



R O S S C O U L T H A R T

1  
00:00:14,660 --> 00:00:18,110  
thank you

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00:00:18,120 --> 00:00:49,369  
[Music]

3  
00:01:08,710 --> 00:00:51,280  
foreign

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00:01:13,370 --> 00:01:11,810  
news was the Senate hearings with Dr

5  
00:01:16,550 --> 00:01:13,380  
Kirkpatrick we met him for the first

6  
00:01:19,490 --> 00:01:16,560  
time what are your shots I heard that

7  
00:01:24,410 --> 00:01:19,500  
you loved it you were absolutely floored

8  
00:01:31,789 --> 00:01:28,850  
[Laughter]

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00:01:34,190 --> 00:01:31,799  
okay I I got the impression that Dr

10  
00:01:37,510 --> 00:01:34,200  
Kirkpatrick really didn't really want to

11  
00:01:40,010 --> 00:01:37,520  
be there I uh yeah

12  
00:01:42,350 --> 00:01:40,020  
I had the very strong impression that he

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00:01:43,789 --> 00:01:42,360

was begrudgingly giving evidence and

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00:01:47,510 --> 00:01:43,799

there's

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00:01:48,950 --> 00:01:47,520

uh he's in a he's in a dual Dilemma on

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00:01:50,749 --> 00:01:48,960

the one hand he has to be held

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00:01:53,810 --> 00:01:50,759

accountable by public officials and

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00:01:55,490 --> 00:01:53,820

congressmen and Senators but um the the

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00:01:57,710 --> 00:01:55,500

simple fact is he obviously doesn't like

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00:02:01,010 --> 00:01:57,720

it he he didn't want to be there he

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00:02:02,270 --> 00:02:01,020

wanted to be somewhere else and I think

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00:02:04,310 --> 00:02:02,280

it's great I mean I think one of the

23

00:02:08,029 --> 00:02:04,320

things I admire about America is that it

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00:02:10,190 --> 00:02:08,039

holds your it holds your executive arm

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00:02:14,750 --> 00:02:10,200

of government to account there's a um

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00:02:17,630 --> 00:02:14,760

there's a really good uh oversight role

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00:02:19,850 --> 00:02:17,640

by the Congress and also by the um the

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00:02:21,589 --> 00:02:19,860

government Accounting Office the GAO and

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00:02:23,809 --> 00:02:21,599

all of the various Sportsmen and

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00:02:26,150 --> 00:02:23,819

oversight roles it's it's actually

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00:02:28,010 --> 00:02:26,160

really important but in terms of public

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00:02:30,530 --> 00:02:28,020

officials I had the really strong sense

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00:02:36,110 --> 00:02:30,540

that he didn't want to be there yeah and

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00:02:38,089 --> 00:02:36,120

frankly I I I I thought that at best his

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00:02:41,570 --> 00:02:38,099

assertion that there is no credible

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00:02:43,070 --> 00:02:41,580

evidence to suggest a possible non-human

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00:02:46,130 --> 00:02:43,080

intelligence might be behind the

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00:02:49,070 --> 00:02:46,140

phenomenon uh was it best disingenuous

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00:02:51,290 --> 00:02:49,080

because um I know I know for a simple

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00:02:53,869 --> 00:02:51,300

fact that Dr Kirkpatrick has been

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00:02:56,390 --> 00:02:53,879

advised otherwise by highly critical

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00:02:58,430 --> 00:02:56,400

Witnesses before the Congress yeah so

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00:03:00,170 --> 00:02:58,440

you know that's right well not so much

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00:03:02,570 --> 00:03:00,180

before the Congress he's been told this

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00:03:04,550 --> 00:03:02,580

before but some of those Witnesses have

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00:03:07,850 --> 00:03:04,560

gone on to give evidence before Congress

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00:03:09,770 --> 00:03:07,860

yes so so now you know with those

48

00:03:11,030 --> 00:03:09,780

whistleblowers Having You Know spoken to

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00:03:13,550 --> 00:03:11,040

Kirkpatrick

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00:03:16,009 --> 00:03:13,560

and to him still keeping to that line

51  
00:03:18,050 --> 00:03:16,019  
that very familiar Air Force line that

52  
00:03:19,369 --> 00:03:18,060  
we've just come to love so much from

53  
00:03:21,710 --> 00:03:19,379  
Blue Book no evidence of

54  
00:03:23,390 --> 00:03:21,720  
extraterrestrial origin

55  
00:03:25,130 --> 00:03:23,400  
um why do you think he keeps up that

56  
00:03:27,050 --> 00:03:25,140  
line if he has heard from these people

57  
00:03:29,449 --> 00:03:27,060  
do you think he just can't verify their

58  
00:03:31,910 --> 00:03:29,459  
claims or what's your take on that

59  
00:03:35,449 --> 00:03:31,920  
well extraterrestrial is a particular

60  
00:03:37,850 --> 00:03:35,459  
word uh it implies that what we're

61  
00:03:39,530 --> 00:03:37,860  
talking about is a life form an

62  
00:03:42,289 --> 00:03:39,540  
alternative intelligence to the human

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00:03:44,750 --> 00:03:42,299

race which lives on another planet or in

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00:03:46,550 --> 00:03:44,760

another galaxy or another part of our

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00:03:49,430 --> 00:03:46,560

universe maybe that's not the

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00:03:51,830 --> 00:03:49,440

explanation I mean uh how put off Dr Hal

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00:03:54,830 --> 00:03:51,840

putoff's written a lovely paper where he

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00:03:56,930 --> 00:03:54,840

uses the term Ultra terrestrials to try

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00:03:59,050 --> 00:03:56,940

and Encompass all of these descriptions

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00:04:01,789 --> 00:03:59,060

all of the possible explanations I mean

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00:04:03,229 --> 00:04:01,799

I'm in no doubt whatsoever that what

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00:04:06,410 --> 00:04:03,239

we're talking about is something that is

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00:04:08,570 --> 00:04:06,420

intelligent the is another life form of

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00:04:11,750 --> 00:04:08,580

some kind I'm absolutely no doubt about

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00:04:14,270 --> 00:04:11,760

that and the big question though is is

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00:04:15,890 --> 00:04:14,280

it from this planet is it crypto

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00:04:19,310 --> 00:04:15,900

terrestrial has it been here all along

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00:04:20,870 --> 00:04:19,320

is it living underwater or whatever is

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00:04:24,290 --> 00:04:20,880

it from another planet in our universe

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00:04:26,930 --> 00:04:24,300

we don't know or alternatively is it

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00:04:28,730 --> 00:04:26,940

from some Dimension that we're not yet

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00:04:30,530 --> 00:04:28,740

comprehensive of has it come through a

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00:04:34,070 --> 00:04:30,540

wormhole you know I mean there's any

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00:04:37,010 --> 00:04:34,080

number of explanations but um what what

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00:04:39,409 --> 00:04:37,020

I find amusing is there is this weird

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00:04:41,749 --> 00:04:39,419

game being played at the moment where

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00:04:45,710 --> 00:04:41,759

you have a public official in the form

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00:04:48,170 --> 00:04:45,720

of Dr Kirkpatrick who frankly I mean I

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00:04:51,890 --> 00:04:48,180

I mean why do we tie ourselves in not

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00:04:54,650 --> 00:04:51,900

worrying about what he said frankly I'm

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00:04:56,930 --> 00:04:54,660

not I'm not doing that yeah

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00:05:00,950 --> 00:04:56,940

what he represents there is

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00:05:03,590 --> 00:05:00,960

um he represents the public face of a

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00:05:06,950 --> 00:05:03,600

determined cardra of officials in the

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00:05:09,350 --> 00:05:06,960

U.S defense department who frankly don't

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00:05:11,990 --> 00:05:09,360

want to have to admit that they're

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00:05:13,490 --> 00:05:12,000

hiding stuff uh and I think they're

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00:05:16,310 --> 00:05:13,500

worried about the consequences of

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00:05:18,469 --> 00:05:16,320

admissions let's let's give it a noble

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00:05:20,930 --> 00:05:18,479

cause excuse let's say that during the

101  
00:05:23,210 --> 00:05:20,940  
Cold War they did become of some aware

102  
00:05:26,090 --> 00:05:23,220  
of something let's say as the general

103  
00:05:28,610 --> 00:05:26,100  
told Tom de long there was a life form

104  
00:05:30,830 --> 00:05:28,620  
uh and and basically they were worried

105  
00:05:33,110 --> 00:05:30,840  
about what might happen during the Cold

106  
00:05:35,510 --> 00:05:33,120  
War and so they classified it and they

107  
00:05:37,850 --> 00:05:35,520  
classified whatever technology or

108  
00:05:40,670 --> 00:05:37,860  
knowledge was derived from that that

109  
00:05:42,770 --> 00:05:40,680  
intelligent contact I wouldn't blame

110  
00:05:44,270 --> 00:05:42,780  
them I mean I frankly if I was a

111  
00:05:47,570 --> 00:05:44,280  
military official or an intelligence

112  
00:05:50,990 --> 00:05:47,580  
official I'd do exactly the same thing

113  
00:05:55,070 --> 00:05:51,000

um you know one of the the great things

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00:05:57,350 --> 00:05:55,080

about America is for all your faults

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00:05:58,909 --> 00:05:57,360

you're still a functioning democracy

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00:06:01,570 --> 00:05:58,919

kind of

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00:06:04,249 --> 00:06:01,580

um we're a teetering at this point yeah

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00:06:06,290 --> 00:06:04,259

no I mean you know you've got

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00:06:07,850 --> 00:06:06,300

accountability controls to stop

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00:06:10,670 --> 00:06:07,860

governments from behaving in an

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00:06:12,529 --> 00:06:10,680

authoritarian way and every now and then

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00:06:16,310 --> 00:06:12,539

that works but you know you've got

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00:06:18,710 --> 00:06:16,320

crazies like Putin and Z over in China

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00:06:21,290 --> 00:06:18,720

and you've also got people like North

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00:06:23,749 --> 00:06:21,300

Korea and Iran who are not very friendly

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00:06:26,090 --> 00:06:23,759

to the rest of the western world if you

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00:06:29,510 --> 00:06:26,100

like and um they they view us with

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00:06:31,370 --> 00:06:29,520

hostility and so the US quite reasonably

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00:06:33,409 --> 00:06:31,380

has to be putting National Security

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00:06:35,629 --> 00:06:33,419

priorities first and that's exactly what

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00:06:37,670 --> 00:06:35,639

I would do so let's say there's a noble

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00:06:39,230 --> 00:06:37,680

cause argument that's one plausible

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00:06:40,070 --> 00:06:39,240

explanation for what we're talking about

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00:06:42,830 --> 00:06:40,080

here

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00:06:45,409 --> 00:06:42,840

another possible explanation and

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00:06:46,969 --> 00:06:45,419

I find this hard to reconcile with my

137

00:06:48,409 --> 00:06:46,979

understanding of some of the people in

138

00:06:51,170 --> 00:06:48,419

the intelligence community that I've

139

00:06:53,029 --> 00:06:51,180

spoken with another possible explanation

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00:06:56,270 --> 00:06:53,039

is that these people are trying to

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00:06:58,850 --> 00:06:56,280

conceal their own crimes maybe this has

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00:07:00,950 --> 00:06:58,860

been illegally withheld from the

143

00:07:02,450 --> 00:07:00,960

oversight of the Congress and that's

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00:07:04,670 --> 00:07:02,460

certainly the um

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00:07:07,010 --> 00:07:04,680

that's certainly the intention of the

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00:07:10,249 --> 00:07:07,020

ndaa the National Defense authorization

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00:07:12,770 --> 00:07:10,259

act Parts which essentially mandate that

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00:07:14,450 --> 00:07:12,780

you know incredible I mean this is the

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00:07:16,550 --> 00:07:14,460

thing Sean that amazes me about this

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00:07:19,070 --> 00:07:16,560

whole story amazing language

151  
00:07:22,430 --> 00:07:19,080  
you've got the most incredible language

152  
00:07:24,890 --> 00:07:22,440  
set out in the ndaa those defense laws

153  
00:07:29,390 --> 00:07:24,900  
that were passed in late December which

154  
00:07:31,909 --> 00:07:29,400  
Congress demanding by legislation that

155  
00:07:33,589 --> 00:07:31,919  
any public official or or anybody with

156  
00:07:35,510 --> 00:07:33,599  
any knowledge at all any any potential

157  
00:07:38,029 --> 00:07:35,520  
whistleblower or Witness

158  
00:07:39,529 --> 00:07:38,039  
can come forward with impunity and be

159  
00:07:44,089 --> 00:07:39,539  
protected from breaching National

160  
00:07:46,309 --> 00:07:44,099  
Security classification Oaths or ndas if

161  
00:07:49,249 --> 00:07:46,319  
there is evidence to show that there has

162  
00:07:50,809 --> 00:07:49,259  
been concealment improper or illegal

163  
00:07:53,029 --> 00:07:50,819

concealment of

164

00:07:56,050 --> 00:07:53,039

a crash retrieval

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00:07:58,430 --> 00:07:56,060

sure but I mean my fear is

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00:08:01,430 --> 00:07:58,440

it's amazing

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00:08:04,309 --> 00:08:01,440

and what we see right now is DoD doing

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00:08:06,230 --> 00:08:04,319

everything they can to make that a

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00:08:09,409 --> 00:08:06,240

complicated process though they're still

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00:08:11,330 --> 00:08:09,419

not making the public uh website the

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00:08:12,770 --> 00:08:11,340

public facing website available they

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00:08:15,710 --> 00:08:12,780

haven't approved it yet

173

00:08:18,650 --> 00:08:15,720

uh so what's neat about it though

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00:08:21,830 --> 00:08:18,660

Senator gillibrand uh is now directing

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00:08:23,570 --> 00:08:21,840

people directly to her office

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00:08:25,249 --> 00:08:23,580

she just said recently that people can

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00:08:27,290 --> 00:08:25,259

call her directly so that's good but the

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00:08:28,189 --> 00:08:27,300

dod needs to play ball otherwise we're

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00:08:29,930 --> 00:08:28,199

just

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00:08:31,909 --> 00:08:29,940

going in a circle

181

00:08:34,490 --> 00:08:31,919

there is a story behind that that I can

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00:08:36,769 --> 00:08:34,500

tell you sure all right there are

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00:08:39,829 --> 00:08:36,779

whistleblower Witnesses who have gone

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00:08:41,930 --> 00:08:39,839

direct to the Congress and circumvented

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00:08:44,449 --> 00:08:41,940

Dr Sean Kirkpatrick's office because

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00:08:46,730 --> 00:08:44,459

they don't trust Dr Kirkpatrick because

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00:08:51,230 --> 00:08:46,740

what he has done by saying what he said

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00:08:54,769 --> 00:08:51,240

publicly to the Congress is apprehended

189

00:08:57,290 --> 00:08:54,779

by us he's indicated an unwillingness to

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00:08:58,550 --> 00:08:57,300

take the issue seriously I think you

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00:09:00,889 --> 00:08:58,560

should really be questioning whether he

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00:09:03,050 --> 00:09:00,899

should stay on the job or not

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00:09:05,090 --> 00:09:03,060

um the bottom line is there are a lot of

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00:09:06,410 --> 00:09:05,100

senators and Congressional

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00:09:09,710 --> 00:09:06,420

Representatives

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00:09:12,769 --> 00:09:09,720

who have heard differently inside secure

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00:09:15,050 --> 00:09:12,779

Skiffs in the Congress from what Dr

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00:09:18,110 --> 00:09:15,060

Kirkpatrick is representing to the

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00:09:21,410 --> 00:09:18,120

Congress in public hearing Congress has

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00:09:22,730 --> 00:09:21,420

heard evidence from Witnesses about the

201  
00:09:26,650 --> 00:09:22,740  
program

202  
00:09:29,329 --> 00:09:26,660  
about aliens yeah now

203  
00:09:31,610 --> 00:09:29,339  
Sean it's it's happening this is

204  
00:09:34,009 --> 00:09:31,620  
happening while you and I are talking

205  
00:09:37,670 --> 00:09:34,019  
you know there are people coming forward

206  
00:09:39,590 --> 00:09:37,680  
to your great congress with evidence of

207  
00:09:40,610 --> 00:09:39,600  
a secret that has been concealed from

208  
00:09:43,009 --> 00:09:40,620  
the world

209  
00:09:45,710 --> 00:09:43,019  
this is happening

210  
00:09:47,930 --> 00:09:45,720  
and I just absorb mentousness of that

211  
00:09:51,470 --> 00:09:47,940  
and I was listening it's almost

212  
00:09:54,230 --> 00:09:51,480  
impossible for us isn't it yeah as I was

213  
00:09:56,090 --> 00:09:54,240

driving here I was um I was listening to

214

00:09:59,389 --> 00:09:56,100

Joe Rogan's interview with my friend

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00:10:02,570 --> 00:09:59,399

James Fox and um James was talking about

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00:10:04,850 --> 00:10:02,580

the Brazilian Virginia case and uh it's

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00:10:07,970 --> 00:10:04,860

it's really interesting because um

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00:10:10,310 --> 00:10:07,980

he quite rightly presents a huge amount

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00:10:13,610 --> 00:10:10,320

of evidence a huge body of evidence at

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00:10:16,190 --> 00:10:13,620

least I think of very high case that

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00:10:18,290 --> 00:10:16,200

something anomalous was recovered from

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00:10:21,470 --> 00:10:18,300

Virginia in Brazil

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00:10:24,530 --> 00:10:21,480

and the U.S government illegally entered

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00:10:26,329 --> 00:10:24,540

Brazil and took whatever it was back to

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00:10:29,630 --> 00:10:26,339

the United States

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00:10:32,449 --> 00:10:29,640

now I think we're getting to a a stage

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00:10:34,130 --> 00:10:32,459

where the levels of proof the burdens of

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00:10:36,710 --> 00:10:34,140

proof are such

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00:10:38,350 --> 00:10:36,720

that it's incumbent on the Pentagon and

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00:10:42,230 --> 00:10:38,360

the intelligence Community

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00:10:43,970 --> 00:10:42,240

to rebut the overwhelming weight of

232

00:10:46,610 --> 00:10:43,980

evidence that suggests they're holding

233

00:10:50,210 --> 00:10:46,620

on to something now

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00:10:53,030 --> 00:10:50,220

I know I'm I'm talking to people in the

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00:10:54,290 --> 00:10:53,040

Congress I know that evidence has been

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00:10:56,990 --> 00:10:54,300

given and I don't know whether that

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00:11:00,470 --> 00:10:57,000

evidence is correct or not but I do know

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00:11:05,630 --> 00:11:00,480

that Witnesses under oath have testified

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00:11:08,030 --> 00:11:05,640

about the program and that is a secret

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00:11:10,430 --> 00:11:08,040

crash retrieval reverse engineering

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00:11:12,410 --> 00:11:10,440

program in the U.S government

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00:11:13,850 --> 00:11:12,420

well now

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00:11:15,769 --> 00:11:13,860

um I don't know a lot of the details are

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00:11:18,470 --> 00:11:15,779

freaking get crazy

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00:11:20,690 --> 00:11:18,480

I know it's amazing I mean no one can

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00:11:22,430 --> 00:11:20,700

get so this would play out Ross like

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00:11:24,170 --> 00:11:22,440

everyone always talks about well how's

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00:11:25,970 --> 00:11:24,180

the world going to react to disclosure

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00:11:28,069 --> 00:11:25,980

what's post-disclosure going to be like

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00:11:31,190 --> 00:11:28,079

no one

251  
00:11:32,870 --> 00:11:31,200  
knows what that's going to be like it's

252  
00:11:33,430 --> 00:11:32,880  
it's gonna be

253  
00:11:36,710 --> 00:11:33,440  
um

254  
00:11:38,750 --> 00:11:36,720  
I think my friend and colleague Bryce

255  
00:11:40,850 --> 00:11:38,760  
zabel wrote a great book right sorry

256  
00:11:45,530 --> 00:11:40,860  
yeah that's a good book after disclosure

257  
00:11:48,290 --> 00:11:45,540  
with um Richard Dolan and um it tries to

258  
00:11:51,530 --> 00:11:48,300  
comprehensively analyze what what the

259  
00:11:53,569 --> 00:11:51,540  
consequences would be of disclosure but

260  
00:11:55,550 --> 00:11:53,579  
frankly mate if anybody thinks that an

261  
00:11:58,190 --> 00:11:55,560  
official of the US government or the U.S

262  
00:11:59,509 --> 00:11:58,200  
executive arm of government Joe Biden or

263  
00:12:01,790 --> 00:11:59,519

somebody else is going to walk to a

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00:12:05,389 --> 00:12:01,800

lectern and say ladies and gentlemen

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00:12:07,190 --> 00:12:05,399

let me tell you we are not alone I don't

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00:12:09,290 --> 00:12:07,200

think that's gonna happen they're going

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00:12:12,530 --> 00:12:09,300

to be directed yeah they're going to be

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00:12:13,569 --> 00:12:12,540

direct kicking and screaming and um no

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00:12:18,230 --> 00:12:13,579

I'm I'm

270

00:12:21,470 --> 00:12:18,240

becoming aware of the magnitude of what

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00:12:23,509 --> 00:12:21,480

has been concealed and believe me it's

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00:12:25,490 --> 00:12:23,519

I'm it's unrolling it's unraveling

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00:12:28,250 --> 00:12:25,500

people are giving evidence the big

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00:12:31,850 --> 00:12:28,260

question in my mind is not

275

00:12:34,130 --> 00:12:31,860

um it's not what's the truth you know is

276

00:12:36,350 --> 00:12:34,140

it or isn't it nhi non-human

277

00:12:39,230 --> 00:12:36,360

intelligence a big question is are the

278

00:12:41,930 --> 00:12:39,240

public going to be told this

279

00:12:43,910 --> 00:12:41,940

um you know I really uh I'm sick to

280

00:12:46,790 --> 00:12:43,920

death I really am I'm sick to death of

281

00:12:48,110 --> 00:12:46,800

ufology eating itself and assuming I

282

00:12:50,150 --> 00:12:48,120

know if we've

283

00:12:52,850 --> 00:12:50,160

cannibalistic activity you get these

284

00:12:55,670 --> 00:12:52,860

people who have no understanding of the

285

00:12:58,670 --> 00:12:55,680

burdens that reporters like myself are

286

00:13:00,850 --> 00:12:58,680

under in terms of obligations to sources

287

00:13:02,690 --> 00:13:00,860

and they make these smart ass

288

00:13:04,550 --> 00:13:02,700

fuck-witted comments where they

289

00:13:05,870 --> 00:13:04,560

basically say ah

290

00:13:07,970 --> 00:13:05,880

um you know

291

00:13:10,150 --> 00:13:07,980

people should just put up or shut up you

292

00:13:12,230 --> 00:13:10,160

know they should just breach their

293

00:13:13,850 --> 00:13:12,240

confidentiality to sources and and

294

00:13:16,250 --> 00:13:13,860

publish what they have

295

00:13:17,810 --> 00:13:16,260

they have no understanding of what these

296

00:13:18,889 --> 00:13:17,820

poor people are risking by coming

297

00:13:22,190 --> 00:13:18,899

forward

298

00:13:23,870 --> 00:13:22,200

and yes there are good people I can tell

299

00:13:25,550 --> 00:13:23,880

you not everybody in the intelligence

300

00:13:26,870 --> 00:13:25,560

Community is a villain not everybody in

301

00:13:29,150 --> 00:13:26,880

the defense department is a villain

302

00:13:30,949 --> 00:13:29,160

you've got some great people I've had my

303

00:13:33,110 --> 00:13:30,959

back watched by people in your military

304

00:13:35,150 --> 00:13:33,120

in places like Iraq and Afghanistan and

305

00:13:37,069 --> 00:13:35,160

they've I put my life in their hands

306

00:13:38,990 --> 00:13:37,079

they're good people

307

00:13:40,730 --> 00:13:39,000

and there's a lot of good people out

308

00:13:41,690 --> 00:13:40,740

there who think it's time the public was

309

00:13:43,790 --> 00:13:41,700

told

310

00:13:46,190 --> 00:13:43,800

and I don't know how long it's going to

311

00:13:48,410 --> 00:13:46,200

take but it's going to happen

312

00:13:51,350 --> 00:13:48,420

do you think uh it would be more of a

313

00:13:53,389 --> 00:13:51,360

leak type of situation or enough maybe

314

00:13:56,150 --> 00:13:53,399

evidence goes public to the point of

315

00:14:00,650 --> 00:13:56,160

where pressure is so great that the

316

00:14:04,970 --> 00:14:02,930

that's a hard question

317

00:14:07,670 --> 00:14:04,980

we need to know why they're sitting on

318

00:14:09,829 --> 00:14:07,680

it I mean I I often ask people who I'm

319

00:14:12,829 --> 00:14:09,839

talking to who have direct knowledge of

320

00:14:13,790 --> 00:14:12,839

the program and I say why why why the

321

00:14:16,490 --> 00:14:13,800

secrecy

322

00:14:18,310 --> 00:14:16,500

and the primary reason seems to be that

323

00:14:20,449 --> 00:14:18,320

they've become aware of awesome

324

00:14:22,009 --> 00:14:20,459

Technologies behind what they've

325

00:14:23,930 --> 00:14:22,019

recovered and they're still trying to

326

00:14:26,150 --> 00:14:23,940

understand them and they're worried

327

00:14:27,829 --> 00:14:26,160

because they're essentially in a I can't

328

00:14:30,110 --> 00:14:27,839

have an arms race I suppose with the

329

00:14:32,509 --> 00:14:30,120

Russians and the Chinese and I get that

330

00:14:34,850 --> 00:14:32,519

I really do I mean I really truly

331

00:14:35,810 --> 00:14:34,860

believe we shouldn't know how these

332

00:14:40,810 --> 00:14:35,820

things work

333

00:14:45,650 --> 00:14:43,610

or for a no for a nuclear weapon I mean

334

00:14:49,610 --> 00:14:45,660

the department of energy quite rightly

335

00:14:51,829 --> 00:14:49,620

in the 1940s it was decided that the the

336

00:14:53,930 --> 00:14:51,839

um instructions for how to build a

337

00:14:56,449 --> 00:14:53,940

nuclear bomb they should not be public

338

00:14:58,370 --> 00:14:56,459

information you know people should not

339

00:15:01,189 --> 00:14:58,380

be allowed to create weapons grade

340

00:15:03,110 --> 00:15:01,199

plutonium it's too bloody dangerous

341

00:15:04,670 --> 00:15:03,120

there's too many mad Nutters out there

342

00:15:05,629 --> 00:15:04,680

who would misuse it and try and Destroy

343

00:15:07,970 --> 00:15:05,639

them

344

00:15:10,430 --> 00:15:07,980

sure and so in this case if just

345

00:15:13,129 --> 00:15:10,440

hypothetically if there is an awesome

346

00:15:15,410 --> 00:15:13,139

technology that lies behind what we're

347

00:15:18,410 --> 00:15:15,420

talking about here that's been somehow

348

00:15:21,050 --> 00:15:18,420

gifted or mislaid by a non-human

349

00:15:22,730 --> 00:15:21,060

intelligence and we've recovered it one

350

00:15:25,610 --> 00:15:22,740

I prefer that it's America that's got it

351

00:15:28,189 --> 00:15:25,620

I really do and I think genuinely most

352

00:15:29,269 --> 00:15:28,199

of the people who are sitting in dark

353

00:15:32,030 --> 00:15:29,279

rooms

354

00:15:34,490 --> 00:15:32,040

deciding what the hell to do with this

355

00:15:36,470 --> 00:15:34,500

secret are wrestling with the fact that

356

00:15:38,329 --> 00:15:36,480

they just don't want to have to admit

357

00:15:40,730 --> 00:15:38,339

something that might jeopardize the

358

00:15:42,590 --> 00:15:40,740

release of this technology right you can

359

00:15:44,449 --> 00:15:42,600

imagine the Russians and the Chinese you

360

00:15:45,889 --> 00:15:44,459

know if America did stand up and say Hey

361

00:15:48,530 --> 00:15:45,899

listen we've got alien spacecraft

362

00:15:50,269 --> 00:15:48,540

sitting in a basement at Groom Lake the

363

00:15:51,829 --> 00:15:50,279

Russians who I'm pretty sure have got

364

00:15:54,170 --> 00:15:51,839

their own versions of the same thing

365

00:15:55,850 --> 00:15:54,180

would probably scream and holler and say

366

00:15:58,490 --> 00:15:55,860

this is something that Humanity must

367

00:16:00,170 --> 00:15:58,500

know about we must have it frankly I

368

00:16:02,210 --> 00:16:00,180

wouldn't trust Vladimir Putin with a box

369

00:16:04,850 --> 00:16:02,220

of matches right now he's a cold-blooded

370

00:16:08,389 --> 00:16:04,860

murderer you know you know we have to

371

00:16:09,949 --> 00:16:08,399

recognize evil where we see it and stop

372

00:16:11,210 --> 00:16:09,959

walking I mean I

373

00:16:14,750 --> 00:16:11,220

you know

374

00:16:17,930 --> 00:16:14,760

I think at the heart of all of this is

375

00:16:19,970 --> 00:16:17,940

there's a good America there's a proud

376

00:16:22,009 --> 00:16:19,980

and strong America that I grew up with

377

00:16:24,290 --> 00:16:22,019

as a kid now the kind of America that

378

00:16:27,650 --> 00:16:24,300

was just exceptionalist that sent people

379

00:16:29,449 --> 00:16:27,660

to the Moon that did incredible things

380

00:16:33,710 --> 00:16:29,459

and

381

00:16:36,470 --> 00:16:33,720

it's kind of lost its way in the last 20

382

00:16:38,329 --> 00:16:36,480

or 30 years a large part of my adulthood

383

00:16:40,370 --> 00:16:38,339

you know I've just covered shitty little

384

00:16:42,050 --> 00:16:40,380

Wars that the Americans have dragged my

385

00:16:44,329 --> 00:16:42,060

country into that frankly we should have

386

00:16:46,730 --> 00:16:44,339

had no part of and it's been a huge

387

00:16:48,949 --> 00:16:46,740

distraction from the main game because

388

00:16:50,389 --> 00:16:48,959

behind the scenes I'm pretty confident

389

00:16:51,710 --> 00:16:50,399

they've been wrestling with this

390

00:16:53,449 --> 00:16:51,720

enormous Secret

391

00:16:55,129 --> 00:16:53,459

and as they came out of the Cold War

392

00:16:56,689 --> 00:16:55,139

there was a brief moment where I think

393

00:16:58,730 --> 00:16:56,699

they were hoping that they might be able

394

00:17:00,949 --> 00:16:58,740

to be candid with the world

395

00:17:03,170 --> 00:17:00,959

but then things got dark again you know

396

00:17:04,669 --> 00:17:03,180

there's been all manner of stuff going

397

00:17:06,289 --> 00:17:04,679

on behind the scenes that hasn't been

398

00:17:08,210 --> 00:17:06,299

able to be displayed first and I can

399

00:17:11,090 --> 00:17:08,220

understand why

400

00:17:14,270 --> 00:17:11,100

but if they're concealing what they know

401  
00:17:16,730 --> 00:17:14,280  
for criminal reasons if they're lying to

402  
00:17:21,110 --> 00:17:18,650  
time to the back of a bumper bar and

403  
00:17:23,150 --> 00:17:21,120  
drag them around Washington DC and tar

404  
00:17:24,829 --> 00:17:23,160  
and feather them you know there are

405  
00:17:27,110 --> 00:17:24,839  
honorable men and women out there

406  
00:17:28,909 --> 00:17:27,120  
sitting on secrets

407  
00:17:32,510 --> 00:17:28,919  
and right now

408  
00:17:34,669 --> 00:17:32,520  
right now is the moment when it's all

409  
00:17:36,110 --> 00:17:34,679  
starting to happen

410  
00:17:39,650 --> 00:17:36,120  
I don't know how long it's going to take

411  
00:17:43,070 --> 00:17:39,660  
for the revelations to begin publicly

412  
00:17:45,289 --> 00:17:43,080  
but you know I'm aware from talking to

413  
00:17:46,549 --> 00:17:45,299

people in Congress that apparently there

414

00:17:48,529 --> 00:17:46,559

have been people who've come forward

415

00:17:50,270 --> 00:17:48,539

who've given first-hand evidence of

416

00:17:52,789 --> 00:17:50,280

stuff they know

417

00:17:54,830 --> 00:17:52,799

it's a big question I suspect Congress

418

00:17:57,410 --> 00:17:54,840

is wrestling with this is what do we

419

00:18:00,970 --> 00:17:57,420

tell the American public

420

00:18:06,169 --> 00:18:03,770

and you know I I think people like

421

00:18:08,150 --> 00:18:06,179

Senator Kirsten gillibrand Marco Rubio

422

00:18:10,070 --> 00:18:08,160

they're well-intentioned on this you

423

00:18:11,990 --> 00:18:10,080

know we've we've got leadership a

424

00:18:15,169 --> 00:18:12,000

bipartisan leadership on both sides of

425

00:18:18,409 --> 00:18:15,179

the house who want to do this properly

426  
00:18:20,090 --> 00:18:18,419  
and um I I can respect the reasons why

427  
00:18:22,970 --> 00:18:20,100  
they're taking their time

428  
00:18:25,549 --> 00:18:22,980  
to think about this very very carefully

429  
00:18:27,830 --> 00:18:25,559  
and also one of the big issues that

430  
00:18:29,990 --> 00:18:27,840  
they've got to worry about is

431  
00:18:34,490 --> 00:18:30,000  
crazy ruskies you know at the moment

432  
00:18:35,029 --> 00:18:34,500  
you've got nut jobs Medford Avenue in

433  
00:18:37,130 --> 00:18:35,039  
um

434  
00:18:39,350 --> 00:18:37,140  
in Russia it's threatening to use

435  
00:18:41,390 --> 00:18:39,360  
tactical nuclear weapons I mean it's

436  
00:18:43,730 --> 00:18:41,400  
just mind-boggling can you believe where

437  
00:18:46,150 --> 00:18:43,740  
we are right now on this planet it's an

438  
00:18:49,250 --> 00:18:46,160

incredible dangerous time

439

00:18:52,010 --> 00:18:49,260

you've got the Republic of Ukraine

440

00:18:54,529 --> 00:18:52,020

on the point of launching probably one

441

00:18:57,289 --> 00:18:54,539

of the biggest tank and armed infantry

442

00:18:59,750 --> 00:18:57,299

offenses since the Second World War

443

00:19:02,510 --> 00:18:59,760

and we're heading into possibly one of

444

00:19:03,770 --> 00:19:02,520

the most dangerous periods in human

445

00:19:06,890 --> 00:19:03,780

history

446

00:19:09,350 --> 00:19:06,900

and at that very moment there is a

447

00:19:11,510 --> 00:19:09,360

secret being revealed to the Congress

448

00:19:15,350 --> 00:19:11,520

because of these laws

449

00:19:17,210 --> 00:19:15,360

that is slowly unfurling and will slowly

450

00:19:19,610 --> 00:19:17,220

come to light

451  
00:19:21,230 --> 00:19:19,620  
and I can I can only hope frankly that

452  
00:19:23,330 --> 00:19:21,240  
we have the leadership in the Congress

453  
00:19:25,549 --> 00:19:23,340  
and also the leadership in your white

454  
00:19:27,169 --> 00:19:25,559  
house that can deal with the immensity

455  
00:19:29,390 --> 00:19:27,179  
of this information

456  
00:19:31,909 --> 00:19:29,400  
because it is it's just awesome I mean I

457  
00:19:33,350 --> 00:19:31,919  
mean the implications of it hopefully we

458  
00:19:35,570 --> 00:19:33,360  
might stop and think of ourselves as

459  
00:19:37,730 --> 00:19:35,580  
human beings as a consequence of it

460  
00:19:39,830 --> 00:19:37,740  
because the implications are enormous

461  
00:19:42,890 --> 00:19:39,840  
yeah that would be brilliant the further

462  
00:19:44,990 --> 00:19:42,900  
uh we go uh with technology the the

463  
00:19:48,289 --> 00:19:45,000

farther we go away from what it means to

464

00:19:50,390 --> 00:19:48,299

be human I think uh but what why do you

465

00:19:51,830 --> 00:19:50,400

think the uh

466

00:19:54,890 --> 00:19:51,840

timing

467

00:19:56,930 --> 00:19:54,900

um is so impeccable as as far as this

468

00:19:59,330 --> 00:19:56,940

possible disclosure and

469

00:20:01,549 --> 00:19:59,340

World War III

470

00:20:04,850 --> 00:20:01,559

I think a lot of people in your I mean I

471

00:20:06,529 --> 00:20:04,860

talk an awful lot to people in defense

472

00:20:08,029 --> 00:20:06,539

and intelligence I was in Canberra just

473

00:20:10,010 --> 00:20:08,039

yesterday which is our capital city

474

00:20:11,690 --> 00:20:10,020

where a lot of the sure it's an

475

00:20:14,330 --> 00:20:11,700

intelligence Community are located and

476

00:20:17,270 --> 00:20:14,340

every single person I'm talking to is

477

00:20:19,789 --> 00:20:17,280

talking about the coming War

478

00:20:21,529 --> 00:20:19,799

which I I mean they're talking about a

479

00:20:24,049 --> 00:20:21,539

confrontation with China

480

00:20:25,549 --> 00:20:24,059

and uh I mean I hope it's not true I

481

00:20:27,409 --> 00:20:25,559

really hope that we're able to get

482

00:20:31,130 --> 00:20:27,419

ourselves into a position where we can

483

00:20:33,650 --> 00:20:31,140

negotiate with a rising willpower who we

484

00:20:36,770 --> 00:20:33,660

should respect and the set the problem

485

00:20:39,289 --> 00:20:36,780

is that Z presents such an authoritarian

486

00:20:42,010 --> 00:20:39,299

and dictatorial position treats his

487

00:20:44,510 --> 00:20:42,020

people with such repression and bullying

488

00:20:46,010 --> 00:20:44,520

uh you know there's a real fear that

489

00:20:49,789 --> 00:20:46,020

this is just going to escalate and get

490

00:20:53,570 --> 00:20:49,799

out of control I think that colors how

491

00:20:55,610 --> 00:20:53,580

people feel about the timing of what

492

00:20:57,529 --> 00:20:55,620

we're talking about because it's totally

493

00:20:59,390 --> 00:20:57,539

it's totally serendipitous that it's

494

00:21:01,909 --> 00:20:59,400

happened the way it has you know there's

495

00:21:03,350 --> 00:21:01,919

no there's no deliberate rolling out you

496

00:21:05,690 --> 00:21:03,360

know there's nobody sitting in this in

497

00:21:08,029 --> 00:21:05,700

the Pentagon going push that lever there

498

00:21:10,190 --> 00:21:08,039

we're now going to allow we're now going

499

00:21:11,930 --> 00:21:10,200

to allow Sean Rash to talk to you know

500

00:21:13,070 --> 00:21:11,940

witness John Smith

501

00:21:16,190 --> 00:21:13,080

um

502

00:21:18,770 --> 00:21:16,200

you know it really isn't and and I think

503

00:21:21,529 --> 00:21:18,780

the only way this subject is getting

504

00:21:22,970 --> 00:21:21,539

impetus funnily enough I find this

505

00:21:25,190 --> 00:21:22,980

fascinating as somebody who's worked in

506

00:21:28,610 --> 00:21:25,200

mainstream media it's because of the

507

00:21:29,570 --> 00:21:28,620

power of shows like yours because you

508

00:21:33,230 --> 00:21:29,580

know one of the major national

509

00:21:36,590 --> 00:21:33,240

newspapers in my country it gets 70 000

510

00:21:38,510 --> 00:21:36,600

readers a day that's all it gets well

511

00:21:41,029 --> 00:21:38,520

Joe Rogan who I was just listening to on

512

00:21:44,029 --> 00:21:41,039

the radio as I was driving home Joe

513

00:21:46,549 --> 00:21:44,039

Rogan gets I think 13 or 14 million

514

00:21:49,730 --> 00:21:46,559

listeners or viewers nationally

515

00:21:51,890 --> 00:21:49,740

and this is a this is a change this is a

516

00:21:54,529 --> 00:21:51,900

grand swill that has happened just in

517

00:21:56,750 --> 00:21:54,539

the last few years you know I've in

518

00:21:59,149 --> 00:21:56,760

mainstream media you know I've I've got

519

00:22:00,529 --> 00:21:59,159

TV programs in my country that you know

520

00:22:02,510 --> 00:22:00,539

they're lucky they're really really

521

00:22:05,510 --> 00:22:02,520

happy now if they can crack half a

522

00:22:07,190 --> 00:22:05,520

million viewers and uh you know when I

523

00:22:08,630 --> 00:22:07,200

first started on TV even in a small

524

00:22:10,250 --> 00:22:08,640

country like Australia you know if you

525

00:22:11,450 --> 00:22:10,260

can get 2 million viewers you were

526  
00:22:14,149 --> 00:22:11,460  
really proud

527  
00:22:16,669 --> 00:22:14,159  
and so what's happening is the media the

528  
00:22:18,890 --> 00:22:16,679  
mainstream media it's relevance in terms

529  
00:22:22,250 --> 00:22:18,900  
of the coverage and the investigation of

530  
00:22:25,310 --> 00:22:22,260  
big issues like the UAP issue it's

531  
00:22:27,169 --> 00:22:25,320  
completely lost its relevance and I know

532  
00:22:30,010 --> 00:22:27,179  
you may feel that you're just another

533  
00:22:33,470 --> 00:22:30,020  
podcast or podcast

534  
00:22:35,270 --> 00:22:33,480  
you are you're playing a key role in

535  
00:22:38,810 --> 00:22:35,280  
raising public Consciousness and

536  
00:22:40,070 --> 00:22:38,820  
awareness in a way that I know people in

537  
00:22:42,289 --> 00:22:40,080  
the Pentagon on the intelligence

538  
00:22:43,610 --> 00:22:42,299

Community are monitoring and what

539

00:22:45,169 --> 00:22:43,620

they're doing is they're trying to make

540

00:22:46,370 --> 00:22:45,179

an assessment about whether the public

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00:22:48,950 --> 00:22:46,380

is ready

542

00:22:51,470 --> 00:22:48,960

for more Revelations and I think we are

543

00:22:53,510 --> 00:22:51,480

I really do I think nothing would bring

544

00:22:56,149 --> 00:22:53,520

human and human beings together more

545

00:22:57,710 --> 00:22:56,159

than the knowledge of what I suspect is

546

00:23:00,409 --> 00:22:57,720

the case which is that there is a

547

00:23:02,210 --> 00:23:00,419

non-human intelligence engaging with

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00:23:04,909 --> 00:23:02,220

this planet I don't know that for sure

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00:23:06,710 --> 00:23:04,919

myself but I'm pretty confident from

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00:23:09,590 --> 00:23:06,720

what I'm hearing from so many people

551  
00:23:12,350 --> 00:23:09,600  
that that we are on the cusp of

552  
00:23:15,110 --> 00:23:12,360  
momentous Revelations and as I'm saying

553  
00:23:17,830 --> 00:23:15,120  
that I can hear the cynical size of so

554  
00:23:20,270 --> 00:23:17,840  
many people in the world

555  
00:23:23,510 --> 00:23:20,280  
they go oh yeah yeah they're saying

556  
00:23:25,970 --> 00:23:23,520  
again well apparently those people if

557  
00:23:28,010 --> 00:23:25,980  
you really are if you really are so

558  
00:23:31,610 --> 00:23:28,020  
jaundiced and weary of the whole subject

559  
00:23:37,730 --> 00:23:33,970  
you know seriously

560  
00:23:39,409 --> 00:23:37,740  
go away seriously I'm not interested I

561  
00:23:41,390 --> 00:23:39,419  
don't care anymore I know what I know

562  
00:23:43,190 --> 00:23:41,400  
and it's funny because I was just

563  
00:23:44,630 --> 00:23:43,200

listening to my friend James Fox and he

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00:23:47,450 --> 00:23:44,640

was getting quite emotional as he was

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00:23:49,310 --> 00:23:47,460

talking to Joe Rogan about the trust

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00:23:51,770 --> 00:23:49,320

that he is endowed with by the people

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00:23:54,409 --> 00:23:51,780

who've given him information and I feel

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00:23:59,029 --> 00:23:54,419

the same way I really do I mean I I'm

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00:24:01,130 --> 00:23:59,039

awestruck by the the seniority and the

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00:24:02,990 --> 00:24:01,140

the level of knowledge and experience of

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00:24:05,570 --> 00:24:03,000

some of the people who've been brave

572

00:24:07,430 --> 00:24:05,580

enough to to engage with me I mean I'm

573

00:24:11,330 --> 00:24:07,440

just an Australian journalist you know

574

00:24:13,909 --> 00:24:11,340

making a living Down Under and you treat

575

00:24:16,549 --> 00:24:13,919

your services as well I've I've dug into

576  
00:24:19,970 --> 00:24:16,559  
your history of you know I know how you

577  
00:24:21,529 --> 00:24:19,980  
protect your sources you know your story

578  
00:24:23,930 --> 00:24:21,539  
when you're on the courthouse and you

579  
00:24:26,570 --> 00:24:23,940  
had to call the guy yeah I know that

580  
00:24:29,630 --> 00:24:26,580  
story I would die in a ditch to protect

581  
00:24:32,930 --> 00:24:29,640  
a source I really would right and the um

582  
00:24:36,049 --> 00:24:32,940  
the simple fact is a lot of mainstream

583  
00:24:37,370 --> 00:24:36,059  
media have lost sight of how to

584  
00:24:38,990 --> 00:24:37,380  
investigate

585  
00:24:42,590 --> 00:24:39,000  
and you know when I was a young Cub

586  
00:24:44,090 --> 00:24:42,600  
reporter I'm nearly 60 and and you know

587  
00:24:46,610 --> 00:24:44,100  
when I was a young cupboard

588  
00:24:48,590 --> 00:24:46,620

yeah isn't that shocking you know you're

589

00:24:50,710 --> 00:24:48,600

gonna tell me

590

00:24:55,250 --> 00:24:53,090

but no I am you know when I was a young

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00:24:58,010 --> 00:24:55,260

reporter you had senior reporters who

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00:25:01,010 --> 00:24:58,020

would imbue with you the absolute

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00:25:03,230 --> 00:25:01,020

essential need to understand how to

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00:25:05,210 --> 00:25:03,240

protect sources and how to be rigorous

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00:25:08,570 --> 00:25:05,220

and skeptical and how to how to

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00:25:10,909 --> 00:25:08,580

investigate Stuff how to find things out

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00:25:13,010 --> 00:25:10,919

and because it's a sacred trust it

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00:25:15,169 --> 00:25:13,020

really is and your country more than any

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00:25:18,110 --> 00:25:15,179

other country in the world with great

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00:25:20,510 --> 00:25:18,120

people like Woodward and Bernstein you

601  
00:25:23,390 --> 00:25:20,520  
know they've broken incredible stories

602  
00:25:25,850 --> 00:25:23,400  
and that's been done because largely of

603  
00:25:27,169 --> 00:25:25,860  
the carriage of individual Witnesses and

604  
00:25:28,789 --> 00:25:27,179  
whistleblowers

605  
00:25:30,950 --> 00:25:28,799  
and this is where we're at at the moment

606  
00:25:33,409 --> 00:25:30,960  
because you know I've

607  
00:25:35,630 --> 00:25:33,419  
oh where was I just recently I was at a

608  
00:25:38,149 --> 00:25:35,640  
I was at a drinks with a fair willinger

609  
00:25:40,130 --> 00:25:38,159  
mate who was leading the media and um

610  
00:25:42,049 --> 00:25:40,140  
uh people were pissing me you know

611  
00:25:43,669 --> 00:25:42,059  
basically going ah Cool's out you're

612  
00:25:46,130 --> 00:25:43,679  
still doing your bloody book on UFOs are

613  
00:25:48,289 --> 00:25:46,140

you mate you know it did all that crazy

614

00:25:50,990 --> 00:25:48,299

you know and it's this gentle piss tape

615

00:25:53,930 --> 00:25:51,000

that happens in the media and it's still

616

00:25:55,130 --> 00:25:53,940

treated with ridicule and dismissiveness

617

00:25:59,090 --> 00:25:55,140

and stigma

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00:26:00,649 --> 00:25:59,100

and I laugh all the time because they

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00:26:03,769 --> 00:26:00,659

don't know what I know

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00:26:06,769 --> 00:26:03,779

and I feel so punched I feel so

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00:26:09,830 --> 00:26:06,779

privileged as a journalist to be at the

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00:26:11,870 --> 00:26:09,840

Forefront of what I think is the story

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00:26:16,250 --> 00:26:11,880

of the millennium

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00:26:19,130 --> 00:26:16,260

it is just mind-blowing to me what is

625

00:26:21,230 --> 00:26:19,140

going to come very very soon and what is

626  
00:26:23,930 --> 00:26:21,240  
already coming I mean what we already

627  
00:26:26,090 --> 00:26:23,940  
know is momentous Sean you know we know

628  
00:26:28,010 --> 00:26:26,100  
now from the evidence that has been

629  
00:26:30,289 --> 00:26:28,020  
presented to the Congress and even the

630  
00:26:32,810 --> 00:26:30,299  
begrudging admissions the truculent

631  
00:26:35,269 --> 00:26:32,820  
slightly begrudging admissions of Dr

632  
00:26:37,669 --> 00:26:35,279  
Kirkpatrick who no doubt is a brilliant

633  
00:26:39,830 --> 00:26:37,679  
man but just can't help but through the

634  
00:26:43,310 --> 00:26:39,840  
minimum possible to reveal what he knows

635  
00:26:47,029 --> 00:26:43,320  
you know we know that there is something

636  
00:26:49,190 --> 00:26:47,039  
operating in our oceans in our skies and

637  
00:26:50,149 --> 00:26:49,200  
in our orbit which is doing anomalous

638  
00:26:52,130 --> 00:26:50,159

things

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00:26:53,750 --> 00:26:52,140

and if you accept the evidence that is

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00:26:56,269 --> 00:26:53,760

being presented which I know a lot of

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00:26:58,010 --> 00:26:56,279

people don't but just go away I can't be

642

00:26:59,810 --> 00:26:58,020

bothered with you I'm really not

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00:27:02,169 --> 00:26:59,820

interested in pure oil arguments about

644

00:27:04,610 --> 00:27:02,179

weather balloons or um

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00:27:06,470 --> 00:27:04,620

it's just I mean I think we should start

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00:27:10,250 --> 00:27:06,480

ignoring these people you know we really

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00:27:11,390 --> 00:27:10,260

are yeah yeah of course seriously you

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00:27:13,610 --> 00:27:11,400

know

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00:27:17,570 --> 00:27:13,620

um the the simple fact is that there is

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00:27:20,510 --> 00:27:17,580

just overwhelming evidence and I'm

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00:27:22,970 --> 00:27:20,520

I'm very privileged because like a lot

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00:27:24,710 --> 00:27:22,980

of journalists you know in my career at

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00:27:26,690 --> 00:27:24,720

different times you know you find things

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00:27:28,250 --> 00:27:26,700

at well in advance of when the public

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00:27:30,710 --> 00:27:28,260

gets to know them

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00:27:32,210 --> 00:27:30,720

and I know a lot of what's coming

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00:27:36,669 --> 00:27:32,220

and believe me

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00:27:40,370 --> 00:27:36,679

it's revelatory it's astonishing it's

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00:27:43,789 --> 00:27:40,380

mind-blowing and I I think

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00:27:46,789 --> 00:27:43,799

um if people hold fast

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00:27:50,029 --> 00:27:46,799

if they do simple things like exert

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00:27:53,390 --> 00:27:50,039

their rights as voters and let their

663

00:27:55,370 --> 00:27:53,400

elected officials know this matters I

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00:27:58,190 --> 00:27:55,380

promise you it matters more than

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00:28:02,810 --> 00:27:58,200

anything else to let people like Kirsten

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00:28:05,090 --> 00:28:02,820

gillibrand Marco Rubio Warner

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00:28:06,830 --> 00:28:05,100

um Carson all of these people who've

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00:28:08,930 --> 00:28:06,840

been prominent in sticking their heads

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00:28:11,510 --> 00:28:08,940

up and Having the courage as political

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00:28:13,310 --> 00:28:11,520

representatives to say look I care about

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00:28:15,169 --> 00:28:13,320

this issue I'm interested in this and I

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00:28:16,730 --> 00:28:15,179

want to get to the truth of it the

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00:28:18,529 --> 00:28:16,740

people who've pushed for legislation in

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00:28:21,169 --> 00:28:18,539

the Congress to let those people know

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00:28:24,649 --> 00:28:21,179

that what they've done is appreciated by

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00:28:27,230 --> 00:28:24,659

the voting public it's huge it's so

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00:28:29,269 --> 00:28:27,240

important take the time don't just send

678

00:28:32,029 --> 00:28:29,279

them an email find out their address

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00:28:34,909 --> 00:28:32,039

write them a letter write them a bloody

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00:28:37,810 --> 00:28:34,919

letter and that's their home address by

681

00:28:41,029 --> 00:28:37,820

the way no no no that has such

682

00:28:43,190 --> 00:28:41,039

really does you know and um I think

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00:28:44,810 --> 00:28:43,200

people need to know that that what they

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00:28:46,850 --> 00:28:44,820

need to do is just let their elected

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00:28:49,370 --> 00:28:46,860

representatives know that this issue

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00:28:51,230 --> 00:28:49,380

matters and we can we can make this a

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00:28:52,850 --> 00:28:51,240

political issue in the next presidential

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00:28:54,830 --> 00:28:52,860

election campaign

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00:28:56,510 --> 00:28:54,840

I mean just like being around this

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00:28:58,190 --> 00:28:56,520

community for a little while you can

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00:29:00,529 --> 00:28:58,200

tell what kind of flack people take for

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00:29:02,870 --> 00:29:00,539

uh taking on this topic seriously

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00:29:05,390 --> 00:29:02,880

whatever position you're in in life if

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00:29:07,310 --> 00:29:05,400

you go public as being interested in

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00:29:10,070 --> 00:29:07,320

this you're going to take heed so and

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00:29:11,630 --> 00:29:10,080

that's what Senator gillibrand is

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00:29:14,450 --> 00:29:11,640

getting in other people are getting heat

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00:29:16,549 --> 00:29:14,460

as well so you know they're they're

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00:29:19,310 --> 00:29:16,559

they're gonna do a better job they're

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00:29:22,010 --> 00:29:19,320

gonna have more uh conviction if they

701  
00:29:23,810 --> 00:29:22,020  
get some gratefulness uh from the people

702  
00:29:25,010 --> 00:29:23,820  
they're doing it for so I completely

703  
00:29:27,649 --> 00:29:25,020  
agree with you

704  
00:29:30,529 --> 00:29:27,659  
yeah no it's um you know we're at a

705  
00:29:32,389 --> 00:29:30,539  
Tipping Point right now and um

706  
00:29:34,130 --> 00:29:32,399  
I I know the world's a shitty place

707  
00:29:35,690 --> 00:29:34,140  
right now I'm you know I'd lie in bed at

708  
00:29:38,389 --> 00:29:35,700  
night don't worry about it I know I

709  
00:29:39,950 --> 00:29:38,399  
worry about North Korea I work Iran and

710  
00:29:42,350 --> 00:29:39,960  
and Ukraine

711  
00:29:44,269 --> 00:29:42,360  
and I've got things we were fighting in

712  
00:29:46,970 --> 00:29:44,279  
Ukraine you know I've I've got friends

713  
00:29:49,370 --> 00:29:46,980

who have been wounded and it's horrible

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00:29:52,610 --> 00:29:49,380

it's it's terrible to think that in this

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00:29:56,389 --> 00:29:52,620

era there's actually a trench war going

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00:29:59,029 --> 00:29:56,399

on uh I find it mind-bob deeply deep

717

00:30:01,190 --> 00:29:59,039

fitting but imagine this imagine if if

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00:30:02,649 --> 00:30:01,200

there is a non-human intelligence out

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00:30:05,630 --> 00:30:02,659

there that's engaging with this planet

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00:30:08,149 --> 00:30:05,640

imagine the awesomeness

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00:30:11,029 --> 00:30:08,159

of the moment when people start thinking

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00:30:15,049 --> 00:30:11,039

of themselves not as Russians or Chinese

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00:30:16,130 --> 00:30:15,059

or ukrainians or Iranians but as humans

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00:30:18,350 --> 00:30:16,140

sure

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00:30:19,430 --> 00:30:18,360

that's a momentous point in human

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00:30:21,529 --> 00:30:19,440

history

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00:30:23,330 --> 00:30:21,539

and it has to be I mean I appreciate it

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00:30:24,409 --> 00:30:23,340

has to be managed it has to be carefully

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00:30:28,130 --> 00:30:24,419

handled

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00:30:38,090 --> 00:30:29,690

let me ask you

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00:30:41,450 --> 00:30:38,100

do you think is enough proof for it to

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00:30:43,130 --> 00:30:41,460

have that sort of effect on mankind

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00:30:45,350 --> 00:30:43,140

okay well one of the debates that's

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00:30:48,769 --> 00:30:45,360

happening at the moment is a lot of

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00:30:51,769 --> 00:30:48,779

dullards say witness evidence is no

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00:30:53,769 --> 00:30:51,779

evidence they say oh if a witness comes

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00:30:55,909 --> 00:30:53,779

forward I don't really care because

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00:30:57,110 --> 00:30:55,919

Witnesses just make things up and it's

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00:30:58,250 --> 00:30:57,120

all rubbish

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00:31:00,889 --> 00:30:58,260

now

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00:31:03,590 --> 00:31:00,899

I don't buy that I really don't okay

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00:31:05,690 --> 00:31:03,600

when you've got say Richard Doty or

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00:31:08,930 --> 00:31:05,700

people like that of questionable or

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00:31:10,970 --> 00:31:08,940

reliability who make assertions which in

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00:31:14,269 --> 00:31:10,980

some cases can be tested and shown to be

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00:31:16,010 --> 00:31:14,279

dubious yeah sure you know question the

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00:31:17,570 --> 00:31:16,020

witness evidence see if you can

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00:31:20,029 --> 00:31:17,580

corroborate it that's what I spend a lot

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00:31:21,350 --> 00:31:20,039

of my time doing but in journalism if a

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00:31:24,289 --> 00:31:21,360

witness tells me something I don't

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00:31:26,149 --> 00:31:24,299

dismiss it I don't say oh gosh it's a

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00:31:28,010 --> 00:31:26,159

witness I I can't rely on that I need

753

00:31:29,330 --> 00:31:28,020

photographs I Need video you know

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00:31:30,710 --> 00:31:29,340

because you can even then you can

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00:31:33,710 --> 00:31:30,720

question a photograph for your questions

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00:31:35,510 --> 00:31:33,720

yeah always yeah but in journalism what

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00:31:37,190 --> 00:31:35,520

we look for in one of the standard tests

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00:31:39,529 --> 00:31:37,200

and investigative journalism is if

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00:31:41,029 --> 00:31:39,539

you've got two authoritative Witnesses

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00:31:42,950 --> 00:31:41,039

who have direct knowledge of something

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00:31:45,230 --> 00:31:42,960

telling you the same thing with no

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00:31:47,450 --> 00:31:45,240

inconsistencies that's pretty reliable

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00:31:49,549 --> 00:31:47,460

evidence and I've gone to court and I've

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00:31:51,230 --> 00:31:49,559

defended that before juries and I've won

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00:31:53,570 --> 00:31:51,240

cases based on the evidence that we've

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00:31:56,210 --> 00:31:53,580

presented that's in principle evidence

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00:31:59,350 --> 00:31:56,220

you know I'm a lawyer and I know how to

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00:32:01,730 --> 00:31:59,360

present evidence and the thing that um

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00:32:04,789 --> 00:32:01,740

fascinates me is

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00:32:07,250 --> 00:32:04,799

there's a kind of a weird argument that

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00:32:09,830 --> 00:32:07,260

um people like Mig West for example put

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00:32:11,810 --> 00:32:09,840

which is that witness evidence should

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00:32:13,370 --> 00:32:11,820

just automatically be discounted

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00:32:14,990 --> 00:32:13,380

you know we shouldn't we shouldn't give

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00:32:17,269 --> 00:32:15,000

it credibility because they might be

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00:32:19,310 --> 00:32:17,279

just misinterpreting things or you know

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00:32:21,289 --> 00:32:19,320

misconstruing prosaic things for

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00:32:23,210 --> 00:32:21,299

anomalous things right and they might

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00:32:25,010 --> 00:32:23,220

they might be

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00:32:26,870 --> 00:32:25,020

but then when you have a succession of

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00:32:28,549 --> 00:32:26,880

witnesses as you do in the Nimitz case

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00:32:30,950 --> 00:32:28,559

who are saying that what they saw was

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00:32:32,210 --> 00:32:30,960

anomalous you don't discount it I mean I

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00:32:34,310 --> 00:32:32,220

think one of the most disingenuous

785

00:32:36,409 --> 00:32:34,320

things with the a lot of the analysis

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00:32:40,669 --> 00:32:36,419

for example of the Nimitz incident the

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00:32:43,430 --> 00:32:40,679

2004 Tic Tac sighting is a lot of people

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00:32:45,830 --> 00:32:43,440

just sees on one byte of evidence they

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00:32:46,669 --> 00:32:45,840

go well yeah yeah freyva says that he

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00:32:49,370 --> 00:32:46,679

saw

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00:32:51,649 --> 00:32:49,380

a Tic Tac but you know it wasn't a plane

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00:32:54,710 --> 00:32:51,659

or a drone or something like that

793

00:32:56,810 --> 00:32:54,720

and the simple fact is that we know that

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00:32:59,090 --> 00:32:56,820

because there were multiple data points

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00:33:00,350 --> 00:32:59,100

all over that battle Fleet it wasn't

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00:33:02,690 --> 00:33:00,360

just one

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00:33:05,090 --> 00:33:02,700

it was Kevin day sitting in front of his

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00:33:07,970 --> 00:33:05,100

battle radar looking at objects going

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00:33:11,090 --> 00:33:07,980

from 80 000 feet to just above the water

800

00:33:14,450 --> 00:33:11,100

in incredible speeds

801  
00:33:16,250 --> 00:33:14,460  
it's a whole host of witnesses who

802  
00:33:19,310 --> 00:33:16,260  
um I know there's a fantastic report

803  
00:33:22,070 --> 00:33:19,320  
that the um scientific Coalition for the

804  
00:33:24,529 --> 00:33:22,080  
study of UAP Robert Powell did which is

805  
00:33:27,350 --> 00:33:24,539  
just brilliant which just analyzes the

806  
00:33:29,769 --> 00:33:27,360  
anomalous data that is available on on

807  
00:33:32,090 --> 00:33:29,779  
the evidence of witnesses

808  
00:33:33,889 --> 00:33:32,100  
absolutely no doubt whatsoever that

809  
00:33:37,490 --> 00:33:33,899  
there was something anomalous there that

810  
00:33:39,769 --> 00:33:37,500  
cannot be explained on human technology

811  
00:33:41,330 --> 00:33:39,779  
I mean one of the things that amuses me

812  
00:33:42,350 --> 00:33:41,340  
is

813  
00:33:46,909 --> 00:33:42,360

um

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00:33:49,789 --> 00:33:46,919

a lot of people are dismissing the mosul

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00:33:52,730 --> 00:33:49,799

sphere that Jeremy Corbell and George

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00:33:55,009 --> 00:33:52,740

Knapp published and saying oh yeah you

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00:33:57,230 --> 00:33:55,019

know okay it was shown by the UAP task

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00:33:59,570 --> 00:33:57,240

force in briefings to Congress but um

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00:34:00,830 --> 00:33:59,580

you know it was probably a balloon you

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00:34:02,090 --> 00:34:00,840

know and these these kind of balloons

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00:34:04,190 --> 00:34:02,100

are seen all over the Middle East so

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00:34:06,950 --> 00:34:04,200

therefore that must be the explanation

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00:34:09,409 --> 00:34:06,960

off I mean seriously

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00:34:12,129 --> 00:34:09,419

I mean this is the UAP task force here

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00:34:14,570 --> 00:34:12,139

they've looked at prosaic explanations

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00:34:17,450 --> 00:34:14,580

what they showed and that and that's

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00:34:18,950 --> 00:34:17,460

freeze and that's still freeze and they

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00:34:20,450 --> 00:34:18,960

did that for a very good reason because

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00:34:21,950 --> 00:34:20,460

they wanted to protect sources and

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00:34:24,589 --> 00:34:21,960

methods because Jeremy and George

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00:34:26,570 --> 00:34:24,599

thought about the consequences as

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00:34:29,030 --> 00:34:26,580

journalists of publishing the full video

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00:34:30,649 --> 00:34:29,040

and thought that maybe by doing that

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00:34:33,230 --> 00:34:30,659

they might reveal something that might

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00:34:35,510 --> 00:34:33,240

compromise the quality and and the

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00:34:38,030 --> 00:34:35,520

evidence Gathering abilities of U.S

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00:34:40,010 --> 00:34:38,040

intelligence and there was that quite

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00:34:41,629 --> 00:34:40,020

properly as they should have been but

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00:34:44,089 --> 00:34:41,639

I've spoken to people behind the scenes

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00:34:46,550 --> 00:34:44,099

who've told me that that object is was

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00:34:49,550 --> 00:34:46,560

anomalous and similarly with the object

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00:34:51,829 --> 00:34:49,560

that Dr Kirkpatrick showed to the um the

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00:34:54,829 --> 00:34:51,839

Congress just a few weeks ago you know

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00:34:56,570 --> 00:34:54,839

you had these weird armchair experts who

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00:34:58,130 --> 00:34:56,580

jumped out of their chairs and said ah

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00:34:59,570 --> 00:34:58,140

yes it's another balloon absolutely

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00:35:01,250 --> 00:34:59,580

that's another balloon it's got to be a

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00:35:04,070 --> 00:35:01,260

balloon or a puddle of water you know

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00:35:06,710 --> 00:35:04,080

and I just why do we why do we even

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00:35:09,109 --> 00:35:06,720

inhale breath bothering deals with these

851  
00:35:14,510 --> 00:35:11,690  
um you know I mean I I talk to people

852  
00:35:16,250 --> 00:35:14,520  
who have knowledge of those objects and

853  
00:35:18,530 --> 00:35:16,260  
the and the videos that are recording

854  
00:35:20,870 --> 00:35:18,540  
them and they tell me that those objects

855  
00:35:22,430 --> 00:35:20,880  
are anomalous I also talk to people

856  
00:35:25,010 --> 00:35:22,440  
who've told me about the other videos

857  
00:35:27,050 --> 00:35:25,020  
that haven't been released

858  
00:35:29,569 --> 00:35:27,060  
and if the public saw those they would

859  
00:35:31,250 --> 00:35:29,579  
be mind blown but then yeah I'm sure

860  
00:35:33,970 --> 00:35:31,260  
somebody would stand up and say oh yeah

861  
00:35:36,349 --> 00:35:33,980  
it's just a bloody problem

862  
00:35:37,250 --> 00:35:36,359  
are they of spirits do you know the

863  
00:35:41,950 --> 00:35:37,260

videos

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00:35:45,170 --> 00:35:41,960

spheres or any kind of uh

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00:35:46,730 --> 00:35:45,180

did you notice of the um what was one

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00:35:49,490 --> 00:35:46,740

thing that was very positive from what

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00:35:51,410 --> 00:35:49,500

Dr Kirkpatrick published was if you if

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00:35:54,109 --> 00:35:51,420

you remember a few months ago people had

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00:35:56,650 --> 00:35:54,119

tried to foi what the categories were of

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00:35:59,930 --> 00:35:56,660

shapes and sizes yeah

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00:36:01,370 --> 00:35:59,940

that was classified and nothing shows

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00:36:03,349 --> 00:36:01,380

the lie to the fact that it was

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00:36:05,510 --> 00:36:03,359

necessary to classify it more than the

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00:36:07,430 --> 00:36:05,520

fact that Dr Kirkpatrick had recency to

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00:36:09,230 --> 00:36:07,440

tell the Congress that yeah he's a pie

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00:36:12,230 --> 00:36:09,240

chart that shows the different shapes

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00:36:14,690 --> 00:36:12,240

you've actually got and spheres feature

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00:36:16,730 --> 00:36:14,700

a lot and look I can't talk much about

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00:36:19,430 --> 00:36:16,740

it but there is you know there is still

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00:36:21,530 --> 00:36:19,440

research underway at the moment into the

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00:36:24,829 --> 00:36:21,540

sphere that we did a story about about a

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00:36:26,930 --> 00:36:24,839

year ago right and I'm you know

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00:36:28,930 --> 00:36:26,940

constantly barrage with requests and

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00:36:31,370 --> 00:36:28,940

inquiries from people who want to know

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00:36:33,109 --> 00:36:31,380

uh what's happened with the inquiries

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00:36:34,730 --> 00:36:33,119

into the metallic sphere that we know

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00:36:37,250 --> 00:36:34,740

because a lot of people have realized

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00:36:39,730 --> 00:36:37,260

that that metallic sphere be isn't it

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00:36:42,710 --> 00:36:39,740

any resemblance to the Spheres

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00:36:46,690 --> 00:36:42,720

grafting classified now being released

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00:36:48,829 --> 00:36:46,700

defense department videos funny yeah

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00:36:50,390 --> 00:36:48,839

I have cocked on that story without

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00:36:51,770 --> 00:36:50,400

having some level of knowledge to

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00:36:54,230 --> 00:36:51,780

suggest that there might be some basis

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00:36:56,990 --> 00:36:54,240

to it it depends who you ask if you if

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00:36:59,569 --> 00:36:57,000

you ask a classic debunker yeah I mean

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00:37:01,730 --> 00:36:59,579

nobody checks any sources they just go

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00:37:03,730 --> 00:37:01,740

out there with any story they want if

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00:37:07,130 --> 00:37:03,740

yes but

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00:37:10,370 --> 00:37:07,140

we just gotta have given them breadth

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00:37:13,250 --> 00:37:10,380  
yeah no I mean I I really think that um

902  
00:37:15,170 --> 00:37:13,260  
one of the things that I find quite

903  
00:37:17,569 --> 00:37:15,180  
upsetting about Twitter is that there

904  
00:37:19,550 --> 00:37:17,579  
are people who grandstand on Twitter and

905  
00:37:23,030 --> 00:37:19,560  
try and Garner an audience kind of

906  
00:37:25,250 --> 00:37:23,040  
pathetic really uh by essentially being

907  
00:37:28,010 --> 00:37:25,260  
dumb debunkers

908  
00:37:30,890 --> 00:37:28,020  
um and I wouldn't mind so much if the

909  
00:37:33,950 --> 00:37:30,900  
debunking had a basis in solid rational

910  
00:37:35,329 --> 00:37:33,960  
skepticism but it doesn't it's just

911  
00:37:38,270 --> 00:37:35,339  
folly

912  
00:37:39,770 --> 00:37:38,280  
half the reason I can't I don't want to

913  
00:37:41,210 --> 00:37:39,780

be bothered addressing it is because a

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00:37:43,010 --> 00:37:41,220

lot of what I know I know from

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00:37:45,290 --> 00:37:43,020

confidential sources who are telling me

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00:37:47,750 --> 00:37:45,300

yeah right hey do they mind you going

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00:37:48,829 --> 00:37:47,760

out and talking about this stuff can I

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00:37:50,569 --> 00:37:48,839

just come back to the point that you did

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00:37:53,089 --> 00:37:50,579

ask me that initiated that response oh

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00:37:54,349 --> 00:37:53,099

yeah yeah sure sure go ahead what's the

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00:37:56,750 --> 00:37:54,359

kind of evidence that is convincing

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00:37:59,870 --> 00:37:56,760

evidence I wanted to make the point that

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00:38:01,069 --> 00:37:59,880

I do think witness evidence is important

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00:38:05,870 --> 00:38:01,079

you know

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00:38:10,250 --> 00:38:05,880

um uh and uh I just just to underline

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00:38:12,349 --> 00:38:10,260

that um the uh Rua case you know the Rua

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00:38:15,770 --> 00:38:12,359

Zimbabwe case

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00:38:19,010 --> 00:38:15,780

um yeah when you've got children

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00:38:21,530 --> 00:38:19,020

recorded at the time on video

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00:38:23,870 --> 00:38:21,540

basically saying what they saw and they

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00:38:27,290 --> 00:38:23,880

have a reasonably consistent story and

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00:38:29,750 --> 00:38:27,300

description of what they say they saw

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00:38:31,490 --> 00:38:29,760

why is it legitimate for somebody who's

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00:38:34,069 --> 00:38:31,500

never met these kids

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00:38:36,290 --> 00:38:34,079

never interviewed them never done the

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00:38:37,730 --> 00:38:36,300

kind of analysis that people who've

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00:38:40,190 --> 00:38:37,740

actually gone on the grad and actually

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00:38:42,470 --> 00:38:40,200

done the research you've done why is it

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00:38:44,870 --> 00:38:42,480

legitimate for them to dismissively go

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00:38:46,250 --> 00:38:44,880

oh yeah children mistake things all the

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00:38:47,750 --> 00:38:46,260

time they make stories up and tell

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00:38:50,690 --> 00:38:47,760

stories to each other it's just that

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00:38:54,890 --> 00:38:50,700

just their Lively fertile imaginations

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00:38:56,569 --> 00:38:54,900

I'm sorry no and and I think the um yes

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00:38:58,670 --> 00:38:56,579

you always have to be guarded and

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00:39:00,589 --> 00:38:58,680

careful for cross-contamination of

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00:39:02,690 --> 00:39:00,599

evidence and there are certain things

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00:39:04,670 --> 00:39:02,700

that that I do as a journalist when I'm

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00:39:07,190 --> 00:39:04,680

checking something out that that you

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00:39:09,829 --> 00:39:07,200

know you do you try and verify sources

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00:39:12,230 --> 00:39:09,839  
in ways that you often can't discuss

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00:39:14,690 --> 00:39:12,240  
I've actually had situations where

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00:39:17,510 --> 00:39:14,700  
I've run a story

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00:39:20,450 --> 00:39:17,520  
and a very senior government official is

955  
00:39:22,190 --> 00:39:20,460  
categorically declaiming the story and

956  
00:39:24,050 --> 00:39:22,200  
saying No this this is wrong it's

957  
00:39:25,670 --> 00:39:24,060  
because you're not the case and they're

958  
00:39:28,970 --> 00:39:25,680  
my solos

959  
00:39:30,829 --> 00:39:28,980  
oh no it's um it's very funny and

960  
00:39:32,150 --> 00:39:30,839  
they've warned me that publicly they're

961  
00:39:34,250 --> 00:39:32,160  
going to have to say what they're saying

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00:39:38,030 --> 00:39:34,260  
and you know it's sometimes it's very

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00:39:40,210 --> 00:39:38,040

very hard and the um the the the simple

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00:39:43,849 --> 00:39:40,220

fact is that one of the fundamental

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00:39:45,470 --> 00:39:43,859

tenets of the job that I do is

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00:39:47,990 --> 00:39:45,480

protecting sources

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00:39:51,050 --> 00:39:48,000

you know you you really have to it's

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00:39:53,089 --> 00:39:51,060

fundamental and in the Spy business it's

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00:39:54,710 --> 00:39:53,099

the same you know the Americans for

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00:39:58,069 --> 00:39:54,720

example have had people in the Kremlin

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00:40:00,650 --> 00:39:58,079

very close to Putin and uh there was a

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great story uh just recently about how

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some of those people have been found out

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00:40:07,849 --> 00:40:05,460

and um sadly I think the consequences

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00:40:10,010 --> 00:40:07,859

are very severe in Espionage and

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00:40:11,390 --> 00:40:10,020

intelligence and and they can be severe

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for people with journalism as well

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because if they tell stuff to a

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00:40:16,670 --> 00:40:14,700

journalist that they shouldn't and I

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don't do enough to protect them they can

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lose their jobs

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mm-hmm

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00:40:24,530 --> 00:40:21,619

so yeah

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I apologize yeah yeah no that leads me

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00:40:29,510 --> 00:40:26,940

to what I wanted to ask is how do they

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feel with you you know talking about

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some of the things they tell you

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00:40:34,730 --> 00:40:32,700

publicly

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00:40:36,290 --> 00:40:34,740

they're encouraging me to because what

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it's doing is it's bringing other people

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forward

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00:40:40,490 --> 00:40:38,820

um

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I wish I could tell you everything I

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00:40:47,530 --> 00:40:44,280

know right now me tell me believe me I

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00:40:50,030 --> 00:40:47,540

can edit it up yes

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00:40:51,349 --> 00:40:50,040

in a few months time you'll be looking

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00:40:53,030 --> 00:40:51,359

back at this interview and you'll be

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00:40:56,930 --> 00:40:53,040

going

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00:40:59,690 --> 00:40:56,940

what you know you know this is stuff

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coming down the track and I think it's

1001  
00:41:03,410 --> 00:41:01,440  
going to resolve this issue once and for

1002  
00:41:05,750 --> 00:41:03,420  
all I really do well

1003  
00:41:07,490 --> 00:41:05,760  
what's what's next up for you on the

1004  
00:41:09,710 --> 00:41:07,500  
docket are you

1005  
00:41:11,390 --> 00:41:09,720  
um you're you're still kind of making an

1006  
00:41:13,329 --> 00:41:11,400  
addition to your book in plain sight

1007  
00:41:15,589 --> 00:41:13,339  
correct and yeah

1008  
00:41:18,410 --> 00:41:15,599  
she just sent that off to the publisher

1009  
00:41:19,910 --> 00:41:18,420  
so the good news is that Collins who

1010  
00:41:22,010 --> 00:41:19,920  
funnily enough are also publishing Louis

1011  
00:41:24,890 --> 00:41:22,020  
zondo's book Harper columns which is

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00:41:28,550 --> 00:41:24,900  
news corporation they um they're

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00:41:31,430 --> 00:41:28,560

releasing my updated uh new book in in

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00:41:34,130 --> 00:41:31,440

plain sight in the fall your time so Run

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00:41:36,530 --> 00:41:34,140

August September okay

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00:41:38,870 --> 00:41:36,540

wow that's awesome looking forward to it

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00:41:41,329 --> 00:41:38,880

nice juicy details in there for us

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00:41:44,810 --> 00:41:41,339

and if people want to know what I'm up

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to uh every second week Bryce zabel and

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I do the need to know podcast need to

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know dot today

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and uh

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you know we Georgia on issues UAP as

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often as we can

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yeah it's a great show I really love the

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show Ross I think this is a good place

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to end unless there's anything else you

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want to chat about

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00:42:20,040 --> 00:42:45,370

and the next witness citizen

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00:43:14,510 --> 00:42:46,860

thank you

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