

# SOMEWHERE IN THE SKIES



## THE FIRST WITNESS

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

[Music]

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00:00:13,220 --> 00:00:09,990

this

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00:00:14,910 --> 00:00:13,230

is somewhere in the skies with ryan

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00:00:16,400 --> 00:00:14,920

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00:00:31,349 --> 00:00:16,410

sprague

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00:00:34,709 --> 00:00:32,950

welcome everybody to somewhere in the

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00:00:37,750 --> 00:00:34,719

skies i'm your host ryan sprague

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00:00:38,389 --> 00:00:37,760

and today is a very special day here on

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

the show

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00:00:42,549 --> 00:00:40,160

we're going to be talking to two very

11  
00:00:44,549 --> 00:00:42,559

important people who are starting on a

12  
00:00:46,389 --> 00:00:44,559

brand new television series that is

13  
00:00:48,630 --> 00:00:46,399

premiering on the history

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00:00:50,549 --> 00:00:48,640

channel on december 12th and that is

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00:00:52,869 --> 00:00:50,559

history's greatest mysteries

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

narrated by lawrence fishburne and

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00:00:55,750 --> 00:00:54,559

within the context of this series

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there's going to be a few

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00:01:00,069 --> 00:00:58,160

mini series and one of those is about a

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00:01:00,630 --> 00:01:00,079

case near and dear to my heart as i know

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00:01:02,709 --> 00:01:00,640

it is

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00:01:03,670 --> 00:01:02,719

many of yours as well and that is

23

00:01:07,030 --> 00:01:03,680

roswell

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00:01:10,230 --> 00:01:07,040

me today

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00:01:12,149 --> 00:01:10,240

is the lead investigator of the show ben

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00:01:14,789 --> 00:01:12,159

smith who is a

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00:01:16,149 --> 00:01:14,799

former cia operative which we will

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00:01:19,270 --> 00:01:16,159

definitely touch on

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00:01:21,030 --> 00:01:19,280

and also the granddaughter of the first

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00:01:22,550 --> 00:01:21,040

military witness to step foot on the

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00:01:25,830 --> 00:01:22,560

roswell crash site

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00:01:26,789 --> 00:01:25,840

and that is denise marcea so guys

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00:01:28,390 --> 00:01:26,799

welcome

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00:01:29,910 --> 00:01:28,400

to somewhere in the skies thanks so much

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00:01:32,390 --> 00:01:29,920

for being here hi

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00:01:34,469 --> 00:01:32,400

thank you for having us yeah this is a

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00:01:37,749 --> 00:01:34,479

trip thank you ryan it's great

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00:01:40,149 --> 00:01:37,759

my pleasure um i mean like i mentioned

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this case is means so much to so many

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00:01:45,109 --> 00:01:42,159

people out there it's kind of their uh

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00:01:46,870 --> 00:01:45,119

their gateway drug into the ufo world

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and i know it was for me

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00:01:50,310 --> 00:01:49,040

as well the first book i ever read on

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ufos was

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00:01:54,230 --> 00:01:52,399

by nuclear physicist stanton friedman

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who wrote crash it corona

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00:01:58,389 --> 00:01:56,240

so you know not only were ufos

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00:01:59,749 --> 00:01:58,399

supposedly visiting our planet from

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00:02:01,910 --> 00:01:59,759

somewhere else but they were

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00:02:02,950 --> 00:02:01,920

crashing and that terrified me as a 12

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00:02:04,950 --> 00:02:02,960

year old so

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00:02:06,789 --> 00:02:04,960

uh it's been a tale spin for me since

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00:02:09,029 --> 00:02:06,799

there but um i'm sure this has been a

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00:02:11,670 --> 00:02:09,039

crazy experience for the both of you

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00:02:12,710 --> 00:02:11,680

as well so um i kind of just want to

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00:02:14,790 --> 00:02:12,720

dive into

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00:02:16,790 --> 00:02:14,800

the show and your investigation ben what

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00:02:18,869 --> 00:02:16,800

you guys um

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00:02:19,830 --> 00:02:18,879

uncovered we won't give away too much

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00:02:23,589 --> 00:02:19,840

obviously

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00:02:25,190 --> 00:02:23,599

but um ben for my audience you know i

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00:02:28,150 --> 00:02:25,200

don't think they've really ever

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00:02:28,869 --> 00:02:28,160

seen you before um or heard from you uh

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00:02:31,270 --> 00:02:28,879

unless you

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00:02:33,270 --> 00:02:31,280

you uh you've been tapping their phones

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00:02:34,390 --> 00:02:33,280

in your previous life and everything but

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00:02:34,869 --> 00:02:34,400

i'm just kidding brother i'm just

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00:02:36,550 --> 00:02:34,879

kidding

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00:02:38,630 --> 00:02:36,560

but um yeah can you tell us a little

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about yourself you know the work you did

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00:02:43,350 --> 00:02:41,280

with the cia and yeah what led you to

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00:02:44,949 --> 00:02:43,360

want to investigate the roswell case of

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00:02:47,350 --> 00:02:44,959

all things

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00:02:48,229 --> 00:02:47,360

yeah it's a long story i'll try to keep

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00:02:50,470 --> 00:02:48,239

it short but

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00:02:51,670 --> 00:02:50,480

uh my name is ben smith from the pacific

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00:02:54,949 --> 00:02:51,680

northwest

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00:02:59,589 --> 00:02:54,959

i joined the cia out of graduate school

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to uh you know serve my country to

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00:03:02,949 --> 00:03:01,760

learn about the intelligence process do

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00:03:05,509 --> 00:03:02,959

my best to

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00:03:06,470 --> 00:03:05,519

prevent terrorist attacks and you know

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00:03:09,190 --> 00:03:06,480

foreign spy

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00:03:11,190 --> 00:03:09,200

foreign espionage against our country um

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00:03:12,470 --> 00:03:11,200

i was what's called a case officer for a

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00:03:14,550 --> 00:03:12,480

number of years a case officer in

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00:03:16,229 --> 00:03:14,560

hollywood parlour is the undercover

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00:03:18,309 --> 00:03:16,239

field operative

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00:03:19,270 --> 00:03:18,319

so i largely worked overseas recruiting

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00:03:22,070 --> 00:03:19,280

and handling

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00:03:22,470 --> 00:03:22,080

sources we call them agents or assets to

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00:03:25,030 --> 00:03:22,480

collect

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00:03:26,309 --> 00:03:25,040

intelligence that might be useful to the

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00:03:27,830 --> 00:03:26,319

us government

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00:03:30,789 --> 00:03:27,840

you know in preventing terrorist attacks

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00:03:34,070 --> 00:03:30,799

or affording espionage against our

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00:03:35,830 --> 00:03:34,080

businesses and governments or weapons of

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00:03:36,630 --> 00:03:35,840

mass destruction right a global danger

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00:03:38,949 --> 00:03:36,640

so

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00:03:40,710 --> 00:03:38,959

um i really cut my teeth in the field

101  
00:03:42,550 --> 00:03:40,720  
dealing with a lot of individuals

102  
00:03:44,149 --> 00:03:42,560  
claiming they had access to pretty

103  
00:03:44,630 --> 00:03:44,159  
fantastic information you know it could

104  
00:03:46,470 --> 00:03:44,640  
be

105  
00:03:48,229 --> 00:03:46,480  
somebody approaching me and saying hey i

106  
00:03:49,589 --> 00:03:48,239  
know where some radioactive material is

107  
00:03:50,229 --> 00:03:49,599  
hey i know there's a terrorist attack

108  
00:03:52,630 --> 00:03:50,239  
coming

109  
00:03:53,589 --> 00:03:52,640  
uh uh you need to listen to me and

110  
00:03:56,710 --> 00:03:53,599  
sifting through

111  
00:03:58,070 --> 00:03:56,720  
all of these kinds of people right who

112  
00:03:58,949 --> 00:03:58,080  
sometimes want to help and sometimes

113  
00:04:02,309 --> 00:03:58,959

want to hurt

114

00:04:05,350 --> 00:04:02,319

me or others uh and getting to

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00:04:07,990 --> 00:04:05,360

the bone you know is this really true

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00:04:08,949 --> 00:04:08,000

and is it useful and can we do something

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00:04:10,949 --> 00:04:08,959

about it so

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00:04:12,949 --> 00:04:10,959

i really cut my teeth doing that kind of

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00:04:14,630 --> 00:04:12,959

work for the cia

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00:04:16,949 --> 00:04:14,640

i resigned from the cia a couple years

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00:04:19,749 --> 00:04:16,959

ago to just pursue other interests one

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00:04:20,710 --> 00:04:19,759

my wife now wife uh and two uh to really

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00:04:23,590 --> 00:04:20,720

explore

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00:04:25,110 --> 00:04:23,600

really what else is out there uh and to

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00:04:25,990 --> 00:04:25,120

ponder those big questions and one of

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00:04:28,629 --> 00:04:26,000

the first things i

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00:04:29,270 --> 00:04:28,639

i turned my eye to was okay ufos what's

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00:04:31,189 --> 00:04:29,280

this about

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00:04:32,550 --> 00:04:31,199

uh why do people all around the world

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00:04:35,110 --> 00:04:32,560

have these experiences

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00:04:35,670 --> 00:04:35,120

and is there really any there there i'd

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00:04:38,870 --> 00:04:35,680

grown up

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00:04:39,590 --> 00:04:38,880

in uh uh this is already too long sorry

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00:04:42,469 --> 00:04:39,600

i've grown up

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00:04:43,909 --> 00:04:42,479

it you know in the 90s with when uh

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00:04:47,430 --> 00:04:43,919

awesome fiction like

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00:04:48,230 --> 00:04:47,440

uh the x-files and some of the

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00:04:50,150 --> 00:04:48,240

programming on

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00:04:52,150 --> 00:04:50,160

unsolved mysteries kind of captured my

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00:04:52,469 --> 00:04:52,160

imagination and it took off from there

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00:04:54,070 --> 00:04:52,479

and

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00:04:56,230 --> 00:04:54,080

it's still a passion of mine to figure

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00:04:57,270 --> 00:04:56,240

out what is happening is is this a real

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00:05:00,629 --> 00:04:57,280

national security

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00:05:04,070 --> 00:05:00,639

uh a global security threat

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00:05:07,029 --> 00:05:04,080

we need to be serious right and we know

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00:05:08,469 --> 00:05:07,039

uh you know recently within the past few

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00:05:10,629 --> 00:05:08,479

years that the uh

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00:05:11,909 --> 00:05:10,639

the pentagon has looked at that

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potential threat of

151  
00:05:15,830 --> 00:05:14,639  
what you fos or what they're now coining

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00:05:18,310 --> 00:05:15,840  
uaps

153  
00:05:18,950 --> 00:05:18,320  
unidentified aerial phenomena uh what

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00:05:20,790 --> 00:05:18,960  
they might

155  
00:05:22,629 --> 00:05:20,800  
be and could they pose a potential

156  
00:05:25,670 --> 00:05:22,639  
threat and i mean

157  
00:05:28,550 --> 00:05:25,680  
talk about a threat when something

158  
00:05:30,550 --> 00:05:28,560  
crashed in the desert in 1947

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00:05:32,150 --> 00:05:30,560  
that a lot of people including your

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00:05:34,550 --> 00:05:32,160  
grandfather

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00:05:36,070 --> 00:05:34,560  
denise uh couldn't figure out what it

162  
00:05:38,230 --> 00:05:36,080  
was and this guy

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00:05:40,710 --> 00:05:38,240

was a trained observer he knew what to

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00:05:43,350 --> 00:05:40,720

look for in the skies it was his job

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00:05:45,270 --> 00:05:43,360

um so let's kind of um get your

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00:05:48,230 --> 00:05:45,280

background denise i mean i'm sure

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00:05:49,749 --> 00:05:48,240

some people uh recognize you from the

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00:05:51,510 --> 00:05:49,759

show that i was a part of

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00:05:52,469 --> 00:05:51,520

um in looking at roswell but yeah could

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00:05:53,749 --> 00:05:52,479

you tell us a little about your

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00:05:55,510 --> 00:05:53,759

connection to all of this

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00:05:57,510 --> 00:05:55,520

um even though i kind of spoiled the big

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00:05:59,909 --> 00:05:57,520

part you are the granddaughter

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00:06:01,749 --> 00:05:59,919

but yeah surprise everyone but yeah tell

175

00:06:04,550 --> 00:06:01,759

us a little about yourself

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00:06:06,629 --> 00:06:04,560

well like you said um my grandfather was

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00:06:08,309 --> 00:06:06,639

uh jessie marcel senior

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uh he was a lieutenant colonel when he

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retired and

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00:06:16,670 --> 00:06:13,360

he was the first military officer at

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a crash site in roswell new mexico in

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00:06:21,990 --> 00:06:18,479

1947

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and he found that the material was just

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so intriguing and it just didn't make

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any sense to him

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that on his way back to the base he

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00:06:31,670 --> 00:06:29,039

decided to

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show the material to my grandfather and

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00:06:36,550 --> 00:06:33,039

proceeded to my father

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00:06:38,469 --> 00:06:36,560

and my grandmother and he did say these

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words to them he goes i think what we

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have here are pieces of a flying saucer

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and i he believed that until the day

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00:06:48,390 --> 00:06:46,080

he passed away that what they found out

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there in the desert was a flying saucer

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just because the material just didn't

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00:06:56,550 --> 00:06:55,830

right right and i mean the story kind of

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00:06:59,110 --> 00:06:56,560

just

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00:07:00,710 --> 00:06:59,120

unraveled from there we know about the

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00:07:02,150 --> 00:07:00,720

famous headline that came out in the

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newspaper you know

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r a f uh excuse me raaf

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finds flying disc in desert or something

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00:07:13,510 --> 00:07:10,800

along those lines i know i uh

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i have it actually right here on my mug

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i should probably show that to everyone

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00:07:18,870 --> 00:07:16,000

here

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00:07:20,870 --> 00:07:18,880

that's wonderful just i'm no poser i

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00:07:23,350 --> 00:07:20,880

promise this case means a lot to me

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00:07:23,990 --> 00:07:23,360

but um let's um let's talk a little

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about

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00:07:28,790 --> 00:07:26,560

the investigation ben that you guys did

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00:07:30,790 --> 00:07:28,800

and it kind of starts with um

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00:07:33,189 --> 00:07:30,800

with the first episode of the show which

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00:07:36,230 --> 00:07:33,199

i uh am very thankful to have been

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00:07:37,830 --> 00:07:36,240

to have screened recently and uh you

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00:07:40,309 --> 00:07:37,840

talk about the journal

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and this is something some of us have

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speculated

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and maybe rumored throughout the years

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that there could be this

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00:07:49,670 --> 00:07:48,160

this written account or something to do

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00:07:53,510 --> 00:07:49,680

with this in uh

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00:07:55,909 --> 00:07:53,520

the journals of jessie marcel and um

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lo and behold boom uh we won't give away

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00:08:00,150 --> 00:07:57,840

too much but yeah tell us a little about

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what this journal meant to both of you

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um ben as an investigator and denise as

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00:08:06,550 --> 00:08:04,240

something

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00:08:07,589 --> 00:08:06,560

tangible and first person from your

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00:08:08,790 --> 00:08:07,599

grandfather i guess

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00:08:11,430 --> 00:08:08,800

ben let's start with you if you don't

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00:08:12,070 --> 00:08:11,440

mind yeah i mean in the intelligence

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00:08:13,670 --> 00:08:12,080

business

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00:08:15,270 --> 00:08:13,680

the first thing you want is the best

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00:08:17,189 --> 00:08:15,280

thing you you can get is is first-hand

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documentation right whether that's uh

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you know the secret the secret plans of

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being the enemy or

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00:08:25,110 --> 00:08:22,720

the terrorist group or what have you and

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00:08:27,110 --> 00:08:25,120

here i had a chance to get my hands on a

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first-hand document belonging to a

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military member or

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in the possession of a military attorney

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member who was the key

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00:08:36,310 --> 00:08:34,800

uh witness the first witness a

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00:08:38,149 --> 00:08:36,320

government witness on the scene in

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roswell in 1947.

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so there's a lot of importance there you

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know when i got a chance to open that

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book it really fascinated me

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00:08:50,550 --> 00:08:47,040

i'm someone who has used uh

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centrifuge and you know clever uh

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00:08:54,630 --> 00:08:52,640

who's used clever techniques to hide

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sensitive information

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00:08:57,910 --> 00:08:56,880

to carry out my own operations but here

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i have a book and

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as soon as i crack it open i can see

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already that there's a lot of room

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and it follows a lot of the procedures

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that i've been trained to use in terms

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of

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hiding information potentially so that

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00:09:12,790 --> 00:09:11,200

immediately caught my eye

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00:09:15,509 --> 00:09:12,800

and um you know that became the

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foundation of my investigation

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can i authenticate the prominence of

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00:09:21,590 --> 00:09:18,959

this document

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is it unreal legitimate and what does it

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tell us so that kind of

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00:09:27,350 --> 00:09:26,320

was the the uh yeah it was the basis for

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the investigation

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and really expanded from there um and

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fortunately

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i got to work with denise all along the

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way

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00:09:39,750 --> 00:09:37,360

right and i mean the examination

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in analysis done on the journal is

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something we won't get into you have to

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see it

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00:09:47,509 --> 00:09:45,920

but um it packed a punch i mean you guys

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went straight to the top with

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00:09:53,590 --> 00:09:51,040

um people to analyze the hand writing

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00:09:54,949 --> 00:09:53,600

and um to possibly decode some stuff

285

00:09:57,430 --> 00:09:54,959

that could be

286

00:09:58,949 --> 00:09:57,440

a little more mysterious side than the

287

00:10:02,150 --> 00:09:58,959

contents of the journal

288

00:10:04,069 --> 00:10:02,160

but um denise what was it like um

289

00:10:05,829 --> 00:10:04,079

looking at this and hearing about it as

290

00:10:07,990 --> 00:10:05,839

ben was also investigating

291

00:10:09,750 --> 00:10:08,000

it i mean i mean this came straight from

292

00:10:11,910 --> 00:10:09,760

your grandfather

293

00:10:14,150 --> 00:10:11,920

well you know the the journalist it's a

294

00:10:16,870 --> 00:10:14,160

very it's very intriguing i guess that's

295

00:10:19,990 --> 00:10:16,880

the best word to describe it because

296

00:10:23,430 --> 00:10:20,000

what's written in there sort of

297

00:10:24,949 --> 00:10:23,440

just doesn't make sense so with having

298

00:10:28,230 --> 00:10:24,959

ben look at it from a different

299

00:10:31,350 --> 00:10:28,240

perspective you know of a cia background

300

00:10:32,630 --> 00:10:31,360

um it lends to

301

00:10:34,470 --> 00:10:32,640

i think it makes it even a little bit

302

00:10:36,069 --> 00:10:34,480

more mysterious because it's just some

303

00:10:37,829 --> 00:10:36,079

of it just doesn't make sense and

304

00:10:39,430 --> 00:10:37,839

maybe it was meant to be cryptic and

305

00:10:42,069 --> 00:10:39,440

that we weren't supposed to understand

306

00:10:44,829 --> 00:10:42,079

what it was saying because

307

00:10:46,069 --> 00:10:44,839

it's there's just some odd stuff in it

308

00:10:48,389 --> 00:10:46,079

um

309

00:10:50,389 --> 00:10:48,399

it's it's yeah i i don't know how else

310

00:10:51,350 --> 00:10:50,399

to describe it it's i'm just really

311

00:10:53,750 --> 00:10:51,360

happy that

312

00:10:54,470 --> 00:10:53,760

we have somebody taking a a different

313

00:10:56,949 --> 00:10:54,480

look at it

314

00:10:58,630 --> 00:10:56,959

you know other than our family and

315

00:11:00,470 --> 00:10:58,640

having somebody from the cia

316

00:11:01,990 --> 00:11:00,480

actually who has a knowledgeable

317

00:11:05,350 --> 00:11:02,000

background about

318

00:11:07,509 --> 00:11:05,360

looking at analyzing something that's

319

00:11:10,949 --> 00:11:07,519

kind of cryptic

320

00:11:12,710 --> 00:11:10,959

right you know it looks like regular

321

00:11:14,550 --> 00:11:12,720

like little poems or something like that

322

00:11:16,550 --> 00:11:14,560

but then it's like

323

00:11:19,030 --> 00:11:16,560

what why was he writing this it kind of

324

00:11:21,430 --> 00:11:19,040

doesn't make sense

325

00:11:22,150 --> 00:11:21,440

right and this was from a standard you

326  
00:11:24,710 --> 00:11:22,160  
know

327  
00:11:25,590 --> 00:11:24,720  
provided journal that the military gave

328  
00:11:27,350 --> 00:11:25,600  
to him so

329  
00:11:28,870 --> 00:11:27,360  
i mean that that lends a lot of credence

330  
00:11:31,190 --> 00:11:28,880  
too and um

331  
00:11:33,030 --> 00:11:31,200  
yeah we uh we'll leave the audience to

332  
00:11:34,310 --> 00:11:33,040  
figure out and try to decode some of

333  
00:11:36,790 --> 00:11:34,320  
that stuff as ben

334  
00:11:37,590 --> 00:11:36,800  
tried to do as well but um i want to

335  
00:11:40,389 --> 00:11:37,600  
move to

336  
00:11:42,470 --> 00:11:40,399  
kind of the core of this investigation

337  
00:11:44,630 --> 00:11:42,480  
which i have done personally

338  
00:11:45,590 --> 00:11:44,640

so many ufo researchers out there like

339

00:11:47,590 --> 00:11:45,600

stanton friedman

340

00:11:49,829 --> 00:11:47,600

or or don schmidt who is featured in

341

00:11:51,509 --> 00:11:49,839

your in your show as well um

342

00:11:52,870 --> 00:11:51,519

have gone out to the debris site now

343

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

that's a whole

344

00:11:56,230 --> 00:11:54,560

story of its own there's so many

345

00:11:57,990 --> 00:11:56,240

proposed crash sites

346

00:12:00,069 --> 00:11:58,000

that people have claimed to go to out

347

00:12:01,350 --> 00:12:00,079

there and whatnot but i mean

348

00:12:03,269 --> 00:12:01,360

then when you were out there man it

349

00:12:06,550 --> 00:12:03,279

looked very very similar

350

00:12:09,430 --> 00:12:06,560

as similar as a vast desert can look um

351

00:12:10,230 --> 00:12:09,440

to me as the actual place which was

352

00:12:12,230 --> 00:12:10,240

awesome

353

00:12:14,389 --> 00:12:12,240

so i'd love to hear what was it like man

354

00:12:16,949 --> 00:12:14,399

for you stepping foot on what

355

00:12:18,870 --> 00:12:16,959

could possibly be where a ufo no matter

356

00:12:21,509 --> 00:12:18,880

what that ufo was or wasn't

357

00:12:23,430 --> 00:12:21,519

where it possibly crashed and was

358

00:12:23,990 --> 00:12:23,440

subsequently covered up which we'll get

359

00:12:25,430 --> 00:12:24,000

to but

360

00:12:27,750 --> 00:12:25,440

um yeah what was that experience like

361

00:12:29,269 --> 00:12:27,760

going out to the the site and um

362

00:12:31,269 --> 00:12:29,279

what'd you guys do out there i gotta ask

363

00:12:32,629 --> 00:12:31,279

what kind of tools did you bring this is

364

00:12:34,470 --> 00:12:32,639

a very high-tech

365

00:12:36,870 --> 00:12:34,480

investigation which we're not used to

366

00:12:40,069 --> 00:12:36,880

which is really exciting so yeah let us

367

00:12:41,269 --> 00:12:40,079

give us some teases on that one oh man

368

00:12:42,790 --> 00:12:41,279

it was a thrill to be out there i've

369

00:12:43,990 --> 00:12:42,800

never been to new mexico before uh it

370

00:12:47,110 --> 00:12:44,000

was my first time

371

00:12:48,710 --> 00:12:47,120

uh especially to the debris field um

372

00:12:50,870 --> 00:12:48,720

you know i've read about it i've read

373

00:12:54,470 --> 00:12:50,880

many of the works that you cited by uh

374

00:12:56,629 --> 00:12:54,480

stan friedman and um don schmidt

375

00:12:57,590 --> 00:12:56,639

and and kevin randle and all the other

376

00:13:00,470 --> 00:12:57,600

great uh

377

00:13:02,550 --> 00:13:00,480

researchers who put a lot of work into

378

00:13:03,910 --> 00:13:02,560

uh piecing to this puzzle together

379

00:13:05,350 --> 00:13:03,920

but being out there for there for the

380

00:13:07,430 --> 00:13:05,360

first time was pretty incredible you

381

00:13:09,670 --> 00:13:07,440

know whether or not

382

00:13:11,670 --> 00:13:09,680

a ufo crashed here or not it really is

383

00:13:12,069 --> 00:13:11,680

the genesis of ufology in the united

384

00:13:15,110 --> 00:13:12,079

states

385

00:13:18,550 --> 00:13:15,120

and a global uh a global culture

386

00:13:19,269 --> 00:13:18,560

for uh ufos and government conspiracy

387

00:13:21,030 --> 00:13:19,279

and so

388

00:13:22,470 --> 00:13:21,040

you have to give it that space that kind

389

00:13:23,509 --> 00:13:22,480

of reverence it's beautiful it's

390

00:13:25,910 --> 00:13:23,519

desolate

391

00:13:27,590 --> 00:13:25,920

uh you know you have to put yourself in

392

00:13:31,269 --> 00:13:27,600

the shoes of someone like

393

00:13:33,829 --> 00:13:31,279

uh jesse marcel or uh

394

00:13:34,710 --> 00:13:33,839

mack razzle to be out on that field and

395

00:13:37,190 --> 00:13:34,720

really

396

00:13:38,710 --> 00:13:37,200

be alone with this strange debris and it

397

00:13:39,269 --> 00:13:38,720

really takes you there and kind of

398

00:13:42,629 --> 00:13:39,279

haunts you

399

00:13:43,509 --> 00:13:42,639

in a way but yeah we took we you know we

400

00:13:45,269 --> 00:13:43,519

tried to give this

401  
00:13:46,629 --> 00:13:45,279  
a really thorough investigation with all

402  
00:13:47,990 --> 00:13:46,639  
the resources we didn't want to just

403  
00:13:50,389 --> 00:13:48,000  
turn over new leafs and say oh

404  
00:13:51,269 --> 00:13:50,399  
this is a potential uh potential new

405  
00:13:53,350 --> 00:13:51,279  
lead and not

406  
00:13:55,829 --> 00:13:53,360  
take it right we need to follow every

407  
00:13:57,829 --> 00:13:55,839  
lead and chase it into the ground

408  
00:14:00,470 --> 00:13:57,839  
and then see what shakes out of it what

409  
00:14:02,550 --> 00:14:00,480  
evidence can we present what can we find

410  
00:14:03,829 --> 00:14:02,560  
we wanted to change the conversation and

411  
00:14:05,269 --> 00:14:03,839  
so we brought every tool

412  
00:14:06,629 --> 00:14:05,279  
i can't give away too much about what

413  
00:14:07,829 --> 00:14:06,639

kinds of tools but we brought every tool

414

00:14:09,590 --> 00:14:07,839

that we could to

415

00:14:10,949 --> 00:14:09,600

the debris field to see if we could find

416

00:14:15,670 --> 00:14:10,959

a

417

00:14:18,870 --> 00:14:15,680

cover-up

418

00:14:20,230 --> 00:14:18,880

and see uh and or see evidence of a

419

00:14:22,470 --> 00:14:20,240

large scale cleanup so

420

00:14:24,069 --> 00:14:22,480

you know over time even after 70 years

421

00:14:25,509 --> 00:14:24,079

with the right technology you can cheat

422

00:14:26,069 --> 00:14:25,519

out some of those details so that was

423

00:14:27,670 --> 00:14:26,079

our goal

424

00:14:29,189 --> 00:14:27,680

uh in bringing out some of the heavy

425

00:14:31,829 --> 00:14:29,199

duty equipment and

426  
00:14:32,230 --> 00:14:31,839  
you know unprecedented technology to

427  
00:14:35,269 --> 00:14:32,240  
drive

428  
00:14:36,949 --> 00:14:35,279  
you right and again that's what i found

429  
00:14:39,430 --> 00:14:36,959  
so refreshing about this you know

430  
00:14:40,069 --> 00:14:39,440  
when i did a a televised investigation

431  
00:14:41,910 --> 00:14:40,079  
as well

432  
00:14:43,590 --> 00:14:41,920  
you're always hesitant with these things

433  
00:14:44,310 --> 00:14:43,600  
and denise i mean you've seen and heard

434  
00:14:45,910 --> 00:14:44,320  
it all

435  
00:14:49,269 --> 00:14:45,920  
if you can't bring something new to the

436  
00:14:51,110 --> 00:14:49,279  
roswell case what's the point and so

437  
00:14:53,030 --> 00:14:51,120  
you know we did our best to bring new

438  
00:14:55,590 --> 00:14:53,040

stuff to the table as you guys did

439

00:14:58,389 --> 00:14:55,600

as well and um i think that's amazing

440

00:15:00,470 --> 00:14:58,399

that after 70 plus years we can still

441

00:15:02,150 --> 00:15:00,480

look at this case with fresh eyes and

442

00:15:04,150 --> 00:15:02,160

hopefully someday

443

00:15:06,069 --> 00:15:04,160

get an answer that i know denise you

444

00:15:07,590 --> 00:15:06,079

have wanted your father wanted your

445

00:15:10,790 --> 00:15:07,600

grandfather wanted

446

00:15:12,470 --> 00:15:10,800

um so it's awesome i i think it's so

447

00:15:14,069 --> 00:15:12,480

cool that people are still willing to

448

00:15:17,350 --> 00:15:14,079

look into this case and uh

449

00:15:18,949 --> 00:15:17,360

and uncover things as they happen and um

450

00:15:20,790 --> 00:15:18,959

you did bring up the word cover-up and i

451  
00:15:21,430 --> 00:15:20,800  
would love to touch on that with both of

452  
00:15:27,990 --> 00:15:21,440  
you

453  
00:15:28,870 --> 00:15:28,000  
after looking at this thing like there

454  
00:15:31,110 --> 00:15:28,880  
clearly

455  
00:15:32,629 --> 00:15:31,120  
was a cover-up of some sort and i'd like

456  
00:15:34,550 --> 00:15:32,639  
to get your observations on that but

457  
00:15:36,870 --> 00:15:34,560  
denise first um

458  
00:15:37,829 --> 00:15:36,880  
what was it like you know with your your

459  
00:15:39,910 --> 00:15:37,839  
grandfather

460  
00:15:41,269 --> 00:15:39,920  
and your father also having touched this

461  
00:15:43,910 --> 00:15:41,279  
debris at one point

462  
00:15:44,949 --> 00:15:43,920  
um the cover-up and what the military

463  
00:15:46,949 --> 00:15:44,959

did to your

464

00:15:49,110 --> 00:15:46,959

your father or yeah excuse me what the

465

00:15:50,790 --> 00:15:49,120

military did to your grandfather

466

00:15:52,470 --> 00:15:50,800

in all this um from a personal

467

00:15:55,430 --> 00:15:52,480

standpoint

468

00:15:57,189 --> 00:15:55,440

you know as as i've this has been a

469

00:15:58,550 --> 00:15:57,199

actually this this show has been a real

470

00:16:01,030 --> 00:15:58,560

journey for me it's

471

00:16:02,550 --> 00:16:01,040

it's gotten me in touch with um some of

472

00:16:06,710 --> 00:16:02,560

my relatives a lot closer

473

00:16:08,870 --> 00:16:06,720

than i was previously that um

474

00:16:11,030 --> 00:16:08,880

actually knew my grandfather their

475

00:16:13,110 --> 00:16:11,040

family knew my grandfather and

476  
00:16:15,030 --> 00:16:13,120  
he had talked to them about what he

477  
00:16:18,230 --> 00:16:15,040  
experienced and everything and

478  
00:16:20,710 --> 00:16:18,240  
from a personal point of view

479  
00:16:22,069 --> 00:16:20,720  
i just feel like in some respects the

480  
00:16:24,150 --> 00:16:22,079  
government really let down my

481  
00:16:25,590 --> 00:16:24,160  
grandfather i mean he was made to be the

482  
00:16:29,829 --> 00:16:25,600  
fall guy

483  
00:16:30,230 --> 00:16:29,839  
and i think it was more of a burden on

484  
00:16:33,350 --> 00:16:30,240  
him

485  
00:16:34,470 --> 00:16:33,360  
than what i realized uh i think it

486  
00:16:36,230 --> 00:16:34,480  
affected him

487  
00:16:37,590 --> 00:16:36,240  
and i know it affected my grandmother

488  
00:16:40,629 --> 00:16:37,600

too quite a bit

489

00:16:44,069 --> 00:16:40,639

um it was just

490

00:16:47,430 --> 00:16:45,910

outward redemption is the right word for

491

00:16:48,389 --> 00:16:47,440

it but it's just you know when you have

492

00:16:50,790 --> 00:16:48,399

people

493

00:16:52,389 --> 00:16:50,800

calling you names and saying that you're

494

00:16:53,749 --> 00:16:52,399

crazy and that you

495

00:16:55,910 --> 00:16:53,759

you don't know what you're talking about

496

00:16:56,470 --> 00:16:55,920

when he knew exactly what he was talking

497

00:16:57,990 --> 00:16:56,480

about

498

00:17:00,150 --> 00:16:58,000

and he knew that he was telling the

499

00:17:04,710 --> 00:17:00,160

truth it's hard to

500

00:17:07,189 --> 00:17:04,720

live with that and i just want

501  
00:17:08,870 --> 00:17:07,199  
somehow for my grandfather's name to be

502  
00:17:11,110 --> 00:17:08,880  
really cleared of this

503  
00:17:12,710 --> 00:17:11,120  
because i believe what he found out

504  
00:17:15,909 --> 00:17:12,720  
there was

505  
00:17:18,949 --> 00:17:15,919  
something that wasn't from here and

506  
00:17:21,110 --> 00:17:18,959  
i think i think it's i think it's time

507  
00:17:22,710 --> 00:17:21,120  
for our government to come out and and

508  
00:17:26,309 --> 00:17:22,720  
tell us what exactly

509  
00:17:26,710 --> 00:17:26,319  
did happen out there now ben what does

510  
00:17:28,390 --> 00:17:26,720  
that

511  
00:17:29,830 --> 00:17:28,400  
mean to someone like you in the

512  
00:17:33,190 --> 00:17:29,840  
intelligence world

513  
00:17:34,470 --> 00:17:33,200

um when it comes to to this covering

514

00:17:36,710 --> 00:17:34,480

things up i mean

515

00:17:38,789 --> 00:17:36,720

there are those out there who argue yeah

516

00:17:40,470 --> 00:17:38,799

there was probably a really good reason

517

00:17:42,710 --> 00:17:40,480

for this to be covered up and others who

518

00:17:45,029 --> 00:17:42,720

say no we deserve to know the truth and

519

00:17:46,549 --> 00:17:45,039

and it would be vindication for someone

520

00:17:49,190 --> 00:17:46,559

like jesse marcel

521

00:17:51,029 --> 00:17:49,200

who who knew full well this was not a

522

00:17:54,549 --> 00:17:51,039

weather balloon as it's been quoted

523

00:17:55,669 --> 00:17:54,559

so um for you what would what would a

524

00:17:58,789 --> 00:17:55,679

cover-up of this

525

00:18:00,150 --> 00:17:58,799

level why do you personally think

526

00:18:03,350 --> 00:18:00,160

the government would do this when it

527

00:18:05,190 --> 00:18:03,360

comes to the roswell crash

528

00:18:07,110 --> 00:18:05,200

well it's important to keep in mind that

529

00:18:09,190 --> 00:18:07,120

this is the center of national security

530

00:18:10,549 --> 00:18:09,200

in the entire country in 1947 all the

531

00:18:12,230 --> 00:18:10,559

most important secrets all the most

532

00:18:14,710 --> 00:18:12,240

important technological developments

533

00:18:16,710 --> 00:18:14,720

of the you know world war ii and the

534

00:18:18,950 --> 00:18:16,720

immediate aftermath happened here in

535

00:18:20,310 --> 00:18:18,960

in new mexico so anything that happens

536

00:18:22,789 --> 00:18:20,320

here is going to cause

537

00:18:23,590 --> 00:18:22,799

reverberations across the us government

538

00:18:26,070 --> 00:18:23,600

now

539

00:18:28,230 --> 00:18:26,080

intelligence services around the world

540

00:18:28,870 --> 00:18:28,240

have flimsy and sometimes damaging cover

541

00:18:31,110 --> 00:18:28,880

stories

542

00:18:32,549 --> 00:18:31,120

uh to cover their operational

543

00:18:35,750 --> 00:18:32,559

requirements or missions

544

00:18:38,230 --> 00:18:35,760

uh or when disaster happens to uh

545

00:18:40,630 --> 00:18:38,240

sweep things under the rug um i myself

546

00:18:42,390 --> 00:18:40,640

have used cover stories uh in the field

547

00:18:44,470 --> 00:18:42,400

and they're very effective at

548

00:18:45,830 --> 00:18:44,480

protecting national security sources and

549

00:18:47,190 --> 00:18:45,840

methods and

550

00:18:48,390 --> 00:18:47,200

so i don't you know i don't have too

551  
00:18:49,590 --> 00:18:48,400  
many i don't have a bone to pick with

552  
00:18:51,510 --> 00:18:49,600  
the government for

553  
00:18:53,029 --> 00:18:51,520  
covering up whatever crashed out there

554  
00:18:54,549 --> 00:18:53,039  
because obviously it was important

555  
00:18:56,549 --> 00:18:54,559  
whether it would go with the mobile

556  
00:18:59,190 --> 00:18:56,559  
explanation that this was a

557  
00:19:00,070 --> 00:18:59,200  
listening device for soviet atomic

558  
00:19:03,190 --> 00:19:00,080  
testing

559  
00:19:05,190 --> 00:19:03,200  
or whether it's an alien spacecraft or

560  
00:19:06,470 --> 00:19:05,200  
some other experimental craft

561  
00:19:08,789 --> 00:19:06,480  
there's a good reason to have a cover

562  
00:19:09,270 --> 00:19:08,799  
story but that comes at a cost and here

563  
00:19:11,510 --> 00:19:09,280

it comes

564

00:19:12,390 --> 00:19:11,520

it came at you know jesse marcel's uh

565

00:19:14,070 --> 00:19:12,400

immediate health

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00:19:15,909 --> 00:19:14,080

and with the health of his family

567

00:19:17,190 --> 00:19:15,919

members and his grandchildren as well

568

00:19:20,630 --> 00:19:17,200

are still dealing with

569

00:19:23,510 --> 00:19:20,640

the outs or the cost of of this cover-up

570

00:19:24,070 --> 00:19:23,520

why the government decided to lead with

571

00:19:27,750 --> 00:19:24,080

if it's not

572

00:19:31,270 --> 00:19:27,760

the government decide to lead

573

00:19:32,310 --> 00:19:31,280

with an alien a ufo crash cover story

574

00:19:34,789 --> 00:19:32,320

that to me sounds

575

00:19:36,549 --> 00:19:34,799

explosive counter counterproductive

576

00:19:38,150 --> 00:19:36,559

because it would draw more attention to

577

00:19:39,990 --> 00:19:38,160

whatever crashed out there

578

00:19:41,990 --> 00:19:40,000

so there's some lingering questions if

579

00:19:43,270 --> 00:19:42,000

if that was your go-to response

580

00:19:44,630 --> 00:19:43,280

it wasn't a very good one and it

581

00:19:46,150 --> 00:19:44,640

certainly wasn't effective because here

582

00:19:47,190 --> 00:19:46,160

seven years later we're still dealing

583

00:19:50,150 --> 00:19:47,200

with the aftermath

584

00:19:52,310 --> 00:19:50,160

uh and uh you know to my mind the

585

00:19:54,150 --> 00:19:52,320

government still hasn't uh

586

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

convincingly come out with a with a

587

00:19:57,190 --> 00:19:55,840

credible explanation of what really

588

00:19:59,350 --> 00:19:57,200

crashed there so there are a lot of

589

00:20:00,070 --> 00:19:59,360

questions now like i come at this as a

590

00:20:03,270 --> 00:20:00,080

neutral

591

00:20:07,029 --> 00:20:03,280

ufologist i haven't had any um

592

00:20:08,789 --> 00:20:07,039

uh close encounters of my own uh i have

593

00:20:10,390 --> 00:20:08,799

spent a lot of time working or talking

594

00:20:11,830 --> 00:20:10,400

to individuals who have

595

00:20:13,430 --> 00:20:11,840

uh but i think it's definitely a

596

00:20:15,669 --> 00:20:13,440

possibility and as long as it's a

597

00:20:18,230 --> 00:20:15,679

possibility we need to take it seriously

598

00:20:20,230 --> 00:20:18,240

so that's the lens that i view this at i

599

00:20:22,950 --> 00:20:20,240

haven't um

600

00:20:24,149 --> 00:20:22,960

arrived to any decisive conclusion yet

601  
00:20:26,310 --> 00:20:24,159  
about what happens there

602  
00:20:27,430 --> 00:20:26,320  
but i know that there are still lies

603  
00:20:29,029 --> 00:20:27,440  
being told

604  
00:20:30,710 --> 00:20:29,039  
and uh how do we get to the truth of

605  
00:20:31,510 --> 00:20:30,720  
that i think by continuing to

606  
00:20:34,230 --> 00:20:31,520  
investigate

607  
00:20:36,789 --> 00:20:34,240  
and uh continually to pressure uh our

608  
00:20:39,750 --> 00:20:36,799  
government to respond effectively

609  
00:20:40,470 --> 00:20:39,760  
right and i think you know data and

610  
00:20:42,630 --> 00:20:40,480  
evidence

611  
00:20:45,029 --> 00:20:42,640  
is the strongest thing we can have and

612  
00:20:47,510 --> 00:20:45,039  
it's good to see that still happening we

613  
00:20:49,750 --> 00:20:47,520

at this point we have third fourth hand

614

00:20:52,549 --> 00:20:49,760

stories that we cannot verify

615

00:20:54,310 --> 00:20:52,559

or fact check i mean unfortunately many

616

00:20:55,190 --> 00:20:54,320

of the first hand witnesses are gone at

617

00:20:58,789 --> 00:20:55,200

this point

618

00:21:02,710 --> 00:20:58,799

so all we really have to rely on is um

619

00:21:05,110 --> 00:21:02,720

strong witness testimony and uh the data

620

00:21:06,549 --> 00:21:05,120

and i mean this reverberated throughout

621

00:21:08,710 --> 00:21:06,559

not just your family

622

00:21:09,830 --> 00:21:08,720

denise but i mean so many in the town as

623

00:21:11,830 --> 00:21:09,840

well we're told to

624

00:21:14,070 --> 00:21:11,840

keep silent we're threatened uh mack

625

00:21:15,430 --> 00:21:14,080

brazil the rancher who found the

626

00:21:17,110 --> 00:21:15,440

original debris i mean

627

00:21:19,669 --> 00:21:17,120

this ruined this guy's life from what i

628

00:21:20,870 --> 00:21:19,679

was told i mean he became depressed and

629

00:21:23,110 --> 00:21:20,880

kind of an alcoholic

630

00:21:24,870 --> 00:21:23,120

after that and like you said then this

631

00:21:26,789 --> 00:21:24,880

has real world effects

632

00:21:29,590 --> 00:21:26,799

on the people involved and i think your

633

00:21:30,149 --> 00:21:29,600

show really touches on that human aspect

634

00:21:31,830 --> 00:21:30,159

to it

635

00:21:33,830 --> 00:21:31,840

as well in bringing in all of the

636

00:21:35,990 --> 00:21:33,840

children and um

637

00:21:37,029 --> 00:21:36,000

wants children i should say right denise

638

00:21:39,510 --> 00:21:37,039

and um

639

00:21:41,270 --> 00:21:39,520

i mean it's such a powerful case and the

640

00:21:41,909 --> 00:21:41,280

fact that we can still look at it i keep

641

00:21:45,510 --> 00:21:41,919

saying this

642

00:21:45,830 --> 00:21:45,520

is uh incredible um so kind of wrapping

643

00:21:49,190 --> 00:21:45,840

up

644

00:21:49,990 --> 00:21:49,200

specifics of the the um the first

645

00:21:51,909 --> 00:21:50,000

episode

646

00:21:53,510 --> 00:21:51,919

that i saw we won't get too deep into it

647

00:21:54,549 --> 00:21:53,520

again we want people to figure it out

648

00:21:57,110 --> 00:21:54,559

for themselves

649

00:21:57,990 --> 00:21:57,120

but there has also been rumors that

650

00:22:01,029 --> 00:21:58,000

there

651  
00:22:03,190 --> 00:22:01,039  
was wreckage possibly

652  
00:22:04,230 --> 00:22:03,200  
stored somewhere else someone had their

653  
00:22:06,470 --> 00:22:04,240  
hands on this

654  
00:22:08,230 --> 00:22:06,480  
and it's been hiding for years i've

655  
00:22:09,830 --> 00:22:08,240  
heard it don schmidt

656  
00:22:11,510 --> 00:22:09,840  
everyone involved in this case has heard

657  
00:22:13,430 --> 00:22:11,520  
this at one point or another but

658  
00:22:14,870 --> 00:22:13,440  
nobody has been able to find it so i

659  
00:22:16,789 --> 00:22:14,880  
have to ask

660  
00:22:19,270 --> 00:22:16,799  
is this something that you guys are

661  
00:22:20,870 --> 00:22:19,280  
looking into and um what can we expect

662  
00:22:22,630 --> 00:22:20,880  
on the front of uh

663  
00:22:25,350 --> 00:22:22,640

possible records still being out there

664

00:22:29,750 --> 00:22:27,029

i mean i personally think that this i

665

00:22:31,350 --> 00:22:29,760

mean something came down in the desert

666

00:22:31,750 --> 00:22:31,360

so there's got to be a trail of that

667

00:22:33,750 --> 00:22:31,760

stuff

668

00:22:35,190 --> 00:22:33,760

somewhere somebody's got to have a piece

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00:22:36,950 --> 00:22:35,200

of it somewhere

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00:22:38,950 --> 00:22:36,960

and i think it's very important that we

671

00:22:42,549 --> 00:22:38,960

try to find out where this is

672

00:22:45,270 --> 00:22:42,559

and and uh bring it to light and examine

673

00:22:48,070 --> 00:22:45,280

it and have it studied

674

00:22:49,669 --> 00:22:48,080

yeah what do you think then well i first

675

00:22:50,950 --> 00:22:49,679

i'd like to kind of pick a bone with

676  
00:22:52,630 --> 00:22:50,960  
dawn schmidt and i've done this to him

677  
00:22:54,630 --> 00:22:52,640  
in his face and maybe we'll have this

678  
00:22:56,070 --> 00:22:54,640  
discussion next week at alien con

679  
00:22:57,909 --> 00:22:56,080  
but he makes a lot of editorial

680  
00:22:59,669 --> 00:22:57,919  
assumptions in his research somebody

681  
00:23:02,789 --> 00:22:59,679  
knocked on the door and demanded the

682  
00:23:04,549 --> 00:23:02,799  
uh the materials right back brazil bill

683  
00:23:05,430 --> 00:23:04,559  
brazil a number of towns people who said

684  
00:23:07,909 --> 00:23:05,440  
they had a piece

685  
00:23:08,870 --> 00:23:07,919  
uh was confiscated by unknown people at

686  
00:23:10,630 --> 00:23:08,880  
the door

687  
00:23:12,070 --> 00:23:10,640  
and my one point that i would like to

688  
00:23:13,669 --> 00:23:12,080

raise in this investigation

689

00:23:15,110 --> 00:23:13,679

is well do we know who they are they

690

00:23:16,549 --> 00:23:15,120

didn't identify themselves and if this

691

00:23:17,750 --> 00:23:16,559

really is a ufo crash

692

00:23:19,270 --> 00:23:17,760

every government in the world is going

693

00:23:19,909 --> 00:23:19,280

to want a piece of this so those with

694

00:23:21,510 --> 00:23:19,919

operatives

695

00:23:23,909 --> 00:23:21,520

in the united states at the time and

696

00:23:26,630 --> 00:23:23,919

there were we know there were new mexico

697

00:23:27,430 --> 00:23:26,640

uh providing information to the soviets

698

00:23:29,029 --> 00:23:27,440

may have also

699

00:23:30,470 --> 00:23:29,039

been impersonating government personnel

700

00:23:32,470 --> 00:23:30,480

to get a piece of this

701

00:23:34,470 --> 00:23:32,480

so if we don't have it here we need to

702

00:23:37,190 --> 00:23:34,480

broaden our scope and really challenge

703

00:23:38,230 --> 00:23:37,200

um you know who which government might

704

00:23:40,230 --> 00:23:38,240

have a piece of this

705

00:23:41,909 --> 00:23:40,240

and do our best to track that down

706

00:23:42,470 --> 00:23:41,919

because it's still an open question and

707

00:23:44,310 --> 00:23:42,480

like

708

00:23:45,909 --> 00:23:44,320

i agree with denise one hundred percent

709

00:23:49,190 --> 00:23:45,919

that

710

00:23:51,190 --> 00:23:49,200

is the piece of this aircraft or uh

711

00:23:52,549 --> 00:23:51,200

there is a piece of this craft somewhere

712

00:23:56,149 --> 00:23:52,559

uh and that's a key part

713

00:23:58,710 --> 00:23:56,159

in kind of solidifying for me personally

714

00:23:59,190 --> 00:23:58,720

in deciding or making my best guess what

715

00:24:01,430 --> 00:23:59,200

happens

716

00:24:02,470 --> 00:24:01,440

i'm still i'm still in search of that

717

00:24:04,470 --> 00:24:02,480

evidence

718

00:24:05,590 --> 00:24:04,480

we have some real good leads uh at the

719

00:24:07,990 --> 00:24:05,600

end of season one

720

00:24:09,750 --> 00:24:08,000

and um you know the journey is not over

721

00:24:11,350 --> 00:24:09,760

as far as i'm concerned but it's a

722

00:24:13,190 --> 00:24:11,360

it's convincing and we and we give it

723

00:24:15,350 --> 00:24:13,200

the due diligence the the rigorous

724

00:24:18,310 --> 00:24:15,360

analysis that it deserves

725

00:24:18,710 --> 00:24:18,320

awesome yeah and i mean again this is

726

00:24:20,950 --> 00:24:18,720

that

727

00:24:21,750 --> 00:24:20,960

carrot being dangled in front of us for

728

00:24:23,750 --> 00:24:21,760

70 plus

729

00:24:25,269 --> 00:24:23,760

years so i mean i guess kind of bringing

730

00:24:29,029 --> 00:24:25,279

it to current day

731

00:24:31,029 --> 00:24:29,039

um ufos are kind of

732

00:24:33,430 --> 00:24:31,039

in the mainstream like never before new

733

00:24:35,669 --> 00:24:33,440

york times washington post

734

00:24:37,830 --> 00:24:35,679

um you know various other news outlets

735

00:24:39,669 --> 00:24:37,840

around the world are covering this topic

736

00:24:41,990 --> 00:24:39,679

in a way they never really have before

737

00:24:44,470 --> 00:24:42,000

you're not hearing the x-files music

738

00:24:46,789 --> 00:24:44,480

played behind news broadcasts or

739

00:24:47,750 --> 00:24:46,799

you know the side-eyed glances and

740

00:24:50,549 --> 00:24:47,760

giggles this is

741

00:24:52,230 --> 00:24:50,559

serious stuff and uh our pentagon

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00:24:55,110 --> 00:24:52,240

created a task force

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00:24:56,870 --> 00:24:55,120

to now look into it after being kind of

744

00:24:59,029 --> 00:24:56,880

um forced in a corner to admit

745

00:25:00,230 --> 00:24:59,039

they had been secretly investigating

746

00:25:01,750 --> 00:25:00,240

ufos for

747

00:25:03,669 --> 00:25:01,760

you know eight plus years within the

748

00:25:05,909 --> 00:25:03,679

pentagon so i'd love to get your

749

00:25:06,950 --> 00:25:05,919

your guys thoughts on that um what does

750

00:25:09,110 --> 00:25:06,960

your show

751  
00:25:10,230 --> 00:25:09,120  
on the roswell case and bringing forth

752  
00:25:11,830 --> 00:25:10,240  
all this new evidence

753  
00:25:13,350 --> 00:25:11,840  
what does it mean for the world today

754  
00:25:16,149 --> 00:25:13,360  
when it comes to the entire

755  
00:25:16,950 --> 00:25:16,159  
ufo question and it's kind of how this

756  
00:25:18,549 --> 00:25:16,960  
topic

757  
00:25:19,990 --> 00:25:18,559  
has been perceived throughout the years

758  
00:25:23,190 --> 00:25:20,000  
with a lot of stigma

759  
00:25:24,950 --> 00:25:23,200  
um whoever wants to jump into that

760  
00:25:26,710 --> 00:25:24,960  
well i just i think it's personally i

761  
00:25:27,430 --> 00:25:26,720  
think it's being more well accepted

762  
00:25:30,470 --> 00:25:27,440  
today

763  
00:25:33,750 --> 00:25:30,480

because it is more in the mainstream um

764

00:25:34,710 --> 00:25:33,760

i think that i think it's just because

765

00:25:37,990 --> 00:25:34,720

there's

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00:25:40,230 --> 00:25:38,000

i don't know i i always you know it

767

00:25:41,590 --> 00:25:40,240

international security is involved here

768

00:25:44,710 --> 00:25:41,600

too so i think that we

769

00:25:47,750 --> 00:25:44,720

do need to know if we're being

770

00:25:50,070 --> 00:25:47,760

monitored or being watched from

771

00:25:52,630 --> 00:25:50,080

something that isn't from here we should

772

00:25:55,350 --> 00:25:52,640

know that and i i think that

773

00:25:57,830 --> 00:25:55,360

as a citizen of earth i i want to know

774

00:25:59,430 --> 00:25:57,840

if we're being visited i mean after all

775

00:26:01,350 --> 00:25:59,440

that is one of the biggest questions we

776

00:26:04,070 --> 00:26:01,360

can ask ourselves is

777

00:26:05,590 --> 00:26:04,080

are we alone i mean i don't know of a

778

00:26:06,630 --> 00:26:05,600

bigger question that we can ask

779

00:26:08,950 --> 00:26:06,640

ourselves

780

00:26:10,149 --> 00:26:08,960

and i think that i'm just i'm just happy

781

00:26:11,750 --> 00:26:10,159

that it is coming out

782

00:26:13,190 --> 00:26:11,760

more in the mainstream media i'm glad

783

00:26:15,990 --> 00:26:13,200

that the pentagon is coming

784

00:26:17,029 --> 00:26:16,000

forth with showing us stuff that yes if

785

00:26:20,390 --> 00:26:17,039

they have been

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00:26:22,390 --> 00:26:20,400

there was a task force uh involved in

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00:26:25,909 --> 00:26:22,400

this

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00:26:27,750 --> 00:26:25,919

yeah yeah and again you know if uh if if

789

00:26:29,669 --> 00:26:27,760

all comes to light someday maybe we'll

790

00:26:31,590 --> 00:26:29,679

finally get those lost files

791

00:26:33,350 --> 00:26:31,600

on roswell but ben what do you think

792

00:26:35,590 --> 00:26:33,360

about this kind of new world we're

793

00:26:37,590 --> 00:26:35,600

living in with the ufo topic i mean

794

00:26:39,590 --> 00:26:37,600

i i was afraid to talk about this with

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00:26:40,549 --> 00:26:39,600

my friends for so many years that i was

796

00:26:42,710 --> 00:26:40,559

into this stuff

797

00:26:44,390 --> 00:26:42,720

i i lost so many second dates after

798

00:26:47,029 --> 00:26:44,400

saying i was a ufo

799

00:26:48,710 --> 00:26:47,039

researcher um but things are changing

800

00:26:49,830 --> 00:26:48,720

man they are changing all over the world

801  
00:26:51,990 --> 00:26:49,840  
with this so um

802  
00:26:53,750 --> 00:26:52,000  
yeah what do you think um your show has

803  
00:26:55,350 --> 00:26:53,760  
to contribute to the overall

804  
00:26:57,909 --> 00:26:55,360  
conversation that we're having today

805  
00:27:00,070 --> 00:26:57,919  
about ufos

806  
00:27:01,269 --> 00:27:00,080  
well i'm i'm continually surprised by

807  
00:27:03,990 --> 00:27:01,279  
the positive feedback

808  
00:27:05,669 --> 00:27:04,000  
i get from people across all spectrums

809  
00:27:08,310 --> 00:27:05,679  
who are curious about ufos

810  
00:27:09,269 --> 00:27:08,320  
who are reasonable intelligent educated

811  
00:27:11,269 --> 00:27:09,279  
people who

812  
00:27:13,110 --> 00:27:11,279  
who have ideas about what is happening

813  
00:27:15,750 --> 00:27:13,120

in our skies that uh

814

00:27:16,390 --> 00:27:15,760

i i think deserves more uh credibility

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00:27:19,269 --> 00:27:16,400

and more

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00:27:19,510 --> 00:27:19,279

uh more excitement about honestly these

817

00:27:21,110 --> 00:27:19,520

are

818

00:27:23,350 --> 00:27:21,120

questions that we should be pondering

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00:27:24,149 --> 00:27:23,360

and preparing for uh but i think it's

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00:27:26,149 --> 00:27:24,159

exciting you know

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00:27:27,909 --> 00:27:26,159

the us government had denied these

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00:27:28,630 --> 00:27:27,919

programs for a long time to come out and

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00:27:31,190 --> 00:27:28,640

say

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00:27:33,750 --> 00:27:31,200

uh that it is seriously researching and

825

00:27:37,190 --> 00:27:33,760

putting together taxpayer dollars to

826

00:27:38,950 --> 00:27:37,200

to investigate these topics uh really

827

00:27:40,870 --> 00:27:38,960

really will do wonders for the field but

828

00:27:42,389 --> 00:27:40,880

also i think they should be open to you

829

00:27:45,990 --> 00:27:42,399

know citizen engagement right

830

00:27:46,870 --> 00:27:46,000

we see that nasa is doing it now with

831

00:27:49,669 --> 00:27:46,880

amateur

832

00:27:50,630 --> 00:27:49,679

data scientists sifting through you know

833

00:27:54,149 --> 00:27:50,640

mountains of

834

00:27:56,870 --> 00:27:54,159

terabytes for uh you know exoplanets and

835

00:27:58,149 --> 00:27:56,880

anomalies in space to find out and i

836

00:27:59,669 --> 00:27:58,159

think the citizens can be of course

837

00:28:01,110 --> 00:27:59,679

multiplier from the pentagon and for the

838

00:28:03,110 --> 00:28:01,120

intelligence community

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00:28:04,470 --> 00:28:03,120

uh probably a lot of bad apples and bad

840

00:28:05,990 --> 00:28:04,480

information white noise

841

00:28:07,510 --> 00:28:06,000

but also when there's some credible

842

00:28:09,029 --> 00:28:07,520

sightings some incredible details that

843

00:28:12,389 --> 00:28:09,039

could be the key to

844

00:28:14,389 --> 00:28:12,399

uh really figuring out what

845

00:28:16,149 --> 00:28:14,399

what is that craft in that video or what

846

00:28:16,630 --> 00:28:16,159

did that person see or why do we have

847

00:28:20,070 --> 00:28:16,640

this

848

00:28:22,710 --> 00:28:20,080

country um

849

00:28:24,470 --> 00:28:22,720

could do wonders for the moving the

850

00:28:26,549 --> 00:28:24,480

research forward

851

00:28:28,070 --> 00:28:26,559

right and i think what kind of sets

852

00:28:31,350 --> 00:28:28,080

apart what's happening

853

00:28:33,190 --> 00:28:31,360

today from something like roswell in 47

854

00:28:35,269 --> 00:28:33,200

is the government and the military

855

00:28:38,630 --> 00:28:35,279

didn't really know how to deal with this

856

00:28:40,149 --> 00:28:38,640

back then and you know um it's almost

857

00:28:41,350 --> 00:28:40,159

understandable that they would try to

858

00:28:43,190 --> 00:28:41,360

keep a lot of it

859

00:28:44,710 --> 00:28:43,200

under wraps if they didn't know what it

860

00:28:46,470 --> 00:28:44,720

was or what was going on

861

00:28:49,269 --> 00:28:46,480

whereas today like you mentioned we have

862

00:28:50,389 --> 00:28:49,279

like citizen astronomers and just people

863

00:28:52,149 --> 00:28:50,399

sitting at home

864

00:28:54,070 --> 00:28:52,159

sifting like you said through data and

865

00:28:56,310 --> 00:28:54,080

that goes for the ufo field

866

00:28:57,350 --> 00:28:56,320

as well some of the most tenacious

867

00:29:00,630 --> 00:28:57,360

people out there

868

00:29:02,470 --> 00:29:00,640

are like in the shadows never you know

869

00:29:04,950 --> 00:29:02,480

they're not on television they're not on

870

00:29:07,190 --> 00:29:04,960

podcasts they're not in the mainstream

871

00:29:08,310 --> 00:29:07,200

media um touting things they're doing

872

00:29:11,269 --> 00:29:08,320

hard research

873

00:29:12,230 --> 00:29:11,279

and really making headway and i mean

874

00:29:16,230 --> 00:29:12,240

there's

875

00:29:19,190 --> 00:29:16,240

just started the debrief

876

00:29:20,310 --> 00:29:19,200

um where we cover defense and technology

877

00:29:22,470 --> 00:29:20,320

and i mean

878

00:29:23,830 --> 00:29:22,480

we broke a story yesterday about two of

879

00:29:25,590 --> 00:29:23,840

the reports

880

00:29:26,950 --> 00:29:25,600

that were leaked within the intelligence

881

00:29:28,789 --> 00:29:26,960

communities um

882

00:29:30,630 --> 00:29:28,799

about what they're looking into in the

883

00:29:33,430 --> 00:29:30,640

current pentagon task force

884

00:29:35,029 --> 00:29:33,440

so again you know whether i don't know

885

00:29:36,950 --> 00:29:35,039

your thoughts on stuff like that then we

886

00:29:38,470 --> 00:29:36,960

were not the ones to find it it was

887

00:29:40,789 --> 00:29:38,480

provided to us by

888

00:29:41,830 --> 00:29:40,799

intelligence leaks that's a whole other

889

00:29:44,870 --> 00:29:41,840

story

890

00:29:46,870 --> 00:29:44,880

um kind of i guess wrapping that up ben

891

00:29:47,669 --> 00:29:46,880

what is it like as a former intelligence

892

00:29:50,070 --> 00:29:47,679

officer

893

00:29:51,669 --> 00:29:50,080

what are your um your colleagues former

894

00:29:53,430 --> 00:29:51,679

colleagues your friends your family

895

00:29:55,269 --> 00:29:53,440

what do they think about you now looking

896

00:29:56,950 --> 00:29:55,279

at roswell i had to ask and put you on

897

00:29:59,990 --> 00:29:56,960

the spot about that

898

00:30:02,470 --> 00:30:00,000

uh you know it runs the gamut some

899

00:30:03,990 --> 00:30:02,480

uh intelligence colleagues community i

900

00:30:06,549 --> 00:30:04,000

see colleagues or

901  
00:30:07,510 --> 00:30:06,559  
just wondering why what am i doing

902  
00:30:09,990 --> 00:30:07,520  
because it's not on the

903  
00:30:11,430 --> 00:30:10,000  
it's not on the register of the spectrum

904  
00:30:14,549 --> 00:30:11,440  
of threats that they deal with

905  
00:30:16,310 --> 00:30:14,559  
right now and to some degree uh and

906  
00:30:17,590 --> 00:30:16,320  
others like hey run with it man you're

907  
00:30:19,990 --> 00:30:17,600  
always weird

908  
00:30:21,110 --> 00:30:20,000  
do you do you so if the feedback runs

909  
00:30:23,269 --> 00:30:21,120  
the gamut uh but

910  
00:30:25,110 --> 00:30:23,279  
uh and i've that was a professional

911  
00:30:26,950 --> 00:30:25,120  
question i had to ask myself like

912  
00:30:28,149 --> 00:30:26,960  
what damage am i doing to my credibility

913  
00:30:29,909 --> 00:30:28,159

by entering this

914

00:30:31,510 --> 00:30:29,919

space and i did you know i just thought

915

00:30:32,789 --> 00:30:31,520

it's it's important enough it's

916

00:30:34,870 --> 00:30:32,799

interesting enough uh

917

00:30:37,590 --> 00:30:34,880

the the wonder the possibility of

918

00:30:38,870 --> 00:30:37,600

intelligent life out there

919

00:30:41,190 --> 00:30:38,880

was enough to overcome those

920

00:30:42,310 --> 00:30:41,200

reservations and just dive right in you

921

00:30:45,269 --> 00:30:42,320

know this is um

922

00:30:47,029 --> 00:30:45,279

i think the field needs a voice like

923

00:30:48,710 --> 00:30:47,039

mine to really sift through

924

00:30:50,389 --> 00:30:48,720

and make sense of some of what we're

925

00:30:53,029 --> 00:30:50,399

seeing on the national security

926

00:30:55,110 --> 00:30:53,039

perspective can we rule out uh this

927

00:30:57,029 --> 00:30:55,120

event maybe it was a training exercise

928

00:30:58,230 --> 00:30:57,039

legitimately maybe it's an experimental

929

00:30:59,830 --> 00:30:58,240

aircraft but maybe

930

00:31:01,830 --> 00:30:59,840

and possibly it's something else

931

00:31:02,830 --> 00:31:01,840

entirely and we need to really own up to

932

00:31:05,669 --> 00:31:02,840

that

933

00:31:06,870 --> 00:31:05,679

possibility right yeah and uh

934

00:31:08,630 --> 00:31:06,880

you know that maybe is what kind of

935

00:31:10,549 --> 00:31:08,640

keeps us going and i mean i'll say this

936

00:31:12,549 --> 00:31:10,559

man we need more people like you

937

00:31:14,070 --> 00:31:12,559

in this field because we've kind of

938

00:31:16,230 --> 00:31:14,080

fought against

939

00:31:17,350 --> 00:31:16,240

people like yourself and vice versa for

940

00:31:19,990 --> 00:31:17,360

so long

941

00:31:20,789 --> 00:31:20,000

and um i mean i can't blame either side

942

00:31:23,430 --> 00:31:20,799

of that debate

943

00:31:24,789 --> 00:31:23,440

to be honest it is what it is but i mean

944

00:31:26,310 --> 00:31:24,799

that transparency

945

00:31:27,909 --> 00:31:26,320

within government i think is something

946

00:31:29,669 --> 00:31:27,919

that's really important

947

00:31:31,509 --> 00:31:29,679

for the world right now especially here

948

00:31:33,509 --> 00:31:31,519

in america you know where

949

00:31:34,950 --> 00:31:33,519

a lot of people don't trust the

950

00:31:35,830 --> 00:31:34,960

government they're not even trusting

951  
00:31:37,430 --> 00:31:35,840  
science

952  
00:31:38,870 --> 00:31:37,440  
and you know we won't get into that sort

953  
00:31:41,110 --> 00:31:38,880  
of debate but it is

954  
00:31:42,149 --> 00:31:41,120  
it's hard it's a challenge and it's kind

955  
00:31:44,070 --> 00:31:42,159  
of um

956  
00:31:45,350 --> 00:31:44,080  
been gradually happening where we have a

957  
00:31:47,509 --> 00:31:45,360  
mistrust in our government

958  
00:31:49,830 --> 00:31:47,519  
and things like the roswell cover up our

959  
00:31:51,830 --> 00:31:49,840  
reasons for that until we find out

960  
00:31:53,110 --> 00:31:51,840  
why it was covered up and like you

961  
00:31:53,990 --> 00:31:53,120  
mentioned there could be very good

962  
00:31:57,110 --> 00:31:54,000  
reasons

963  
00:32:00,230 --> 00:31:57,120

for that so um kind of wrapping that

964

00:32:01,509 --> 00:32:00,240

all up guys uh what can we expect in

965

00:32:04,149 --> 00:32:01,519

future episodes

966

00:32:05,269 --> 00:32:04,159

of roswell first witness i know we um we

967

00:32:07,029 --> 00:32:05,279

dug into what was going to be in the

968

00:32:08,470 --> 00:32:07,039

first one but anything you could tease

969

00:32:11,750 --> 00:32:08,480

for us about what's coming up

970

00:32:13,190 --> 00:32:11,760

on the show hmm yeah

971

00:32:14,870 --> 00:32:13,200

denise that's dangerous territory i'll

972

00:32:16,549 --> 00:32:14,880

let you take that it is i know and i

973

00:32:18,310 --> 00:32:16,559

don't want to get you guys in trouble

974

00:32:20,070 --> 00:32:18,320

i just you know there's some different

975

00:32:20,950 --> 00:32:20,080

people that they've interviewed on the

976  
00:32:24,070 --> 00:32:20,960  
for the show

977  
00:32:30,470 --> 00:32:27,350  
i don't know i you know there's a

978  
00:32:33,909 --> 00:32:30,480  
gentleman that they interviewed that uh

979  
00:32:36,470 --> 00:32:33,919  
claimed to have known my

980  
00:32:37,590 --> 00:32:36,480  
you know met my grandfather and were

981  
00:32:40,070 --> 00:32:37,600  
discussing

982  
00:32:42,389 --> 00:32:40,080  
pieces of the material uh that was a

983  
00:32:43,909 --> 00:32:42,399  
lead that we followed down um

984  
00:32:45,590 --> 00:32:43,919  
it's very intriguing i don't want to

985  
00:32:50,470 --> 00:32:45,600  
give anything away about that

986  
00:32:53,190 --> 00:32:50,480  
um we'll leave it at that yeah

987  
00:32:53,590 --> 00:32:53,200  
i'll add to that and say that um you

988  
00:32:55,190 --> 00:32:53,600

know

989

00:32:57,110 --> 00:32:55,200

if there's an important piece of

990

00:32:58,389 --> 00:32:57,120

evidence to this story when we take a

991

00:32:59,990 --> 00:32:58,399

hard look at it and we bring new

992

00:33:01,909 --> 00:33:00,000

technology to interrogate it

993

00:33:03,029 --> 00:33:01,919

so you're going to look at some of the

994

00:33:04,470 --> 00:33:03,039

established

995

00:33:06,870 --> 00:33:04,480

pieces of evidence whether it's the

996

00:33:08,710 --> 00:33:06,880

rainy photo whether it's the marcel

997

00:33:10,710 --> 00:33:08,720

uh you know some of the marcel photos or

998

00:33:12,710 --> 00:33:10,720

his interviews

999

00:33:14,149 --> 00:33:12,720

we're going to get as uh investigative

1000

00:33:16,070 --> 00:33:14,159

as we can and really

1001  
00:33:17,590 --> 00:33:16,080  
look for that evidence in those hidden

1002  
00:33:19,350 --> 00:33:17,600  
corners

1003  
00:33:21,750 --> 00:33:19,360  
and see if we can learn something new

1004  
00:33:24,710 --> 00:33:21,760  
and we do i feel like we do

1005  
00:33:26,070 --> 00:33:24,720  
the show really uh it really is exciting

1006  
00:33:27,430 --> 00:33:26,080  
and it carries it through the end it's

1007  
00:33:29,509 --> 00:33:27,440  
worth watching all the way through the

1008  
00:33:30,710 --> 00:33:29,519  
end and uh i've been on tv before and i

1009  
00:33:31,990 --> 00:33:30,720  
can't say that about other

1010  
00:33:33,990 --> 00:33:32,000  
shows even i've been involved in but

1011  
00:33:35,029 --> 00:33:34,000  
this is one that i i really just feel

1012  
00:33:36,870 --> 00:33:35,039  
passionately about

1013  
00:33:38,470 --> 00:33:36,880

and i think um i think it's gonna be

1014

00:33:40,789 --> 00:33:38,480

successful

1015

00:33:43,269 --> 00:33:40,799

awesome i mean if the first episode was

1016

00:33:45,350 --> 00:33:43,279

in any indication i think it really will

1017

00:33:47,029 --> 00:33:45,360

it's it opened my eyes to a lot more

1018

00:33:49,590 --> 00:33:47,039

ways to look at this case

1019

00:33:51,029 --> 00:33:49,600

which is like i said so refreshing when

1020

00:33:52,230 --> 00:33:51,039

it comes to the most famous and

1021

00:33:54,710 --> 00:33:52,240

controversial

1022

00:33:56,230 --> 00:33:54,720

case of all time so i can't wait to see

1023

00:33:57,190 --> 00:33:56,240

what comes next and before we give the

1024

00:34:00,230 --> 00:33:57,200

specifics

1025

00:34:02,070 --> 00:34:00,240

on the show um this is always an

1026  
00:34:03,590 --> 00:34:02,080  
active investigation even after the

1027  
00:34:05,269 --> 00:34:03,600  
camera starts rolling

1028  
00:34:06,950 --> 00:34:05,279  
i know ben you're still looking into

1029  
00:34:08,629 --> 00:34:06,960  
this i am denise

1030  
00:34:10,230 --> 00:34:08,639  
i know you are as well because you want

1031  
00:34:11,990 --> 00:34:10,240  
answers more than any of us

1032  
00:34:13,909 --> 00:34:12,000  
for your grandfather especially who

1033  
00:34:16,950 --> 00:34:13,919  
deserves that um

1034  
00:34:18,869 --> 00:34:16,960  
but uh is there anywhere that people can

1035  
00:34:19,990 --> 00:34:18,879  
reach out or connect with either of you

1036  
00:34:21,990 --> 00:34:20,000  
if they have any

1037  
00:34:23,349 --> 00:34:22,000  
leads or things to follow up with with

1038  
00:34:25,349 --> 00:34:23,359

what you bring forth in

1039

00:34:26,470 --> 00:34:25,359

in the show i'm not sure ben what do you

1040

00:34:28,310 --> 00:34:26,480

think

1041

00:34:29,909 --> 00:34:28,320

i'll have a personal website up it's not

1042

00:34:32,710 --> 00:34:29,919

up today but it will be up soon

1043

00:34:34,149 --> 00:34:32,720

uh aka ben smith you can find me there

1044

00:34:36,470 --> 00:34:34,159

if you have any leads

1045

00:34:39,349 --> 00:34:36,480

you know i want to be a contributing

1046

00:34:42,069 --> 00:34:39,359

partner voice researcher in this

1047

00:34:45,589 --> 00:34:42,079

investigation going forward and any

1048

00:34:47,109 --> 00:34:45,599

leads would be would be super helpful

1049

00:34:48,629 --> 00:34:47,119

you can always contact the history

1050

00:34:49,510 --> 00:34:48,639

channel as well and they can get ahold

1051  
00:34:51,109 --> 00:34:49,520  
of us and

1052  
00:34:52,629 --> 00:34:51,119  
if we convince history channel then we

1053  
00:34:54,149 --> 00:34:52,639  
can get more money uh to really

1054  
00:34:55,190 --> 00:34:54,159  
investigate these things which is where

1055  
00:34:58,870 --> 00:34:55,200  
a lot of the

1056  
00:35:01,190 --> 00:34:58,880  
magic happens but um it's been a trip

1057  
00:35:02,790 --> 00:35:01,200  
regardless and i think that like as you

1058  
00:35:04,710 --> 00:35:02,800  
mentioned as you said this is just

1059  
00:35:06,550 --> 00:35:04,720  
for me this is just the starting point

1060  
00:35:08,470 --> 00:35:06,560  
um an entire

1061  
00:35:09,750 --> 00:35:08,480  
investigation into the ufo phenomenon

1062  
00:35:13,510 --> 00:35:09,760  
and based around

1063  
00:35:16,150 --> 00:35:13,520

you know the roswell incident yep it all

1064

00:35:16,470 --> 00:35:16,160

starts at roswell and hopefully it'll

1065

00:35:19,349 --> 00:35:16,480

come

1066

00:35:20,630 --> 00:35:19,359

full circle sooner than later but once

1067

00:35:23,510 --> 00:35:20,640

again the show

1068

00:35:24,870 --> 00:35:23,520

is uh roswell first witness it premieres

1069

00:35:27,750 --> 00:35:24,880

saturday december

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00:35:30,230 --> 00:35:27,760

12th on the history channel at 9 00 pm

1071

00:35:32,470 --> 00:35:30,240

eastern standard and pacific so

1072

00:35:33,990 --> 00:35:32,480

everyone please go check out the show i

1073

00:35:36,630 --> 00:35:34,000

can't wait to see

1074

00:35:38,310 --> 00:35:36,640

comes next and ben and denise i have to

1075

00:35:40,790 --> 00:35:38,320

thank you so much for joining me today

1076

00:35:42,470 --> 00:35:40,800

on summer in the skies oh thank you for

1077

00:35:58,050 --> 00:35:42,480

having us

1078

00:36:24,560 --> 00:35:58,060

thank you a treat