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00:00:00,000 --> 00:00:06,040

Tonight on Unsolved Mysteries.

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00:00:06,040 --> 00:00:08,280

He was TV's first superhero.

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00:00:08,280 --> 00:00:11,840

In the 1950s, George Reeves achieved overnight stardom

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00:00:11,840 --> 00:00:14,080

as a legendary man of steel.

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00:00:14,080 --> 00:00:15,880

Then suddenly it was over.

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00:00:15,880 --> 00:00:18,280

Reeves was found shot to death in his home,

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00:00:18,280 --> 00:00:20,880

and ever since, the question has haunted Hollywood.

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00:00:20,880 --> 00:00:23,920

Who killed Superman?

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00:00:23,920 --> 00:00:26,520

In Fairfield, California, a team of police

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00:00:27,520 --> 00:00:30,640

In Fairfield, California, a team of police officers

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00:00:30,640 --> 00:00:33,040

dispatched to arrest a suspected drug dealer

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00:00:33,040 --> 00:00:35,920

walked straight into an ambush.

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00:00:35,920 --> 00:00:38,880

Toledo, Ohio, 1963.

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00:00:38,880 --> 00:00:42,320

A tragic accident leaves three young children motherless.

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00:00:42,320 --> 00:00:44,640

Within days, Tina Sheets is separated

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00:00:44,640 --> 00:00:46,240

from her little brothers.

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00:00:46,240 --> 00:00:49,200

More than 30 years later, Tina is still searching,

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00:00:49,200 --> 00:00:52,200

still hoping to find them.

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00:00:52,200 --> 00:00:54,480

It was one of nature's mysterious wonders,

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00:00:54,480 --> 00:00:57,360

the birth of a pure white buffalo calf.

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00:00:57,360 --> 00:01:00,000

Almost immediately, a small Wisconsin farm

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00:01:00,000 --> 00:01:03,720

was transformed into a revered shrine for Native Americans.

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00:01:03,720 --> 00:01:05,600

Is the arrival of the miracle buffalo

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00:01:05,600 --> 00:01:09,880

the fulfillment of an ancient prophecy?

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00:01:09,880 --> 00:01:12,320

Join me for these fascinating new stories

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00:01:12,320 --> 00:01:15,560

and much more on tonight's edition of Unsolved Mysteries.

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00:01:54,480 --> 00:02:10,400

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00:02:10,400 --> 00:02:11,400

All right, he's got something.

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00:02:11,400 --> 00:02:12,400

He's giving it to the guy.

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00:02:12,400 --> 00:02:13,440

OK, the deal's going down.

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00:02:13,440 --> 00:02:14,920

It's the male white and the black Christler.

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00:02:14,920 --> 00:02:17,080

We get two units to stay on him when he leaves.

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00:02:17,080 --> 00:02:19,480

February, 1989.

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00:02:19,480 --> 00:02:22,380

Acting on a tip, detectives from the Oakland, California

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00:02:22,380 --> 00:02:25,340

police department staked out a liquor store parking lot.

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00:02:25,340 --> 00:02:26,940

Not Ramirez's tagging out?

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00:02:26,940 --> 00:02:28,020

Ramirez is out.

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00:02:28,020 --> 00:02:30,300

Sure enough, a suspected drug dealer

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00:02:30,300 --> 00:02:32,620

named Roberto Ramirez had set up a sale.

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00:02:35,980 --> 00:02:39,060

Roberto Ramirez was no ordinary dealer.

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00:02:39,060 --> 00:02:42,580

He allegedly distributed cocaine from Oakland to LA.

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00:02:42,580 --> 00:02:44,940

The word was that Ramirez would do absolutely

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00:02:44,940 --> 00:02:48,180

anything to turn a dime.

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00:02:48,180 --> 00:02:51,060

He would often deal out of his house,

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00:02:51,060 --> 00:02:56,100

but most often meet people at different locations.

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00:02:56,100 --> 00:02:59,780

He'd often have his children, two small children,

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00:02:59,780 --> 00:03:03,740

grammar school age, carry the cocaine in backpacks

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00:03:03,740 --> 00:03:08,300

and bring it to the buyers that way.

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00:03:12,580 --> 00:03:14,260

After obtaining a search warrant,

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00:03:14,260 --> 00:03:17,740

police converged on Ramirez's home in Fairfield, California,

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00:03:17,740 --> 00:03:20,140

some 40 miles north of Oakland.

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00:03:20,980 --> 00:03:26,540

A total of 12 Oakland and Fairfield officers are in on the raid.

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00:03:26,540 --> 00:03:28,340

But would Ramirez come easy?

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00:03:28,340 --> 00:03:31,820

Would he get stubborn and make it tough on everybody?

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00:03:31,820 --> 00:03:35,300

Officer Mark Burrell, Oakland PD.

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00:03:35,300 --> 00:03:40,420

My assignment was to pry the iron grate on the front door.

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00:03:40,420 --> 00:03:43,860

The safest entry that we make is a quick entry.

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00:03:43,860 --> 00:03:47,500

It gives the people inside less time to prepare.

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00:03:47,540 --> 00:03:51,540

And normally we catch them in that surprise mode.

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00:03:51,540 --> 00:03:55,220

Detective Mark Smith, Fairfield PD.

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00:03:55,220 --> 00:03:58,260

My position was to cross in front of the house,

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00:03:58,260 --> 00:04:01,460

and I would cover the window and the side of the house

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00:04:01,460 --> 00:04:04,780

for anybody trying to flee or any attack coming from outside

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00:04:04,780 --> 00:04:06,180

the window, through the front window.

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00:04:09,020 --> 00:04:11,580

142 AM, showtime.

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00:04:18,180 --> 00:04:20,500

Police officer, search warrant, open the door.

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00:04:20,500 --> 00:04:23,980

Police officer, open the door.

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00:04:23,980 --> 00:04:26,540

Police officer, search warrant, open the door.

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00:04:26,540 --> 00:04:27,980

Police officer, open the door.

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00:04:34,420 --> 00:04:37,620

Ramirez's status was a challenge, loud and clear.

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00:04:37,620 --> 00:04:38,540

Come and get me.

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00:04:47,940 --> 00:04:51,020

At that instant, Ramirez appeared at a side window.

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00:04:56,260 --> 00:04:57,660

Everybody hold your fire.

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00:05:03,300 --> 00:05:04,940

Two officers fell.

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00:05:04,940 --> 00:05:06,780

Severely injured, Detective Smith

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00:05:06,780 --> 00:05:09,140

had to be dragged from the line of fire.

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00:05:09,140 --> 00:05:12,060

Officer Burrell took refuge under Ramirez's window.

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00:05:12,060 --> 00:05:16,220

Hold your fire.

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00:05:16,220 --> 00:05:18,220

I'm coming out.

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00:05:18,220 --> 00:05:19,140

Party's clear.

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00:05:22,980 --> 00:05:24,940

I took a physical check on myself.

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00:05:24,940 --> 00:05:26,460

My legs worked.

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00:05:26,460 --> 00:05:28,140

I was clear thinking.

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00:05:28,140 --> 00:05:29,900

My left arm didn't work.

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00:05:29,900 --> 00:05:31,820

My shoulder was numb.

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00:05:31,820 --> 00:05:32,700

Go, go, go.

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00:05:32,700 --> 00:05:33,780

Get him out. Get him out.

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00:05:33,780 --> 00:05:36,620

But the other officer wasn't so lucky.

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00:05:36,620 --> 00:05:39,380

Detective Smith was bleeding profusely.

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00:05:39,380 --> 00:05:41,420

He was evacuated through a neighbor's house

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00:05:41,460 --> 00:05:42,580

to a waiting ambulance.

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00:05:42,580 --> 00:05:43,500

Bring him in there.

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00:05:43,500 --> 00:05:44,300

He's still all right.

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00:05:44,300 --> 00:05:45,200

What's going?

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00:05:45,200 --> 00:05:46,100

Go back.

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00:05:46,100 --> 00:05:46,900

Go.

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00:05:46,900 --> 00:05:49,180

Roberto, sal de la casa.

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00:05:49,180 --> 00:05:50,540

Sal para afuera.

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00:05:50,540 --> 00:05:53,180

Roberto, sal de la casa.

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00:05:53,180 --> 00:05:55,540

Still Ramirez wouldn't budge.

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00:05:55,540 --> 00:05:57,820

Reinforcements from eight other police departments

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00:05:57,820 --> 00:05:59,460

had filled out the ranks.

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00:05:59,460 --> 00:06:02,340

Now 30 heavily armed officers surrounded the house.

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00:06:02,340 --> 00:06:03,340

Open the door.

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00:06:03,340 --> 00:06:04,340

Sal para afuera.

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00:06:04,340 --> 00:06:07,020

Don't get hit.

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00:06:07,020 --> 00:06:07,860

He's coming out.

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00:06:07,860 --> 00:06:10,060

OK, he's coming out.

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00:06:10,060 --> 00:06:14,140

After a two-hour standoff, Roberto Ramirez finally emerged.

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00:06:14,140 --> 00:06:16,580

True to form, he covered behind his wife,

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00:06:16,580 --> 00:06:19,700

eight months pregnant, and their children ages 10 and six.

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00:06:23,700 --> 00:06:27,180

Senora, camina adelante.

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00:06:27,180 --> 00:06:28,340

Senora, camina adelante.

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00:06:28,340 --> 00:06:29,100

Vengan se para acá.

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00:06:31,580 --> 00:06:35,460

When Ramirez came outside, there was a lot of tension.

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00:06:35,460 --> 00:06:38,660

He had shot two of our police officers.

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00:06:38,660 --> 00:06:41,540

And he had a lot of time to think about what he had done.

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00:06:41,540 --> 00:06:42,980

Voten a la derecha.

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00:06:42,980 --> 00:06:44,740

Voten a la derecha.

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00:06:44,740 --> 00:06:46,220

Anything can happen.

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00:06:46,220 --> 00:06:50,060

You don't know what's going through their mind at that point.

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00:06:50,060 --> 00:06:50,940

Voten mueva.

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00:06:50,940 --> 00:06:52,100

Ya me quiero.

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00:06:52,100 --> 00:06:55,780

Roberto Ramirez was arrested on two counts of attempted murder

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00:06:55,780 --> 00:06:59,220

and a laundry list of drug and assault charges.

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00:06:59,220 --> 00:07:01,300

A bail bond of more than half a million dollars

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00:07:01,300 --> 00:07:04,140

in California real estate was enough to spring Ramirez

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00:07:04,140 --> 00:07:05,820

from jail.

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00:07:05,820 --> 00:07:08,740

In June of 1990, shortly before a court date,

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00:07:08,740 --> 00:07:11,620

the couple packed up their children and dropped from sight.

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00:07:11,620 --> 00:07:13,700

They are still in the run, but the damage

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00:07:13,700 --> 00:07:16,980

they inflicted lingers on.

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00:07:16,980 --> 00:07:19,740

I was shot through the upper left arm.

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00:07:19,740 --> 00:07:22,420

It was basically in and out.

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00:07:22,420 --> 00:07:23,980

It severed the nerves in my left arm

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00:07:23,980 --> 00:07:28,020

and left me with no feeling, although I have a muscle,

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00:07:28,020 --> 00:07:30,500

strengthened muscle flexibility in the arm.

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00:07:30,500 --> 00:07:31,740

I just don't have any feeling in it.

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00:07:36,780 --> 00:07:42,580

I remember muzzle flashes, and then my next memory

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00:07:42,580 --> 00:07:44,340

art felt like I had been punched in the stomach

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00:07:44,340 --> 00:07:45,820

or hit with a baseball bat in the stomach.

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00:07:49,140 --> 00:07:51,700

I can't pronounce most of the things that it damaged,

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00:07:51,700 --> 00:07:54,620

but it was most of the internal organs in my abdomen.

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00:07:54,620 --> 00:07:57,860

The bullet went completely through most of the intestines

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00:07:57,860 --> 00:08:00,380

and the kidney and liver and lodged.

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00:08:00,380 --> 00:08:04,740

It stopped on the opposite side of my body, just under the skin

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00:08:05,340 --> 00:08:06,860

in my back.

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00:08:06,860 --> 00:08:09,380

I'm always going to have the scars and the pain

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00:08:09,380 --> 00:08:13,460

and all from it, but it would give me some satisfaction

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00:08:13,460 --> 00:08:15,860

if he was caught and was in jail serving his time

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00:08:15,860 --> 00:08:16,900

in pain for what he's done.

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00:08:20,180 --> 00:08:22,860

Roberto Ramirez is 38 years old.

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00:08:22,860 --> 00:08:26,420

He is a heavy set 5'6", 210 pounds.

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00:08:26,420 --> 00:08:28,940

He should be considered armed and dangerous.

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00:08:34,740 --> 00:08:38,020

The Last Friday, the lines at the phone center

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00:08:38,020 --> 00:08:40,220

were swamped with calls from our viewers.

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00:08:40,220 --> 00:08:44,020

Let's quickly go to Keely Shay Smith to see what happened.

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00:08:44,020 --> 00:08:46,420

For the past two weeks, the nation's attention

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00:08:46,420 --> 00:08:49,540

has been focused on the tragic murder of 27-year-old Linda

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00:08:49,540 --> 00:08:50,740

Sobek.

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00:08:50,740 --> 00:08:54,220

Sobek's body was found here in a shallow grave at this spot

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00:08:54,220 --> 00:08:57,460

in the Angeles National Forest outside La Liga.

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00:08:57,460 --> 00:09:01,420

Sobek's body was found here in a shallow grave at this spot

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00:09:01,420 --> 00:09:04,340

in the Angeles National Forest outside La Liga.

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00:09:04,940 --> 00:09:07,100

Sheriff detectives now fear her murder

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00:09:07,100 --> 00:09:09,300

may be connected to an unsolved homicide

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00:09:09,300 --> 00:09:11,980

we profiled on an earlier broadcast.

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00:09:11,980 --> 00:09:13,900

The remains of the victim in that case

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00:09:13,900 --> 00:09:16,100

were also found in this area.

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00:09:18,740 --> 00:09:20,740

Linda Sobek was a successful model

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00:09:20,740 --> 00:09:23,180

and former Los Angeles Raiders cheerleader,

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00:09:23,180 --> 00:09:25,380

whose disappearance on November 16th

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00:09:25,380 --> 00:09:27,940

left her family and friends frantic.

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00:09:29,980 --> 00:09:32,420

This man, photographer Charles Rathbin,

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00:09:32,500 --> 00:09:35,660

has claimed that Linda Sobek died in a freak car accident

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00:09:35,660 --> 00:09:37,340

during a photo shoot.

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00:09:37,340 --> 00:09:38,660

Then in a state of panic,

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00:09:38,660 --> 00:09:41,860

he buried her in the Angeles National Forest.

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00:09:42,860 --> 00:09:45,260

Days later, with the help of Rathbin,

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00:09:45,260 --> 00:09:47,500

Linda Sobek's body was recovered.

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00:09:47,500 --> 00:09:49,500

But initial reports from the coroner's office

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00:09:49,500 --> 00:09:51,660

seem to indicate that Linda's injuries

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00:09:51,660 --> 00:09:54,260

were not consistent with being hit by a car.

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00:09:55,540 --> 00:09:58,780

Charles Rathbin has been charged with first-degree murder

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00:09:58,780 --> 00:10:00,900

and is being held on \$1 million dollars

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00:10:00,900 --> 00:10:02,300

bail.

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00:10:02,300 --> 00:10:03,340

According to the authorities,

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00:10:03,340 --> 00:10:06,340

he is now a suspect in the death of another model,

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00:10:06,340 --> 00:10:09,900

Kimberly Pandelios, whose story we aired last year.

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00:10:11,900 --> 00:10:16,900

March 3rd, 1993, again in the Angeles National Forest.

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00:10:18,140 --> 00:10:20,900

The LA County Coroner was called to investigate

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00:10:20,900 --> 00:10:22,580

a possible murder site.

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00:10:22,580 --> 00:10:25,740

A partial set of skeletal remains had been discovered.

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00:10:26,740 --> 00:10:28,340

When the coroner checked dental records

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00:10:28,340 --> 00:10:30,740

of missing persons in the Los Angeles District,

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00:10:31,580 --> 00:10:33,500

he found a match.

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00:10:33,500 --> 00:10:36,460

The remains were identified as those of 20-year-old

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00:10:36,460 --> 00:10:39,300

Kimberly Pandelios, a model and actress

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00:10:39,300 --> 00:10:41,980

who had disappeared a year before.

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00:10:41,980 --> 00:10:44,860

Kimberly was married and had a 14-month-old son.

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00:10:47,420 --> 00:10:51,620

On February 27th, 1992, Kimberly had told her husband

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00:10:51,620 --> 00:10:54,380

that she was scheduled to do an outdoor photo shoot.

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00:10:54,380 --> 00:10:57,780

Authorities believe she responded to an ad in a local paper.

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00:11:00,740 --> 00:11:03,060

The next day, her burned-out car was found

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00:11:03,060 --> 00:11:05,020

near the Monte Cristo campground section

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00:11:05,020 --> 00:11:07,660

of the Angeles National Forest.

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00:11:07,660 --> 00:11:11,540

A search of the immediate area turned up no clues.

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00:11:11,540 --> 00:11:13,980

Another year would pass before Kimberly's remains

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00:11:13,980 --> 00:11:16,340

were found a few miles from the spot

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00:11:16,340 --> 00:11:18,340

where Linda Sobek was buried.

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00:11:20,020 --> 00:11:21,740

We do have some similarities between the death

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00:11:21,740 --> 00:11:25,500

of Kimberly Pandelios and Linda Sobek.

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00:11:25,500 --> 00:11:27,780

We also have a person who has come forward

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00:11:27,780 --> 00:11:30,820

and indicated that they saw Kimberly Pandelios

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00:11:30,820 --> 00:11:33,180

in the company of Charles Rathburn

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00:11:33,180 --> 00:11:36,620

inside a Denny's restaurant shortly before her murder.

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00:11:38,380 --> 00:11:40,900

Two blonde models on photo shoots.

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00:11:40,900 --> 00:11:44,020

Two bodies found in the Angeles National Forest.

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00:11:44,020 --> 00:11:46,540

Two victims with known or reported ties

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00:11:46,540 --> 00:11:49,300

to photographer Charles Rathburn.

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00:11:49,300 --> 00:11:50,860

Despite the similarities,

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00:11:50,860 --> 00:11:53,780

the LA County Sheriff's Department believes it is too soon

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00:11:53,780 --> 00:11:56,300

to positively connect the two cases.

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00:11:57,840 --> 00:12:00,840

Share this video with Northeast Los Angeles National Forest

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00:12:00,840 --> 00:12:01,680

Security Libertadores.

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00:12:08,120 --> 00:12:10,680

Some parts of the entire declining population

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00:12:10,680 --> 00:12:11,900

have been reliable.

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00:12:11,900 --> 00:12:14,800

Right now, some of the red shots don't seem to be lying.

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00:12:14,800 --> 00:12:18,160

They have been rumored to have seen the Black■.

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00:12:18,160 --> 00:12:19,940

Only 8 precisely positive residents

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00:12:19,940 --> 00:12:22,840

truly have shown any REAL gör mà up but he has said

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00:12:22,840 --> 00:12:26,660

the black came to become a chatty guy.

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00:12:26,660 --> 00:12:43,100

April 6, 1963, a highway under construction.

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00:12:43,100 --> 00:12:45,540

A young single mother hurrying home to her three

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00:12:45,540 --> 00:12:50,380

small children in the blink of an eye, disaster.

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00:12:51,140 --> 00:12:53,340

In the blink of an eye, disaster.

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00:13:06,860 --> 00:13:09,820

26-year-old Patricia Lamarand of Toledo, Ohio,

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00:13:09,820 --> 00:13:11,820

was killed instantly.

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00:13:11,820 --> 00:13:13,980

A few miles away, Patricia's children

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00:13:13,980 --> 00:13:15,980

waited patiently and unknowingly

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00:13:15,980 --> 00:13:17,700

at the home of their great aunt.

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00:13:17,700 --> 00:13:19,380

Accident investigators believe she

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00:13:19,380 --> 00:13:23,340

lost control of the car along a section of the highway.

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00:13:23,340 --> 00:13:26,380

That evening, the flickering images on the television

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00:13:26,380 --> 00:13:28,580

brought the tragedy home.

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00:13:28,580 --> 00:13:30,660

Look, there's Mom's car and TV.

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00:13:33,340 --> 00:13:35,340

Suddenly, they were motherless.

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00:13:35,340 --> 00:13:39,020

Patricia's one-year-old son Craig, nicknamed Chipper,

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00:13:39,020 --> 00:13:41,860

two-year-old Christopher, Chrissy for short,

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00:13:41,860 --> 00:13:44,860

and four-year-old Tina.

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00:13:44,860 --> 00:13:48,860

The day before was my brother Chrissy's second birthday.

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00:13:48,860 --> 00:13:52,300

And I remember the birthday cake and the people at the party.

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00:13:52,300 --> 00:13:54,460

And my next memory goes immediately

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00:13:54,460 --> 00:13:58,180

to my aunt on the phone crying.

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00:13:58,180 --> 00:14:00,380

Tina had only the vaguest notion of something

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00:14:00,380 --> 00:14:02,060

terrible had happened.

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00:14:02,060 --> 00:14:04,500

She had no idea that she and her brothers were

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00:14:04,500 --> 00:14:08,300

about to be split up forever.

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00:14:08,300 --> 00:14:10,020

Chrissy and Chipper were eventually

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00:14:10,020 --> 00:14:13,300

handed over to foster care.

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00:14:13,300 --> 00:14:15,740

Tina was uprooted as well.

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00:14:15,740 --> 00:14:18,420

Lonely and confused, she left her great aunt's home

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00:14:18,420 --> 00:14:21,860

to live with her grandparents.

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00:14:21,860 --> 00:14:25,300

I do remember once my grandparents took custody of me

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00:14:25,300 --> 00:14:28,140

that I was very upset and could not

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00:14:28,140 --> 00:14:32,820

understand why my mother and my brothers were gone.

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00:14:32,820 --> 00:14:38,140

I felt as though I was bad that I had done something terribly

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00:14:38,140 --> 00:14:41,740

awful for all this to happen to me and for everybody

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00:14:41,740 --> 00:14:43,100

to have been taken from me.

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00:14:43,700 --> 00:14:50,540

As I grew up, I missed not having Chrissy and Chipper there.

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00:14:50,540 --> 00:14:55,740

I knew that they were somewhere and that I wanted to be with them.

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00:14:55,740 --> 00:15:01,140

But it was out of my control as to where any of us went.

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00:15:01,140 --> 00:15:03,820

And the older I got, the more I knew

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00:15:03,820 --> 00:15:06,860

I had the ability to find them.

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00:15:06,860 --> 00:15:09,780

Tina started looking when she was 16.

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00:15:09,780 --> 00:15:10,460

What is it?

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00:15:10,460 --> 00:15:12,300

It's the address of the foster home

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00:15:12,300 --> 00:15:14,460

where Chrissy and Chipper were taken.

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00:15:14,460 --> 00:15:16,340

Her great aunt gave her the first clues.

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00:15:16,340 --> 00:15:17,700

Is this where they live?

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00:15:17,700 --> 00:15:21,380

No, that's the place where they were taken.

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00:15:21,380 --> 00:15:25,900

I don't know what happened to them after that.

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00:15:25,900 --> 00:15:27,940

Tina found the house, only to learn

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00:15:27,940 --> 00:15:31,060

that Chrissy and Chipper's foster parents had moved.

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00:15:31,060 --> 00:15:33,900

She then went door to door, hoping the neighbors could help.

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00:15:42,540 --> 00:15:43,220

Hello.

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00:15:43,220 --> 00:15:43,940

Hi.

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00:15:43,940 --> 00:15:47,220

I'm trying to locate a family that used to take in foster kids.

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00:15:47,220 --> 00:15:51,420

I believe they lived next door to you about 15 years ago.

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00:15:51,420 --> 00:15:52,100

Oh, yeah.

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00:15:52,100 --> 00:15:53,340

Yeah, there was a family that they had

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00:15:53,340 --> 00:15:54,740

lots of foster kids over there.

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00:15:54,740 --> 00:15:55,260

Yeah.

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00:15:55,260 --> 00:15:56,740

I'm trying to find my two brothers.

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00:15:56,740 --> 00:15:58,140

Their names were Chipper and Chrissy,

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00:15:58,140 --> 00:16:01,540

and I believe they lived with her for a while.

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00:16:01,540 --> 00:16:02,860

I remember those two.

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00:16:02,860 --> 00:16:04,180

Yes, they're cute little boys.

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00:16:04,180 --> 00:16:04,660

Yeah.

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00:16:04,660 --> 00:16:05,540

I remember them.

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00:16:05,540 --> 00:16:06,540

I remember.

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00:16:06,540 --> 00:16:08,780

It was a long time ago, though.

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00:16:08,780 --> 00:16:11,780

Cynuller, her name was Doris Cynuller.

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00:16:11,780 --> 00:16:12,900

Doris Cynuller?

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00:16:12,900 --> 00:16:13,980

Yes.

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00:16:13,980 --> 00:16:14,980

I think she's a nurse.

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00:16:14,980 --> 00:16:16,260

Tina was elated.

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00:16:16,260 --> 00:16:18,180

She finally had a name.

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00:16:18,180 --> 00:16:20,500

She was only a phone call away from locating

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00:16:20,500 --> 00:16:22,580

her long lost brothers.

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00:16:22,580 --> 00:16:25,180

She never imagined it would take another eight years

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00:16:25,180 --> 00:16:29,820

to track down Doris Cynuller and make that call.

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00:16:29,820 --> 00:16:32,100

When I first told her who I was,

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00:16:32,100 --> 00:16:35,580

I asked her if she ever lived in Toledo, and she said yes.

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00:16:35,580 --> 00:16:37,900

And I asked her if she was ever a foster parent,

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00:16:37,900 --> 00:16:39,740

and she said yes.

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00:16:39,780 --> 00:16:42,980

And I told her I believed that she had fostered my brothers,

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00:16:42,980 --> 00:16:46,940

and she said, my babies, Chrissy and Chipper.

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00:16:46,940 --> 00:16:50,820

And I nearly fell off in my chair.

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00:16:50,820 --> 00:16:54,180

Doris had mothered Chrissy and Chipper for almost two years.

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00:16:54,180 --> 00:16:56,820

She loved them as her own until they were adopted

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00:16:56,820 --> 00:16:58,020

by a couple from Michigan.

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00:16:58,020 --> 00:17:00,420

Tina, I've been waiting for you.

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00:17:00,420 --> 00:17:02,980

Tina visited Doris as soon as she could.

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00:17:02,980 --> 00:17:06,380

She wanted to hear every detail.

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00:17:06,380 --> 00:17:07,420

This was taken at dear birth.

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00:17:07,420 --> 00:17:09,340

Doris gave Tina a glimpse into the life

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00:17:09,340 --> 00:17:13,820

she might have shared with her brothers.

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00:17:13,820 --> 00:17:21,220

Doris had saved everything, the home movies, the photographs,

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00:17:21,220 --> 00:17:24,820

even the boys' tiny bow ties.

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00:17:24,820 --> 00:17:26,140

These are the actual ties.

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00:17:26,140 --> 00:17:28,780

When I handed her the bow ties, I

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00:17:28,780 --> 00:17:33,380

had no intentions of letting her keep those bow ties.

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00:17:33,380 --> 00:17:35,540

But I didn't have the heart to take them back,

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00:17:35,540 --> 00:17:38,580

because she looked with them with such loving care,

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00:17:38,580 --> 00:17:39,940

and she couldn't speak.

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00:17:39,940 --> 00:17:41,460

She cried.

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00:17:41,460 --> 00:17:43,380

Oh, sweet.

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00:17:43,380 --> 00:17:46,980

It just felt as if they had actually worn these.

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00:17:46,980 --> 00:17:50,380

I was that much closer to them.

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00:17:50,380 --> 00:17:54,660

I just wanted to be able to be with them.

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00:17:54,660 --> 00:18:16,740

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00:18:16,740 --> 00:18:20,300

Coming up, one of Hollywood's most intriguing mysteries

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00:18:20,300 --> 00:18:24,540

was George Reeves' TV Superman killed by an irate husband.

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00:18:24,580 --> 00:18:26,460

But first, we'll take you to Wisconsin,

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00:18:26,460 --> 00:18:29,220

where the birth of a rare white buffalo calf turned a small

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00:18:29,220 --> 00:18:30,820

farmer to his spiritual mecca.

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00:18:30,820 --> 00:18:37,580

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00:18:37,580 --> 00:18:46,220

MUSIC

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00:18:46,220 --> 00:18:50,260

150 years ago, the buffalo ruled the Western Plains,

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00:18:50,260 --> 00:18:52,740

30 million strong, proud masters

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00:18:52,740 --> 00:18:55,780

of a vast uncharted land.

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00:18:55,780 --> 00:18:58,700

But today, the Great Plains are virtually empty.

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00:18:58,700 --> 00:19:02,940

Just 130,000 of those majestic creatures remain.

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00:19:02,940 --> 00:19:05,420

Most are on ranches or farms, such as this one

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00:19:05,420 --> 00:19:06,820

in Janesville, Wisconsin.

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00:19:09,860 --> 00:19:12,060

Dave Heider and his wife Valerie have been breeding

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00:19:12,060 --> 00:19:14,460

buffalo since 1989.

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00:19:14,460 --> 00:19:16,060

But nothing could have prepared Dave

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00:19:16,060 --> 00:19:20,180

for the remarkable events of August 20, 1994.

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00:19:20,180 --> 00:19:23,460

That morning, he went out to check on a pregnant cow,

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00:19:23,460 --> 00:19:28,820

what he discovered with changes life and his farm forever.

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00:19:28,820 --> 00:19:31,420

Well, I had it out into the pasture trying to find this cow.

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00:19:31,420 --> 00:19:37,180

And I found her on the eastmost corner of the pasture.

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00:19:37,180 --> 00:19:40,020

The cow stood up, and the calf stood up.

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00:19:40,020 --> 00:19:42,220

And she was in the shade, and the calf

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00:19:42,220 --> 00:19:48,580

looked funny color, real strange colored, like a gray.

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00:19:48,580 --> 00:19:50,380

The cow walked out into the sunlight,

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00:19:50,380 --> 00:19:53,500

and the calf followed her.

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00:19:53,500 --> 00:19:55,820

I could not believe what I was looking at.

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00:19:55,820 --> 00:20:00,060

She was as white as white could be, as white as snow.

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00:20:00,060 --> 00:20:03,500

It was nature at its most glorious and unpredictable.

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00:20:03,500 --> 00:20:08,900

The odds were 1 in 10 million, a white non-albino buffalo calf.

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00:20:08,900 --> 00:20:11,180

Fittingly, the hidlers named her Miracle.

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00:20:14,820 --> 00:20:17,260

As news of the extraordinary calf spread,

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00:20:17,260 --> 00:20:19,660

the hidlers were besieged by members of the Lakota Sioux

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00:20:19,660 --> 00:20:20,980

Nation.

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00:20:20,980 --> 00:20:24,060

To the Lakotas, Miracle was a profound gift,

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00:20:24,060 --> 00:20:26,900

a fulfillment of an ancient prophecy.

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00:20:26,900 --> 00:20:29,500

Almost overnight, the farm was transformed

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00:20:29,500 --> 00:20:32,820

into a religious shrine.

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00:20:32,820 --> 00:20:35,620

They came from all over the world here.

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00:20:35,620 --> 00:20:38,620

They would call from all over the world.

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00:20:38,620 --> 00:20:41,940

We had telephone calls every three minutes,

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00:20:41,940 --> 00:20:45,300

from 6.30 in the morning to 11.30 at night.

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00:20:45,340 --> 00:20:49,140

At one period, we had 2,300 people

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00:20:49,140 --> 00:20:54,140

through our driveway in a five-hour length of time.

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00:20:54,140 --> 00:20:56,460

And it was wall-to-wall people constantly.

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00:20:56,460 --> 00:20:59,540

It was like a wave that never ended.

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00:21:04,860 --> 00:21:08,500

Initially, the hidiers were confounded by all the commotion.

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00:21:08,500 --> 00:21:10,740

But as a flood tide of visitors continued,

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00:21:10,740 --> 00:21:13,220

Dave and Valerie soon learned the full significance

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00:21:13,260 --> 00:21:15,540

of the white buffalo calf.

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00:21:15,540 --> 00:21:18,340

This rare animal is at the heart of a hallowed legend,

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00:21:18,340 --> 00:21:21,460

handed down by the Lakota Sioux for some 600 years.

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00:21:25,460 --> 00:21:28,260

Arvel Lookinghorse of the Cheyenne River Reservation

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00:21:28,260 --> 00:21:31,220

is a spiritual leader of the Lakota Nation.

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00:21:31,220 --> 00:21:34,500

He is responsible for passing on the story of the white buffalo

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00:21:34,500 --> 00:21:37,380

calf to the next generation.

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00:21:37,380 --> 00:21:41,460

There was a time when the white buffalo calf woman,

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00:21:41,460 --> 00:21:45,740

she came to the people 19 generations ago.

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00:21:45,740 --> 00:21:47,700

According to the legend, two scouts

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00:21:47,700 --> 00:21:49,340

were set out during a great famine

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00:21:49,340 --> 00:21:51,780

to search for the buffalo herd.

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00:21:51,780 --> 00:21:55,820

As they crested one rise, they spied a lone white buffalo calf.

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00:21:55,820 --> 00:21:58,020

It was an amazing sight.

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00:21:58,020 --> 00:22:01,220

The braves watched in awe as the calf magically transformed

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00:22:01,220 --> 00:22:02,660

into a beautiful young maiden.

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00:22:08,020 --> 00:22:11,420

Four days later, the white buffalo calf woman appeared again

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00:22:11,460 --> 00:22:13,260

to the entire tribe.

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00:22:13,260 --> 00:22:15,700

She bore a sacred pipe and a coat of laws

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00:22:15,700 --> 00:22:18,380

as important to the Lakota as a 10 Commandments

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00:22:18,380 --> 00:22:19,460

art of Western religions.

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00:22:23,940 --> 00:22:26,340

The maiden promised that she would return once more

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00:22:26,340 --> 00:22:29,420

in 600 years as a white buffalo calf

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00:22:29,420 --> 00:22:33,980

to wash her in a period of peace and harmony.

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00:22:33,980 --> 00:22:38,420

I was told 19 generations ago she came when the cherries are

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00:22:38,420 --> 00:22:39,940

deepest red or black.

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00:22:39,940 --> 00:22:45,380

And that would be the last week in August.

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00:22:45,380 --> 00:22:48,620

And that's when 19 generations later,

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00:22:48,620 --> 00:22:52,420

this white buffalo calf is being born.

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00:22:52,420 --> 00:22:54,460

But if Miracle is the reincarnation

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00:22:54,460 --> 00:22:58,180

of the white buffalo calf woman, why is she here now?

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00:22:58,180 --> 00:23:03,340

The Lakota believe her return is tied to an ancient prophecy.

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00:23:03,340 --> 00:23:05,260

In the next five years, she's going

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00:23:05,260 --> 00:23:09,140

to show us natural disaster and man-made disaster.

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00:23:09,180 --> 00:23:10,940

It's going to be evil killing evil.

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00:23:13,780 --> 00:23:16,900

Floyd Han believes it will begin with great fires,

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00:23:16,900 --> 00:23:20,580

floods will follow, as well as earthquakes, typhoons,

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00:23:20,580 --> 00:23:23,540

and man-made disasters, pollution, and war.

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00:23:27,620 --> 00:23:29,340

The prophecy states a devastation

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00:23:29,340 --> 00:23:32,020

will continue for a full five years.

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00:23:32,020 --> 00:23:33,860

But as the onslaught wanes, harmony

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00:23:33,860 --> 00:23:36,820

will prevail, followed by an unprecedented period

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00:23:36,820 --> 00:23:37,740

of world peace.

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00:23:39,780 --> 00:23:40,580

There is hope.

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00:23:40,580 --> 00:23:42,980

There's no going to be no end of the world.

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00:23:42,980 --> 00:23:45,580

It's just that we've got to put our minds together

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00:23:45,580 --> 00:23:48,500

as concerning our mother earth.

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00:23:51,260 --> 00:23:54,300

Perhaps not surprisingly, offers to buy the buffalo calf

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00:23:54,300 --> 00:23:57,780

come in daily from such diverse people as media mogul Ted

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00:23:57,780 --> 00:23:59,660

Turner and rock star Ted Nugent.

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00:24:02,540 --> 00:24:04,260

She's not for sale.

444

00:24:04,260 --> 00:24:06,340

She will not leave here.

445

00:24:06,340 --> 00:24:07,820

She'll have to be here and see the effect

446

00:24:07,860 --> 00:24:12,260

that this calf has on people, how it changes their lives.

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00:24:12,260 --> 00:24:16,180

Something that is sacred and holy is what that calf is.

448

00:24:16,180 --> 00:24:18,460

You can't put a price on it.

449

00:24:18,460 --> 00:24:24,300

That calf was sent here for us to be like a caretaker to it,

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00:24:24,300 --> 00:24:26,420

for all people to come see.

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00:24:26,420 --> 00:24:29,620

The Catholics, Protestants, they've all been here.

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00:24:29,620 --> 00:24:30,660

You'll see rosaries.

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00:24:30,660 --> 00:24:35,180

You'll see everything on the gate from anything

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00:24:35,180 --> 00:24:36,500

that is very important to them.

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00:24:36,500 --> 00:24:39,020

They will leave on the gate.

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00:24:39,020 --> 00:24:43,060

A lady came to baptize her baby.

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00:24:43,060 --> 00:24:47,180

She put her baby's hand through the fence

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00:24:47,180 --> 00:24:48,180

and held it there.

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00:24:48,180 --> 00:24:50,820

And the calf come right up and put her head right

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00:24:50,820 --> 00:24:53,060

under the baby's hand and stayed there

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00:24:53,060 --> 00:24:55,540

through the whole little ceremony.

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00:24:55,540 --> 00:24:59,500

And when she was all day all done, she just backed off

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00:24:59,500 --> 00:25:01,140

and she pulled the baby's hand back

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00:25:01,140 --> 00:25:05,980

and was just unbelievable.

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00:25:06,020 --> 00:25:08,260

Unbelievable indeed.

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00:25:08,260 --> 00:25:10,220

Apparently, the miracle calf has already

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00:25:10,220 --> 00:25:12,700

fulfilled one portion of the prophecy,

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00:25:12,700 --> 00:25:17,660

changing colors four times from white to black to red

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00:25:17,660 --> 00:25:19,380

and now yellow.

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00:25:19,380 --> 00:25:21,860

This is the world-renowned white buffalo,

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00:25:21,860 --> 00:25:23,500

which is not so white anymore.

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00:25:23,500 --> 00:25:25,540

Yeah.

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00:25:25,540 --> 00:25:27,020

And she's one of these four.

474

00:25:27,020 --> 00:25:28,860

Do you think you can pick her out?

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00:25:29,780 --> 00:25:34,780

Ladies and gentlemen, there is the star.

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00:25:34,780 --> 00:25:39,780

I have seen people from all over the world come here.

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00:25:39,780 --> 00:25:42,780

And when they walk away, there's something different

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00:25:42,780 --> 00:25:46,780

about them, which is spiritual awakening.

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00:25:46,780 --> 00:25:50,820

But the message she brought to us is the time has come

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00:25:50,820 --> 00:25:54,580

for us to live through peace, love, and harmony.

481

00:25:55,520 --> 00:26:01,060

Next, authorities need your help to track down

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00:26:01,060 --> 00:26:12,200

a man accused of rape.

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00:26:12,680 --> 00:26:15,360

And you are, like, really enjoying

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00:26:15,360 --> 00:26:17,340

your gravel infringement.

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00:26:17,340 --> 00:26:18,600

Come back.

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00:26:18,600 --> 00:26:19,860

Let's work hard.

487

00:26:19,860 --> 00:26:21,000

Support us.

488

00:26:21,000 --> 00:26:22,820

Send us a call.

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00:26:22,820 --> 00:26:23,720

accused of rape.

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00:26:36,900 --> 00:26:41,420

This story is about a rape survivor called her Deidre.

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00:26:41,420 --> 00:26:43,620

Despite her intense trauma, Deidre refuses

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00:26:43,620 --> 00:26:46,100

to let her living nightmare destroyer.

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00:26:46,100 --> 00:26:48,860

She wants to fight back by finding the man who raped her

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00:26:48,860 --> 00:26:50,980

and putting him behind bars.

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00:26:50,980 --> 00:26:52,860

But she cannot do it alone.

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00:26:52,860 --> 00:26:54,260

She needs your help.

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00:26:58,020 --> 00:27:00,780

For years, Deidre lived on New York City's fashionable

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00:27:00,780 --> 00:27:02,260

Upper East Side.

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00:27:02,260 --> 00:27:04,540

It is normally a very expensive area.

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00:27:04,540 --> 00:27:08,780

But Deidre had lucked into a rent stabilized apartment.

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00:27:08,780 --> 00:27:10,140

Eventually, however, the building

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00:27:10,140 --> 00:27:12,140

was slated to be torn down.

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00:27:12,140 --> 00:27:14,620

As leases ran out, the tenants moved.

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00:27:14,620 --> 00:27:18,340

By early 1992, Deidre was the only tenant left,

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00:27:18,340 --> 00:27:20,260

the only person living in the building which

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00:27:20,260 --> 00:27:21,820

was badly in need of repair.

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00:27:25,380 --> 00:27:28,060

In the end, it was one of those repairs,

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00:27:28,060 --> 00:27:30,700

a leaky ceiling that led Deidre to disaster.

509

00:27:30,700 --> 00:27:31,820

Yes.

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00:27:31,820 --> 00:27:32,660

It's me again.

511

00:27:32,660 --> 00:27:33,220

Sorry.

512

00:27:33,220 --> 00:27:35,180

It's just a mess today.

513

00:27:35,180 --> 00:27:37,100

We've got to get it fixed.

514

00:27:37,100 --> 00:27:39,500

The landlord agreed to send someone.

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00:27:39,500 --> 00:27:44,460

He hired a 31-year-old handyman named David Gause.

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00:27:44,460 --> 00:27:47,220

When he was first hired, it didn't seem strange at all.

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00:27:47,220 --> 00:27:48,940

It was just somebody else coming in

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00:27:48,940 --> 00:27:50,660

to do some work in the building.

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00:27:50,660 --> 00:27:51,180

That's all.

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00:27:54,020 --> 00:27:58,020

After Gause fixed the ceiling, the landlord gave him more work.

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00:27:58,020 --> 00:28:00,460

While Gause did the repairs, he lived temporarily

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00:28:00,460 --> 00:28:04,100

in a basement apartment.

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00:28:04,100 --> 00:28:08,500

One night, late at night, I smelled smoke downstairs.

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00:28:08,500 --> 00:28:10,380

And I went running down.

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00:28:10,380 --> 00:28:11,540

David, are you down there?

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00:28:11,540 --> 00:28:13,500

I smell smoke.

527

00:28:13,500 --> 00:28:14,620

Oh, no.

528

00:28:14,620 --> 00:28:16,780

I was just cooking soup in a can.

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00:28:16,780 --> 00:28:17,580

Are you crazy?

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00:28:17,580 --> 00:28:19,300

You could run the place down.

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00:28:19,300 --> 00:28:20,100

No, I was just.

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00:28:20,100 --> 00:28:22,540

I said, if you're ever going to cook again,

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00:28:22,540 --> 00:28:24,700

why don't you come up and ask me if you can borrow a pan,

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00:28:24,700 --> 00:28:26,820

because I really don't want the building to burn down.

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00:28:30,220 --> 00:28:34,500

March 29, 1992, 9.30 AM.

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00:28:34,500 --> 00:28:35,420

Who is it?

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00:28:35,420 --> 00:28:36,060

David.

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00:28:36,060 --> 00:28:39,060

Oh, David.

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00:28:39,060 --> 00:28:42,220

I thought you were coming up yesterday to paint the ceiling.

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00:28:42,220 --> 00:28:43,220

I had other things to do.

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00:28:43,220 --> 00:28:44,540

I couldn't make it.

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00:28:44,540 --> 00:28:46,540

I came up to borrow a frying pan.

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00:28:46,580 --> 00:28:47,260

Oh, OK.

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00:28:47,260 --> 00:28:48,060

Just a sec.

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00:28:55,500 --> 00:28:56,620

Here you go.

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00:28:56,620 --> 00:28:58,300

Hey, what are you doing?

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00:28:58,300 --> 00:28:59,300

Is it a joke?

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00:28:59,300 --> 00:29:00,300

No, it's no joke.

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00:29:07,300 --> 00:29:10,860

After he raped me, it seemed like he was calmer.

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00:29:10,860 --> 00:29:14,260

But then he got a crazy look in his eye again.

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00:29:14,260 --> 00:29:18,660

And he took a nice pick out of his pocket.

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00:29:18,660 --> 00:29:22,620

I thought for sure that he was going to kill me.

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00:29:26,340 --> 00:29:29,900

Deidre was willing to try anything to save her life.

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00:29:29,900 --> 00:29:32,940

She hid on a desperate ploy.

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00:29:32,940 --> 00:29:34,540

No, no, listen, you don't understand.

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00:29:34,540 --> 00:29:36,380

Wait, no, we could be together.

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00:29:36,380 --> 00:29:38,980

I made him believe that he was my boyfriend.

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00:29:38,980 --> 00:29:40,820

It totally disarmed him.

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00:29:40,820 --> 00:29:43,580

He got really confused about the whole thing.

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00:29:43,580 --> 00:29:44,380

I have this other money.

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00:29:44,380 --> 00:29:45,280

Take this too.

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00:29:45,280 --> 00:29:46,580

Yes, go find those guys.

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00:29:46,580 --> 00:29:48,460

Pay them the money and come back.

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00:29:48,460 --> 00:29:49,460

We'll go for breakfast.

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00:29:49,460 --> 00:29:50,420

We'll be together.

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00:29:50,420 --> 00:29:51,940

The ploy worked.

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00:29:51,940 --> 00:29:54,580

Gauze claimed he needed money to pay a debt.

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00:29:54,580 --> 00:29:55,940

Deidre gave him all she had.

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00:30:02,380 --> 00:30:06,100

Deidre's called a 911 brought an immediate response.

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00:30:06,100 --> 00:30:07,780

Yeah, I'm up here.

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00:30:07,780 --> 00:30:08,680

Calm down.

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00:30:08,680 --> 00:30:09,620

I'll come you right up.

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00:30:09,620 --> 00:30:11,420

But David Gauze was long gone.

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00:30:14,260 --> 00:30:17,980

At the police station detect his ran a background check

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00:30:17,980 --> 00:30:19,260

on Gauze.

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00:30:19,260 --> 00:30:21,900

It quickly turned up a long list of previous arrests

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00:30:21,900 --> 00:30:25,260

and felony convictions, including armed robbery, assault,

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00:30:25,260 --> 00:30:26,220

and grand larceny.

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00:30:28,820 --> 00:30:30,500

OK, Deidre, now what we're going to do

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00:30:30,500 --> 00:30:33,380

is I'm going to show you a series of six pictures.

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00:30:33,380 --> 00:30:35,460

And let me know if you recognize anybody, OK?

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00:30:35,460 --> 00:30:36,360

OK.

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00:30:41,580 --> 00:30:43,180

It's him.

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00:30:43,180 --> 00:30:47,540

After we identified David Gauze as the person who raped

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00:30:47,540 --> 00:30:50,940

Deidre, I also contacted other police departments

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00:30:50,940 --> 00:30:53,260

and learned that David Gauze was also

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00:30:53,260 --> 00:30:56,980

wanted for a rape that occurred in Nassau County, Long Island.

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00:30:56,980 --> 00:30:59,860

In that rape, he raped an acquaintance of his

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00:30:59,860 --> 00:31:03,260

and a warrant was issued for his arrest.

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00:31:03,260 --> 00:31:06,380

David Gauze has not been seen in three and a half years.

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00:31:06,380 --> 00:31:08,260

The police currently have no leads,

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00:31:08,260 --> 00:31:11,980

but they fear Gauze will rape again.

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00:31:11,980 --> 00:31:15,940

Rape is a crime that is usually repeated

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00:31:15,940 --> 00:31:18,180

until they're caught and put away.

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00:31:18,180 --> 00:31:22,180

So there's no doubt in my mind if David Gauze is not caught,

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00:31:22,180 --> 00:31:24,820

that he will go on doing what he's used to doing,

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00:31:24,820 --> 00:31:25,500

raping women.

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00:31:28,140 --> 00:31:32,460

It's been three and a half years and it still affects my life.

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00:31:32,460 --> 00:31:34,780

I don't trust anybody.

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00:31:34,780 --> 00:31:37,580

There's no enjoyment left.

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00:31:37,580 --> 00:31:39,460

I know that he's raping other women,

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00:31:39,460 --> 00:31:42,780

and I know that other lives are being destroyed.

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00:31:42,780 --> 00:31:45,900

I'd like to see him off the streets.

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00:31:45,900 --> 00:31:48,300

I'd like to see him put away forever.

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00:32:10,460 --> 00:32:14,100

When we return, the shooting death of television actor

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00:32:14,100 --> 00:32:17,260

George Reeve still has many researchers wondering,

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00:32:17,260 --> 00:32:18,740

who killed Superman?

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00:32:31,740 --> 00:32:33,060

Faster than a speeding bullet.

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00:32:36,380 --> 00:32:37,860

More powerful than a locomotive.

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00:32:40,220 --> 00:32:43,380

Able to leap tall buildings at a single bound.

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00:32:43,380 --> 00:32:44,740

Look, up in the sky.

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00:32:44,740 --> 00:32:45,540

It's a bird.

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00:32:45,540 --> 00:32:46,340

It's a plane.

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00:32:46,340 --> 00:32:47,540

It's Superman.

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00:32:47,540 --> 00:32:49,100

Yes, it's Superman.

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00:32:49,100 --> 00:32:52,700

In the 1950s, millions of TV viewers across America

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00:32:52,700 --> 00:32:55,260

knew actor George Reeve as Superman,

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00:32:55,260 --> 00:32:58,980

the man of steel, both indestructible and invincible.

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00:32:58,980 --> 00:33:02,940

Then steel in his bare hand.

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00:33:02,940 --> 00:33:05,980

Then came June 16, 1959.

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00:33:06,060 --> 00:33:08,860

At about 1 30 AM, Los Angeles police

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00:33:08,860 --> 00:33:11,340

raced to George Reeve's fashionable Hollywood Hills

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00:33:11,340 --> 00:33:11,840

home.

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00:33:17,100 --> 00:33:20,740

Upstairs, they found George Reeve sprawled across his bed.

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00:33:20,740 --> 00:33:23,940

He had died from a single gunshot wound to his right temple.

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00:33:27,420 --> 00:33:30,260

Police quickly ruled Reeve's death a suicide.

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00:33:30,260 --> 00:33:32,180

Yet within a week, some people began

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00:33:32,180 --> 00:33:34,020

to question that ruling.

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00:33:34,020 --> 00:33:35,860

It was a beginning of a controversy

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00:33:35,860 --> 00:33:39,780

which continues to this day.

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00:33:39,780 --> 00:33:42,380

It doesn't make sense that George Reeve's committed suicide

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00:33:42,380 --> 00:33:44,980

because the evidence doesn't support that.

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00:33:44,980 --> 00:33:47,180

I don't believe that George Reeve's killed himself.

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00:33:47,180 --> 00:33:49,060

I believe that he was murdered.

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00:33:51,860 --> 00:33:54,100

Who killed Superman?

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00:33:54,100 --> 00:33:56,620

For nearly four decades, at mysterious tantalizing

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00:33:56,620 --> 00:33:59,180

and fascinated Hollywood, those who

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00:33:59,180 --> 00:34:01,340

believe George Reeve's met with foul play

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00:34:01,340 --> 00:34:03,300

say a woman was behind it.

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00:34:03,300 --> 00:34:05,020

But what woman?

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00:34:05,020 --> 00:34:06,660

At the time of his death, Reeve's

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00:34:06,660 --> 00:34:09,620

was at the vortex of a twisted double love triangle which

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00:34:09,620 --> 00:34:11,700

would have shocked as many loyal fans.

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00:34:15,220 --> 00:34:20,060

In 1952, George Reeve became an overnight star as Superman.

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00:34:20,060 --> 00:34:21,820

Just four years earlier, he had been

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00:34:21,820 --> 00:34:25,380

forced to eke out a living by digging septic tanks.

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00:34:25,380 --> 00:34:28,020

One of his Superman co-stars was Jack Larson,

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00:34:28,020 --> 00:34:30,820

who played Jimmy Olsen.

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00:34:30,820 --> 00:34:33,260

I didn't know what I was getting into.

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00:34:33,260 --> 00:34:36,620

My presumption, as I'm sure George's was,

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00:34:36,620 --> 00:34:39,060

no one will probably ever see this.

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00:34:39,060 --> 00:34:40,060

And we became famous.

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00:34:40,060 --> 00:34:41,460

I mean, we became hot.

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00:34:41,460 --> 00:34:44,500

And I was just a guy around New York

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00:34:44,500 --> 00:34:46,180

who some people would say, hey, didn't I

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00:34:46,180 --> 00:34:49,140

see you in the Alco or a bit of a lunch counter?

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00:34:49,140 --> 00:34:50,620

And suddenly, I was Jimmy Olsen.

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00:34:50,620 --> 00:35:00,260

The End

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00:35:00,260 --> 00:35:02,660

Away from the cameras, in his love life, at least,

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00:35:02,660 --> 00:35:07,300

Reeve's bore little resemblance to the TV superhero.

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00:35:07,300 --> 00:35:10,300

His teddy girl friend was Tony Manix, a former Ziegfeld

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00:35:10,300 --> 00:35:14,340

showgirl, eight years his senior.

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00:35:14,340 --> 00:35:16,700

Tony, however, was a married woman.

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00:35:16,700 --> 00:35:19,820

Her husband, Eddie Manix, had been vice president of MGM

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00:35:19,860 --> 00:35:22,780

and was still a powerful force in Hollywood.

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00:35:22,780 --> 00:35:25,660

No one knows why, but Manix encouraged his wife's

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00:35:25,660 --> 00:35:26,740

involvement with Reeve's.

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00:35:29,540 --> 00:35:31,300

The relationship between George and Tony

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00:35:31,300 --> 00:35:33,740

was a very open relationship.

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00:35:33,740 --> 00:35:36,180

She took care of George very well.

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00:35:36,180 --> 00:35:40,620

The car that he drove was bought by Tony in the house

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00:35:40,620 --> 00:35:43,140

that he lived in was Tony's house.

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00:35:43,140 --> 00:35:45,340

But something happened in late 58

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00:35:45,340 --> 00:35:47,980

that broke that relationship off.

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00:35:50,020 --> 00:35:53,020

Tony Manix was devastated by the breakup,

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00:35:53,020 --> 00:35:55,460

but George moved on quickly.

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00:35:55,460 --> 00:35:58,300

He soon began spending his time with Lenore Lemon,

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00:35:58,300 --> 00:36:01,180

a member of the New York Cafe Society, much younger

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00:36:01,180 --> 00:36:02,780

and much wilder than Tony Manix.

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00:36:05,340 --> 00:36:07,820

She had a reputation, a bad reputation,

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00:36:07,820 --> 00:36:10,780

for fights in clubs in New York.

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00:36:10,780 --> 00:36:14,300

I think George liked the excitement that he found with her.

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00:36:17,100 --> 00:36:18,740

Another George.

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00:36:19,100 --> 00:36:20,220

Yes, please, there.

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00:36:20,220 --> 00:36:22,260

On the night George Reeves died, his life

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00:36:22,260 --> 00:36:25,100

was not as perfect as it might have appeared.

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00:36:25,100 --> 00:36:28,380

Although he pampered Lenore and they were reportedly engaged,

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00:36:28,380 --> 00:36:30,580

Reeves could not keep up the lavish lifestyle

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00:36:30,580 --> 00:36:32,580

he had enjoyed with Tony.

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00:36:32,580 --> 00:36:36,420

Cut off from her money, the bills were piling up.

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00:36:36,420 --> 00:36:39,380

Moreover, Reeves hadn't filmed a new episode of Superman

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00:36:39,380 --> 00:36:40,980

in two years.

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00:36:40,980 --> 00:36:42,540

It was the perfume.

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00:36:42,540 --> 00:36:46,740

I think George Reeves was going through a midlife crisis.

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00:36:46,740 --> 00:36:50,060

There are reports that George was planning to marry Lenore

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00:36:50,060 --> 00:36:50,940

Lemon.

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00:36:50,940 --> 00:36:52,100

I don't think he was going to do that.

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00:36:52,100 --> 00:36:56,140

And that's where I think an argument came up.

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00:36:58,860 --> 00:37:02,100

By midnight, only Lenore Lemon and writer Robert Condon

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00:37:02,100 --> 00:37:04,820

remained at the house with Reeves.

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00:37:04,820 --> 00:37:06,980

Shortly thereafter, two neighbors stopped

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00:37:06,980 --> 00:37:08,180

by looking for a party.

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00:37:14,340 --> 00:37:15,700

The bar is closed.

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00:37:17,740 --> 00:37:19,300

Uh, I'm sorry.

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00:37:19,300 --> 00:37:22,740

According to Jim Note, Lenore became increasingly agitated

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00:37:22,740 --> 00:37:24,700

about the way Reeves treated the guests.

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00:37:24,700 --> 00:37:26,220

George, look what you've done.

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00:37:26,220 --> 00:37:27,140

Fine.

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00:37:27,140 --> 00:37:30,180

I think this made Lenore Lemon very angry

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00:37:30,180 --> 00:37:32,500

that he treated a friend like that.

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00:37:32,500 --> 00:37:35,420

She went up and I think an argument started.

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00:37:35,420 --> 00:37:38,420

I think George at that time told her that he had no plans

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00:37:38,420 --> 00:37:42,420

to marry her and that she became very angry and pulled out

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00:37:42,420 --> 00:37:42,900

a gun.

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00:37:42,900 --> 00:37:46,980

And I don't think on purpose, but I think accidentally

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00:37:46,980 --> 00:37:48,380

shot George.

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00:37:48,380 --> 00:37:51,140

And exactly what did you hear?

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00:37:51,140 --> 00:37:54,900

Well, we were downstairs and we heard a shot.

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00:37:54,900 --> 00:37:55,740

We went upstairs.

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00:37:55,740 --> 00:37:59,180

Half an hour passed before the police were notified.

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00:37:59,180 --> 00:38:01,540

Jim Note believes the party goers needed time

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00:38:01,540 --> 00:38:03,140

to come up with a consistent story.

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00:38:03,140 --> 00:38:05,100

And Ray Carroll was with William?

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00:38:05,100 --> 00:38:06,180

One question.

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00:38:06,180 --> 00:38:08,700

Everyone said Reeves had been alone in his bedroom

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00:38:08,700 --> 00:38:10,900

that he had shot himself.

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00:38:10,900 --> 00:38:12,060

He was up there alone.

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00:38:12,060 --> 00:38:15,380

Immediately, the police ruled Reeves' death a suicide,

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00:38:15,380 --> 00:38:19,420

despite some rather curious evidence.

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00:38:19,420 --> 00:38:23,820

A 30-caliber Luger pistol lay on the floor between Reeves' legs.

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00:38:23,820 --> 00:38:26,380

But there were no fingerprints on the gun.

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00:38:26,380 --> 00:38:27,660

The bullet's in the ceiling.

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00:38:27,660 --> 00:38:29,860

The bullet had passed through Reeves' skull

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00:38:29,860 --> 00:38:32,500

and lodged in the ceiling above his bed.

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00:38:32,500 --> 00:38:35,060

And strangely, the fatal shell casing

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00:38:35,060 --> 00:38:37,260

was found underneath Reeves' body.

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00:38:42,420 --> 00:38:45,420

If George Reeves had committed suicide and held the gun

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00:38:45,420 --> 00:38:47,420

to his head, the bullet casing would

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00:38:47,420 --> 00:38:49,380

have been expelled away from his body,

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00:38:49,380 --> 00:38:52,580

not in back of his body where he would have fallen on it.

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00:38:52,580 --> 00:38:55,060

There were no powder burns in his hands.

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00:38:55,060 --> 00:38:57,300

There were no powder burns in his head,

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00:38:57,300 --> 00:39:00,340

which means that the gun was held far enough away from his head

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00:39:00,340 --> 00:39:02,260

that there weren't any powder burns.

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00:39:02,260 --> 00:39:05,940

Somebody else pulled that trigger.

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00:39:05,940 --> 00:39:08,980

But was Lenore Lemon that somebody else?

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00:39:08,980 --> 00:39:10,660

Writer and researcher Michael Haid

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00:39:10,660 --> 00:39:12,860

has an even darker theory.

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00:39:12,860 --> 00:39:15,580

He believes that George Reeves' death was a direct result

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00:39:15,580 --> 00:39:17,900

of his illicit affair with Tony Manix

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00:39:17,900 --> 00:39:22,420

and her husband Eddie's anger over Reeves ending it.

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00:39:22,420 --> 00:39:24,860

I believe that the man was murdered.

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00:39:24,860 --> 00:39:29,660

I believe that Eddie Manix, tired of listening to his wife

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00:39:29,660 --> 00:39:32,300

grieve and obsess over George Reeves,

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00:39:32,300 --> 00:39:36,700

decided that it was time to take some action.

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00:39:36,700 --> 00:39:39,660

It was my understanding that George's house was pretty much

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00:39:39,660 --> 00:39:41,980

an open house, and I think it was relatively easy for Eddie

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00:39:41,980 --> 00:39:45,180

Manix to send someone over to the house

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00:39:45,180 --> 00:39:48,020

during the course of a party that may have been going on.

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00:39:48,020 --> 00:39:50,820

And Eddie Manix had the guy killed.

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00:39:50,820 --> 00:39:53,620

Hey, Georgie boy.

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00:39:53,620 --> 00:39:54,620

Where are you?

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00:39:59,380 --> 00:40:00,820

George?

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00:40:00,820 --> 00:40:05,020

That Eddie Manix, by the end of the 50s, who was retiring,

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00:40:05,020 --> 00:40:07,900

would endanger his life and the end of his life

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00:40:07,900 --> 00:40:12,620

by having something nefarious done to George

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00:40:12,620 --> 00:40:16,020

is to my mind ludicrous.

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00:40:16,020 --> 00:40:18,260

But what about the physical evidence?

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00:40:18,260 --> 00:40:21,900

No fingerprints on the gun, the shell casing underneath

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00:40:21,900 --> 00:40:27,340

Reeves' body, the lack of powder burns on his hands or head?

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00:40:27,340 --> 00:40:29,460

The absence of powder burns raises a question in a lot

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00:40:29,460 --> 00:40:32,260

of people's minds because most people have a misconception

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00:40:32,260 --> 00:40:33,420

about powder burns.

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00:40:33,420 --> 00:40:36,420

They believe that powder burns happen when a weapon is placed

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00:40:36,420 --> 00:40:38,140

up against the skin.

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00:40:38,140 --> 00:40:39,180

That's not the case.

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00:40:39,180 --> 00:40:41,380

When the weapon is placed against the skin,

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00:40:41,380 --> 00:40:43,860

the powder goes into the wound and does not

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00:40:43,860 --> 00:40:46,540

burn the outside of the skin.

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00:40:46,540 --> 00:40:50,940

The police found no evidence of fingerprints on the weapon.

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00:40:50,940 --> 00:40:55,420

George was a gun collector, and he kept his weapons well oiled.

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00:40:55,420 --> 00:40:57,740

Well, a thick coat of oil won't hold fingerprints

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00:40:57,740 --> 00:40:59,980

any more than water will.

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00:40:59,980 --> 00:41:01,420

OK, take him.

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00:41:01,420 --> 00:41:03,780

Perhaps the most difficult fact to explain

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00:41:03,780 --> 00:41:07,260

is how the shell casing got under the body.

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00:41:07,260 --> 00:41:10,740

The 30 caliber Luger is designed to eject the shell upwards

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00:41:10,740 --> 00:41:12,820

and away from the shooter.

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00:41:12,820 --> 00:41:17,420

Most people think that couldn't put the shell behind him.

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00:41:17,420 --> 00:41:20,900

However, if the gun was fired this way,

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00:41:20,900 --> 00:41:23,020

it would eject the shell downward, for example.

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00:41:28,700 --> 00:41:30,460

According to the autopsy report,

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00:41:30,460 --> 00:41:32,420

the bullet entered Reeves' head about one inch

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00:41:32,420 --> 00:41:34,060

above his right ear.

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00:41:34,060 --> 00:41:36,380

It exited about one and three quarters of an inch

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00:41:36,380 --> 00:41:39,700

above the left ear, then lodged in the ceiling.

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00:41:39,700 --> 00:41:42,380

The bullet trajectory suggests that Reeves' head was tilted

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00:41:42,380 --> 00:41:43,940

when the gun was fired.

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00:41:43,940 --> 00:41:48,300

Consequently, he may have held the gun in an odd position.

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00:41:48,300 --> 00:41:52,660

If George had held the gun not this way, but in this way,

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00:41:52,660 --> 00:41:55,900

the more comfortable and natural position,

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00:41:55,900 --> 00:41:59,100

he would have ejected the shell directly behind him

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00:41:59,100 --> 00:42:02,100

and onto the bed.

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00:42:02,100 --> 00:42:04,820

But why would Superman kill himself?

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00:42:04,820 --> 00:42:06,620

Jack Larson believes that Reeves was

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00:42:06,620 --> 00:42:09,780

despondent over his lack of work.

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00:42:09,780 --> 00:42:10,620

He couldn't get a job.

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00:42:10,620 --> 00:42:11,900

I couldn't get a job.

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00:42:11,900 --> 00:42:14,260

In the United States, I was too typed, as Jimmy Holt.

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00:42:14,260 --> 00:42:14,900

Absolutely typed.

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00:42:14,900 --> 00:42:17,260

Nobody wanted me to work at all.

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00:42:17,260 --> 00:42:18,500

I don't know what happened to George.

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00:42:18,500 --> 00:42:20,700

I only had a bow tie and a sweater to worry about George

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00:42:20,700 --> 00:42:22,620

and the Superman outfit.

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00:42:22,620 --> 00:42:27,300

So I was depressed, and I accepted instantly

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00:42:27,300 --> 00:42:29,220

that he had committed suicide.

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00:42:29,220 --> 00:42:32,660

There is evidence to support all three theories about his death.

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00:42:32,660 --> 00:42:35,140

I think there is evidence to support suicide.

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00:42:35,140 --> 00:42:38,140

There is evidence to support a tragic accident.

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00:42:38,140 --> 00:42:40,300

And there is evidence to support murder.

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00:42:40,300 --> 00:42:44,220

The only people who know how George Reeves died

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00:42:44,220 --> 00:42:45,980

are no longer with us.

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00:42:45,980 --> 00:42:48,780

Yes, it's Superman, a strange visitor from another place.

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00:42:48,780 --> 00:42:50,540

Who killed Superman?

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00:42:50,540 --> 00:42:52,060

Was George Reeves' death the result

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00:42:52,060 --> 00:42:54,540

of a secretive and perilous love triangle?

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00:42:54,540 --> 00:42:57,100

Or was he the victim of a depression so profound

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00:42:57,100 --> 00:42:59,620

that he took his own life?

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00:42:59,620 --> 00:43:01,620

Perhaps we will never know.

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00:43:01,620 --> 00:43:05,780

Perhaps this is one case destined to remain an unsolved mystery.

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00:43:05,780 --> 00:43:10,020

An ever-ending battle for truth, justice, and the American way.

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00:43:22,420 --> 00:43:25,140

Join me again this Friday at our regular time

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00:43:25,140 --> 00:43:27,940

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