 00:25:28,510

height well i pled something I've got to

599

00:25:39,060 --> 00:25:37,539

see let's go okay hello skeptics own

600

00:25:42,720 --> 00:25:39,070

fans and we're recording live from

601  
00:25:44,990 --> 00:25:42,730  
unreal irish pub in Dublin we really are

602  
00:25:47,820 --> 00:25:45,000  
hello familiar hello how are you I'm

603  
00:25:49,830 --> 00:25:47,830  
been doing so well we had a great time

604  
00:25:52,470 --> 00:25:49,840  
tonight I gave a talk and we've all been

605  
00:25:54,750 --> 00:25:52,480  
doing origami lessons in an Irish pub we

606  
00:26:00,270 --> 00:25:54,760  
have definitely and I made an art deco

607  
00:26:02,039 --> 00:26:00,280  
big as unhappy biggest city there's a

608  
00:26:03,960 --> 00:26:02,049  
story I have I'm sticking to it it looks

609  
00:26:05,730 --> 00:26:03,970  
like an art deco look it it's it's

610  
00:26:09,210 --> 00:26:05,740  
purple and orange so it's clearly

611  
00:26:12,000 --> 00:26:09,220  
article ii and angled and everything see

612  
00:26:14,580 --> 00:26:12,010  
thank you can't see over the radio I

613  
00:26:16,890 --> 00:26:14,590

nope you take above it and who do we

614

00:26:19,799 --> 00:26:16,900

have here a day from Belfast skeptics

615

00:26:22,380 --> 00:26:19,809

you're fast skeptics ah now on Belfast

616

00:26:24,299 --> 00:26:22,390

FM we turn to the person lads easygoing

617

00:26:26,549 --> 00:26:24,309

and confidence skeptic seeks other

618

00:26:28,409 --> 00:26:26,559

critical thinkers for fun laughter and

619

00:26:30,480 --> 00:26:28,419

good times must be willing to apply

620

00:26:32,159 --> 00:26:30,490

logic liberally and a good listener

621

00:26:34,529 --> 00:26:32,169

expect something new and interesting

622

00:26:36,419 --> 00:26:34,539

every month come on meet me in Belfast

623

00:26:38,279 --> 00:26:36,429

in Northern Ireland if this sounds like

624

00:26:42,260 --> 00:26:38,289

you check out my profile on bail for

625

00:26:44,600 --> 00:26:42,270

skeptics calm music by kevin macleod

626

00:26:47,120 --> 00:26:44,610

still active still going

627

00:26:49,310 --> 00:26:47,130

yes fill me in regular ya need a few

628

00:26:50,690 --> 00:26:49,320

more speakers / but it's always chill

629

00:26:52,039 --> 00:26:50,700

getting people over from England you

630

00:26:54,380 --> 00:26:52,049

know with all the flights and everything

631

00:26:57,169 --> 00:26:54,390

but yes we're going what's the URL for

632

00:26:59,419 --> 00:26:57,179

built the Belfast skeptics who Belfast

633

00:27:01,580 --> 00:26:59,429

skeptics comment I believe you will

634

00:27:03,650 --> 00:27:01,590

leave as well see friends in high school

635

00:27:06,230 --> 00:27:03,660

well I was just wanted to make this

636

00:27:10,340 --> 00:27:06,240

recording thing because the atmosphere

637

00:27:15,680 --> 00:27:10,350

in here you just can't be yes it's of

638

00:27:17,750 --> 00:27:15,690

what am I thought this isn't this like

639

00:27:24,530 --> 00:27:17,760

every pub as people bursting in the song

640

00:27:26,150 --> 00:27:24,540

no these are not good singers if you're

641

00:27:29,210 --> 00:27:26,160

gonna shine no sing you better be able

642

00:27:32,650 --> 00:27:29,220

to sing and they cannot sing Oaks come

643

00:27:40,280 --> 00:27:32,660

to Ireland that's all I can say Faceman

644

00:27:43,159 --> 00:27:40,290

thank you good night hi this is Carrie

645

00:27:46,220 --> 00:27:43,169

papi i am ross Fletcher okay Ross hey

646

00:27:49,010 --> 00:27:46,230

we're from a podcast called oh no Ross

647

00:27:50,810 --> 00:27:49,020

and Carrie we find out what happens when

648

00:27:52,909 --> 00:27:50,820

you show up and ask questions we've hung

649

00:27:55,280 --> 00:27:52,919

out with the Cabalists the Mormons we've

650

00:27:58,039 --> 00:27:55,290

gone and gotten ear candles gone to the

651  
00:27:59,690 --> 00:27:58,049  
Sikhs we show up so you don't have to so

652  
00:28:01,580 --> 00:27:59,700  
find out where we're going next we'll

653  
00:28:04,190 --> 00:28:01,590  
even have special episodes where we have

654  
00:28:05,990 --> 00:28:04,200  
famous guests like Brian Dalton from mr.

655  
00:28:08,299 --> 00:28:06,000  
deity you heard that awesome theme music

656  
00:28:12,020 --> 00:28:08,309  
he wrote that you should come visit us

657  
00:28:14,810 --> 00:28:12,030  
at Oh No podcast.com or facebook.com

658  
00:28:18,980 --> 00:28:14,820  
slash on rack what the hell's honor a

659  
00:28:21,500 --> 00:28:18,990  
cross Oh in RAC oh oh no Ross and Carrie

660  
00:28:32,180 --> 00:28:21,510  
that's our show that's a smart come join

661  
00:28:34,250 --> 00:28:32,190  
us well from no way to to Dublin and now

662  
00:28:36,919 --> 00:28:34,260  
to the United Kingdom where in the lakes

663  
00:28:39,980 --> 00:28:36,929

district I'm with dr. rachey dr. heu

664

00:28:42,440 --> 00:28:39,990

have a new friend I have a very mean

665

00:28:44,600 --> 00:28:42,450

goose that is bullying all the other

666

00:28:47,299 --> 00:28:44,610

geese so that it can eat my sort of

667

00:28:50,100 --> 00:28:47,309

biscuit et Quon flaky sort of thing yeah

668

00:28:53,280 --> 00:28:50,110

now let's see if we can make this goose

669

00:28:54,780 --> 00:28:53,290

honk hahaha I really did Punk to

670

00:28:57,750 --> 00:28:54,790

drinking because another goose was

671

00:29:01,919 --> 00:28:57,760

having his noms hey let me feed another

672

00:29:05,000 --> 00:29:01,929

case and they'll probably make you is it

673

00:29:08,610 --> 00:29:05,010

wandered off he's quite bossy isn't he

674

00:29:11,630 --> 00:29:08,620

see so what's beautiful sit there he

675

00:29:14,340 --> 00:29:11,640

goes beautiful scene here dr. hu were at

676

00:29:17,100 --> 00:29:14,350

war I'm not even late windermere like

677

00:29:18,810 --> 00:29:17,110

here there's as you can hear there lots

678

00:29:23,640 --> 00:29:18,820

of birds around which we're feeding and

679

00:29:25,890 --> 00:29:23,650

they're loving at your that's the sound

680

00:29:28,409 --> 00:29:25,900

of geese feeding out of dr. a cheese

681

00:29:29,669 --> 00:29:28,419

hand and there are boats and all sorts

682

00:29:31,230 --> 00:29:29,679

of things here and there's some snow on

683

00:29:37,710 --> 00:29:31,240

the mountains behind us but of course

684

00:29:40,260 --> 00:29:37,720

we're here in in the UK to get to to QED

685

00:29:41,880 --> 00:29:40,270

can we do yes I know exciting and it

686

00:29:43,500 --> 00:29:41,890

starts officially tonight with a sort of

687

00:29:46,140 --> 00:29:43,510

a meet and greet and then it gets into

688

00:29:48,360 --> 00:29:46,150

full swing and you're giving a talk I'm

689

00:29:50,310 --> 00:29:48,370

giving a talk tomorrow and I'm on a

690

00:29:53,430 --> 00:29:50,320

panel as well an ult med panel tomorrow

691

00:29:55,980 --> 00:29:53,440

with I think I think Simon's seniors on

692

00:29:58,950 --> 00:29:55,990

my panel great not sure like I remember

693

00:30:01,770 --> 00:29:58,960

yeah anyway yeah so yeah kicking off

694

00:30:03,539 --> 00:30:01,780

tonight and um it's it's sold out really

695

00:30:06,000 --> 00:30:03,549

early this year which is the first time

696

00:30:07,770 --> 00:30:06,010

it sold out so early actually so it's

697

00:30:09,840 --> 00:30:07,780

going to be lots of really interesting

698

00:30:11,789 --> 00:30:09,850

people lots of fun stuff to talk about I

699

00:30:14,490 --> 00:30:11,799

was I certainly enjoyed my time here

700

00:30:16,080 --> 00:30:14,500

last year at QED and I didn't expect to

701  
00:30:19,080 --> 00:30:16,090  
be here this year but here I am and I'm

702  
00:30:20,640 --> 00:30:19,090  
absolutely filled to be here and i hope

703  
00:30:22,169 --> 00:30:20,650  
to grab some snacks some great

704  
00:30:24,030 --> 00:30:22,179  
interviews for the skeptic zone over the

705  
00:30:26,940 --> 00:30:24,040  
next few days with people like Simon

706  
00:30:29,640 --> 00:30:26,950  
Singh and yes yeah I'm definitely and

707  
00:30:33,530 --> 00:30:29,650  
Robin inks is going to be around as well

708  
00:30:36,390 --> 00:30:33,540  
and Andy Lewis from Quackenbush ah

709  
00:30:38,430 --> 00:30:36,400  
sidra's Rodriguez isms in rods really

710  
00:30:41,250 --> 00:30:38,440  
yes well a lot of our friends are here

711  
00:30:43,350 --> 00:30:41,260  
too you know I'm medtech and Chris

712  
00:30:44,580 --> 00:30:43,360  
Higgins who's just moved to London so it

713  
00:30:46,650 --> 00:30:44,590

would be great to catch up with some

714

00:30:52,020 --> 00:30:46,660

friends as well he comes a goose again

715

00:30:54,930 --> 00:30:52,030

ah sounds correct if enjoying those

716

00:30:57,330 --> 00:30:54,940

gnomes isn't he really is alright well

717

00:30:59,790 --> 00:30:57,340

yes so I'm just setting the scene for

718

00:31:01,350 --> 00:30:59,800

our listeners that and of course in this

719

00:31:02,480 --> 00:31:01,360

episode of the skeptics and it truly is

720

00:31:04,700 --> 00:31:02,490

an international

721

00:31:06,020 --> 00:31:04,710

episode with all these countries being

722

00:31:07,880 --> 00:31:06,030

resonant or they guys want to fly across

723

00:31:09,350 --> 00:31:07,890

the water for meanie that was them

724

00:31:10,970 --> 00:31:09,360

anyway that's the loud one was it lets

725

00:31:14,240 --> 00:31:10,980

just flying over that yeah past that

726

00:31:15,650 --> 00:31:14,250

boat alright so thank you listeners for

727

00:31:18,080 --> 00:31:15,660

indulging us while we're feeding the

728

00:31:20,390 --> 00:31:18,090

ducks in there and the geese there they

729

00:31:22,700 --> 00:31:20,400

go and we'll get back to some more

730

00:31:33,650 --> 00:31:22,710

serious skeptic zone type topics in a

731

00:31:35,750 --> 00:31:33,660

moment the crowd of gathering it's day

732

00:31:37,070 --> 00:31:35,760

one of QED I'm sitting in the middle of

733

00:31:39,230 --> 00:31:37,080

the audience with a couple of old

734

00:31:40,700 --> 00:31:39,240

friends have spoken skeptics in the pub

735

00:31:42,919 --> 00:31:40,710

would you like to introduce yourself to

736

00:31:45,799 --> 00:31:42,929

our listeners hello i am been making

737

00:31:48,049 --> 00:31:45,809

from edinburgh and this is i'm steve

738

00:31:50,810 --> 00:31:48,059

making his married to Baron so also from

739

00:31:52,700 --> 00:31:50,820

edinburgh and you were visiting sydney

740

00:31:53,900 --> 00:31:52,710

just last year and i interviewed you you

741

00:31:55,370 --> 00:31:53,910

gave her talking skeptics in the pub

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00:32:00,200 --> 00:31:55,380

that your adventures looking into

743

00:32:03,650 --> 00:32:00,210

various woo woo yes the a to Zed of all

744

00:32:05,810 --> 00:32:03,660

the woo I had tried from acupuncture to

745

00:32:09,740 --> 00:32:05,820

Zen Buddhism that's that was a really

746

00:32:11,150 --> 00:32:09,750

interesting talk and yeah you both gave

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00:32:12,919 --> 00:32:11,160

it I remember now you both stood up

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00:32:15,799 --> 00:32:12,929

there and gave the talk that was really

749

00:32:18,080 --> 00:32:15,809

great and here we are QED it's just the

750

00:32:20,060 --> 00:32:18,090

crowd of gathering I mean we haven't it

751  
00:32:22,940 --> 00:32:20,070  
hasn't officially started yet but I've

752  
00:32:24,770 --> 00:32:22,950  
noticed some people have been um what

753  
00:32:26,360 --> 00:32:24,780  
they call celebrity spotting I saw

754  
00:32:29,180 --> 00:32:26,370  
Richard Dawkins earlier having a cup of

755  
00:32:31,310 --> 00:32:29,190  
tea so it was a Duke instincts team

756  
00:32:32,990 --> 00:32:31,320  
apparently so well I auto store

757  
00:32:35,180 --> 00:32:33,000  
something like that metaphorically he

758  
00:32:37,700 --> 00:32:35,190  
was having a capacity for a cup of tea

759  
00:32:40,010 --> 00:32:37,710  
and there is a dalek on the stage as

760  
00:32:41,690 --> 00:32:40,020  
well which is very very Alec was here

761  
00:32:43,880 --> 00:32:41,700  
last year I remember yes there it is

762  
00:32:45,380 --> 00:32:43,890  
flashing away over there and what did

763  
00:32:48,020 --> 00:32:45,390

you get in your goody bag in my goodie

764

00:32:50,180 --> 00:32:48,030

bag I've got some kill ed Rob do you

765

00:32:52,010 --> 00:32:50,190

have rocket Australia I think we do but

766

00:32:54,290 --> 00:32:52,020

it's not very common it's a big candy

767

00:32:56,299 --> 00:32:54,300

yeah it's like a long thin candy bar

768

00:32:58,490 --> 00:32:56,309

where it should have words that go down

769

00:33:00,300 --> 00:32:58,500

because Hugh ed going down the middle of

770

00:33:03,630 --> 00:33:00,310

it so that's Robin site

771

00:33:05,790 --> 00:33:03,640

and is there a pen I don't know I

772

00:33:09,360 --> 00:33:05,800

haven't felt no yes yes there is an

773

00:33:11,310 --> 00:33:09,370

attender shoot syringe syringe pen lots

774

00:33:15,750 --> 00:33:11,320

of love big pharma so we have an anti

775

00:33:18,210 --> 00:33:15,760

big flower pen and and we have flyers

776

00:33:20,070 --> 00:33:18,220

advertising skeptics on the fringe well

777

00:33:22,700 --> 00:33:20,080

why don't you tell us I tell about it

778

00:33:26,040 --> 00:33:22,710

good skeptics on the fringe is a

779

00:33:28,860 --> 00:33:26,050

festival in Edinburgh we're very very

780

00:33:30,990 --> 00:33:28,870

fortunate in Edinburgh that we have the

781

00:33:34,680 --> 00:33:31,000

largest international arts festival in

782

00:33:37,590 --> 00:33:34,690

the world every August and we do science

783

00:33:40,320 --> 00:33:37,600

and reason and critical thinking as an

784

00:33:42,750 --> 00:33:40,330

alternative to all the arts and stand-up

785

00:33:45,390 --> 00:33:42,760

comedy ah very good when's that on

786

00:33:47,880 --> 00:33:45,400

August August absolutely I only I could

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00:33:49,620 --> 00:33:47,890

wangle a trip to edinboro August would

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00:33:52,800 --> 00:33:49,630

view that really would be wonderful

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00:33:56,790 --> 00:33:52,810

actually we have 22 different talks on

790

00:33:59,640 --> 00:33:56,800

22 different days in august we do in one

791

00:34:02,610 --> 00:33:59,650

month 13 weeks we do what most skeptics

792

00:34:04,710 --> 00:34:02,620

in the pub is doing a year Wow and a

793

00:34:06,510 --> 00:34:04,720

busy time a very very busy time and then

794

00:34:09,510 --> 00:34:06,520

we collapse in September and go to

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00:34:11,970 --> 00:34:09,520

Australia Matthew it i think managing

796

00:34:14,880 --> 00:34:11,980

that to you that we cut that it's all

797

00:34:16,590 --> 00:34:14,890

free Oh fantastic so the donation on

798

00:34:23,450 --> 00:34:16,600

exit now let's give everybody that

799

00:34:25,470 --> 00:34:23,460

website which is WWF disco UK / fringe

800

00:34:27,810 --> 00:34:25,480

absolutely that's the sad do too well

801

00:34:29,970 --> 00:34:27,820

folks I'm really excited to be here in

802

00:34:31,380 --> 00:34:29,980

QD it's wonderful to that you're both

803

00:34:32,910 --> 00:34:31,390

here it's really nice to catch up with

804

00:34:34,800 --> 00:34:32,920

you again and here's to a great

805

00:34:38,740 --> 00:34:34,810

conference excellent well thank you very

806

00:34:38,750 --> 00:35:08,380

Tilly

807

00:35:19,010 --> 00:35:13,390

my name is Brian Thompson welcome to get

808

00:35:23,000 --> 00:35:19,020

2013 is a 13 yeah I if you don't know

809

00:35:26,330 --> 00:35:23,010

who I am congratulations same boat as

810

00:35:28,400 --> 00:35:26,340

everyone out I work for the James Randi

811

00:35:31,430 --> 00:35:28,410

Educational Foundation you might have

812

00:35:37,130 --> 00:35:31,440

heard its little dwarf named James

813

00:35:39,710 --> 00:35:37,140

ringing I work for him uh also a

814

00:35:42,680 --> 00:35:39,720

comedian I've been on I feel I Eddie's

815

00:35:48,010 --> 00:35:42,690

wonderful program incredulous two or

816

00:35:48,020 --> 00:35:58,910

do you

817

00:36:05,010 --> 00:36:01,770

the skeptic magazine the journal from

818

00:36:07,620 --> 00:36:05,020

Australian skeptics subscribe online the

819

00:36:12,530 --> 00:36:07,630

world's second oldest skeptical magazine

820

00:36:15,630 --> 00:36:12,540

visit w WC apx com au and click the

821

00:36:20,010 --> 00:36:15,640

publication's league you can also find

822

00:36:23,220 --> 00:36:20,020

their over 30 years on back issues free

823

00:36:36,840 --> 00:36:23,230

to download the skeptic magazine from

824

00:36:38,970 --> 00:36:36,850

Australian skeptics welcome to a week in

825

00:36:41,840 --> 00:36:38,980

science from our aisles this week

826  
00:36:50,300 --> 00:36:41,850  
dinosaur embryos healthier chocolate and

827  
00:36:53,340 --> 00:36:50,310  
talking baboons fossilized dinosaur

828  
00:36:56,190 --> 00:36:53,350  
embryos still inside their eggs have

829  
00:36:58,110 --> 00:36:56,200  
been found in China this rare fine sheds

830  
00:37:00,840 --> 00:36:58,120  
light on the early development of these

831  
00:37:02,970 --> 00:37:00,850  
prehistoric creatures the fossils belong

832  
00:37:07,440 --> 00:37:02,980  
to a group called the sauropod amorphs

833  
00:37:10,530 --> 00:37:07,450  
and are between 190 and 197 million

834  
00:37:13,290 --> 00:37:10,540  
years old the oldest dinosaur embryos

835  
00:37:15,570 --> 00:37:13,300  
ever found detailed examination of the

836  
00:37:17,730 --> 00:37:15,580  
bones indicates that these dinosaurs

837  
00:37:21,840 --> 00:37:17,740  
grew quickly and flex their muscles

838  
00:37:23,790 --> 00:37:21,850

while still inside the egg fruit juice

839

00:37:26,280 --> 00:37:23,800

infused chocolate could become a

840

00:37:28,350 --> 00:37:26,290

healthier alternative thanks to new

841

00:37:30,240 --> 00:37:28,360

technology the technique allows

842

00:37:33,900 --> 00:37:30,250

chocolates be made with fruit juice

843

00:37:36,600 --> 00:37:33,910

vitamin C water or diet cola replacing

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00:37:38,760 --> 00:37:36,610

up to fifty percent of the fat the juice

845

00:37:40,590 --> 00:37:38,770

is in the form of microbubbles that

846

00:37:44,100 --> 00:37:40,600

helps the chocolate to retain the

847

00:37:46,080 --> 00:37:44,110

velvety lush mouthfeel substituting

848

00:37:48,210 --> 00:37:46,090

fruit juice or diet cola will also

849

00:37:50,370 --> 00:37:48,220

reduce the overall sugar content of the

850

00:37:53,700 --> 00:37:50,380

chocolate while maintaining its healthy

851  
00:37:56,490 --> 00:37:53,710  
natural antioxidants and now for science

852  
00:37:58,770 --> 00:37:56,500  
headlines in 30 seconds an exciting

853  
00:38:00,510 --> 00:37:58,780  
archaeological Hall in South Africa has

854  
00:38:02,700 --> 00:38:00,520  
uncovered well-preserved relatives of

855  
00:38:04,110 --> 00:38:02,710  
humans over 2 million years old a

856  
00:38:06,170 --> 00:38:04,120  
nutrient in red

857  
00:38:08,550 --> 00:38:06,180  
rather than saturated fat or cholesterol

858  
00:38:10,920 --> 00:38:08,560  
may be to blame for it's linked to

859  
00:38:12,510 --> 00:38:10,930  
cardiovascular disease climate change

860  
00:38:14,790 --> 00:38:12,520  
could cause bumpier transatlantic

861  
00:38:16,950 --> 00:38:14,800  
flights with modeling showing more

862  
00:38:20,280 --> 00:38:16,960  
frequent and stronger winter turbulence

863  
00:38:22,170 --> 00:38:20,290

by mid-century and sorry lads but it

864

00:38:24,990 --> 00:38:22,180

seems that size does matter after all

865

00:38:27,060 --> 00:38:25,000

with women rating computerized males is

866

00:38:30,630 --> 00:38:27,070

more attractive when they have larger

867

00:38:33,720 --> 00:38:30,640

penises and finally for this week have

868

00:38:36,270 --> 00:38:33,730

baboons been overheard talking recently

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00:38:38,640 --> 00:38:36,280

while gelada baboons were heard to make

870

00:38:40,860 --> 00:38:38,650

vocalizations called wobbles while

871

00:38:43,800 --> 00:38:40,870

performing a facial gesture known as

872

00:38:46,080 --> 00:38:43,810

lip-smacking unlike other primate noises

873

00:38:48,410 --> 00:38:46,090

the synchronization of these facial

874

00:38:51,450 --> 00:38:48,420

expressions and vocalizations is

875

00:38:57,870 --> 00:38:51,460

structurally similar to speech so could

876  
00:39:00,960 --> 00:38:57,880  
this be a precursor to human speech 1111

877  
00:39:05,610 --> 00:39:00,970  
this strange behavior has not been seen

878  
00:39:07,320 --> 00:39:05,620  
in the geladas closest relatives arias

879  
00:39:10,470 --> 00:39:07,330  
recently covered a controversial topic

880  
00:39:13,500 --> 00:39:10,480  
in science behind the headlines drugs in

881  
00:39:15,690 --> 00:39:13,510  
sport on the Arias website this week

882  
00:39:18,180 --> 00:39:15,700  
read a review of the event and see an

883  
00:39:20,580 --> 00:39:18,190  
exclusive interview with dr. Mario zoli

884  
00:39:25,050 --> 00:39:20,590  
chief medical officer with the Union

885  
00:39:29,130 --> 00:39:25,060  
Cycliste Internationale that's RI aus

886  
00:39:31,500 --> 00:39:29,140  
org a you that's been the highlights of

887  
00:39:33,750 --> 00:39:31,510  
another big week in science for more on

888  
00:39:37,050 --> 00:39:33,760

these and other science news stories go

889

00:39:38,910 --> 00:39:37,060

to the rirs website are oils org a you

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00:39:41,790 --> 00:39:38,920

where you can also sign up for

891

00:39:43,590 --> 00:39:41,800

notifications of future episodes you can

892

00:39:46,830 --> 00:39:43,600

join in the conversation on twitter

893

00:39:48,390 --> 00:39:46,840

using the hashtag weekend sigh i'm paul

894

00:39:56,430 --> 00:39:48,400

willis and on behalf of the our oils

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00:40:01,299 --> 00:39:59,020

did you see that UFO sighting that made

896

00:40:03,010 --> 00:40:01,309

the news what did that latest study

897

00:40:05,410 --> 00:40:03,020

about alternative treatments really say

898

00:40:08,380 --> 00:40:05,420

is this photo making the rounds real or

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00:40:10,270 --> 00:40:08,390

hoax duffle news is a unique website

900

00:40:12,400 --> 00:40:10,280

featuring news about pseudoscience the

901  
00:40:14,099 --> 00:40:12,410  
paranormal anomalies and questionable

902  
00:40:17,079 --> 00:40:14,109  
claims framed with the skeptical view

903  
00:40:18,809 --> 00:40:17,089  
come visit doubtful newscom every day

904  
00:40:22,539 --> 00:40:18,819  
for news about cryptozoology

905  
00:40:25,450 --> 00:40:22,549  
conspiracies shams scams and more follow

906  
00:40:27,010 --> 00:40:25,460  
us on twitter at doubtful news critical

907  
00:40:29,319 --> 00:40:27,020  
thinking is essential in assessing

908  
00:40:37,020 --> 00:40:29,329  
today's news duffel news helps you

909  
00:40:47,319 --> 00:40:40,420  
join us now for drinking skeptically in

910  
00:40:51,010 --> 00:40:47,329  
the think tank first our first but our

911  
00:40:57,279 --> 00:40:51,020  
first one that are recording North

912  
00:41:02,819 --> 00:40:57,289  
American think tank yay small one we got

913  
00:41:05,829 --> 00:41:02,829

out myself Travis got Steve and Andrew

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00:41:09,910 --> 00:41:05,839

alright and we got an exciting one today

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00:41:12,160 --> 00:41:09,920

because Steve just got back from Nexus

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00:41:15,549 --> 00:41:12,170

then that's right I think of us a little

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00:41:18,130 --> 00:41:15,559

bit of a low down on Nexus well mexus

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00:41:21,099 --> 00:41:18,140

was a great time this was my first time

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00:41:24,069 --> 00:41:21,109

ever going to a nexus so I really didn't

920

00:41:26,740 --> 00:41:24,079

have a point of comparison for I was

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00:41:29,890 --> 00:41:26,750

lucky the skeptics group from stack

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00:41:32,440 --> 00:41:29,900

exchange was kind enough to post me for

923

00:41:34,660 --> 00:41:32,450

this and they got me to go not only to

924

00:41:38,200 --> 00:41:34,670

the actual conference but I got to go to

925

00:41:41,349 --> 00:41:38,210

the workshops the workshops were much

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00:41:43,150 --> 00:41:41,359

smaller affairs than the for instance my

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00:41:46,990 --> 00:41:43,160

only other complaint of comparison would

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00:41:50,289 --> 00:41:47,000

be Tam but there were four workshops on

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00:41:54,309 --> 00:41:50,299

the Friday before Nexus really started

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00:41:57,279 --> 00:41:54,319

and it was a lot of fun to sit in a room

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00:41:59,410 --> 00:41:57,289

with 15 other people and Steve novella

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00:42:03,159 --> 00:41:59,420

and George Rob telling us how to make a

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00:42:07,419 --> 00:42:03,169

podcast and you know things like that

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00:42:10,309 --> 00:42:07,429

then you know that evening they had a

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00:42:12,890 --> 00:42:10,319

thing called stimulus and response which

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00:42:14,929 --> 00:42:12,900

was a lot of fun the first half of it

937

00:42:18,739 --> 00:42:14,939

was George Rob just kind of freestyling

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00:42:22,999 --> 00:42:18,749

his music while some artist named paulo

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00:42:26,390 --> 00:42:23,009

rob no relation interesting I know the

940

00:42:28,159 --> 00:42:26,400

made a painting are actually a series of

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00:42:30,829 --> 00:42:28,169

paintings I just see some pictures of

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00:42:35,269 --> 00:42:30,839

that yeah and they were it was really

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00:42:39,439 --> 00:42:35,279

neat then afterwards Steven and Heather

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00:42:42,439 --> 00:42:39,449

Berlin and a few other folks kind of

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00:42:44,239 --> 00:42:42,449

talked about you know what that whole

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00:42:47,359 --> 00:42:44,249

experience was like and kind of the

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00:42:53,120 --> 00:42:47,369

neurology behind it then they got some

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00:42:55,579 --> 00:42:53,130

improv comedians they dragged J novella

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00:42:58,699 --> 00:42:55,589

up on stage and they just started asking

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00:43:01,130 --> 00:42:58,709

him a bunch of questions and while all

951  
00:43:05,959 --> 00:43:01,140  
the improv comedians are standing around

952  
00:43:10,159 --> 00:43:05,969  
and after Jay had thoroughly exhausted

953  
00:43:11,870 --> 00:43:10,169  
his stream of consciousness they went

954  
00:43:14,329 --> 00:43:11,880  
ahead and did an improv act which was

955  
00:43:17,089 --> 00:43:14,339  
actually quite funny based on the things

956  
00:43:19,249 --> 00:43:17,099  
that Jay had said and then of course

957  
00:43:23,959 --> 00:43:19,259  
saturday and sunday was the actual day

958  
00:43:27,709 --> 00:43:23,969  
of the conference itself again never

959  
00:43:29,630 --> 00:43:27,719  
having been to nexus it seemed that they

960  
00:43:32,929 --> 00:43:29,640  
filled up the auditorium quite well and

961  
00:43:36,979 --> 00:43:32,939  
all the speakers were really really good

962  
00:43:40,299 --> 00:43:36,989  
I particularly enjoyed kind of the the

963  
00:43:45,069 --> 00:43:40,309

arc that each of the presentations had

964

00:43:47,509 --> 00:43:45,079

you know we had a lot about cognitive

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00:43:51,349 --> 00:43:47,519

sciences a lot about the development of

966

00:43:55,370 --> 00:43:51,359

morality moral arts throughout that and

967

00:43:58,099 --> 00:43:55,380

then even later on in the day we talked

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00:44:00,140 --> 00:43:58,109

about storytelling and how that kind of

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00:44:02,919 --> 00:44:00,150

resonates with things one of the things

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00:44:06,979 --> 00:44:02,929

skeptic seems to have problems with is

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00:44:09,890 --> 00:44:06,989

whenever we try to relate something in

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00:44:13,249 --> 00:44:09,900

the skeptical field we use facts and

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00:44:15,079 --> 00:44:13,259

figures because we have the data to back

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00:44:17,509 --> 00:44:15,089

up our assertions

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00:44:19,430 --> 00:44:17,519

those facts and figures well most people

976  
00:44:23,390 --> 00:44:19,440  
when they listen to something they don't

977  
00:44:25,729 --> 00:44:23,400  
hear that they hear the anecdotal story

978  
00:44:28,549 --> 00:44:25,739  
they hear the relatable thing things

979  
00:44:32,329 --> 00:44:28,559  
like that so that was a good teaching

980  
00:44:34,880 --> 00:44:32,339  
point i think for skeptics which goes

981  
00:44:37,789 --> 00:44:34,890  
counter to you know the plural of

982  
00:44:40,579 --> 00:44:37,799  
anecdote is not data but if you can

983  
00:44:44,239 --> 00:44:40,589  
perhaps couch the data in the form of an

984  
00:44:46,880 --> 00:44:44,249  
anecdote to help the listener relate a

985  
00:44:49,759 --> 00:44:46,890  
little bit more Andrew you've been the

986  
00:44:51,620 --> 00:44:49,769  
tam I've been to tam life when it was on

987  
00:44:54,259 --> 00:44:51,630  
this closer to the strip is a northern

988  
00:44:56,870 --> 00:44:54,269

in the strip tm5 yeah and it was at tam

989

00:44:58,579 --> 00:44:56,880

10 which was at southpoint south point

990

00:45:00,109 --> 00:44:58,589

so the thing about the ones that now

991

00:45:02,299 --> 00:45:00,119

I've never been at the ones that were

992

00:45:05,450 --> 00:45:02,309

closer to the stripper on the strip so I

993

00:45:07,309 --> 00:45:05,460

don't really I can't compare but at

994

00:45:09,979 --> 00:45:07,319

southpoint because we're all kind of

995

00:45:11,779 --> 00:45:09,989

stuck on this island that is south point

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00:45:13,400 --> 00:45:11,789

because it's like a thirty dollar cab

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00:45:16,099 --> 00:45:13,410

ride to get to the strip and everything

998

00:45:17,420 --> 00:45:16,109

else you're kind of forced into that

999

00:45:18,769 --> 00:45:17,430

situation where you're hanging out with

1000

00:45:21,349 --> 00:45:18,779

these people I mean we basically take

1001  
00:45:22,999 --> 00:45:21,359  
over a bar yeah like the whole time were

1002  
00:45:24,739 --> 00:45:23,009  
there you can go there anytime and

1003  
00:45:27,049 --> 00:45:24,749  
there's skeptics from the conference

1004  
00:45:29,420 --> 00:45:27,059  
there did that happen on the earlier

1005  
00:45:31,400 --> 00:45:29,430  
tams the earlier one you went to that

1006  
00:45:33,950 --> 00:45:31,410  
was on the strip word well in addition

1007  
00:45:37,249 --> 00:45:33,960  
to being closer to the strip it was in

1008  
00:45:39,229 --> 00:45:37,259  
January all right so it wasn't

1009  
00:45:43,150 --> 00:45:39,239  
oppressively hi some people thought it

1010  
00:45:47,809 --> 00:45:43,160  
was cold being from New England 55

1011  
00:45:51,829 --> 00:45:47,819  
degrees was fantastic positively balmy

1012  
00:45:56,509 --> 00:45:51,839  
what why is the pool closed okay I want

1013  
00:45:58,309 --> 00:45:56,519

to go swimming no so we you know you

1014

00:46:03,109 --> 00:45:58,319

could go out walk the strip up and down

1015

00:46:05,209 --> 00:46:03,119

two mile walk it's very pleasant out

1016

00:46:07,910 --> 00:46:05,219

it's not the punch in the face that it

1017

00:46:09,360 --> 00:46:07,920

is in July exactly so you can eat easily

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00:46:12,180 --> 00:46:09,370

get some

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00:46:15,560 --> 00:46:12,190

good yeah pretty good you're sure they

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00:46:18,240 --> 00:46:15,570

didn't forget about you no not working

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00:46:20,190 --> 00:46:18,250

yes please no we don't have bus

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00:46:23,510 --> 00:46:20,200

announcements or our airplanes flying

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00:46:26,490 --> 00:46:23,520

right over we manage your check-ins yeah

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00:46:29,250 --> 00:46:26,500

so Andrew were you got well this

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00:46:31,440 --> 00:46:29,260

saturday i'm heading to Gloucester

1026  
00:46:33,780 --> 00:46:31,450  
Massachusetts and the cape and skeptics

1027  
00:46:35,520 --> 00:46:33,790  
are hosting their skip to camp so

1028  
00:46:38,040 --> 00:46:35,530  
there's a second one this is their

1029  
00:46:40,380 --> 00:46:38,050  
second yeah I went to the first I'll be

1030  
00:46:45,470 --> 00:46:40,390  
representing a I guess Granite State

1031  
00:46:48,810 --> 00:46:45,480  
skeptics doing my Marblehead UFO

1032  
00:46:51,000 --> 00:46:48,820  
presentation that I gave last October at

1033  
00:46:53,640 --> 00:46:51,010  
our skeptic camp yes and it was very

1034  
00:46:57,090 --> 00:46:53,650  
well received what better talks yes so

1035  
00:46:59,940 --> 00:46:57,100  
basically this is a talk about you know

1036  
00:47:03,180 --> 00:46:59,950  
what information you can find on the net

1037  
00:47:06,950 --> 00:47:03,190  
starting with a single picture and a

1038  
00:47:11,130 --> 00:47:06,960

description given by the photographer

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00:47:14,510 --> 00:47:11,140

about a possibly unusual event my talk

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00:47:17,310 --> 00:47:14,520

is basically about what you can discover

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00:47:20,730 --> 00:47:17,320

based on one picture that was posted and

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00:47:23,010 --> 00:47:20,740

the premise was Hey look I was taking

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00:47:24,630 --> 00:47:23,020

this picture at sunrise and I noticed

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00:47:26,760 --> 00:47:24,640

something in the series of pictures I

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00:47:32,840 --> 00:47:26,770

took in the upper right hand corner and

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00:47:34,950 --> 00:47:32,850

it moved and the and the photographer

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00:47:38,580 --> 00:47:34,960

spliced some of those together cropped

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00:47:40,980 --> 00:47:38,590

it of course he had no no reference of

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00:47:43,650 --> 00:47:40,990

any time emotion and says yeah some of

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00:47:45,510 --> 00:47:43,660

these were time lapse and I hear as I

1051  
00:47:48,780 --> 00:47:45,520  
put a movie together and it was the

1052  
00:47:51,890 --> 00:47:48,790  
Marblehead UFO which made some local

1053  
00:47:55,080 --> 00:47:51,900  
news and I looked at that I thought that

1054  
00:47:57,270 --> 00:47:55,090  
looks like an airplane and the talk is

1055  
00:48:00,540 --> 00:47:57,280  
about basically the evidence I gather

1056  
00:48:04,920 --> 00:48:00,550  
online to support the fact that it was

1057  
00:48:12,610 --> 00:48:07,960  
so Dale just showed up post my post

1058  
00:48:15,700 --> 00:48:12,620  
rugby practice so and then the other

1059  
00:48:17,700 --> 00:48:15,710  
thing interest hustling to the zone last

1060  
00:48:20,550 --> 00:48:17,710  
week Richard was talking about

1061  
00:48:24,190 --> 00:48:20,560  
conspiracy road trip which is a

1062  
00:48:26,980 --> 00:48:24,200  
four-part BBC series or there's a

1063  
00:48:28,660 --> 00:48:26,990

comedian who takes a group of people

1064

00:48:31,420 --> 00:48:28,670

that believe in some kind of conspiracy

1065

00:48:33,850 --> 00:48:31,430

theory and they go travel around and

1066

00:48:36,040 --> 00:48:33,860

have them talk to experts and stuff it

1067

00:48:38,230 --> 00:48:36,050

was we talked about it earlier and I

1068

00:48:41,590 --> 00:48:38,240

think I refer you them all it was at the

1069

00:48:42,880 --> 00:48:41,600

77 bombings in London religion izle

1070

00:48:47,830 --> 00:48:42,890

creationism that was one that had

1071

00:48:49,810 --> 00:48:47,840

trouble with UFOs and 911 and it was I

1072

00:48:52,390 --> 00:48:49,820

wouldn't consider creationism so much a

1073

00:48:56,380 --> 00:48:52,400

conspiracy theory is just no no no I had

1074

00:48:58,870 --> 00:48:56,390

no no it's a conspiracy for the deal

1075

00:49:02,500 --> 00:48:58,880

with the conspiracy for creationism is

1076

00:49:07,390 --> 00:49:02,510

that it's the scientists are a

1077

00:49:10,120 --> 00:49:07,400

conspiracy ah spirits ok I see so that's

1078

00:49:11,890 --> 00:49:10,130

let's go to this but it was it was very

1079

00:49:14,230 --> 00:49:11,900

interesting except I'm not going to

1080

00:49:16,350 --> 00:49:14,240

spill the beans on the episode but with

1081

00:49:18,460 --> 00:49:16,360

the exception of one episode where

1082

00:49:20,680 --> 00:49:18,470

everybody pretty much stuck with their

1083

00:49:22,630 --> 00:49:20,690

conspiracy at least one person change

1084

00:49:24,670 --> 00:49:22,640

their mind and every other episode the

1085

00:49:27,820 --> 00:49:24,680

dynamic among the people that are on the

1086

00:49:29,710 --> 00:49:27,830

bus that believe in the conspiracy gets

1087

00:49:31,930 --> 00:49:29,720

very entertaining and interesting to

1088

00:49:35,470 --> 00:49:31,940

watch at times because they kind of

1089

00:49:38,640 --> 00:49:35,480

battle within their own conspiracy ideas

1090

00:49:41,860 --> 00:49:38,650

so that's a that's quite interesting my

1091

00:49:45,220 --> 00:49:41,870

my only experience I've had so far is

1092

00:49:49,060 --> 00:49:45,230

that one of my Facebook friends posted

1093

00:49:53,200 --> 00:49:49,070

that microwaves are killing us microwave

1094

00:49:55,810 --> 00:49:53,210

ovens Oh directly or losing our phone

1095

00:49:58,090 --> 00:49:55,820

so she posts a picture of a dead plant

1096

00:50:00,370 --> 00:49:58,100

and a living plant and supposedly the

1097

00:50:02,560 --> 00:50:00,380

dead plant had was microwave this

1098

00:50:06,010 --> 00:50:02,570

microwave water that was the bunk by a

1099

00:50:09,040 --> 00:50:06,020

bunch of school kids oh I know it's old

1100

00:50:13,120 --> 00:50:09,050

old news and she's posting it and and

1101

00:50:14,950 --> 00:50:13,130

the best part is she's like its sound so

1102

00:50:18,250 --> 00:50:14,960

logical I'm not going to use my

1103

00:50:21,510 --> 00:50:18,260

microwave oven anymore you should poster

1104

00:50:24,970 --> 00:50:21,520

the length of that I study posted her

1105

00:50:26,860 --> 00:50:24,980

just i posted snow because i knew they

1106

00:50:29,500 --> 00:50:26,870

had it as that this has gone around for

1107

00:50:32,890 --> 00:50:29,510

a little while and i responded with its

1108

00:50:37,600 --> 00:50:32,900

fake only reason i pointing at this is

1109

00:50:42,130 --> 00:50:37,610

at the the nexus Debra and I cannot

1110

00:50:44,650 --> 00:50:42,140

pronounce her last name Barbra says yet

1111

00:50:46,870 --> 00:50:44,660

she was talking about a friend of hers

1112

00:50:48,880 --> 00:50:46,880

that absolutely refused to use a

1113

00:50:53,140 --> 00:50:48,890

microwave at all especially because the

1114

00:50:57,940 --> 00:50:53,150

mesh in the in the screen would let the

1115

00:50:59,860 --> 00:50:57,950

microwaves out it hurt it will in den

1116

00:51:02,740 --> 00:50:59,870

Deborah explain you know how microwaves

1117

00:51:05,920 --> 00:51:02,750

works and really stupid it just feels

1118

00:51:07,660 --> 00:51:05,930

like it's just ignorance one of my

1119

00:51:09,490 --> 00:51:07,670

former students had said that her mother

1120

00:51:10,750 --> 00:51:09,500

refuses to let her stand in front the

1121

00:51:13,360 --> 00:51:10,760

microwave and wait for her popcorn

1122

00:51:14,530 --> 00:51:13,370

because the radiation and it's going to

1123

00:51:16,690 --> 00:51:14,540

give her cancer and that's because

1124

00:51:17,800 --> 00:51:16,700

that's how her mother got cancer but

1125

00:51:19,930 --> 00:51:17,810

didn't she read the thing about

1126  
00:51:24,580 --> 00:51:19,940  
microwave popcorn giving some guy lung

1127  
00:51:26,710 --> 00:51:24,590  
cancer no that's not before this did you

1128  
00:51:28,990 --> 00:51:26,720  
hear doesn't know about that let me

1129  
00:51:30,400 --> 00:51:29,000  
finish the story and actually I didn't

1130  
00:51:32,950 --> 00:51:30,410  
have to say anything because the kid

1131  
00:51:35,370 --> 00:51:32,960  
corrected the mother she's like no this

1132  
00:51:38,590 --> 00:51:35,380  
is not how this work she's like the mesh

1133  
00:51:41,020 --> 00:51:38,600  
protects us and it's shielded and and

1134  
00:51:42,850 --> 00:51:41,030  
the mothers were still refused to let

1135  
00:51:44,800 --> 00:51:42,860  
her but at least the kid was like no

1136  
00:51:48,940 --> 00:51:44,810  
this is not how it works she's like 8th

1137  
00:51:51,670 --> 00:51:48,950  
and 9th grade science this is how so I

1138  
00:51:55,450 --> 00:51:51,680

was like okay I'm like I'm so proud of

1139

00:51:56,500 --> 00:51:55,460

you so tell us about the microwave

1140

00:52:02,020 --> 00:51:56,510

popcorn

1141

00:52:04,300 --> 00:52:02,030

lung cancer or was it something else

1142

00:52:06,250 --> 00:52:04,310

some sort of cancer from breathing in

1143

00:52:08,170 --> 00:52:06,260

enemy so what it was journalist he was

1144

00:52:10,270 --> 00:52:08,180

getting microwave popcorn every day at

1145

00:52:12,760 --> 00:52:10,280

work on his break and he would put the

1146

00:52:15,070 --> 00:52:12,770

bag of popcorn and microwave would come

1147

00:52:18,550 --> 00:52:15,080

out he hold it right up to his face and

1148

00:52:21,280 --> 00:52:18,560

inhale deeply as he opened it and he did

1149

00:52:23,230 --> 00:52:21,290

this for like 11 years or something and

1150

00:52:25,390 --> 00:52:23,240

then he got something so it's not really

1151  
00:52:28,270 --> 00:52:25,400  
surprising that he had something happy

1152  
00:52:30,100 --> 00:52:28,280  
with wellness even so there you still

1153  
00:52:32,770 --> 00:52:30,110  
can't show that there's a causation

1154  
00:52:35,680 --> 00:52:32,780  
there specifically over I'm 11

1155  
00:52:38,310 --> 00:52:35,690  
mooreville there is a chemical father

1156  
00:52:41,410 --> 00:52:38,320  
microwave is using one of the company's

1157  
00:52:44,380 --> 00:52:41,420  
brands that still use that chemical even

1158  
00:52:46,330 --> 00:52:44,390  
though most of the popcorn hangs away

1159  
00:52:48,790 --> 00:52:46,340  
from okay well that doesn't suck it was

1160  
00:52:51,730 --> 00:52:48,800  
a lag okay that's some crucial details

1161  
00:52:53,860 --> 00:52:51,740  
that you know right that was left was a

1162  
00:52:55,900 --> 00:52:53,870  
pool but it's hard to change an

1163  
00:52:58,960 --> 00:52:55,910

accenture under chemical but I want to

1164

00:53:00,760 --> 00:52:58,970

say Oh lake sounds well here or whatever

1165

00:53:03,430 --> 00:53:00,770

it is cuz I mean you know over an

1166

00:53:05,920 --> 00:53:03,440

11-year period people can do a do a lot

1167

00:53:07,510 --> 00:53:05,930

of things that could Miami and there was

1168

00:53:11,650 --> 00:53:07,520

multiple times a day wasn't just lunch

1169

00:53:14,440 --> 00:53:11,660

break Oh was it yeah using that much

1170

00:53:16,450 --> 00:53:14,450

butter microwave popcorn he I think it

1171

00:53:19,900 --> 00:53:16,460

was like three times a day every day Wow

1172

00:53:21,670 --> 00:53:19,910

like yeah that's all over 11 years and

1173

00:53:24,040 --> 00:53:21,680

he was doing it as it came out it was

1174

00:53:27,100 --> 00:53:24,050

like a fresh bag that he would literally

1175

00:53:29,080 --> 00:53:27,110

go for it open it up and stick his face

1176

00:53:31,180 --> 00:53:29,090

him that was the thing that they said

1177

00:53:35,440 --> 00:53:31,190

was the worst part about it yeah he was

1178

00:53:38,050 --> 00:53:35,450

huffing popcorn there's one thing

1179

00:53:40,270 --> 00:53:38,060

popcorn butter flavor he was huffing

1180

00:53:42,580 --> 00:53:40,280

microwave butter there could be a

1181

00:53:44,710 --> 00:53:42,590

soldier stands aerosolized or whatever

1182

00:53:46,900 --> 00:53:44,720

it's called whatever your wording is now

1183

00:53:47,870 --> 00:53:46,910

Harris allies particularly got that

1184

00:53:52,400 --> 00:53:47,880

right

1185

00:53:55,130 --> 00:53:52,410

we know so anyway on Dale pronouncing

1186

00:53:58,370 --> 00:53:55,140

something right I guess we'll put it in

1187

00:54:27,910 --> 00:53:58,380

all this is to put it into this our

1188

00:54:32,090 --> 00:54:30,170

thank you for listening to the skeptic

1189

00:54:35,960 --> 00:54:32,100

zone all that was a nice nah my head

1190

00:54:38,480 --> 00:54:35,970

downstairs well what what it's almost

1191

00:54:41,590 --> 00:54:38,490

like this episode deserves its own jet

1192

00:54:44,990 --> 00:54:41,600

lag I think visiting so many countries

1193

00:54:46,970 --> 00:54:45,000

coming up very soon I really mean it

1194

00:54:49,130 --> 00:54:46,980

this time I know I know I know I'm

1195

00:54:54,380 --> 00:54:49,140

getting mail and emails telling me what

1196

00:54:56,150 --> 00:54:54,390

the hell's going on solar flare I'm sure

1197

00:54:58,520 --> 00:54:56,160

it's very sir I must have got lost

1198

00:55:01,370 --> 00:54:58,530

somewhere maybe it's bouncing around the

1199

00:55:03,800 --> 00:55:01,380

planet on the internet and I'm Alma it's

1200

00:55:05,900 --> 00:55:03,810

almost here solar flare is almost here

1201  
00:55:08,270 --> 00:55:05,910  
and it will appear by surprise one day

1202  
00:55:11,120 --> 00:55:08,280  
you'll be downloading you'll be on the

1203  
00:55:14,060 --> 00:55:11,130  
internet and suddenly it'll just be

1204  
00:55:16,310 --> 00:55:14,070  
there coming up in future episodes of

1205  
00:55:17,930 --> 00:55:16,320  
the skeptics own more from here QED in

1206  
00:55:20,060 --> 00:55:17,940  
Manchester I'm going to an interview as

1207  
00:55:22,670 --> 00:55:20,070  
many people as I can and a report coming

1208  
00:55:25,760 --> 00:55:22,680  
up about the science film festival i'm

1209  
00:55:28,220 --> 00:55:25,770  
visiting just in a few days folks a fo

1210  
00:55:30,530 --> 00:55:28,230  
dot c ZD you've heard me talk about it

1211  
00:55:33,050 --> 00:55:30,540  
before all very exciting i'm going to be

1212  
00:55:34,850 --> 00:55:33,060  
introducing videos by richard dawkins

1213  
00:55:36,920 --> 00:55:34,860

and brian dunning and actually I bumped

1214

00:55:38,450 --> 00:55:36,930

into Richard Dawkins just just last

1215

00:55:40,910 --> 00:55:38,460

night and had a quick chat to him and

1216

00:55:44,120 --> 00:55:40,920

he's a very pleased that his video

1217

00:55:47,960 --> 00:55:44,130

enemies of reason will be screamed at

1218

00:55:49,550 --> 00:55:47,970

this film festival a fo dot sees it and

1219

00:55:53,120 --> 00:55:49,560

if you're in the Czech Republic I hope

1220

00:55:54,890 --> 00:55:53,130

you can come by and say hello well I'm

1221

00:55:57,260 --> 00:55:54,900

quite worn out i think i might retire

1222

00:55:59,990 --> 00:55:57,270

early i'll go down to the party tough

1223

00:56:01,430 --> 00:56:00,000

choice folks a tough choice but until

1224

00:56:07,830 --> 00:56:01,440

next week this is Richard Saunders

1225

00:56:15,030 --> 00:56:10,050

you've been listening to the skeptic

1226

00:56:18,810 --> 00:56:15,040

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