

UFO  **HUB**



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00:00:15,829 --> 00:00:12,070
my name is race hobbs and i am the

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00:00:17,430 --> 00:00:15,839
co-owner of kgra digital broadcast media

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00:00:22,550 --> 00:00:17,440
llc

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00:00:25,269 --> 00:00:22,560
in 2007 i attended some mufon meetings

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00:00:26,470 --> 00:00:25,279
i had a long-standing interest in the

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00:00:30,230 --> 00:00:26,480
ufo subject

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00:00:32,310 --> 00:00:30,240
and had actively investigated and

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00:00:36,709 --> 00:00:32,320
researched ufos

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00:00:39,030 --> 00:00:36,719
for many many many years and i thought

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00:00:40,950 --> 00:00:39,040
that you that utilizing mufon would

11
00:00:42,150 --> 00:00:40,960
really help enhance my investigation

12
00:00:43,990 --> 00:00:42,160
skills

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00:00:46,709 --> 00:00:44,000

so i started to go to some local

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00:00:50,069 --> 00:00:46,719

meetings and um

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00:00:53,189 --> 00:00:50,079

i wound up joining mufon

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00:00:56,229 --> 00:00:53,199

and in a roundabout way got my own

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00:00:59,830 --> 00:00:56,239

section and became a section director

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00:01:02,790 --> 00:00:59,840

for him pretty pretty short order

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00:01:04,390 --> 00:01:02,800

had my own club building my own group my

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00:01:05,670 --> 00:01:04,400

own investigation group all the while

21

00:01:08,149 --> 00:01:05,680

doing investigations

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00:01:10,230 --> 00:01:08,159

um building my investigation portfolio

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00:01:12,710 --> 00:01:10,240

with mufon

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00:01:14,070 --> 00:01:12,720

and was really enjoying it quite a bit

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00:01:17,590 --> 00:01:14,080

you know it was really

26
00:01:21,350 --> 00:01:17,600
um you know sort of uh you know my thing

27
00:01:21,990 --> 00:01:21,360
to be in public relations and dealing

28
00:01:26,789 --> 00:01:22,000
with people

29
00:01:28,469 --> 00:01:26,799
meeting people a lot and uh and so

30
00:01:30,710 --> 00:01:28,479
i was really flourishing really well

31
00:01:32,310 --> 00:01:30,720
doing really good investigations the

32
00:01:34,789 --> 00:01:32,320
the group was just getting bigger and

33
00:01:36,149 --> 00:01:34,799
bigger we would have anywhere from 10 to

34
00:01:40,069 --> 00:01:36,159
30 people every month

35
00:01:42,550 --> 00:01:40,079
coming to the meetings from you know 150

36
00:01:43,990 --> 00:01:42,560
miles away 200 miles away to come to our

37
00:01:48,789 --> 00:01:44,000
meetings before

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00:01:52,550 --> 00:01:48,799

um i really enjoyed it a lot i uh

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00:01:55,310 --> 00:01:52,560

i thought of ways to get the word out

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00:01:58,870 --> 00:01:55,320

about what we were doing i discovered

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00:02:01,030 --> 00:01:58,880

unfortunately when i began my

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

career with mufon was right about the

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00:02:06,149 --> 00:02:02,560

time that they had

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00:02:07,910 --> 00:02:06,159

engaged in contracts with robert bigelow

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00:02:09,190 --> 00:02:07,920

anyone who's in the movement and has

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00:02:11,750 --> 00:02:09,200

followed this

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00:02:12,630 --> 00:02:11,760

uh you know over the course of time

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00:02:15,110 --> 00:02:12,640

knows about

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00:02:16,630 --> 00:02:15,120

how bigelow engaged in a contract with

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00:02:18,309 --> 00:02:16,640

mufon and so forth and

51
00:02:20,630 --> 00:02:18,319
and the fallout from that whole thing

52
00:02:23,589 --> 00:02:20,640
was just awful for mufon

53
00:02:25,030 --> 00:02:23,599
and i felt like we had you know sort of

54
00:02:27,670 --> 00:02:25,040
turned into

55
00:02:28,470 --> 00:02:27,680
more of a a group of people that were

56
00:02:30,790 --> 00:02:28,480
set

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00:02:32,710 --> 00:02:30,800
in place to defend mufon than we were to

58
00:02:35,030 --> 00:02:32,720
investigate mufon

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00:02:37,030 --> 00:02:35,040
there was a lot of hack and a lot of

60
00:02:38,710 --> 00:02:37,040
talk about how mufon doesn't release any

61
00:02:41,830 --> 00:02:38,720
of its information

62
00:02:46,150 --> 00:02:41,840
so i thought well

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00:02:49,589 --> 00:02:46,160

i did fm radio for many years

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00:02:51,589 --> 00:02:49,599

from a young age and

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00:02:53,270 --> 00:02:51,599

i've had this interest in ufos and i

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00:02:55,190 --> 00:02:53,280

just sort of had this idea to kind of

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00:02:57,270 --> 00:02:55,200

marry the two together

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00:02:59,270 --> 00:02:57,280

so i set out to learn about podcasting

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00:03:00,949 --> 00:02:59,280

and digital broadcasting and and just

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00:03:02,470 --> 00:03:00,959

kind of took in as much as i could as

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00:03:06,070 --> 00:03:02,480

fast as i could

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00:03:07,110 --> 00:03:06,080

and i created a show called eyewitness

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00:03:09,670 --> 00:03:07,120

radio

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00:03:11,110 --> 00:03:09,680

and i had a co-host royce fitzgerald was

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00:03:13,270 --> 00:03:11,120

one of my co-investigators he was my

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00:03:15,190 --> 00:03:13,280

chief investigator at the time

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00:03:16,949 --> 00:03:15,200

and um and he came on board with my

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00:03:18,790 --> 00:03:16,959

co-host and we built a studio and a

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00:03:20,710 --> 00:03:18,800

spare room in my home

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00:03:22,550 --> 00:03:20,720

and and we started broadcasting

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00:03:25,990 --> 00:03:22,560

eyewitness radio

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00:03:27,670 --> 00:03:26,000

on on an existing network and

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00:03:29,990 --> 00:03:27,680

everything was great it was growing we

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00:03:33,110 --> 00:03:30,000

were getting a local following here in

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00:03:35,430 --> 00:03:33,120

the arkansas northwest arkansas region

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00:03:37,110 --> 00:03:35,440

uh the northwest section of arkansas

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00:03:39,030 --> 00:03:37,120

mufon was really instrumental in

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00:03:39,670 --> 00:03:39,040

supporting us and getting exposure up

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00:03:42,869 --> 00:03:39,680

here

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00:03:44,789 --> 00:03:42,879

in the northwest arkansas section and um

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00:03:46,789 --> 00:03:44,799

and was we kind of sort of over a course

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00:03:48,630 --> 00:03:46,799

of about a year

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00:03:49,830 --> 00:03:48,640

began to develop a big following in the

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00:03:52,789 --> 00:03:49,840

midwest

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00:03:53,270 --> 00:03:52,799

and um and it was really a lot of fun

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00:03:55,750 --> 00:03:53,280

man

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00:03:57,990 --> 00:03:55,760

and it was really gaining momentum and

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00:03:59,030 --> 00:03:58,000

then i kind of ran into some contractual

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00:04:01,350 --> 00:03:59,040

conflicts where

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00:04:02,470 --> 00:04:01,360

agreements were passed down to us and we

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00:04:04,309 --> 00:04:02,480

really weren't cool with those

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00:04:06,149 --> 00:04:04,319

agreements man so we just decided to

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00:04:07,589 --> 00:04:06,159

back away from that network

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00:04:08,869 --> 00:04:07,599

and kind of fall back and figure out

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00:04:10,070 --> 00:04:08,879

what we wanted to do with the little

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00:04:13,030 --> 00:04:10,080

show

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00:04:14,869 --> 00:04:13,040

and uh so when we left this network

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00:04:18,710 --> 00:04:14,879

wasn't very happy with this at all

109

00:04:19,590 --> 00:04:18,720

um they uh that i guess they kind of

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00:04:22,310 --> 00:04:19,600

looked because i

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00:04:23,030 --> 00:04:22,320

assisted them a lot with audio work and

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00:04:26,310 --> 00:04:23,040

with uh

113

00:04:29,270 --> 00:04:26,320

information and uh we were a mufon

114

00:04:30,230 --> 00:04:29,280

sponsored show so you know when we left

115

00:04:31,909 --> 00:04:30,240

i think they were afraid that we're

116

00:04:33,030 --> 00:04:31,919

going to pull mufon from them

117

00:04:34,870 --> 00:04:33,040

and that we were going to pull their

118

00:04:35,909 --> 00:04:34,880

listeners from them if we went somewhere

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00:04:38,150 --> 00:04:35,919

else and

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00:04:39,350 --> 00:04:38,160

and it's a competitive world media is

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00:04:42,390 --> 00:04:39,360

very competitive

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00:04:46,310 --> 00:04:42,400

i mean it is it's it's it's cut throat

123

00:04:48,070 --> 00:04:46,320

to an extent and um and really

124

00:04:49,670 --> 00:04:48,080

to to wrap all this up to sort of

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00:04:51,350 --> 00:04:49,680

bottleneck this

126

00:04:53,510 --> 00:04:51,360

i got pissed off at what they were

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00:04:54,870 --> 00:04:53,520

saying and i said i'm gonna go do my own

128

00:04:58,070 --> 00:04:54,880

thing i'm gonna go

129

00:05:00,070 --> 00:04:58,080

do it the way i want to do it and so

130

00:05:02,390 --> 00:05:00,080

brainstorming meetings began and i

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00:05:04,629 --> 00:05:02,400

pulled some partners together and we all

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00:05:05,909 --> 00:05:04,639

had to agree on one thing or we wouldn't

133

00:05:07,670 --> 00:05:05,919

i wouldn't be partners with them and

134

00:05:09,749 --> 00:05:07,680

that was

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00:05:11,830 --> 00:05:09,759

what we're going to do here is not ego

136

00:05:15,189 --> 00:05:11,840

driven we're going to have an

137

00:05:16,950 --> 00:05:15,199

attitude of we want the boots on the

138

00:05:18,870 --> 00:05:16,960

ground we want

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00:05:20,870 --> 00:05:18,880

people doing the work we want to

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00:05:23,110 --> 00:05:20,880

highlight people doing the work

141

00:05:23,990 --> 00:05:23,120

no matter how insignificant as long it

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00:05:28,310 --> 00:05:24,000

was as it was

143

00:05:30,310 --> 00:05:28,320

purposed and uh and to sort of just

144

00:05:31,510 --> 00:05:30,320

get away from all the hacking and the

145

00:05:34,390 --> 00:05:31,520

arguing and the

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00:05:35,029 --> 00:05:34,400

the belittling and the you know the the

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00:05:36,790 --> 00:05:35,039

skeptic

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00:05:38,070 --> 00:05:36,800

fight and all that stuff let's leave

149

00:05:40,469 --> 00:05:38,080

all this over to the side

150

00:05:42,870 --> 00:05:40,479

and let's focus on positive things and

151
00:05:45,590 --> 00:05:42,880
the movement needed it i thought

152
00:05:47,909 --> 00:05:45,600
and um so i partnered up with some of my

153
00:05:51,189 --> 00:05:47,919
friends and we started the kgra

154
00:05:54,950 --> 00:05:51,199
on i think it was it was

155
00:05:56,070 --> 00:05:54,960
uh february the 28th 2011 when it was

156
00:05:59,510 --> 00:05:56,080
born

157
00:06:03,270 --> 00:05:59,520
and we went on the air on

158
00:06:06,469 --> 00:06:03,280
march the 28th and uh

159
00:06:09,189 --> 00:06:06,479
we've been rolling ever since with it

160
00:06:11,510 --> 00:06:09,199
it's and it's in it really it's still

161
00:06:13,670 --> 00:06:11,520
it's in its infancy however

162
00:06:15,430 --> 00:06:13,680
we have gained such great strides in

163
00:06:16,550 --> 00:06:15,440

such a short amount of time it doesn't

164

00:06:19,110 --> 00:06:16,560

seem that way

165

00:06:20,070 --> 00:06:19,120

although i still have to keep myself

166

00:06:22,870 --> 00:06:20,080

sort of grounded

167

00:06:23,590 --> 00:06:22,880

because we have a long long long way to

168

00:06:26,870 --> 00:06:23,600

go

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00:06:29,430 --> 00:06:26,880

with this project that i began and

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00:06:30,070 --> 00:06:29,440

um and it's been a wild ride i can say

171

00:06:33,189 --> 00:06:30,080

that for

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00:06:35,990 --> 00:06:33,199

for sure up to this point

173

00:06:36,950 --> 00:06:36,000

but that's how it started in a nutshell

174

00:06:38,390 --> 00:06:36,960

i just

175

00:06:40,710 --> 00:06:38,400

i thought that the movement needed

176
00:06:41,110 --> 00:06:40,720
something better and that you know you

177
00:06:44,710 --> 00:06:41,120
go

178
00:06:48,790 --> 00:06:44,720
to these paranormal sites these networks

179
00:06:52,309 --> 00:06:48,800
and it looks like uh a used car salesman

180
00:06:54,150 --> 00:06:52,319
in his off hours playing a clown

181
00:06:56,150 --> 00:06:54,160
puked up a bunch of his business cards

182
00:06:57,749 --> 00:06:56,160
on a website you know

183
00:07:00,230 --> 00:06:57,759
you go there and you know you click on

184
00:07:01,990 --> 00:07:00,240
this it's not even current it's like

185
00:07:03,430 --> 00:07:02,000
five years old this person doesn't have

186
00:07:05,670 --> 00:07:03,440
the show here anymore

187
00:07:07,510 --> 00:07:05,680
and on and on and so i wanted to set out

188
00:07:08,710 --> 00:07:07,520

to make a clean website user-friendly

189

00:07:10,070 --> 00:07:08,720

website

190

00:07:12,230 --> 00:07:10,080

and i wanted to get some of the most

191

00:07:14,790 --> 00:07:12,240

important people that i believed in

192

00:07:15,510 --> 00:07:14,800

on that website and on the show on the

193

00:07:19,749 --> 00:07:15,520

network

194

00:07:23,110 --> 00:07:19,759

don't like that word

195

00:07:25,350 --> 00:07:23,120

i changed to station um

196

00:07:26,950 --> 00:07:25,360

last year because i think network is

197

00:07:28,550 --> 00:07:26,960

played out you know

198

00:07:30,230 --> 00:07:28,560

everywhere you look there's some kind of

199

00:07:30,710 --> 00:07:30,240

a network and there ain't but one show

200

00:07:32,070 --> 00:07:30,720

there

201
00:07:33,749 --> 00:07:32,080
you know i don't know what you're

202
00:07:36,950 --> 00:07:33,759
networking buddy but you know

203
00:07:37,670 --> 00:07:36,960
i'm confused over here so we just

204
00:07:39,270 --> 00:07:37,680
decided

205
00:07:41,990 --> 00:07:39,280
to say we're a station because that's

206
00:07:42,950 --> 00:07:42,000
what we are we're a digital broadcasting

207
00:07:44,790 --> 00:07:42,960
station man

208
00:07:45,990 --> 00:07:44,800
and it's important for us to be looked

209
00:07:48,950 --> 00:07:46,000
at and viewed

210
00:07:50,629 --> 00:07:48,960
as an officially you know licensed

211
00:07:52,550 --> 00:07:50,639
broadcast station

212
00:07:53,749 --> 00:07:52,560
we're not just some thrown together

213
00:07:56,950 --> 00:07:53,759

website

214

00:07:57,990 --> 00:07:56,960

uh you know that claims to be something

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00:07:59,749 --> 00:07:58,000

they're not

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00:08:01,749 --> 00:07:59,759

our attitude is we want the boots on the

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00:08:03,830 --> 00:08:01,759

ground as i said before

218

00:08:05,909 --> 00:08:03,840

but not they don't necessarily have to

219

00:08:07,270 --> 00:08:05,919

be hosts it's not it's not that

220

00:08:09,350 --> 00:08:07,280

important for it to be

221

00:08:10,469 --> 00:08:09,360

for for our host and people on our

222

00:08:15,110 --> 00:08:10,479

network to be so

223

00:08:18,790 --> 00:08:15,120

polished and and so we i don't want them

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00:08:20,550 --> 00:08:18,800

to be involved in listening to other

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00:08:22,950 --> 00:08:20,560

radio hosts and learning how

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00:08:25,029 --> 00:08:22,960

talk radio works and why we say what we

227

00:08:27,749 --> 00:08:25,039

say i'll take care of that

228

00:08:28,230 --> 00:08:27,759

i'll tell you what to say and how to say

229

00:08:33,829 --> 00:08:28,240

it

230

00:08:37,029 --> 00:08:33,839

be delivered better

231

00:08:37,829 --> 00:08:37,039

that's my job as your producer i want

232

00:08:39,990 --> 00:08:37,839

you

233

00:08:41,750 --> 00:08:40,000

to just deliver this information that

234

00:08:43,829 --> 00:08:41,760

you want to get to the public

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00:08:44,870 --> 00:08:43,839

and that's that's that's how we do it

236

00:08:47,190 --> 00:08:44,880

it's not

237

00:08:48,230 --> 00:08:47,200

a matter of having professional talk

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00:08:50,630 --> 00:08:48,240

show hosts

239

00:08:51,670 --> 00:08:50,640

it's a matter of having professional

240

00:08:54,870 --> 00:08:51,680

boots on the ground

241

00:08:55,190 --> 00:08:54,880

doing the work firsthand so that you are

242

00:08:58,150 --> 00:08:55,200

not

243

00:08:58,710 --> 00:08:58,160

hearing second or third or fourth hand

244

00:09:03,350 --> 00:08:58,720

and

245

00:09:04,790 --> 00:09:03,360

know you're hearing it from people who

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00:09:05,670 --> 00:09:04,800

actually have done the work and been

247

00:09:07,750 --> 00:09:05,680

there and

248

00:09:09,829 --> 00:09:07,760

and you know there's no question that

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00:09:10,630 --> 00:09:09,839

these folks aren't armchair researchers

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00:09:12,790 --> 00:09:10,640

or

251
00:09:14,230 --> 00:09:12,800
you know people just trying to pretend

252
00:09:14,630 --> 00:09:14,240
like they're doing the good work these

253
00:09:16,150 --> 00:09:14,640
folks

254
00:09:19,269 --> 00:09:16,160
are doing the good work and they work

255
00:09:22,070 --> 00:09:19,279
very hard and i'm proud of all of them

256
00:09:24,230 --> 00:09:22,080
it's interesting that you uh that you

257
00:09:27,670 --> 00:09:24,240
asked that because

258
00:09:30,710 --> 00:09:27,680
i was actually on air as a

259
00:09:32,070 --> 00:09:30,720
fm broadcaster air personality dj if you

260
00:09:34,870 --> 00:09:32,080
will

261
00:09:36,790 --> 00:09:34,880
when i kind of had my first ufo

262
00:09:40,230 --> 00:09:36,800
encounter kind of a thing

263
00:09:43,750 --> 00:09:40,240

and i was uh it was the summer of 1990

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00:09:48,070 --> 00:09:43,760

and i was doing in a shift on the

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00:09:50,310 --> 00:09:48,080

local rock station in fort smith and

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00:09:51,990 --> 00:09:50,320

a guy called me it was you know getting

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00:09:54,870 --> 00:09:52,000

close to time for me to get off work it

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00:09:58,070 --> 00:09:54,880

was probably around 11 11 30.

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00:09:59,030 --> 00:09:58,080

and he called from a mobile phone in his

270

00:10:02,710 --> 00:09:59,040

car

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00:10:03,670 --> 00:10:02,720

and he said that he was on i-10 which

272

00:10:05,509 --> 00:10:03,680

was about

273

00:10:07,750 --> 00:10:05,519

he gave me his positions about 10 miles

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00:10:10,389 --> 00:10:07,760

give or take

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00:10:11,269 --> 00:10:10,399

away from me over across the border in

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00:10:13,829 --> 00:10:11,279

oklahoma

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00:10:15,350 --> 00:10:13,839

and where our broadcast facility was was

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00:10:17,190 --> 00:10:15,360

perched upon this big

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00:10:19,110 --> 00:10:17,200

sort of plateau in fort smith one of the

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00:10:21,350 --> 00:10:19,120

highest points in fort smith

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00:10:23,110 --> 00:10:21,360

and i could pretty much see a 360 degree

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00:10:26,630 --> 00:10:23,120

panoramic view of the city

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00:10:29,590 --> 00:10:26,640

from where we were the guy who called

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00:10:30,630 --> 00:10:29,600

or i should say the witness said that he

285

00:10:37,590 --> 00:10:30,640

was

286

00:10:38,790 --> 00:10:37,600

giant object over his head with a bright

287

00:10:40,150 --> 00:10:38,800

light on the front of it

288

00:10:42,949 --> 00:10:40,160

and i said what does it look like and he

289

00:10:46,069 --> 00:10:42,959

said man it looks like a submarine

290

00:10:47,190 --> 00:10:46,079

like a gigantic submarine or a blimp or

291

00:10:50,310 --> 00:10:47,200

something

292

00:10:52,310 --> 00:10:50,320

no sound with this just

293

00:10:53,430 --> 00:10:52,320

incredibly bright light on the front of

294

00:10:55,590 --> 00:10:53,440

it not on the back

295

00:10:57,430 --> 00:10:55,600

or you know like a rocket or and it's

296

00:11:00,230 --> 00:10:57,440

there's no noise

297

00:11:01,110 --> 00:11:00,240

no anything it's just dead signing and i

298

00:11:02,949 --> 00:11:01,120

was like

299

00:11:04,230 --> 00:11:02,959

holy crap so i could see this from there

300

00:11:06,069 --> 00:11:04,240

i'm sure so

301
00:11:08,150 --> 00:11:06,079
i was like hang on i put him on hold and

302
00:11:10,069 --> 00:11:08,160
i run out of the studio

303
00:11:11,430 --> 00:11:10,079
run out of the sales door in the back

304
00:11:13,990 --> 00:11:11,440
and there it was

305
00:11:15,670 --> 00:11:14,000
just hanging right there off the sky

306
00:11:18,870 --> 00:11:15,680
maybe 30 degrees

307
00:11:20,310 --> 00:11:18,880
um the thing

308
00:11:21,910 --> 00:11:20,320
the closest thing i can match it to

309
00:11:26,470 --> 00:11:21,920
would be like a welded light but

310
00:11:29,030 --> 00:11:26,480
way bigger i would say it would take

311
00:11:30,790 --> 00:11:29,040
a beach ball to completely cover up the

312
00:11:31,269 --> 00:11:30,800
light and you know the brightness and

313
00:11:33,190 --> 00:11:31,279

everything

314

00:11:34,710 --> 00:11:33,200

of it at arm's length you know you'd

315

00:11:35,269 --> 00:11:34,720

have to hold a beach ball out there to

316

00:11:37,910 --> 00:11:35,279

cover up

317

00:11:40,230 --> 00:11:37,920

all that the core of it was probably the

318

00:11:40,949 --> 00:11:40,240

size of a golf ball but it just was so

319

00:11:42,870 --> 00:11:40,959

bright

320

00:11:45,269 --> 00:11:42,880

that in fact was what made the guy

321

00:11:47,190 --> 00:11:45,279

notice that something was above him

322

00:11:48,550 --> 00:11:47,200

because he was driving and he was at a

323

00:11:50,230 --> 00:11:48,560

stoplight

324

00:11:52,629 --> 00:11:50,240

and he could see the shadows moving

325

00:11:55,190 --> 00:11:52,639

under the trees beside him

326

00:11:55,750 --> 00:11:55,200

moving so whatever was emitting this

327

00:11:58,069 --> 00:11:55,760

light was

328

00:11:59,269 --> 00:11:58,079

moving above him so he pulled over we

329

00:12:00,310 --> 00:11:59,279

went through the light pulled over and

330

00:12:03,430 --> 00:12:00,320

saw it

331

00:12:05,269 --> 00:12:03,440

so i for i'm watching this light drift

332

00:12:08,310 --> 00:12:05,279

across the horizon nice and slow

333

00:12:09,590 --> 00:12:08,320

i can't see what's attached to it but i

334

00:12:11,030 --> 00:12:09,600

could see the light

335

00:12:13,750 --> 00:12:11,040

that he was looking at and i was just

336

00:12:17,430 --> 00:12:13,760

watching it i forgot i was on the air

337

00:12:20,550 --> 00:12:17,440

station went dead air i um

338

00:12:22,870 --> 00:12:20,560

i run back into the station and i throw

339

00:12:24,949 --> 00:12:22,880

in the longest song i can find just

340

00:12:27,430 --> 00:12:24,959

right off the bat there's thousand cds

341

00:12:29,430 --> 00:12:27,440

there but i know molly hatchet

342

00:12:31,590 --> 00:12:29,440

his dreams i'll never seize about eight

343

00:12:33,430 --> 00:12:31,600

or nine minutes i throw it in

344

00:12:35,750 --> 00:12:33,440

hit play grab the phone are you still

345

00:12:36,069 --> 00:12:35,760

there he was like dude what what is that

346

00:12:37,509 --> 00:12:36,079

thing

347

00:12:39,110 --> 00:12:37,519

you know what i mean i said dude i have

348

00:12:40,710 --> 00:12:39,120

no idea

349

00:12:42,150 --> 00:12:40,720

i saw it i totally said you see what you

350

00:12:44,069 --> 00:12:42,160

see what you see i saw it

351
00:12:45,750 --> 00:12:44,079
but i didn't see what it was attached to

352
00:12:47,829 --> 00:12:45,760
and um

353
00:12:50,310 --> 00:12:47,839
and it's it's interesting that that that

354
00:12:54,150 --> 00:12:50,320
the ufo stuff kind of

355
00:12:56,150 --> 00:12:54,160
went hand in hand with radio um

356
00:12:58,949 --> 00:12:56,160
and that kind of started my active

357
00:13:02,150 --> 00:12:58,959
interest in mufon i mean not in mufon

358
00:13:03,990 --> 00:13:02,160
my active interest in ufos and

359
00:13:05,509 --> 00:13:04,000
i began a little investigation group in

360
00:13:06,629 --> 00:13:05,519
the river valley right there where

361
00:13:09,030 --> 00:13:06,639
you know down there in fort smith where

362
00:13:10,949 --> 00:13:09,040
it's from river valley investigations

363
00:13:12,310 --> 00:13:10,959

and you know some like-minded friends

364

00:13:13,430 --> 00:13:12,320

and all just started getting together

365

00:13:14,870 --> 00:13:13,440

and going out and

366

00:13:16,470 --> 00:13:14,880

you know we would hear from a friend or

367

00:13:17,590 --> 00:13:16,480

a friend or a friend of a friend or an

368

00:13:19,030 --> 00:13:17,600

aunt or an uncle

369

00:13:20,710 --> 00:13:19,040

you know when they saw something i don't

370

00:13:22,150 --> 00:13:20,720

care how old it was i just wanted to

371

00:13:24,230 --> 00:13:22,160

start interviewing people and talking

372

00:13:26,150 --> 00:13:24,240

about this and and

373

00:13:27,829 --> 00:13:26,160

you know started reading books going to

374

00:13:29,030 --> 00:13:27,839

the library and you know pulling out

375

00:13:31,910 --> 00:13:29,040

books and

376

00:13:32,829 --> 00:13:31,920

um that was a big part of it was the

377

00:13:35,269 --> 00:13:32,839

library

378

00:13:37,030 --> 00:13:35,279

because when you would check these books

379

00:13:38,230 --> 00:13:37,040

out you would always be a conversation

380

00:13:39,670 --> 00:13:38,240

around it you know what i mean and

381

00:13:40,710 --> 00:13:39,680

people up there checking out books

382

00:13:42,550 --> 00:13:40,720

around you and things

383

00:13:43,910 --> 00:13:42,560

i met a lot of people at the library who

384

00:13:46,310 --> 00:13:43,920

actually had an interest

385

00:13:47,990 --> 00:13:46,320

people who had sightings the library was

386

00:13:50,629 --> 00:13:48,000

a great place to really

387

00:13:52,790 --> 00:13:50,639

kind of network you know back then in

388

00:13:55,110 --> 00:13:52,800

you know the early 90s

389

00:13:56,310 --> 00:13:55,120

we didn't have the internet you know i

390

00:13:59,670 --> 00:13:56,320

think it was prodigy

391

00:14:00,230 --> 00:13:59,680

or something you know aol was still you

392

00:14:03,670 --> 00:14:00,240

know

393

00:14:07,110 --> 00:14:03,680

but the libraries is where it was all at

394

00:14:08,550 --> 00:14:07,120

and um and then so when i started the

395

00:14:10,230 --> 00:14:08,560

kgra

396

00:14:12,389 --> 00:14:10,240

fundamentally it was natural for me to

397

00:14:13,750 --> 00:14:12,399

be coming from a ufo perspective i'm not

398

00:14:16,389 --> 00:14:13,760

a ghost hunter

399

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

i'm not a ghost investigator or uh you

400

00:14:20,150 --> 00:14:16,959

know

401
00:14:22,150 --> 00:14:20,160
i'm not spiritualist none of that stuff

402
00:14:23,750 --> 00:14:22,160
and i've never you know really been into

403
00:14:24,150 --> 00:14:23,760
the bigfoot thing although i believe

404
00:14:25,829 --> 00:14:24,160
it's

405
00:14:27,509 --> 00:14:25,839
highly probable that it there's

406
00:14:30,150 --> 00:14:27,519
something out there

407
00:14:31,590 --> 00:14:30,160
but i'm not sure you know about all of

408
00:14:34,949 --> 00:14:31,600
the other investigation

409
00:14:35,350 --> 00:14:34,959
type you know genres but ufos did it for

410
00:14:40,389 --> 00:14:35,360
me

411
00:14:42,069 --> 00:14:40,399
science fiction kid you know star trek

412
00:14:45,110 --> 00:14:42,079
and star wars and

413
00:14:46,310 --> 00:14:45,120

always you know have followed sort of a

414

00:14:48,230 --> 00:14:46,320

belief

415

00:14:50,310 --> 00:14:48,240

that these things were real once i

416

00:14:52,710 --> 00:14:50,320

started investigating

417

00:14:53,910 --> 00:14:52,720

i learned that i had a great uncle who

418

00:14:55,910 --> 00:14:53,920

was a pilot

419

00:14:57,269 --> 00:14:55,920

in the in the air force for many many

420

00:15:00,389 --> 00:14:57,279

many years flew in world war ii

421

00:15:01,590 --> 00:15:00,399

test piloted sabres and and he told my

422

00:15:04,310 --> 00:15:01,600

mother

423

00:15:06,230 --> 00:15:04,320

that he had been buffeted his his flight

424

00:15:07,910 --> 00:15:06,240

squadron had been buffeted by objects

425

00:15:10,310 --> 00:15:07,920

you know at high altitude

426

00:15:12,470 --> 00:15:10,320

and and i kind of akin this the the

427

00:15:14,710 --> 00:15:12,480

story he told her to the one that

428

00:15:16,310 --> 00:15:14,720

uh gordo cooper tells about when you

429

00:15:16,949 --> 00:15:16,320

know he was flying the saber and they

430

00:15:18,710 --> 00:15:16,959

were

431

00:15:21,030 --> 00:15:18,720

buffeted by these objects at high

432

00:15:23,430 --> 00:15:21,040

altitudes it's quite possible that my

433

00:15:24,389 --> 00:15:23,440

great uncle ray could have flown with

434

00:15:26,069 --> 00:15:24,399

gordo cooper

435

00:15:28,470 --> 00:15:26,079

you know for all out he died before i

436

00:15:31,509 --> 00:15:28,480

was born um

437

00:15:33,829 --> 00:15:31,519

but he was decorated a pilot and very

438

00:15:35,749 --> 00:15:33,839

well respected and

439

00:15:37,350 --> 00:15:35,759

and i have to believe that if he told my

440

00:15:37,829 --> 00:15:37,360

mother that that he was telling the

441

00:15:39,829 --> 00:15:37,839

truth

442

00:15:41,509 --> 00:15:39,839

you know this is one of these stories

443

00:15:42,550 --> 00:15:41,519

where you know a report from a real

444

00:15:44,150 --> 00:15:42,560

pilot

445

00:15:46,230 --> 00:15:44,160

is kind of sort of handed down through

446

00:15:49,030 --> 00:15:46,240

the family and um

447

00:15:51,030 --> 00:15:49,040

it came from someone who nobody would

448

00:15:53,269 --> 00:15:51,040

expect to lie about something like that

449

00:15:54,069 --> 00:15:53,279

you know you just don't uh there's

450

00:15:57,590 --> 00:15:54,079

really no reason

451
00:15:59,670 --> 00:15:57,600
for them to and um so

452
00:16:02,150 --> 00:15:59,680
my mother she's a cherokee indian and

453
00:16:02,870 --> 00:16:02,160
she's all she finds it very puzzling

454
00:16:04,790 --> 00:16:02,880
that people

455
00:16:07,189 --> 00:16:04,800
don't they have a hard time believing

456
00:16:10,710 --> 00:16:07,199
that ufos are real or ets are real

457
00:16:12,310 --> 00:16:10,720
or sky people um and all of my cherokee

458
00:16:12,629 --> 00:16:12,320
relatives feel that way they're like you

459
00:16:14,230 --> 00:16:12,639
know

460
00:16:16,629 --> 00:16:14,240
they they just don't understand why we

461
00:16:19,509 --> 00:16:16,639
don't accept it and just

462
00:16:20,150 --> 00:16:19,519
exist with it and and you know and and

463
00:16:22,550 --> 00:16:20,160

sort of

464

00:16:25,430 --> 00:16:22,560

embrace it and those that have the

465

00:16:27,430 --> 00:16:25,440

opportunity to engage in the good ones

466

00:16:29,350 --> 00:16:27,440

uh you know are lucky and those who come

467

00:16:31,990 --> 00:16:29,360

across the bad ones what they would call

468

00:16:34,790 --> 00:16:32,000

skin walkers or these entities that they

469

00:16:36,550 --> 00:16:34,800

are nefarious and don't have uh your

470

00:16:40,150 --> 00:16:36,560

best intentions at heart which

471

00:16:41,670 --> 00:16:40,160

they do believe uh uh exists

472

00:16:43,509 --> 00:16:41,680

you know they they just really find it

473

00:16:46,710 --> 00:16:43,519

perplexing man that we don't

474

00:16:49,430 --> 00:16:46,720

um uh believe in it and it's and i

475

00:16:50,150 --> 00:16:49,440

you know i get that you get that we get

476
00:16:52,389 --> 00:16:50,160
that because

477
00:16:53,829 --> 00:16:52,399
we gather at big conferences we come to

478
00:16:55,509 --> 00:16:53,839
talk about this stuff

479
00:16:57,269 --> 00:16:55,519
if it ever happens we're not going to be

480
00:16:57,910 --> 00:16:57,279
the ones that come off the hinges it's

481
00:17:00,389 --> 00:16:57,920
going to be

482
00:17:02,069 --> 00:17:00,399
all the normal people who are sort of

483
00:17:05,029 --> 00:17:02,079
still plugged in

484
00:17:05,990 --> 00:17:05,039
and so i guess to bring everything back

485
00:17:08,870 --> 00:17:06,000
to it

486
00:17:09,510 --> 00:17:08,880
ufos for me has always been what drives

487
00:17:11,590 --> 00:17:09,520
me

488
00:17:13,829 --> 00:17:11,600

and um i just really want to do

489

00:17:15,829 --> 00:17:13,839

something positive for the ufo movement

490

00:17:17,110 --> 00:17:15,839

something that's going to be lasting

491

00:17:21,029 --> 00:17:17,120

long when i'm

492

00:17:23,110 --> 00:17:21,039

you know uh you know gone on to glory

493

00:17:24,870 --> 00:17:23,120

as we begin our third season we really

494

00:17:29,029 --> 00:17:24,880

want to refine

495

00:17:30,710 --> 00:17:29,039

our craft there are a lot of people who

496

00:17:32,630 --> 00:17:30,720

are copying our business model

497

00:17:34,390 --> 00:17:32,640

new networks and new stations starting

498

00:17:37,750 --> 00:17:34,400

and i think that's awesome

499

00:17:39,909 --> 00:17:37,760

the more competition means

500

00:17:41,590 --> 00:17:39,919

more word and more messages are getting

501
00:17:44,150 --> 00:17:41,600
spread you know more information is

502
00:17:47,029 --> 00:17:44,160
getting out there

503
00:17:48,789 --> 00:17:47,039
and so our attitude is is to bring it i

504
00:17:50,710 --> 00:17:48,799
mean we're ramping it up this year we're

505
00:17:54,070 --> 00:17:50,720
moving towards tv

506
00:17:55,909 --> 00:17:54,080
uh you know we've got uh the kjtv.com

507
00:17:57,990 --> 00:17:55,919
staged and ready to go we're working on

508
00:18:00,789 --> 00:17:58,000
video and getting producers and

509
00:18:03,029 --> 00:18:00,799
equipment and and um we want to start

510
00:18:06,549 --> 00:18:03,039
taking people live in the field

511
00:18:09,830 --> 00:18:06,559
all over the world egypt peru bolivia

512
00:18:11,830 --> 00:18:09,840
turkey um wherever

513
00:18:13,029 --> 00:18:11,840

the news is breaking and wherever the

514

00:18:14,710 --> 00:18:13,039

news is happening

515

00:18:16,549 --> 00:18:14,720

is where we want to send our people and

516

00:18:18,789 --> 00:18:16,559

where we want to send you

517

00:18:19,669 --> 00:18:18,799

so that's what we're trying to do this

518

00:18:23,430 --> 00:18:19,679

year

519

00:18:25,830 --> 00:18:23,440

um as well as stay ahead of the game

520

00:18:27,830 --> 00:18:25,840

because you can't sort of sit back and

521

00:18:29,830 --> 00:18:27,840

reward yourself with you know

522

00:18:31,270 --> 00:18:29,840

this is great we've done great yada yada

523

00:18:32,470 --> 00:18:31,280

yada you know

524

00:18:34,310 --> 00:18:32,480

the way i look at it we haven't done

525

00:18:36,070 --> 00:18:34,320

[h__h] yet we've got a long way to go

526

00:18:38,630 --> 00:18:36,080

we've got a lot of work to do

527

00:18:39,590 --> 00:18:38,640

it's time to bear down and get after it

528

00:18:43,190 --> 00:18:39,600

um

529

00:18:45,510 --> 00:18:43,200

it's uh it's a lot of work because

530

00:18:46,789 --> 00:18:45,520

there's not a lot of big ufo events to

531

00:18:50,390 --> 00:18:46,799

work on

532

00:18:53,270 --> 00:18:50,400

so you know we really focus on

533

00:18:55,350 --> 00:18:53,280

conspiracies we focus on everything and

534

00:18:57,830 --> 00:18:55,360

all the mysteries of the world

535

00:19:00,150 --> 00:18:57,840

are not off the table any mystery is not

536

00:19:02,310 --> 00:19:00,160

off the table with us

537

00:19:04,230 --> 00:19:02,320

i'm bringing in several new shows from

538

00:19:05,510 --> 00:19:04,240

around the world

539

00:19:08,870 --> 00:19:05,520

we're looking forward to working with

540

00:19:10,870 --> 00:19:08,880

the star the star child skull project

541

00:19:12,630 --> 00:19:10,880

as well as bringing in some

542

00:19:15,990 --> 00:19:12,640

correspondence from

543

00:19:17,830 --> 00:19:16,000

australia some correspondents from japan

544

00:19:19,350 --> 00:19:17,840

and uh and we're looking at one from

545

00:19:21,190 --> 00:19:19,360

germany as well

546

00:19:23,350 --> 00:19:21,200

because we want to bring people in real

547

00:19:25,669 --> 00:19:23,360

time here in the states

548

00:19:27,750 --> 00:19:25,679

the information that may or may have not

549

00:19:28,549 --> 00:19:27,760

made it to the united states from around

550

00:19:30,150 --> 00:19:28,559

the world

551
00:19:31,830 --> 00:19:30,160
there are a lot of great cases from

552
00:19:32,630 --> 00:19:31,840
australia and a lot of them we've heard

553
00:19:34,390 --> 00:19:32,640
from

554
00:19:36,630 --> 00:19:34,400
but really there's a lot of them that we

555
00:19:39,830 --> 00:19:36,640
haven't heard the details about

556
00:19:40,789 --> 00:19:39,840
and or from the witnesses about these

557
00:19:43,510 --> 00:19:40,799
cases

558
00:19:44,310 --> 00:19:43,520
some really bizarre stuff you know like

559
00:19:47,270 --> 00:19:44,320
i've never

560
00:19:48,470 --> 00:19:47,280
investigated a case where someone's

561
00:19:50,230 --> 00:19:48,480
driving down the road

562
00:19:51,510 --> 00:19:50,240
and they see an object in the field to

563
00:19:53,270 --> 00:19:51,520

the left to the right

564

00:19:55,110 --> 00:19:53,280

and your headlights the closer you get

565

00:19:56,950 --> 00:19:55,120

to it your headlights start bending

566

00:19:59,110 --> 00:19:56,960

towards the object

567

00:20:00,950 --> 00:19:59,120

and you literally drive off into a ditch

568

00:20:02,390 --> 00:20:00,960

because your equilibrium is going off

569

00:20:03,909 --> 00:20:02,400

you think you have to counter those

570

00:20:04,710 --> 00:20:03,919

lights going that way and you're turning

571

00:20:06,310 --> 00:20:04,720

the car

572

00:20:08,470 --> 00:20:06,320

and you're actually staying dead

573

00:20:09,750 --> 00:20:08,480

straight it's your light that's moving

574

00:20:11,750 --> 00:20:09,760

and you don't realize what happened to

575

00:20:12,950 --> 00:20:11,760

you hit the ditch and then this object

576
00:20:15,190 --> 00:20:12,960
lifts off

577
00:20:16,149 --> 00:20:15,200
and it's like you know holy cow that

578
00:20:17,830 --> 00:20:16,159
just happened

579
00:20:20,870 --> 00:20:17,840
i've never heard of anything like that

580
00:20:22,870 --> 00:20:20,880
ever happening here in the united states

581
00:20:23,909 --> 00:20:22,880
i think that there are so many stories

582
00:20:25,909 --> 00:20:23,919
around the world

583
00:20:27,590 --> 00:20:25,919
that have slipped through the cracks

584
00:20:28,549 --> 00:20:27,600
that we have a department now that's

585
00:20:30,070 --> 00:20:28,559
looking for people

586
00:20:31,909 --> 00:20:30,080
correspondents and boots on the ground

587
00:20:34,310 --> 00:20:31,919
willing to come to report once a week

588
00:20:36,230 --> 00:20:34,320

once a month whenever they can to our

589

00:20:39,029 --> 00:20:36,240

listeners on the kgra

590

00:20:41,110 --> 00:20:39,039

um you know to bring news in real time

591

00:20:42,950 --> 00:20:41,120

as well as cold cases from around the

592

00:20:44,950 --> 00:20:42,960

world that are very interesting

593

00:20:47,029 --> 00:20:44,960

and very compelling and also for

594

00:20:48,630 --> 00:20:47,039

researchers who are doing the work

595

00:20:50,070 --> 00:20:48,640

to you know maybe spark something in

596

00:20:52,549 --> 00:20:50,080

them hey i worked on a case

597

00:20:53,430 --> 00:20:52,559

you know that had that same phenomena

598

00:20:55,110 --> 00:20:53,440

and they can

599

00:20:57,190 --> 00:20:55,120

link up with this guy that's doing the

600

00:21:00,870 --> 00:20:57,200

story and get more information

601
00:21:03,590 --> 00:21:00,880
in real time we really want to go

602
00:21:05,830 --> 00:21:03,600
completely international this year with

603
00:21:08,070 --> 00:21:05,840
correspondents from around the world

604
00:21:09,750 --> 00:21:08,080
live on the station so you'll be able to

605
00:21:13,029 --> 00:21:09,760
see that coming this year

606
00:21:15,110 --> 00:21:13,039
as well as uh more television and video

607
00:21:16,230 --> 00:21:15,120
we're going to take it to the to the to

608
00:21:18,549 --> 00:21:16,240
the world uh

609
00:21:19,430 --> 00:21:18,559
in a way that we've never done before

610
00:21:21,190 --> 00:21:19,440
and um

611
00:21:22,789 --> 00:21:21,200
so i think streaming video is going to

612
00:21:23,270 --> 00:21:22,799
be a real big part of what we do this

613
00:21:25,190 --> 00:21:23,280

year

614

00:21:27,909 --> 00:21:25,200

as well that's one of the most exciting

615

00:21:31,510 --> 00:21:29,990

so i'm really looking forward to that as

616

00:21:33,669 --> 00:21:31,520

well as the new faces and the new

617

00:21:36,710 --> 00:21:33,679

personalities that are going to come

618

00:21:38,070 --> 00:21:36,720

to the kgra to you know to talk to our

619

00:21:38,950 --> 00:21:38,080

listeners and to the people all over the

620

00:21:41,830 --> 00:21:38,960

world

621

00:21:44,470 --> 00:21:41,840

it's a wonderful time to be in my chair