

SOMEWHERE IN THE SKIES

WITH RYAN SPRAGUE



**A WEEKEND WITH UFO
CON MEN**

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00:00:04,070 --> 00:00:02,090
hey y'all Ryan Sprague here as you all

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00:00:06,829 --> 00:00:04,080
know this summer in the skies podcast is

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00:00:09,350 --> 00:00:06,839
always free to consume but it isn't free

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00:00:11,240 --> 00:00:09,360
to create that's why I've started this

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00:00:13,999 --> 00:00:11,250
somewhere in the skies patreon campaign

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00:00:15,829 --> 00:00:14,009
you on a monthly basis you give what you

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00:00:18,650 --> 00:00:15,839
think the show is worth you'll be

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00:00:21,140 --> 00:00:18,660
helping the show continue grow and to be

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00:00:23,390 --> 00:00:21,150
something truly communal and remember

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00:00:25,910 --> 00:00:23,400
there are rewards for each level of

11
00:00:28,279 --> 00:00:25,920
contribution and the list is only grown

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00:00:31,099 --> 00:00:28,289
so please help somewhere in the skies

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00:00:34,990 --> 00:00:31,109

now by becoming a patron to contribute

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00:00:38,389 --> 00:00:35,000

and to learn more visit wtae.com

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00:00:43,000 --> 00:00:38,399

backslash somewhere skies thank you for

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00:00:48,130 --> 00:00:45,650

you know many people have asked me when

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00:00:51,170 --> 00:00:48,140

do you think disclosure will happen and

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00:00:53,630 --> 00:00:51,180

many people are expect an answer that

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00:00:56,000 --> 00:00:53,640

you know maybe in two years or in five

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00:00:58,639 --> 00:00:56,010

years or whatever there will be a press

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00:01:01,860 --> 00:01:00,130

and

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00:01:05,580 --> 00:01:01,870

[Music]

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00:01:08,880 --> 00:01:05,590

you know I think that does it more

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00:01:11,160 --> 00:01:08,890

simple answer to that is disclosure is

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00:01:24,960 --> 00:01:11,170

already happening and we are in the

26
00:01:27,630 --> 00:01:24,970
middle of it right now this is somewhere

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00:01:44,410 --> 00:01:27,640
in the skies the brains

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00:01:47,090 --> 00:01:44,420
[Music]

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00:01:49,130 --> 00:01:47,100
hey guys I am Ryan Sprague from

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00:01:51,830 --> 00:01:49,140
somewhere in the skies and I am Jason

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00:01:55,779 --> 00:01:51,840
McClellan from unknown and we are doing

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00:01:58,969 --> 00:01:55,789
a const RAV again said today a podcast

33
00:02:01,760 --> 00:01:58,979
crossover we were both very busy this

34
00:02:03,380 --> 00:02:01,770
past weekend jason exhausted but busy

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00:02:06,710 --> 00:02:03,390
and all for the better because we both

36
00:02:10,040 --> 00:02:06,720
attended conferences or conventions i

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00:02:12,350 --> 00:02:10,050
should say all about ufos and everything

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00:02:14,089 --> 00:02:12,360

in between brothers so how was your

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00:02:16,490 --> 00:02:14,099

weekend first and foremost where were

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00:02:18,170 --> 00:02:16,500

you well certainly exhausting that's how

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00:02:19,970 --> 00:02:18,180

these things go especially when you're

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00:02:22,100 --> 00:02:19,980

just in the middle of these big

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00:02:23,840 --> 00:02:22,110

gatherings of people and running around

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00:02:27,050 --> 00:02:23,850

and trying to take it all and it's

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00:02:29,090 --> 00:02:27,060

exhausting so it's many days after the

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00:02:30,410 --> 00:02:29,100

fact and i'm still sort of sort of

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00:02:32,750 --> 00:02:30,420

recovering trying to get my energy back

48

00:02:34,930 --> 00:02:32,760

but I was in Denver for Denver Comic Con

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00:02:36,650 --> 00:02:34,940

for the past I think three or four years

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00:02:39,530 --> 00:02:36,660

I've been there

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00:02:43,160 --> 00:02:39,540
as a guest and it's just it's a cool

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00:02:45,199 --> 00:02:43,170
event man yeah and I I remember when you

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00:02:48,199 --> 00:02:45,209
guys did this was it last year you in

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00:02:51,110 --> 00:02:48,209
Maurine yeah yeah last year we did a did

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00:02:55,430 --> 00:02:51,120
a UFO panel - yeah it was so cool seeing

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00:02:57,949 --> 00:02:55,440
finally finally UFOs in a in a comic

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00:03:00,020 --> 00:02:57,959
book convention we've been striving for

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00:03:02,960 --> 00:03:00,030
this for years and years and you guys

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00:03:04,550 --> 00:03:02,970
finally made it happen so I was really

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00:03:07,250 --> 00:03:04,560
excited to see that happen last year I'm

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00:03:09,530 --> 00:03:07,260
so happy they they asked you guys back

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00:03:11,930 --> 00:03:09,540
to do this and we're gonna get into just

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00:03:14,210 --> 00:03:11,940

exactly what you guys talked about but I

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00:03:16,009 --> 00:03:14,220

wanted to sort of start it off with the

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00:03:17,630 --> 00:03:16,019

convention I was at this past weekend

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00:03:22,220 --> 00:03:17,640

because honestly man I'm more interested

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00:03:24,020 --> 00:03:22,230

to hear about yours well I saw all the

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00:03:25,879 --> 00:03:24,030

photos you were posting and and that

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00:03:27,920 --> 00:03:25,889

everybody else is posting man that

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00:03:30,259 --> 00:03:27,930

looked like a good time it was a good

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00:03:32,360 --> 00:03:30,269

time and you know I kind of went into it

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00:03:34,759 --> 00:03:32,370

expecting that more than anything more

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00:03:37,460 --> 00:03:34,769

than like a serious UFO convention oh

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00:03:39,319 --> 00:03:37,470

absolutely it's it's in the name alien

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00:03:41,960 --> 00:03:39,329

Con so first and foremost right there

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00:03:43,069 --> 00:03:41,970

you know this isn't like what are you

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00:03:45,710 --> 00:03:43,079

have oh could they be

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00:03:48,890 --> 00:03:45,720

alien no it's there are aliens and we

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00:03:50,539 --> 00:03:48,900

fully embrace this stuff yeah this is

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00:03:53,960 --> 00:03:50,549

alien con i believe they're in their

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00:03:56,110 --> 00:03:53,970

second or third year now this is in

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00:03:58,780 --> 00:03:56,120

pasadena california

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and it's hosted by the ancient aliens

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00:04:02,920 --> 00:04:00,980

television show any network and

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00:04:05,110 --> 00:04:02,930

prometheus entertainment I believe

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00:04:08,559 --> 00:04:05,120

they're called they tried it last year

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00:04:11,380 --> 00:04:08,569

and holy hell man it just it exploded I

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00:04:13,449 --> 00:04:11,390

think it was something like ten to

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00:04:15,940 --> 00:04:13,459

fifteen thousand people showed up last

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00:04:20,229 --> 00:04:15,950

year and this year they went almost up

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00:04:22,930 --> 00:04:20,239

to 25,000 people attended this oh my god

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00:04:24,730 --> 00:04:22,940

so you know I I show up I missed the

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00:04:27,250 --> 00:04:24,740

first day unfortunately but I showed up

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00:04:29,439 --> 00:04:27,260

the second day Saturday and you know

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00:04:33,340 --> 00:04:29,449

signed in as a guest I was speaking at

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00:04:35,469 --> 00:04:33,350

the event and I show up and the line is

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00:04:37,779 --> 00:04:35,479

wrapped around the block and people were

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00:04:40,240 --> 00:04:37,789

waiting like two three hours just to

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00:04:42,550 --> 00:04:40,250

move in so that tells you right here

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00:04:43,840 --> 00:04:42,560

this topic of aliens is definitely

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00:04:46,659 --> 00:04:43,850

popular it's definitely in the

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00:04:49,060 --> 00:04:46,669

mainstream and what the this convention

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00:04:51,040 --> 00:04:49,070

is trying to do now is get more UFO

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00:04:53,560 --> 00:04:51,050

researchers involved which I thought was

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00:04:55,689 --> 00:04:53,570

really cool so you did see a lot more of

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00:04:57,730 --> 00:04:55,699

that this year other than just you know

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00:05:00,370 --> 00:04:57,740

Giorgio tsoukalos and people from

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00:05:02,620 --> 00:05:00,380

ancient aliens or celebrities you saw

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00:05:05,170 --> 00:05:02,630

legitimate researchers I mean Nick Pope

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00:05:06,909 --> 00:05:05,180

was there I got to see him do a really

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00:05:10,480 --> 00:05:06,919

cool panel all about you know the the

112

00:05:13,740 --> 00:05:10,490

recent Pentagon UFO program story and to

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00:05:17,850 --> 00:05:13,750

the Stars Academy and disclosure well

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00:05:23,740 --> 00:05:17,860

what a difference a few months made a

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00:05:27,810 --> 00:05:23,750

few months ago I think if you all said

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00:05:31,080 --> 00:05:27,820

I'm going to alien and I'm going to be

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00:05:34,750 --> 00:05:31,090

hanging out with all the cast

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00:05:36,980 --> 00:05:34,760

contributors from ancient aliens a lot

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00:05:39,350 --> 00:05:36,990

of family and friends

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00:05:41,330 --> 00:05:39,360

some work all eggs would have said oh

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00:05:43,119 --> 00:05:41,340

you don't believe that crazy stuff do

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00:05:46,149 --> 00:05:43,129

you

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00:05:48,579 --> 00:05:46,159

but in the last few months we've seen a

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00:05:52,570 --> 00:05:48,589

fundamental change in the way that this

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00:05:54,669 --> 00:05:52,580

subject has been handled we've seen it

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00:05:57,249 --> 00:05:54,679

appear on the front page of the New York

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00:05:59,019 --> 00:05:57,259

Times we've seen it I don't care about

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00:06:01,389 --> 00:05:59,029

politics this isn't a political issue

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00:06:10,570 --> 00:06:01,399

we've seen it on CNN we've seen it on

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00:06:15,309 --> 00:06:10,580

Fox tonight last week talking about the

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00:06:18,399 --> 00:06:15,319

Declassified Navy videos so I can say a

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00:06:20,769 --> 00:06:18,409

few months ago you would have been of

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00:06:29,919 --> 00:06:20,779

the people that try to go to this tiny

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00:06:32,469 --> 00:06:29,929

crazy stuff now you are which was really

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00:06:33,699 --> 00:06:32,479

cool David Childress was there I'm sure

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a lot of people remember him from

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00:06:38,859 --> 00:06:36,319

ancient aliens Stephen Bassett our

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favorite person favorite UFO lobbyist

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lobbying yep Dean Ellie oh no the

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00:06:45,759 --> 00:06:43,550

filmmaker who was at the UFO Congress

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00:06:47,799 --> 00:06:45,769

this past year a newfound friend of mine

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00:06:50,079 --> 00:06:47,809

I shared a vendor table with him and

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00:06:52,749 --> 00:06:50,089

everything in between man we had John

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00:06:54,939 --> 00:06:52,759

Brandenburg who's a plasma physicist

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00:06:58,029 --> 00:06:54,949

seth shostack was there our favorite

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00:07:00,909 --> 00:06:58,039

SETI debunker guy so yeah it really ran

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the gamut I had a great time I got to

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00:07:06,129 --> 00:07:03,110

see in ancient aliens panel with George

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00:07:08,169 --> 00:07:06,139

Rio and Erich von däniken classic

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00:07:09,549 --> 00:07:08,179

classic Chariots of the Gods and that

151
00:07:12,399 --> 00:07:09,559
was really cool to see these two

152
00:07:13,869 --> 00:07:12,409
generations of ancient alien theorists

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00:07:17,199 --> 00:07:13,879
no matter what you believe in that

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00:07:19,239 --> 00:07:17,209
entire prospect of UFOs or aliens of the

155
00:07:21,639 --> 00:07:19,249
ancient alien theory it was cool to see

156
00:07:29,350 --> 00:07:21,649
those two together sort of hashing it

157
00:07:34,390 --> 00:07:31,510
as we grow over the planet we always

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00:07:36,700 --> 00:07:34,400
find new tempers we plan the mysteries

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00:07:38,649 --> 00:07:36,710
we find new all the right things which

160
00:07:41,350 --> 00:07:38,659
have not been published and here today

161
00:07:43,629 --> 00:07:41,360
and this is the world we hope we got on

162
00:07:46,240 --> 00:07:43,639
and Georgia and I wish you wish it

163
00:07:48,490 --> 00:07:46,250

always these mysterious things

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00:07:51,399 --> 00:07:48,500

officially present them to the public

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00:07:53,890 --> 00:07:51,409

in the hottest way you know at the end

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00:07:55,360 --> 00:07:53,900

of each of my speech in the interim

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00:07:55,869 --> 00:07:55,370

speaking oh they always say to the

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00:07:58,360 --> 00:07:55,879

public

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00:08:00,670 --> 00:07:58,370

ladies and gentlemen this is not what I

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00:08:03,700 --> 00:08:00,680

do is not the question of believe it or

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00:08:06,129 --> 00:08:03,710

not it has nothing to do with religion I

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00:08:08,050 --> 00:08:06,139

will turn myself in at the tomb if some

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00:08:09,700 --> 00:08:08,060

videos cannot make a kind of sense that

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00:08:13,119 --> 00:08:09,710

what I'm doing it's a question of

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00:08:16,059 --> 00:08:13,129

knowing not beginning and what we do we

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00:08:19,179 --> 00:08:16,069

know things represent things which we

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00:08:22,059 --> 00:08:19,189

know they exist of course there is still

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00:08:24,159 --> 00:08:22,069

question mark behind the fact is still

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00:08:27,040 --> 00:08:24,169

exist the interpretation is something

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00:08:30,730 --> 00:08:27,050

different look a fact for example is the

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00:08:32,440 --> 00:08:30,740

Book of Ezekiel that fact exists you can

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00:08:35,500 --> 00:08:32,450

everyone can read the Book of Ezekiel

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00:08:38,529 --> 00:08:35,510

but the interpretation between ja-cheol

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00:08:41,740 --> 00:08:38,539

I am intelligent the professor the

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00:08:44,259 --> 00:08:41,750

ontology is completely different all to

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00:08:45,970 --> 00:08:44,269

use the same manner so we use in fact

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like the Great Pyramid the

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00:08:51,250 --> 00:08:48,410

interpretation from archaeological site

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00:08:53,949 --> 00:08:51,260

and our suggestions are completely

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00:08:56,290 --> 00:08:53,959

different but the facts are the same so

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00:08:59,620 --> 00:08:56,300

we all start with faculty and we ask

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00:09:03,430 --> 00:08:59,630

questions put the question mark at the

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end we do not say that's awesome yeah

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00:09:08,550 --> 00:09:05,990

and I agree that I like what they did

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this year with the variety of guests and

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00:09:15,160 --> 00:09:12,500

adding more people from you know more

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UFO researchers and more entertainment

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00:09:19,630 --> 00:09:17,390

guests as well you know there last year

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00:09:21,579 --> 00:09:19,640

the first year I thought it seemed like

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a kind of a bizarre event because it

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00:09:28,689 --> 00:09:24,560

really was just like ancient aliens

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convention and with some random like 70s

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00:09:36,550 --> 00:09:34,010

and 80s TV stars yes you know people I'd

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00:09:37,720 --> 00:09:36,560

never heard of and you know well I see

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00:09:39,880 --> 00:09:37,730

what they're going for they're trying to

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00:09:42,250 --> 00:09:39,890

do like a comic-con type thing but not

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00:09:42,790 --> 00:09:42,260

really so yeah I questioned it last year

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this year

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00:09:46,300 --> 00:09:44,720

just exploded and it looked like they

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00:09:47,650 --> 00:09:46,310

did a right man and they do set it up

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00:09:50,920 --> 00:09:47,660

just like a comic-con I mean they've got

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00:09:52,840 --> 00:09:50,930

like signings and photo ops and stuff

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00:09:55,690 --> 00:09:52,850

like that with the with the celebrities

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00:09:58,509 --> 00:09:55,700

and how was the vendor room the vendor

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00:10:00,040 --> 00:09:58,519

room was in saying you could barely move

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in there a shoulder to shoulder the

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00:10:05,769 --> 00:10:03,260

whole time what really surprised me man

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and what was really cool is this wasn't

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you know UFO people and I'm not saying

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there's anything wrong with that

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it was people who were there because

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00:10:17,560 --> 00:10:14,649

they loved ancient aliens they loved

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aliens in general and they just loved

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the whole aesthetic of that and the

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possibility of life elsewhere so I mean

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00:10:25,300 --> 00:10:23,360

you did you had cosplay everywhere

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people dressed as aliens people justice

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Giorgio tsoukalos I'm not kidding you

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00:10:31,360 --> 00:10:29,209

that's amazing and that's something that

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00:10:32,680 --> 00:10:31,370

I you know I don't know why but it

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00:10:34,210 --> 00:10:32,690

didn't even cross my mind that there

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would be cosplay at that event that is

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so around everything everything you

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00:10:40,900 --> 00:10:38,329

could think of and I mean oh man I sold

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out of books in the first day you know

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again it's because people were just

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there to consume to find information and

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to have a good time so right it far

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exceeded my expectations Mary McDonald

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was there from Battlestar Galactica

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she's always cool she did a in episode

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of her podcast where she brings on all

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women in sci-fi so that was really cool

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oh yeah she had she had gates mcfadden

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crumbs from Star Trek right correct

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gates mcfadden um they had a few other

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people I think even Linda Moulton Howe

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showed up for that to speak so that was

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cool the big drawers I will say though

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this year besides Giorgio obviously were

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mich Pileggi and David Duchovny for

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x-files yeah that was a good time the

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00:11:28,930 --> 00:11:25,579
lines for that to get autographs and

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photos were in sane I mean I believe it

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00:11:34,360 --> 00:11:31,459
five six hours just among these girls

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00:11:38,019 --> 00:11:34,370
can you imagine but they also did a a

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00:11:40,750 --> 00:11:38,029
panel Mitch and David about 25 years

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00:11:42,639 --> 00:11:40,760
later of the x-files so that was cool I

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00:11:43,900 --> 00:11:42,649
got to sit on and that I got some nice

260
00:11:45,600 --> 00:11:43,910
audio from that

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00:11:50,759 --> 00:11:45,610
[Applause]

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00:11:55,199 --> 00:11:50,769
25 years of the x-files 11 seasons 218

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00:12:02,190 --> 00:11:55,209

episodes should fans consider this the

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I see we have 44 minutes once you're

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excited I have never had that before on

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00:12:18,720 --> 00:12:13,750

a stick and a few more things to say

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[Music]

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dancers exactly I know I felt a lot of

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feelings watching season 11 finale a lot

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of feel I felt a lot of feelings a

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00:12:40,050 --> 00:12:37,389

barrage of feelings there's a lot of

272

00:12:42,860 --> 00:12:40,060

death a lot of reveals a lot of

273

00:12:45,000 --> 00:12:42,870

surprises what were your respective

274

00:12:50,519 --> 00:12:45,010

first impressions of reading the script

275

00:12:52,410 --> 00:12:50,529

for the first time last episode yeah I

276

00:12:54,930 --> 00:12:52,420

thought it was really good I was I was

277

00:12:56,340 --> 00:12:54,940

very happy with it and it's funny

278

00:12:59,009 --> 00:12:56,350

because the thing at the end you know

279

00:13:00,480 --> 00:12:59,019

with with Skinner out of the car I had

280

00:13:02,040 --> 00:13:00,490

said to Chris when we were New York

281

00:13:03,629 --> 00:13:02,050

comic-con has said when Jillian had

282

00:13:07,199 --> 00:13:03,639

announced that she wasn't doing any more

283

00:13:09,030 --> 00:13:07,209

I said well let's kill scare I said yeah

284

00:13:11,220 --> 00:13:09,040

I said you're walking back we're walking

285

00:13:19,380 --> 00:13:11,230

back from the from the thing back to the

286

00:13:20,880 --> 00:13:19,390

hotel and I said I said to Chris okay

287

00:13:22,530 --> 00:13:20,890

well Jillian says she's not coming back

288

00:13:23,939 --> 00:13:22,540

let's let let's have Skinner glide and a

289

00:13:27,389 --> 00:13:23,949

blaze of glory doing something heroic

290

00:13:29,370 --> 00:13:27,399

and I and he goes I don't think I want

291

00:13:30,790 --> 00:13:29,380

to do that and then he started thinking

292

00:13:32,680 --> 00:13:30,800

about it I guess and then

293

00:13:34,480 --> 00:13:32,690

that I went back to the hotel and I

294

00:13:35,949 --> 00:13:34,490

immediately called him I said you know

295

00:13:39,639 --> 00:13:35,959

the thing about killing Skinner I may be

296

00:13:41,889 --> 00:13:39,649

gods my feeling about the whole thing

297

00:13:43,990 --> 00:13:41,899

and it's I don't think it'll be popular

298

00:13:46,150 --> 00:13:44,000

but I feel like and you know I

299

00:13:48,610 --> 00:13:46,160

understand the connection with the fans

300

00:13:50,500 --> 00:13:48,620

I I want that I think it's it's it's a

301
00:13:52,420 --> 00:13:50,510
beautiful thing but I also think that

302
00:13:55,300 --> 00:13:52,430
what we're making is a mystery you know

303
00:13:58,120 --> 00:13:55,310
we're we're making something that we

304
00:14:01,569 --> 00:13:58,130
want to be surprising and to be to be

305
00:14:04,660 --> 00:14:01,579
enjoyed for the first time and the only

306
00:14:05,860 --> 00:14:04,670
time the only first time you can get not

307
00:14:08,110 --> 00:14:05,870
the only time you can go back or

308
00:14:09,970 --> 00:14:08,120
whatever but you know the first not to

309
00:14:13,870 --> 00:14:09,980
know anything about it not to be and

310
00:14:15,670 --> 00:14:13,880
it's to me that's always my kind of push

311
00:14:17,710 --> 00:14:15,680
and pull with social media or

312
00:14:19,240 --> 00:14:17,720
behind-the-scenes stuff it's like no I

313
00:14:21,370 --> 00:14:19,250

want I want I want people to be

314

00:14:26,470 --> 00:14:21,380

surprised when they see that stupid

315

00:14:27,900 --> 00:14:26,480

[h__h] blobfish is trending on a bit of

316

00:14:30,420 --> 00:14:27,910

the

317

00:14:32,610 --> 00:14:30,430

you know so that's kind of my thing so I

318

00:14:34,890 --> 00:14:32,620

you know maybe I'm ornery I don't know

319

00:14:36,960 --> 00:14:34,900

but I like I like the magic there's no

320

00:14:40,590 --> 00:14:36,970

mystery and there's no mr. I like the

321

00:14:42,180 --> 00:14:40,600

magic of we're making this thing behind

322

00:14:43,740 --> 00:14:42,190

a curtain you know we're all working

323

00:14:46,130 --> 00:14:43,750

really hard to give you something that's

324

00:14:49,170 --> 00:14:46,140

going to be really entertaining and and

325

00:14:50,880 --> 00:14:49,180

surprising and now here it is and now

326

00:14:53,280 --> 00:14:50,890

later we can talk about the blobfish

327

00:14:56,190 --> 00:14:53,290

or whatever but that's that's kind of

328

00:15:00,870 --> 00:14:56,200

and it's old-school I guess but forgive

329

00:15:03,720 --> 00:15:00,880

me and we got to hear all about how

330

00:15:05,820 --> 00:15:03,730

season 11 went what it was like the past

331

00:15:08,400 --> 00:15:05,830

25 years hopping into these characters

332

00:15:10,830 --> 00:15:08,410

again and possibly where the show might

333

00:15:14,000 --> 00:15:10,840

be heading next so it was a really

334

00:15:16,350 --> 00:15:14,010

really good time and then I gave my talk

335

00:15:19,380 --> 00:15:16,360

it was called a human approach to an

336

00:15:21,660 --> 00:15:19,390

alien phenomenon was the last event of

337

00:15:22,950 --> 00:15:21,670

the entire convention so I wasn't even

338

00:15:25,470 --> 00:15:22,960

sure if anyone was going to show up it

339

00:15:27,870 --> 00:15:25,480

was right Thursday and everyone was sort

340

00:15:29,370 --> 00:15:27,880

of winding down at this point but I'm

341

00:15:31,800 --> 00:15:29,380

not kidding you man there's probably a

342

00:15:34,080 --> 00:15:31,810

solid four or 500 people who showed up

343

00:15:35,910 --> 00:15:34,090

and listen to me blab for over an hour

344

00:15:37,740 --> 00:15:35,920

and a half and that's awesome it was

345

00:15:40,740 --> 00:15:37,750

great I had tons of people come up to me

346

00:15:42,000 --> 00:15:40,750

after and tell me their UFO stories you

347

00:15:43,620 --> 00:15:42,010

know the talk was all about like the

348

00:15:45,690 --> 00:15:43,630

human side of it kind of like the book

349

00:15:47,910 --> 00:15:45,700

and you know people who've had these

350

00:15:49,920 --> 00:15:47,920

these experiences in their lives and how

351

00:15:52,350 --> 00:15:49,930

it impacts them so it clearly impacted

352

00:15:54,240 --> 00:15:52,360

these people yeah I stayed in the room

353

00:15:56,820 --> 00:15:54,250

after for like an hour just chatting it

354

00:15:58,860 --> 00:15:56,830

up with people so amazing so much fun

355

00:16:00,930 --> 00:15:58,870

and I know they're now expanding and

356

00:16:04,080 --> 00:16:00,940

doing one on the East Coast this night

357

00:16:06,330 --> 00:16:04,090

or in bulk you know maybe maybe people

358

00:16:08,250 --> 00:16:06,340

see some familiar faces they're in

359

00:16:09,870 --> 00:16:08,260

Baltimore in November we'll see yeah

360

00:16:12,180 --> 00:16:09,880

that's cool man I mean it's always

361

00:16:13,860 --> 00:16:12,190

ambitious when you know these organizers

362

00:16:15,960 --> 00:16:13,870

have a successful event and they decide

363

00:16:17,910 --> 00:16:15,970

to branch out like that and do two

364

00:16:20,010 --> 00:16:17,920

events but you got to give got to give

365

00:16:21,510 --> 00:16:20,020

the other Co some love too so we are

366

00:16:23,870 --> 00:16:21,520

going to dive into the one I'm most

367

00:16:26,880 --> 00:16:23,880

excited about and that was Denver table

368

00:16:29,190 --> 00:16:26,890

it ended this weekend so tell me all

369

00:16:31,260 --> 00:16:29,200

about Denver Comic Con and how you sort

370

00:16:33,000 --> 00:16:31,270

of got I guess involved with this and

371

00:16:35,160 --> 00:16:33,010

how you've got these panels on UFOs

372

00:16:38,700 --> 00:16:35,170

finally at a comic book convention

373

00:16:40,110 --> 00:16:38,710

sure so Denver Comic Con is it's pretty

374

00:16:41,639 --> 00:16:40,120

rad I mean they've got they've got a

375

00:16:43,529 --> 00:16:41,649

good thing going there I mean

376

00:16:45,719 --> 00:16:43,539

you know pretty much every city in the

377

00:16:48,569 --> 00:16:45,729

country has a comic-con now and they

378

00:16:50,099 --> 00:16:48,579

vary widely in size but Denver's done a

379

00:16:53,489 --> 00:16:50,109

really good job they've they've only had

380

00:16:55,799 --> 00:16:53,499

their sense since 2012 and so this was

381

00:16:57,839 --> 00:16:55,809

our seventh year but if I'm remembering

382

00:16:59,999 --> 00:16:57,849

correctly I think even in their second

383

00:17:04,019 --> 00:17:00,009

year of having this event they were

384

00:17:05,669 --> 00:17:04,029

already at like 100,000 people so very

385

00:17:07,590 --> 00:17:05,679

successful for them it's put on by a

386

00:17:10,350 --> 00:17:07,600

nonprofit organization called pop

387

00:17:12,360 --> 00:17:10,360

culture classroom so the educational

388

00:17:14,909 --> 00:17:12,370

component is pretty important to them

389

00:17:17,519 --> 00:17:14,919

for their event so several years ago a

390

00:17:19,499 --> 00:17:17,529

friend of ours reached out to us Tim Tim

391

00:17:22,529 --> 00:17:19,509

Ian and our colleague Maureen Elsberry

392

00:17:24,779 --> 00:17:22,539

because he was a fan of the web series

393

00:17:26,999 --> 00:17:24,789

we were doing spacing out and everything

394

00:17:28,919 --> 00:17:27,009

we were doing at open minds so he

395

00:17:30,570 --> 00:17:28,929

reached out and asked if we would be

396

00:17:33,060 --> 00:17:30,580

interested in coming out to Denver Comic

397

00:17:35,669 --> 00:17:33,070

Con to be on some panels so you know we

398

00:17:39,720 --> 00:17:35,679

jumped at that because we're we're big

399

00:17:42,690 --> 00:17:39,730

big geeks and we love that scene and you

400

00:17:44,549 --> 00:17:42,700

know like you are big focus with a lot

401
00:17:48,389 --> 00:17:44,559
of what we do and UFO research and UFO

402
00:17:50,580 --> 00:17:48,399
journalism is targeting the the general

403
00:17:53,450 --> 00:17:50,590
public that audience that's not the

404
00:17:57,210 --> 00:17:53,460
typical UFO crowd because we want to

405
00:17:59,700 --> 00:17:57,220
introduce people to these topics to the

406
00:18:02,070 --> 00:17:59,710
research that's been done and kind of

407
00:18:04,409 --> 00:18:02,080
lay it out for people so they can get

408
00:18:05,999 --> 00:18:04,419
interested and start doing research on

409
00:18:08,369 --> 00:18:06,009
their own you know getting this new

410
00:18:11,070 --> 00:18:08,379
generation of researchers and people

411
00:18:14,879 --> 00:18:11,080
actively involved in UFO research the

412
00:18:20,100 --> 00:18:14,889
perfect audience for us so last year we

413
00:18:22,230 --> 00:18:20,110

dove into UFOs and we did we did a panel

414

00:18:26,009 --> 00:18:22,240

on I think we called it like real-life

415

00:18:27,389 --> 00:18:26,019

x-files and when we were going to the

416

00:18:29,820 --> 00:18:27,399

the room where the panel was going to be

417

00:18:33,539 --> 00:18:29,830

so we could get set up we saw a huge

418

00:18:35,269 --> 00:18:33,549

line of people and we saw a room next to

419

00:18:39,149 --> 00:18:35,279

the the ballroom we were gonna be in

420

00:18:40,889 --> 00:18:39,159

filled with people like in in a line

421

00:18:42,450 --> 00:18:40,899

like going through all of the the crowd

422

00:18:44,279 --> 00:18:42,460

control barriers and stuff like

423

00:18:47,610 --> 00:18:44,289

zigzagging through and just filling this

424

00:18:49,889 --> 00:18:47,620

room well what is going on and we asked

425

00:18:51,269 --> 00:18:49,899

like one of the volunteers there and

426

00:18:54,930 --> 00:18:51,279

they're all yeah they're waiting for the

427

00:18:56,520 --> 00:18:54,940

next panel well man this sucks because

428

00:18:57,720 --> 00:18:56,530

clearly they think that like David

429

00:18:59,040 --> 00:18:57,730

Duchovny or Julianne Anderson is going

430

00:19:02,640 --> 00:18:59,050

to be here they think it's like an

431

00:19:05,820 --> 00:19:02,650

x-files panel man this is embarrassing

432

00:19:07,530 --> 00:19:05,830

but no we went in the room filled up

433

00:19:08,670 --> 00:19:07,540

they turned people away because they

434

00:19:10,500 --> 00:19:08,680

didn't have enough room for all these

435

00:19:11,670 --> 00:19:10,510

people it's interesting because in the

436

00:19:16,140 --> 00:19:11,680

past Oh

437

00:19:19,350 --> 00:19:16,150

five six seven years we've seen a flood

438

00:19:23,700 --> 00:19:19,360

of releases of UFO FILES

439

00:19:28,230 --> 00:19:23,710

from really all of our our departments

440

00:19:30,390 --> 00:19:28,240

from the CIA the FBI the Air Force these

441

00:19:31,230 --> 00:19:30,400

guys are all independently investigated

442

00:19:33,390 --> 00:19:31,240

UFOs

443

00:19:36,870 --> 00:19:33,400

and these files are available to the

444

00:19:38,790 --> 00:19:36,880

public and the CIA especially with the

445

00:19:42,630 --> 00:19:38,800

revival of the x-files try to capitalize

446

00:19:44,280 --> 00:19:42,640

on it last year when they published you

447

00:19:45,840 --> 00:19:44,290

know some of their their x-files and

448

00:19:48,090 --> 00:19:45,850

said see what's in our real x-files

449

00:19:50,370 --> 00:19:48,100

if you want to read 80,000 pages of

450

00:19:50,840 --> 00:19:50,380

really boring text it's pretty be my

451
00:19:53,880 --> 00:19:50,850
guest

452
00:19:55,620 --> 00:19:53,890
yeah and the FBI has a digital reading

453
00:19:58,020 --> 00:19:55,630
room they call it the vault I think

454
00:20:00,690 --> 00:19:58,030
where you can go and and type in UFO and

455
00:20:03,060 --> 00:20:00,700
find their files too of course you know

456
00:20:05,430 --> 00:20:03,070
with no idea if they've actually

457
00:20:07,350 --> 00:20:05,440
released all the UFO files probably not

458
00:20:10,050 --> 00:20:07,360
certainly not good stuff but how many of

459
00:20:13,590 --> 00:20:10,060
you saw just the last week about the the

460
00:20:17,840 --> 00:20:13,600
UK UK Ministry of Defense's UFO files

461
00:20:21,330 --> 00:20:17,850
okay so the mo D the Ministry of Defence

462
00:20:23,010 --> 00:20:21,340
actively investigated UFOs for a long

463
00:20:24,840 --> 00:20:23,020

period of time and they had something

464

00:20:27,840 --> 00:20:24,850

they called the Flying Saucer Working

465

00:20:28,890 --> 00:20:27,850

Party and through that they developed

466

00:20:30,280 --> 00:20:28,900

the UFO desk

467

00:20:33,130 --> 00:20:30,290

they had something

468

00:20:36,400 --> 00:20:33,140

a post called the UFO desk where they

469

00:20:38,770 --> 00:20:36,410

had a team assigned to actively receive

470

00:20:41,650 --> 00:20:38,780

UFO reports and investigate those

471

00:20:43,960 --> 00:20:41,660

reports and over the past several years

472

00:20:45,880 --> 00:20:43,970

they've gone through a process through

473

00:20:48,400 --> 00:20:45,890

because of a spawned by a Freedom of

474

00:20:51,760 --> 00:20:48,410

Information request they've released in

475

00:20:54,280 --> 00:20:51,770

batches their UFO files the audience

476
00:20:56,590 --> 00:20:54,290
there was just so cool they were really

477
00:20:58,420 --> 00:20:56,600
into it they wanted to hear more they

478
00:21:02,020 --> 00:20:58,430
asked so many questions they were really

479
00:21:05,590 --> 00:21:02,030
engaged and after the event we found out

480
00:21:08,290 --> 00:21:05,600
that that particular panel was the

481
00:21:11,020 --> 00:21:08,300
largest outside panel that they've ever

482
00:21:13,120 --> 00:21:11,030
had a dimmer comic-con lasso they saw

483
00:21:15,180 --> 00:21:13,130
that you know there's this hunger for

484
00:21:18,220 --> 00:21:15,190
that that the topic you know of

485
00:21:21,150 --> 00:21:18,230
paranormal of extraterrestrial of UFOs

486
00:21:24,670 --> 00:21:21,160
so when we were invited back this year

487
00:21:27,040 --> 00:21:24,680
they wanted more of that so we did two

488
00:21:31,360 --> 00:21:27,050

panels focused on that one was UFOs in

489

00:21:34,510 --> 00:21:31,370

pop culture and the other was government

490

00:21:36,460 --> 00:21:34,520

paranormal research and we did the

491

00:21:38,230 --> 00:21:36,470

government paranormal research was the

492

00:21:43,060 --> 00:21:38,240

first panel we did we did that on Friday

493

00:21:44,950 --> 00:21:43,070

and that was me Maureen and Jeremy

494

00:21:47,670 --> 00:21:44,960

Korbel investigative filmmaker Jeremy

495

00:21:51,070 --> 00:21:47,680

Korbel and Jeremy was a busy guy there -

496

00:21:54,490 --> 00:21:51,080

got him roped into all sorts of panels

497

00:21:57,400 --> 00:21:54,500

and he also did a couple solo

498

00:21:59,590 --> 00:21:57,410

presentations on his upcoming films he

499

00:22:02,020 --> 00:21:59,600

did one on his bob lazar film and one on

500

00:22:04,000 --> 00:22:02,030

his skinwalker ranch film when you try

501
00:22:04,600 --> 00:22:04,010
to study something like the skinwalker

502
00:22:06,460 --> 00:22:04,610
ranch

503
00:22:09,610 --> 00:22:06,470
you've got to cast a really wide net

504
00:22:12,040 --> 00:22:09,620
because ultimately this mystery Widow

505
00:22:13,900 --> 00:22:12,050
what the hell adays you know there's

506
00:22:15,550 --> 00:22:13,910
more to a story and you're not allowed

507
00:22:17,860 --> 00:22:15,560
to talk about it that's a human burden

508
00:22:19,630 --> 00:22:17,870
yeah I mean it was it was frustrating in

509
00:22:20,920 --> 00:22:19,640
the beginning because column and Bob

510
00:22:22,420 --> 00:22:20,930
Bigelow would tell me these stories

511
00:22:23,910 --> 00:22:22,430
about what was going on the property and

512
00:22:26,050 --> 00:22:23,920
I couldn't tell anyone there's a lot

513
00:22:29,050 --> 00:22:26,060

uncovering all of this huh

514

00:22:31,060 --> 00:22:29,060

so for Wellman this is stuff material

515

00:22:33,580 --> 00:22:31,070

that's specific to the ranch I saved

516

00:22:34,380 --> 00:22:33,590

every scrap of paper ever since dr.

517

00:22:36,210 --> 00:22:34,390

Colin

518

00:22:38,610 --> 00:22:36,220

her Bob Bigelow sort of brought me into

519

00:22:41,430 --> 00:22:38,620

the loop is there more to tell now

520

00:22:43,920 --> 00:22:41,440

there's a lot more to tell this is 30 or

521

00:22:47,160 --> 00:22:43,930

40 hours of material that the public has

522

00:22:50,220 --> 00:22:47,170

never seen before sort of like a veil of

523

00:22:52,320 --> 00:22:50,230

secrecy we are being manipulated by some

524

00:22:54,240 --> 00:22:52,330

kind of an intelligence the things that

525

00:22:56,490 --> 00:22:54,250

happened on the ranch are real what we

526

00:22:59,160 --> 00:22:56,500

don't know is who is responsible and

527

00:23:00,570 --> 00:22:59,170

what the game plan is but he was on the

528

00:23:04,830 --> 00:23:00,580

government paranormal research panel

529

00:23:08,780 --> 00:23:04,840

with us too and again super packed room

530

00:23:12,180 --> 00:23:08,790

full of very engaged audience members

531

00:23:15,270 --> 00:23:12,190

they were read after the pet after the

532

00:23:16,890 --> 00:23:15,280

the panel the table like the stage was

533

00:23:19,140 --> 00:23:16,900

swarmed with people who just wanted to

534

00:23:20,910 --> 00:23:19,150

talk and you know ask us questions tell

535

00:23:23,460 --> 00:23:20,920

stories things like that but at Denver

536

00:23:25,140 --> 00:23:23,470

Comic Con that schedule is so tight that

537

00:23:26,610 --> 00:23:25,150

as soon as the panel's over they clear

538

00:23:28,800 --> 00:23:26,620

the room and they've got like five

539

00:23:31,140 --> 00:23:28,810

minutes to the next panel

540

00:23:33,390 --> 00:23:31,150

so you know you don't want to be a dick

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00:23:35,700 --> 00:23:33,400

to the the next people giving they're an

542

00:23:37,800 --> 00:23:35,710

elite in to their time it's not fair so

543

00:23:40,080 --> 00:23:37,810

we just got to the point where we tell

544

00:23:41,550 --> 00:23:40,090

people all right we'd love to talk with

545

00:23:43,340 --> 00:23:41,560

you but let's go out we're gonna be out

546

00:23:45,990 --> 00:23:43,350

in the hall come and see us out there

547

00:23:49,740 --> 00:23:46,000

they did people would come up and want

548

00:23:53,490 --> 00:23:49,750

to talk so that was really cool the UFOs

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00:23:56,250 --> 00:23:53,500

in pop culture panel we had Jessica

550

00:23:59,490 --> 00:23:56,260

Chobot and Andrew Bowser from the

551
00:24:00,750 --> 00:23:59,500
Nerdist podcast bizarre States and they

552
00:24:05,160 --> 00:24:00,760
were on with me and Maureen and

553
00:24:08,280 --> 00:24:05,170
moderated by geek culture icon Bonnie

554
00:24:10,830 --> 00:24:08,290
Burton who writes for Playboy and CNET

555
00:24:13,800 --> 00:24:10,840
she used to work for Lucasfilm she's

556
00:24:16,740 --> 00:24:13,810
awesome and knows a lot about UFOs and

557
00:24:18,570 --> 00:24:16,750
pop culture but that was a more

558
00:24:23,580 --> 00:24:18,580
lighthearted kind of fun panel talking

559
00:24:25,620 --> 00:24:23,590
about how UFOs like alleged real UFO

560
00:24:28,890 --> 00:24:25,630
events have influenced Hollywood how

561
00:24:32,460 --> 00:24:28,900
Hollywood has influenced our perception

562
00:24:35,240 --> 00:24:32,470
of UFOs and extraterrestrials and what

563
00:24:38,070 --> 00:24:35,250

role the government has played in

564

00:24:40,200 --> 00:24:38,080

influencing what Hollywood puts out

565

00:24:42,330 --> 00:24:40,210

that's so cool I mean ie

566

00:24:44,580 --> 00:24:42,340

that that idea of like this hyper

567

00:24:46,260 --> 00:24:44,590

reality of like which which came first

568

00:24:47,070 --> 00:24:46,270

you know the chicken or the egg with

569

00:24:49,109 --> 00:24:47,080

Holly

570

00:24:50,940 --> 00:24:49,119

that's always really intrigued me most

571

00:24:54,539 --> 00:24:50,950

and it's funny you mentioned that

572

00:24:57,919 --> 00:24:54,549

because Dean Alioto the filmmaker did a

573

00:25:00,539 --> 00:24:57,929

did a couple panels at our con and roped

574

00:25:02,220 --> 00:25:00,549

alejandro rojas and myself up there to

575

00:25:05,310 --> 00:25:02,230

get up there and talk about that very

576
00:25:06,749 --> 00:25:05,320
topic as well putting UFOs and what I

577
00:25:07,979 --> 00:25:06,759
found most interesting I don't know if

578
00:25:11,190 --> 00:25:07,989
it was the same with the audience at

579
00:25:13,440 --> 00:25:11,200
yours was that when we were telling them

580
00:25:16,289 --> 00:25:13,450
about these you know intrinsically

581
00:25:18,419 --> 00:25:16,299
linked things between you know the

582
00:25:20,549 --> 00:25:18,429
Roswell case in the flying saucer film

583
00:25:22,289 --> 00:25:20,559
that came you know months after it or do

584
00:25:24,389 --> 00:25:22,299
you look at like The Day the Earth Stood

585
00:25:26,549 --> 00:25:24,399
Still the CIA being directly involved

586
00:25:30,060 --> 00:25:26,559
with that film or like all the way up to

587
00:25:32,190 --> 00:25:30,070
Close Encounters et and even

588
00:25:34,970 --> 00:25:32,200

Independence Day like the people from

589

00:25:38,369 --> 00:25:34,980

area 51 having to say in that movie

590

00:25:40,919 --> 00:25:38,379

people were astounded and had no idea

591

00:25:43,529 --> 00:25:40,929

and again what I think is interesting is

592

00:25:45,509 --> 00:25:43,539

these are not UFO people quote-unquote

593

00:25:47,549 --> 00:25:45,519

so they don't know all these stories

594

00:25:50,249 --> 00:25:47,559

that we embed ourselves in on a daily

595

00:25:51,869 --> 00:25:50,259

basis so their minds were like blown

596

00:25:53,779 --> 00:25:51,879

that these things we were telling them

597

00:25:56,549 --> 00:25:53,789

it was it the same at your event

598

00:25:58,340 --> 00:25:56,559

absolutely I mean you certainly have you

599

00:26:01,229 --> 00:25:58,350

know some audience members who are

600

00:26:03,570 --> 00:26:01,239

familiar with some of these things and

601
00:26:06,629 --> 00:26:03,580
you know you can tell by the questions

602
00:26:07,590 --> 00:26:06,639
they ask but for the most part you know

603
00:26:10,409 --> 00:26:07,600
a lot of these people are here in this

604
00:26:12,149 --> 00:26:10,419
stuff for the very first time you know

605
00:26:15,180 --> 00:26:12,159
even people who were when we started

606
00:26:19,229 --> 00:26:15,190
talking about some of the most recent

607
00:26:21,090 --> 00:26:19,239
government UFO studies people had sort

608
00:26:23,279 --> 00:26:21,100
of remembered seeing it in the news but

609
00:26:25,259 --> 00:26:23,289
they didn't know any sort of details

610
00:26:27,539 --> 00:26:25,269
about it and you know still didn't know

611
00:26:28,950 --> 00:26:27,549
that Harry Reid was involved or or that

612
00:26:30,119 --> 00:26:28,960
this was even something that was

613
00:26:32,070 --> 00:26:30,129

confirmed you know they thought it was

614

00:26:34,080 --> 00:26:32,080

just another you know silly story or

615

00:26:35,909 --> 00:26:34,090

something but we'd get totally unrelated

616

00:26:36,989 --> 00:26:35,919

questions to things that we've been

617

00:26:38,849 --> 00:26:36,999

talking about I mean we didn't mention

618

00:26:40,590 --> 00:26:38,859

the Phoenix lights at all or particular

619

00:26:42,180 --> 00:26:40,600

sightings but you know we get questions

620

00:26:43,409 --> 00:26:42,190

about you know what we thought of the

621

00:26:45,810 --> 00:26:43,419

Phoenix lights and things like that so

622

00:26:47,669 --> 00:26:45,820

it was really cool that's awesome now um

623

00:26:50,639 --> 00:26:47,679

I have to ask you about the government

624

00:26:53,399 --> 00:26:50,649

government and UFO panel did this focus

625

00:26:55,919 --> 00:26:53,409

more on the you know the current stuff

626
00:26:59,099 --> 00:26:55,929
the Pentagon program and skinwalker and

627
00:27:01,030 --> 00:26:59,109
all that or did did Jeremy and you guys

628
00:27:04,120 --> 00:27:01,040
did you sort of trace it back as well

629
00:27:06,220 --> 00:27:04,130
so being that I had Jeremy on the panel

630
00:27:08,680 --> 00:27:06,230
I wanted to focus a lot on the current

631
00:27:10,060 --> 00:27:08,690
stuff okay you know certainly and and

632
00:27:12,610 --> 00:27:10,070
with him there to talk about his

633
00:27:14,500 --> 00:27:12,620
skinwalker film that was perfect we

634
00:27:17,830 --> 00:27:14,510
wanted to spend you know about half of

635
00:27:20,680 --> 00:27:17,840
our time talking about skinwalker but

636
00:27:22,180 --> 00:27:20,690
the we let it off and you know the

637
00:27:25,480 --> 00:27:22,190
government's been involved in so many

638
00:27:27,580 --> 00:27:25,490

quote-unquote paranormal studies that

639

00:27:30,880 --> 00:27:27,590

you know you could talk for days about

640

00:27:33,100 --> 00:27:30,890

that but we had our limited time or 50

641

00:27:34,690 --> 00:27:33,110

minutes or whatever it was so we had to

642

00:27:38,290 --> 00:27:34,700

pick and choose and just kind of do a

643

00:27:41,350 --> 00:27:38,300

brief overview but if I decided to start

644

00:27:43,990 --> 00:27:41,360

with like MKULTRA and talk about you

645

00:27:45,520 --> 00:27:44,000

know like mind control and and remote

646

00:27:48,340 --> 00:27:45,530

viewing and stuff like that

647

00:27:49,960 --> 00:27:48,350

and we moved into the UFOs because we

648

00:27:51,940 --> 00:27:49,970

really wanted to focus on UFOs because I

649

00:27:54,340 --> 00:27:51,950

love talking about UFO so you know we

650

00:27:56,850 --> 00:27:54,350

certainly started talking about sign and

651
00:27:59,160 --> 00:27:56,860
grudge and Bluebook kind of glossed over

652
00:28:01,950 --> 00:27:59,170
things like the common committee

653
00:28:05,290 --> 00:28:01,960
Robertson panel but that led us into

654
00:28:08,590 --> 00:28:05,300
current day or at least officially

655
00:28:11,170 --> 00:28:08,600
recent UFO studies so a tip and the and

656
00:28:12,940 --> 00:28:11,180
the like so that was our sort of

657
00:28:14,890 --> 00:28:12,950
blueprint for the panel and it mostly

658
00:28:16,690 --> 00:28:14,900
stuck to that but yeah I wanted to

659
00:28:19,150 --> 00:28:16,700
primarily spend the time on on

660
00:28:21,130 --> 00:28:19,160
skinwalker because that is like the

661
00:28:23,860 --> 00:28:21,140
hodgepodge of everything that was

662
00:28:26,140 --> 00:28:23,870
researched by the government so and that

663
00:28:28,570 --> 00:28:26,150

blew people's minds that's really cool

664

00:28:31,960 --> 00:28:28,580

and the entire group you actually got to

665

00:28:33,840 --> 00:28:31,970

go visit the Stanley Hotel which people

666

00:28:36,160 --> 00:28:33,850

may recognize from the shining

667

00:28:37,600 --> 00:28:36,170

terrifying I spoke to a paranormal

668

00:28:40,480 --> 00:28:37,610

investigator who spent like three years

669

00:28:44,290 --> 00:28:40,490

investigating that that place and I

670

00:28:46,510 --> 00:28:44,300

can't imagine what that was like so what

671

00:28:48,970 --> 00:28:46,520

was it like going to like one of the

672

00:28:51,160 --> 00:28:48,980

most haunted places ever with these

673

00:28:52,450 --> 00:28:51,170

people and what did they think about all

674

00:28:54,190 --> 00:28:52,460

that I'm interested to know what the

675

00:28:56,080 --> 00:28:54,200

hosts of bizarre States what they think

676
00:28:57,940 --> 00:28:56,090
about all this you have those stuff well

677
00:29:00,130 --> 00:28:57,950
there's certainly super into it you know

678
00:29:02,500 --> 00:29:00,140
they focus a lot of their podcasts on it

679
00:29:05,800 --> 00:29:02,510
and you know I've interviewed Jessica

680
00:29:09,280 --> 00:29:05,810
Chobot before on spacing out and you

681
00:29:12,370 --> 00:29:09,290
know she's had a at least one UFO

682
00:29:14,930 --> 00:29:12,380
experience before so I mean she's she's

683
00:29:16,489 --> 00:29:14,940
all about it all about the strange but

684
00:29:18,289 --> 00:29:16,499
you know she approaches it like I think

685
00:29:20,450 --> 00:29:18,299
a lot of people do and that is and

686
00:29:22,609 --> 00:29:20,460
perhaps myself included but you know

687
00:29:25,460 --> 00:29:22,619
they look into these things because

688
00:29:28,039 --> 00:29:25,470

they're just fascinated by the unknown

689

00:29:30,259 --> 00:29:28,049

by unexplained things and they like like

690

00:29:31,669 --> 00:29:30,269

that that journey of just like looking

691

00:29:33,229 --> 00:29:31,679

into it and following it and seeing

692

00:29:35,239 --> 00:29:33,239

where it goes

693

00:29:37,219 --> 00:29:35,249

they were certainly there longer than we

694

00:29:39,139 --> 00:29:37,229

work they went up in in the morning and

695

00:29:41,239 --> 00:29:39,149

I don't think they had a good experience

696

00:29:43,399 --> 00:29:41,249

there their most recent episode of

697

00:29:45,950 --> 00:29:43,409

bizarre States they pretty much complain

698

00:29:47,419 --> 00:29:45,960

about their entire trip so you can you

699

00:29:49,070 --> 00:29:47,429

can hear about it from them all right

700

00:29:50,989 --> 00:29:49,080

well let's shift gears into the Stanley

701
00:29:54,680 --> 00:29:50,999
Hotel because we finally got to go down

702
00:29:56,839 --> 00:29:54,690
there everybody and that was interesting

703
00:29:59,089 --> 00:29:56,849
all right you ready I'm up well here's

704
00:30:00,769 --> 00:29:59,099
the only thing we are experienced with

705
00:30:03,349 --> 00:30:00,779
them just in the communication that

706
00:30:06,200 --> 00:30:03,359
we've had in trying to film there

707
00:30:08,289 --> 00:30:06,210
they've said time and time again we're

708
00:30:10,789 --> 00:30:08,299
trying to move away from the

709
00:30:13,789 --> 00:30:10,799
supernatural history of this place are

710
00:30:16,430 --> 00:30:13,799
capitalizing too much on that angle for

711
00:30:18,379 --> 00:30:16,440
for tourism then you get there and it's

712
00:30:20,539 --> 00:30:18,389
just [h__\h] ghost [h__\h] ghost [h__\h] ghost

713
00:30:21,769 --> 00:30:20,549

[h__h] ghost [h__h] they're not moving away

714

00:30:22,369 --> 00:30:21,779

from it so what the [h__h] were they

715

00:30:24,729 --> 00:30:22,379

talking about

716

00:30:27,560 --> 00:30:24,739

oh the Yanks are named after the [h__h]

717

00:30:29,299 --> 00:30:27,570

Redrum from The Shining their gift shop

718

00:30:31,399 --> 00:30:29,309

is full of ghosts books and paranormal

719

00:30:33,259 --> 00:30:31,409

[h__h] the thing when we walked in was

720

00:30:36,619 --> 00:30:33,269

there's a giant seance happening tonight

721

00:30:38,629 --> 00:30:36,629

like I don't get what been feeding us

722

00:30:40,549 --> 00:30:38,639

for you know over a year when you get

723

00:30:43,190 --> 00:30:40,559

there and they're like jolliest we call

724

00:30:46,729 --> 00:30:43,200

gays yeah I mean the funny thing is I

725

00:30:49,310 --> 00:30:46,739

was so amped to go up there and we went

726

00:30:55,159 --> 00:30:49,320

right after being at Comic Con all

727

00:30:57,080 --> 00:30:55,169

weekend so we were dead absolutely dead

728

00:31:00,049 --> 00:30:57,090

you like rolling into this haunted hotel

729

00:31:04,129 --> 00:31:00,059

and we're all where's the bed I want to

730

00:31:06,919 --> 00:31:04,139

sleep yeah no it wasn't the the ideal

731

00:31:09,349 --> 00:31:06,929

situation for ghost hunting and we

732

00:31:11,899 --> 00:31:09,359

missed the they do they do ghost ghost

733

00:31:14,029 --> 00:31:11,909

tours there too and we missed the ghost

734

00:31:16,399 --> 00:31:14,039

tour because we were too late getting up

735

00:31:19,009 --> 00:31:16,409

there so we just kind of walked around

736

00:31:21,999 --> 00:31:19,019

and stuff and and I was too too tired to

737

00:31:24,259 --> 00:31:22,009

you know really be perceptive enough to

738

00:31:27,259 --> 00:31:24,269

see anything out of the ordinary or

739

00:31:28,280 --> 00:31:27,269

sense anything so I had no experiences

740

00:31:30,440 --> 00:31:28,290

at the Stanley

741

00:31:32,480 --> 00:31:30,450

but yeah they're great stories and it's

742

00:31:34,940 --> 00:31:32,490

a rad place I mean it's super old it it

743

00:31:37,190 --> 00:31:34,950

has you know all that atmosphere that

744

00:31:39,980 --> 00:31:37,200

you want you know super old super cool

745

00:31:41,360 --> 00:31:39,990

looking but you know nothing that would

746

00:31:42,620 --> 00:31:41,370

remind you of the shining because they

747

00:31:44,840 --> 00:31:42,630

didn't actually film The Shining there

748

00:31:47,030 --> 00:31:44,850

just is was the inspiration for Stephen

749

00:31:48,440 --> 00:31:47,040

King to write The Shining so if you go

750

00:31:50,840 --> 00:31:48,450

into it expecting that you're gonna be

751

00:31:53,690 --> 00:31:50,850

disappointed but uh no it's it's still a

752

00:31:56,150 --> 00:31:53,700

rad old hotel it's super honored yeah

753

00:31:59,900 --> 00:31:56,160

yeah that's so cool I hope to get there

754

00:32:02,060 --> 00:31:59,910

someday someday in the near future

755

00:32:03,950 --> 00:32:02,070

need to do some ghost-hunting anyway yes

756

00:32:05,630 --> 00:32:03,960

I love ghost haunting you know ghost

757

00:32:07,850 --> 00:32:05,640

hunting spawn I mean I love sky watching

758

00:32:09,680 --> 00:32:07,860

too with sky watching you know you just

759

00:32:11,210 --> 00:32:09,690

stare at the sky where she's ghost

760

00:32:14,630 --> 00:32:11,220

hunting you've got some cool toys to

761

00:32:16,520 --> 00:32:14,640

play with so that's fun and I recently

762

00:32:18,410 --> 00:32:16,530

got a full-spectrum camera so I wanted

763

00:32:20,870 --> 00:32:18,420

to try that out but I didn't actually

764

00:32:22,580 --> 00:32:20,880

get to bust it out and do any anything

765

00:32:24,080 --> 00:32:22,590

with it but that'll happen sometime but

766

00:32:26,420 --> 00:32:24,090

ya know I mean I've had some fun

767

00:32:28,460 --> 00:32:26,430

experiences ghosts on things so same

768

00:32:30,500 --> 00:32:28,470

here man again I think it's just opening

769

00:32:33,350 --> 00:32:30,510

up your mind to other things we get so

770

00:32:35,330 --> 00:32:33,360

so entrenched in the UFO stuff all the

771

00:32:37,460 --> 00:32:35,340

time that we got to remember there's

772

00:32:38,660 --> 00:32:37,470

other weird stuff out there yeah

773

00:32:41,150 --> 00:32:38,670

absolutely

774

00:32:43,250 --> 00:32:41,160

yeah and I'm all about it man I love the

775

00:32:45,350 --> 00:32:43,260

weird yeah well what I thought was

776

00:32:47,270 --> 00:32:45,360

really cool at least in my event um you

777

00:32:49,430 --> 00:32:47,280

know they sort of pack all the talent

778

00:32:51,830 --> 00:32:49,440

people into like rooms for breakfast

779

00:32:54,620 --> 00:32:51,840

lunch and dinner and I only got to talk

780

00:32:57,590 --> 00:32:54,630

with several of the people I did not

781

00:32:59,270 --> 00:32:57,600

record them unfortunately I didn't have

782

00:33:01,430 --> 00:32:59,280

the equipment at the time to do it but

783

00:33:03,740 --> 00:33:01,440

you know I was I had breakfast with

784

00:33:06,680 --> 00:33:03,750

Mitch pileggi Skinner from the x-files

785

00:33:10,400 --> 00:33:06,690

and you know he he asked me what I did

786

00:33:11,690 --> 00:33:10,410

and he was super interested and he you

787

00:33:13,400 --> 00:33:11,700

know he's just shaking his head he's

788

00:33:15,920 --> 00:33:13,410

like wow he's like you know we do this

789

00:33:17,660 --> 00:33:15,930

on TV but to know there's actual people

790

00:33:20,750 --> 00:33:17,670

out there doing this stuff like

791

00:33:22,520 --> 00:33:20,760

investigating UFOs and that they people

792

00:33:24,350 --> 00:33:22,530

have actually seen stuff he's like

793

00:33:25,880 --> 00:33:24,360

that's really amazing to me so I asked

794

00:33:28,730 --> 00:33:25,890

Sam I'm like do you believe any of it

795

00:33:30,830 --> 00:33:28,740

like no none of it but it's still really

796

00:33:33,560 --> 00:33:30,840

cool knowing that people are out there

797

00:33:36,500 --> 00:33:33,570

pursuing a truth that they're searching

798

00:33:38,760 --> 00:33:36,510

for so that really invigorated me that

799

00:33:40,740 --> 00:33:38,770

even these people who you know

800

00:33:44,340 --> 00:33:40,750

we are actors and just doing their job

801
00:33:46,500 --> 00:33:44,350
they respect the fandom first and

802
00:33:48,299 --> 00:33:46,510
foremost that them who they are but they

803
00:33:50,580 --> 00:33:48,309
also respect the people that kind of

804
00:33:53,700 --> 00:33:50,590
their their characters are based around

805
00:33:55,740 --> 00:33:53,710
in a very broad sense but I thought that

806
00:33:59,280 --> 00:33:55,750
was really cool as well something that

807
00:34:02,250 --> 00:33:59,290
you know really got me excited to hear

808
00:34:05,390 --> 00:34:02,260
was I think this was in our UFOs in pop

809
00:34:08,010 --> 00:34:05,400
culture panel there were a couple of

810
00:34:10,500 --> 00:34:08,020
teenage girls in the audience and they

811
00:34:11,520 --> 00:34:10,510
asked a question but I'm trying to

812
00:34:14,100 --> 00:34:11,530
remember what it was it was something

813
00:34:16,050 --> 00:34:14,110

along the lines of like no I think we'd

814

00:34:17,430 --> 00:34:16,060

asked people about like you know the

815

00:34:19,350 --> 00:34:17,440

ridicule factor we'd mentioned something

816

00:34:22,050 --> 00:34:19,360

about the stigma surrounding the UFO

817

00:34:23,909 --> 00:34:22,060

topic and these girls you know these

818

00:34:25,560 --> 00:34:23,919

teenage girls were saying that like

819

00:34:27,990 --> 00:34:25,570

younger people you know it's not a big

820

00:34:29,790 --> 00:34:28,000

deal to them they just like are happy to

821

00:34:30,899 --> 00:34:29,800

accept it and I thought that is so

822

00:34:32,730 --> 00:34:30,909

that's so rad

823

00:34:35,310 --> 00:34:32,740

I love that the younger mindset you know

824

00:34:37,919 --> 00:34:35,320

and we've got questions of course about

825

00:34:39,450 --> 00:34:37,929

like what would confirmation of

826

00:34:40,619 --> 00:34:39,460

extraterrestrial life due to religion

827

00:34:42,990 --> 00:34:40,629

and you know all the stuff that we're

828

00:34:44,790 --> 00:34:43,000

used to hearing but it was it was really

829

00:34:46,530 --> 00:34:44,800

cool when we were talking about just

830

00:34:48,389 --> 00:34:46,540

people being able to accept it or

831

00:34:50,669 --> 00:34:48,399

whatever and these girls are all yeah

832

00:34:53,010 --> 00:34:50,679

yeah we kind of already do like people

833

00:34:55,379 --> 00:34:53,020

our age it's not not a big deal well

834

00:34:57,900 --> 00:34:55,389

yeah go young people yes that's a good

835

00:35:00,510 --> 00:34:57,910

point man the younger generation they're

836

00:35:02,790 --> 00:35:00,520

like they they're they're ready they're

837

00:35:04,650 --> 00:35:02,800

ready for this stuff and it's it's

838

00:35:06,900 --> 00:35:04,660

almost a given to them I mean look at

839

00:35:09,660 --> 00:35:06,910

like what happened on Mars what last

840

00:35:11,700 --> 00:35:09,670

week the discoveries of the the organics

841

00:35:14,400 --> 00:35:11,710

and the phosphorus and like we're

842

00:35:16,620 --> 00:35:14,410

inching closer and closer to either

843

00:35:20,190 --> 00:35:16,630

finding ancient life on another planet

844

00:35:22,260 --> 00:35:20,200

or possible you know current microbial

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00:35:24,480 --> 00:35:22,270

life so again you know it's not these

846

00:35:26,250 --> 00:35:24,490

little gray men that some of the the

847

00:35:29,130 --> 00:35:26,260

people on our planet believe are

848

00:35:30,900 --> 00:35:29,140

visiting us but it's a step in the right

849

00:35:33,050 --> 00:35:30,910

direction and at the end of the day like

850

00:35:35,370 --> 00:35:33,060

that's all we want is the truth

851

00:35:36,840 --> 00:35:35,380

ticket sort of x-files about it we just

852

00:35:39,240 --> 00:35:36,850

want the truth no matter what that truth

853

00:35:42,150 --> 00:35:39,250

might be and it was on our government

854

00:35:44,010 --> 00:35:42,160

paranormal research panel Jeremy asked

855

00:35:46,380 --> 00:35:44,020

the audience you said would you guys

856

00:35:48,120 --> 00:35:46,390

freak out if you found out that aliens

857

00:35:50,620 --> 00:35:48,130

are real everybody's all know he's all

858

00:35:53,330 --> 00:35:50,630

are you ready for the truth oh yeah

859

00:35:57,230 --> 00:35:53,340

yes you would now bring up bring on

860

00:36:01,430 --> 00:35:57,240

aliens bring about on stage yeah that's

861

00:36:03,980 --> 00:36:01,440

good we have here right right

862

00:36:08,570 --> 00:36:03,990

governor Fife Symington styler yeah polo

863

00:36:10,250 --> 00:36:08,580

Symington yeah I actually I also spoke I

864

00:36:12,680 --> 00:36:10,260

want to get your thoughts on this before

865

00:36:15,020 --> 00:36:12,690

we sort of wrap things up Grayson um the

866

00:36:17,780 --> 00:36:15,030

whole ancient alien theory now I went

867

00:36:19,670 --> 00:36:17,790

into this event being like Oh God like I

868

00:36:22,520 --> 00:36:19,680

don't watch ancient aliens I'm not

869

00:36:26,150 --> 00:36:22,530

really a big proponent of this idea you

870

00:36:30,890 --> 00:36:26,160

know they're in what seizing up 53 of

871

00:36:33,140 --> 00:36:30,900

this thing right yeah so I I kind of had

872

00:36:36,110 --> 00:36:33,150

that sour stench in my mouth going into

873

00:36:38,720 --> 00:36:36,120

it so when I got there I realized oh

874

00:36:41,180 --> 00:36:38,730

okay so this isn't just about ancient

875

00:36:44,360 --> 00:36:41,190

aliens cool check one off the list this

876

00:36:47,000 --> 00:36:44,370

is a ray and then I actually when I was

877

00:36:47,780 --> 00:36:47,010

signing in I met up with a guy named Ray

878

00:36:49,970 --> 00:36:47,790

miramane

879

00:36:52,610 --> 00:36:49,980

who is a Egyptologist and a

880

00:36:55,820 --> 00:36:52,620

documentarian on ancient aliens really

881

00:36:58,540 --> 00:36:55,830

cool young dude super energetic and and

882

00:37:01,490 --> 00:36:58,550

I asked him straight up I'm like so what

883

00:37:03,770 --> 00:37:01,500

what is it about this show that you

884

00:37:06,080 --> 00:37:03,780

think really appeals to people and has

885

00:37:08,900 --> 00:37:06,090

made it last so long and he said it's

886

00:37:11,330 --> 00:37:08,910

it's the idea of you know sort of

887

00:37:14,290 --> 00:37:11,340

throwing out everything you've ever been

888

00:37:17,630 --> 00:37:14,300

taught or been forced to think about and

889

00:37:19,550 --> 00:37:17,640

rethink it reshape it and remould it and

890

00:37:21,350 --> 00:37:19,560

I was like okay I'm totally done for

891

00:37:24,170 --> 00:37:21,360

that that's cool and then I asked him

892

00:37:26,840 --> 00:37:24,180

like do you believe that aliens built

893

00:37:28,910 --> 00:37:26,850

the pyramids or did this or did that and

894

00:37:30,950 --> 00:37:28,920

you know he straight-up told me he's

895

00:37:33,500 --> 00:37:30,960

like I'm an Egyptologist like I've been

896

00:37:36,440 --> 00:37:33,510

studying this my entire life he said no

897

00:37:38,780 --> 00:37:36,450

I do not believe aliens built the

898

00:37:40,700 --> 00:37:38,790

pyramids in Egypt he said what we try to

899

00:37:43,910 --> 00:37:40,710

convey on the show and what a lot of

900

00:37:46,310 --> 00:37:43,920

people misrepresented as is that it's

901
00:37:48,500 --> 00:37:46,320
possible that there were some sort of

902
00:37:51,530 --> 00:37:48,510
intervention maybe at one point in time

903
00:37:55,100 --> 00:37:51,540
maybe in many that some sort of

904
00:37:56,870 --> 00:37:55,110
intelligence from some other place but

905
00:37:59,090 --> 00:37:56,880
maybe planet maybe universe maybe

906
00:38:02,000 --> 00:37:59,100
dimension whatever spoke to the

907
00:38:04,070 --> 00:38:02,010
Egyptians and sort of you know nudge

908
00:38:07,040 --> 00:38:04,080
them along or gave them vision

909
00:38:09,380 --> 00:38:07,050
there gave them messages about how to do

910
00:38:11,420 --> 00:38:09,390
these things so you know he I really

911
00:38:13,610 --> 00:38:11,430
respected that it wasn't aliens came and

912
00:38:15,920 --> 00:38:13,620
built the pyramids forgetting about the

913
00:38:17,960 --> 00:38:15,930

the vast history and knowledge of the

914

00:38:19,760 --> 00:38:17,970

Egyptians being not able to do that

915

00:38:20,780 --> 00:38:19,770

themselves so I thought that actually

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00:38:23,180 --> 00:38:20,790

really

917

00:38:24,950 --> 00:38:23,190

I learned something my first stay there

918

00:38:26,570 --> 00:38:24,960

about the whole ancient theory that kind

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00:38:28,130 --> 00:38:26,580

of changed my mind about it that yeah

920

00:38:29,690 --> 00:38:28,140

maybe it is possible that they had

921

00:38:31,250 --> 00:38:29,700

visions we hear about this in every

922

00:38:33,710 --> 00:38:31,260

culture leading up to their

923

00:38:35,870 --> 00:38:33,720

technological Renaissance as it were so

924

00:38:37,520 --> 00:38:35,880

I found that pretty interesting what are

925

00:38:39,080 --> 00:38:37,530

your thoughts on the whole ancient alien

926
00:38:41,120 --> 00:38:39,090
thing I've never really asked you that

927
00:38:44,840 --> 00:38:41,130
well certainly when it comes to the show

928
00:38:48,650 --> 00:38:44,850
I when it when it first started I gave

929
00:38:50,690 --> 00:38:48,660
it a shot because I love history and I

930
00:38:52,970 --> 00:38:50,700
love aliens so you know I thought this

931
00:38:56,600 --> 00:38:52,980
is perfect and I love the the historical

932
00:38:59,950 --> 00:38:56,610
aspect to the show but you know if they

933
00:39:02,480 --> 00:38:59,960
really did stick to opposing

934
00:39:05,000 --> 00:39:02,490
possibilities that would be just fine

935
00:39:07,100 --> 00:39:05,010
but that's not really what happens and

936
00:39:10,400 --> 00:39:07,110
they they they do it in in creative ways

937
00:39:12,920 --> 00:39:10,410
but several of the the contributors you

938
00:39:14,480 --> 00:39:12,930

know phrase things as saying like there

939

00:39:17,270 --> 00:39:14,490

couldn't be any other way except that

940

00:39:18,710 --> 00:39:17,280

extraterrestrials did this so you know I

941

00:39:21,170 --> 00:39:18,720

think a lot of people gravitate towards

942

00:39:22,760 --> 00:39:21,180

it because it's providing answers you

943

00:39:25,550 --> 00:39:22,770

know and I think that's dangerous

944

00:39:27,800 --> 00:39:25,560

because we don't have the answers to

945

00:39:31,220 --> 00:39:27,810

give people these are possibilities but

946

00:39:32,840 --> 00:39:31,230

people are you know blindly listening to

947

00:39:34,340 --> 00:39:32,850

what these people are telling them on TV

948

00:39:37,310 --> 00:39:34,350

because these are experts and they're

949

00:39:39,560 --> 00:39:37,320

showing all these cool historical photos

950

00:39:41,930 --> 00:39:39,570

and things and presenting it in a way

951
00:39:44,030 --> 00:39:41,940
that this act this absolutely happened

952
00:39:46,550 --> 00:39:44,040
this way with extraterrestrials so I

953
00:39:49,010 --> 00:39:46,560
don't like that and I think you know

954
00:39:53,090 --> 00:39:49,020
it's done a little bit of damage in

955
00:39:55,400 --> 00:39:53,100
terms of the public's perception of UFOs

956
00:39:59,510 --> 00:39:55,410
because an extra extraterrestrials

957
00:40:02,600 --> 00:39:59,520
because this show in the general public

958
00:40:05,180 --> 00:40:02,610
is viewed as this you know it's a silly

959
00:40:07,370 --> 00:40:05,190
meme it really is like everything and

960
00:40:08,870 --> 00:40:07,380
every every legitimate UFO story that

961
00:40:11,120 --> 00:40:08,880
comes out anything that about

962
00:40:14,240 --> 00:40:11,130
extraterrestrial life or the possibility

963
00:40:16,100 --> 00:40:14,250

of life on other planets you know we

964

00:40:17,960 --> 00:40:16,110

always see the Georgio meme we always

965

00:40:21,020 --> 00:40:17,970

see it's aliens

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00:40:22,910 --> 00:40:21,030

you know so I don't really like that the

967

00:40:26,390 --> 00:40:22,920

show has done that or that that is the

968

00:40:28,400 --> 00:40:26,400

representation in pop culture for UFOs

969

00:40:31,370 --> 00:40:28,410

and extraterrestrials I agree I agree

970

00:40:33,589 --> 00:40:31,380

with you so much and you know Dean and I

971

00:40:35,300 --> 00:40:33,599

struggled when we were at this event you

972

00:40:36,890 --> 00:40:35,310

know when we're in the vendor rooms you

973

00:40:38,930 --> 00:40:36,900

know you know we're trying to make our

974

00:40:40,820 --> 00:40:38,940

money back on traveling there and

975

00:40:42,830 --> 00:40:40,830

absolutely you know we wrote books for a

976
00:40:44,870 --> 00:40:42,840
reason you know get information out but

977
00:40:47,180 --> 00:40:44,880
also you know make a little little cash

978
00:40:49,490 --> 00:40:47,190
on the side to help us fund our further

979
00:40:51,020 --> 00:40:49,500
research we're not millionaires by any

980
00:40:54,109 --> 00:40:51,030
sense of the word when we do these

981
00:40:56,030 --> 00:40:54,119
things but again like people were rabid

982
00:40:58,400 --> 00:40:56,040
buying stuff left and right left and

983
00:40:59,780 --> 00:40:58,410
right and we we just looked at each

984
00:41:02,420 --> 00:40:59,790
other at one point we're like you know

985
00:41:04,220 --> 00:41:02,430
the only reason that we're doing so well

986
00:41:06,680 --> 00:41:04,230
here is because of Giorgio tsoukalos

987
00:41:08,720 --> 00:41:06,690
that's right and we both admitted it

988
00:41:11,570 --> 00:41:08,730

we're like yeah like these people came

989

00:41:13,270 --> 00:41:11,580

to have an experience to think but they

990

00:41:16,310 --> 00:41:13,280

also came to see this now iconic

991

00:41:18,830 --> 00:41:16,320

celebrity from absolutely and you know

992

00:41:20,810 --> 00:41:18,840

if we can sort of sort of use that to

993

00:41:23,510 --> 00:41:20,820

our advantage to get people interested

994

00:41:26,089 --> 00:41:23,520

in what we're talking about why not so

995

00:41:28,250 --> 00:41:26,099

it's tough it's a struggle the whole

996

00:41:30,650 --> 00:41:28,260

cult of celebrity in and out of the UFO

997

00:41:33,410 --> 00:41:30,660

field is is you know always been a

998

00:41:35,660 --> 00:41:33,420

struggle as well but at the end of the

999

00:41:37,940 --> 00:41:35,670

day it was a lot of fun that's kind of

1000

00:41:40,640 --> 00:41:37,950

how I was looking at our event is it was

1001
00:41:43,250 --> 00:41:40,650
fun was it insightful and informational

1002
00:41:46,160 --> 00:41:43,260
yeah yeah it was every now and again but

1003
00:41:48,470 --> 00:41:46,170
overall it was just a good good time and

1004
00:41:51,320 --> 00:41:48,480
got a lot of weirdos together to just

1005
00:41:52,700 --> 00:41:51,330
celebrate aliens so that's awesome man

1006
00:41:54,410 --> 00:41:52,710
and yeah you have to look at it like

1007
00:41:57,170 --> 00:41:54,420
that you know it's just like the the

1008
00:42:00,770 --> 00:41:57,180
annual Roswell festival or the

1009
00:42:04,730 --> 00:42:00,780
McMinnville festival like those are not

1010
00:42:05,570 --> 00:42:04,740
to be confused with serious research

1011
00:42:07,190 --> 00:42:05,580
gatherings

1012
00:42:09,740 --> 00:42:07,200
they're just fun times they're there

1013
00:42:13,160 --> 00:42:09,750

there are places for people to celebrate

1014

00:42:15,170 --> 00:42:13,170

the weird and you know embrace their

1015

00:42:17,599 --> 00:42:15,180

weirdness and be around people who like

1016

00:42:20,329 --> 00:42:17,609

the things they like and you know Denver

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00:42:22,099 --> 00:42:20,339

Comic Con and an alien condos bring in

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00:42:24,829 --> 00:42:22,109

the fandom element to you know where you

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00:42:27,410 --> 00:42:24,839

get to hang out and see and take photos

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00:42:29,870 --> 00:42:27,420

with people you've seen on TV so I dig

1021

00:42:31,590 --> 00:42:29,880

it I dig it too man and I mean the last

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00:42:35,610 --> 00:42:31,600

thing I'm sort of gonna say to wrap up

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00:42:37,500 --> 00:42:35,620

my con was we had a during a panel that

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00:42:39,930 --> 00:42:37,510

I mentioned earlier with Dean Alioto

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00:42:43,020 --> 00:42:39,940

alejandro rojas and myself talking about

1026
00:42:44,340 --> 00:42:43,030
hollywood in ufos we we did a Q&A after

1027
00:42:46,500 --> 00:42:44,350
a couple people asked questions about

1028
00:42:48,750 --> 00:42:46,510
certain movies this that and then I'm

1029
00:42:52,350 --> 00:42:48,760
not kidding you this kid he had to be no

1030
00:42:54,330 --> 00:42:52,360
older than like 10 12 maybe he gets up

1031
00:42:58,560 --> 00:42:54,340
to the mic and he says hello gentlemen

1032
00:43:00,420 --> 00:42:58,570
my question for you is what president do

1033
00:43:03,540 --> 00:43:00,430
you think hasn't been most interested in

1034
00:43:07,200 --> 00:43:03,550
UFOs because I remember seeing Bill

1035
00:43:09,300 --> 00:43:07,210
Clinton talking about this topic when he

1036
00:43:11,610 --> 00:43:09,310
was president and also Hillary meeting

1037
00:43:14,610 --> 00:43:11,620
with rockefeller and talking about this

1038
00:43:16,770 --> 00:43:14,620

as well it really we were stunned dang

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00:43:18,300 --> 00:43:16,780

this kid could barely reach the

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00:43:20,520 --> 00:43:18,310

microphone they had to bring it down to

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00:43:22,980 --> 00:43:20,530

him and he was able to like pull up this

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00:43:26,220 --> 00:43:22,990

pretty obscure kind of reference to

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00:43:28,290 --> 00:43:26,230

presidents and UFOs nice oh my god like

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00:43:30,060 --> 00:43:28,300

the audience started laughing when he

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00:43:33,960 --> 00:43:30,070

asked the question but we were all like

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00:43:36,960 --> 00:43:33,970

holy [h__h] like let's let's tell him like

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00:43:39,150 --> 00:43:36,970

what we know about it so noses [h__h] yeah

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00:43:41,190 --> 00:43:39,160

uh-huh Joe went into the whole story and

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00:43:44,610 --> 00:43:41,200

the kid took it in and he just goes

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00:43:46,680 --> 00:43:44,620

thank you and walked away like that was

1051
00:43:49,170 --> 00:43:46,690
it for me man if the con had ended there

1052
00:43:51,890 --> 00:43:49,180
I would have been like oh my god a 10 to

1053
00:43:54,990 --> 00:43:51,900
12 year-old is inquiring about

1054
00:43:56,640 --> 00:43:55,000
presidents in UFOs like that if I'd been

1055
00:43:59,310 --> 00:43:56,650
doing that at age 10 I can't even

1056
00:44:01,020 --> 00:43:59,320
imagine so that would kind of culminated

1057
00:44:03,140 --> 00:44:01,030
the whole event for me is the future of

1058
00:44:05,730 --> 00:44:03,150
ufology looks bright even among

1059
00:44:08,190 --> 00:44:05,740
celebrity with all of this ancient alien

1060
00:44:10,620 --> 00:44:08,200
stuff there are young minds out there

1061
00:44:12,450 --> 00:44:10,630
looking into this topic and we can only

1062
00:44:15,090 --> 00:44:12,460
hope that they continue to do it so

1063
00:44:18,060 --> 00:44:15,100

that's kind of my my wrap-up for mine

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00:44:20,130 --> 00:44:18,070

how about you well I just loved seeing

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00:44:22,110 --> 00:44:20,140

the interest you know I mean you and I

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00:44:24,210 --> 00:44:22,120

know the interest is there most people

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00:44:27,180 --> 00:44:24,220

you know are interested in this topic

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00:44:30,210 --> 00:44:27,190

and most people have some sort of

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00:44:32,730 --> 00:44:30,220

personal connection to it too but I love

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00:44:33,120 --> 00:44:32,740

seeing that the stigma is slowly going

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00:44:35,940 --> 00:44:33,130

away

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00:44:37,590 --> 00:44:35,950

people love to celebrate you know

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00:44:39,900 --> 00:44:37,600

whatever weirdness they have and that's

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00:44:41,760 --> 00:44:39,910

what what Comic Cons are really known

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00:44:44,430 --> 00:44:41,770

for they're just like this celebration

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00:44:46,740 --> 00:44:44,440

of being who you are

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00:44:49,589 --> 00:44:46,750

and what you like you know not being

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00:44:52,050 --> 00:44:49,599

ashamed to say I love my little pony or

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00:44:56,130 --> 00:44:52,060

whatever you like you know so when you

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00:44:58,740 --> 00:44:56,140

bring UFOs into that same type of crowd

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00:45:01,260 --> 00:44:58,750

or the same type of environment people

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00:45:02,970 --> 00:45:01,270

get to celebrate their love of UFOs the

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00:45:06,450 --> 00:45:02,980

love of extraterrestrials and their

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00:45:08,849 --> 00:45:06,460

curiosity for those topics so it's why I

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00:45:10,530 --> 00:45:08,859

really love Denver Comic Con and love

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00:45:13,950 --> 00:45:10,540

supporting it because they've just been

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00:45:17,609 --> 00:45:13,960

so receptive to it they identify that

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00:45:18,870 --> 00:45:17,619

that desire that that hunger for you

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00:45:22,170 --> 00:45:18,880

know more information about these topics

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00:45:24,059 --> 00:45:22,180

is there so they want to fill it and I'm

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00:45:27,240 --> 00:45:24,069

happy to do it as long as I continue to

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00:45:30,240 --> 00:45:27,250

be invited and I want to bring it to you

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00:45:33,720 --> 00:45:30,250

other locations as well so that's my

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00:45:36,210 --> 00:45:33,730

plan man I mean I really hope to do more

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00:45:38,400 --> 00:45:36,220

of these panels at different conventions

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00:45:40,050 --> 00:45:38,410

around the country I have no doubt

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00:45:42,690 --> 00:45:40,060

that's going to happen with a success of

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00:45:45,059 --> 00:45:42,700

Denver Comic Con with a success of alien

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00:45:47,370 --> 00:45:45,069

Con I think this topic like you said is

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00:45:49,680 --> 00:45:47,380

only becoming more mainstream with what

1101
00:45:50,190 --> 00:45:49,690
Tom DeLonge is doing and everything in

1102
00:45:53,160 --> 00:45:50,200
between

1103
00:45:56,160 --> 00:45:53,170
I think we really do live in a new era

1104
00:45:58,290 --> 00:45:56,170
of not disclosure but the UFO topic

1105
00:46:01,650 --> 00:45:58,300
becoming legitimate and worth studying

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00:46:03,540 --> 00:46:01,660
more now than ever in a world where you

1107
00:46:05,430 --> 00:46:03,550
know what we're scared weren't certain

1108
00:46:07,859 --> 00:46:05,440
about whatever comes next especially in

1109
00:46:10,980 --> 00:46:07,869
America so if we can look to that other

1110
00:46:13,440 --> 00:46:10,990
for hope that's all we can truly ask for

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00:46:15,720 --> 00:46:13,450
now I have to ask you before we go Jason

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00:46:18,089 --> 00:46:15,730
what comes next I know you've got some

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00:46:20,160 --> 00:46:18,099

trips coming up you Falah djegal in some

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00:46:23,250 --> 00:46:20,170

sense what can we expect from you and

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00:46:25,730 --> 00:46:23,260

rogue planet in the near future oh we're

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00:46:28,440 --> 00:46:25,740

gonna be having some fun in Roswell

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00:46:30,870 --> 00:46:28,450

Roswell I'm super excited for Roswell I

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00:46:33,480 --> 00:46:30,880

mean I say that I've been there a couple

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00:46:35,700 --> 00:46:33,490

times now and we're all smells kind of a

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00:46:37,650 --> 00:46:35,710

depressing place a whole lot there and

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00:46:39,780 --> 00:46:37,660

it's kind of a pain in the ass to get to

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00:46:42,150 --> 00:46:39,790

you but that being said I mean it's

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00:46:46,050 --> 00:46:42,160

Roswell you know you got to go and and

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00:46:48,809 --> 00:46:46,060

the festival is crazy and fun and a lot

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00:46:52,589 --> 00:46:48,819

of a lot of familiar faces there so it's

1126
00:46:55,530 --> 00:46:52,599
good to go and and in experience the the

1127
00:46:57,180 --> 00:46:55,540
annual celebration there but yeah I'm

1128
00:46:57,900 --> 00:46:57,190
going to be doing some interviews and

1129
00:47:00,210 --> 00:46:57,910
some stuff

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00:47:02,549 --> 00:47:00,220
for some upcoming things from rogue

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00:47:04,260 --> 00:47:02,559
planet so there's gonna be a lot of

1132
00:47:06,990 --> 00:47:04,270
social media happening during that trip

1133
00:47:09,750 --> 00:47:07,000
awesome I cannot wait to see and hear

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00:47:10,859 --> 00:47:09,760
all of that and Jason man I'm so happy

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00:47:13,500 --> 00:47:10,869
we got to sit down

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00:47:15,480 --> 00:47:13,510
debrief after our very eventful but

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00:47:16,950 --> 00:47:15,490
exhausting events this past week I

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00:47:18,960 --> 00:47:16,960

wouldn't have it any other way

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00:47:21,180 --> 00:47:18,970

hell yeah man it sounds like yours was a

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00:47:23,190 --> 00:47:21,190

blast I know mine was a blast so you

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00:47:27,420 --> 00:47:23,200

know they just happen to be on the same

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00:47:30,270 --> 00:47:27,430

weekend we got we got to cover all the

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00:47:32,309 --> 00:47:30,280

bases right exactly exactly and there's

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00:47:35,279 --> 00:47:32,319

only more to come so that's right that's

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00:47:37,859 --> 00:47:35,289

right all right that is it for this

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00:47:39,930 --> 00:47:37,869

week's episode again my thanks goes out

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00:47:41,880 --> 00:47:39,940

to Jason McClellan for coming on and

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00:47:44,370 --> 00:47:41,890

talking all about his experiences at

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00:47:46,710 --> 00:47:44,380

Denver Comic Con if you know of any

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00:47:48,809 --> 00:47:46,720

conventions coming to your hometown

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00:47:51,809 --> 00:47:48,819
where you think a UFO panel might be of

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00:47:53,819 --> 00:47:51,819
interest please reach out to Jason and I

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00:47:55,680 --> 00:47:53,829
and we'd love to talk to you more in

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00:47:58,020 --> 00:47:55,690
depth about bringing rogue planet and

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00:48:00,120 --> 00:47:58,030
somewhere in the skies to your hometown

1156
00:48:01,799 --> 00:48:00,130
convention to learn more about what

1157
00:48:04,109 --> 00:48:01,809
Jason and Maureen are up to at rogue

1158
00:48:07,740 --> 00:48:04,119
planet and to contact them personally

1159
00:48:09,230 --> 00:48:07,750
visit rogue planet TV if you have a few

1160
00:48:11,670 --> 00:48:09,240
moments please consider subscribing

1161
00:48:14,880 --> 00:48:11,680
rating and reviewing somewhere in the

1162
00:48:17,309 --> 00:48:14,890
skies on Apple podcasts or wherever you

1163
00:48:19,829 --> 00:48:17,319

may listen from it helps the show gain

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00:48:23,099 --> 00:48:19,839

new listeners and only then can we start

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00:48:25,529 --> 00:48:23,109

to ask new questions we're on twitter at

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00:48:28,529 --> 00:48:25,539

summer skies and on instagram at

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00:48:30,029 --> 00:48:28,539

somewhere sky's pot if you haven't had a

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00:48:33,029 --> 00:48:30,039

chance to check out the somewhere in the

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00:48:36,329 --> 00:48:33,039

sky store now is the time we have an

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00:48:39,180 --> 00:48:36,339

all-new exclusive t-shirt featuring The

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00:48:42,569 --> 00:48:39,190

Godfather of ethology J Allen Hynek

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00:48:45,269 --> 00:48:42,579

wanna represent the og ufologist in

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00:48:48,960 --> 00:48:45,279

style this and many other designs are

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available at T public comm just search

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for summer in the skies again that's te

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e public comm last but not least all

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past episodes articles news and contact

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00:49:03,120 --> 00:49:00,549

information can be found at the official

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00:49:05,700 --> 00:49:03,130

web site somewhere in the skies calm

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00:49:07,620 --> 00:49:05,710

thank you as always for listening and I

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00:49:09,779 --> 00:49:07,630

hope you'll join me here next week for

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00:49:10,760 --> 00:49:09,789

our third installment of witness

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00:49:12,620 --> 00:49:10,770

accounts

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00:49:15,200 --> 00:49:12,630

where you'll hear directly from those

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00:49:17,930 --> 00:49:15,210

who've experienced firsthand the UFO

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00:49:21,230 --> 00:49:17,940

phenomenon in the most strange scary

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beautiful and most human of ways that's

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witness accounts vol 3 next Monday until

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00:49:30,260 --> 00:49:27,210

then remember keep your feet on the

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00:49:37,070 --> 00:49:30,270

ground but never stop searching someone

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00:49:39,080 --> 00:49:37,080

in the skies somewhere in the skies is

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produced by Third Kind productions in

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association with the entertainment one

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podcast network to learn more visit

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00:49:49,640 --> 00:49:46,860

Entertainment one podcast calm this is

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Angelica Norton and this is amber Marino

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I produce nigh hosts a podcast called

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00:49:56,480 --> 00:49:54,900

chatty craft e's i chat with our crafty

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00:49:58,730 --> 00:49:56,490

friends about what drives them to make

1200

00:50:02,000 --> 00:49:58,740

perform and create it's not about

1201
00:50:04,040 --> 00:50:02,010
perfection now it's about expression we

1202
00:50:05,750 --> 00:50:04,050
invite you to peer into the lives of our

1203
00:50:08,270 --> 00:50:05,760
guests creative processes and

1204
00:50:10,130 --> 00:50:08,280
inspirations we hope to excite those who

1205
00:50:11,690 --> 00:50:10,140
assume they're not creative and support

1206
00:50:14,330 --> 00:50:11,700
those who may have forgotten that they

1207
00:50:16,880 --> 00:50:14,340
are honestly I just want to celebrate

1208
00:50:19,610 --> 00:50:16,890
and absorb their creative energy to try

1209
00:50:22,490 --> 00:50:19,620
new things so it won't sound so daunting

1210
00:50:24,620 --> 00:50:22,500
for me - oh it's so a swimsuit tell a

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00:50:27,260 --> 00:50:24,630
story onstage in front of strangers or

1212
00:50:29,540 --> 00:50:27,270
get back into painting so find us at

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00:50:32,390 --> 00:50:29,550

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