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Re: Santilli Knew 'Tent Footage' Was a Fraud?

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Previously. Steven had offered:

>Actually, the barn issue (as mentioned in relation to the AA
>"film") relates more to what you might find in the Socorro area,
>rather than Roswell. More specifically, what you might find in
>the area west of Socorro. I drove through that area in 1996 to
>see the alleged site that Hesseman had identified as the one
>that the "cameraman" had described. However, like the rest of
>Ray's story, this facet of the tale didn't make a whole lot of
>sense either.

>No, there are no barns in the immediate area that Hesseman has
>pinpointed. Yes, there are a few structures that might be called
>"barns" on many of the ranches in that region, but I guess that
>depends on how you want to define "barn". That part of New
>Mexico was probably more economically tied to mining than it was
>to ranching, except along the Rio Grande river, which is just
>east of Socorro.

Hi Steven,

Of course, the one thing we haven't really considered is whether or not any barn would still be there after 50 years in the elements. Remember what happened to the set of "Giant" out in Marfa? Granted, well made structures do last longer in a dry climate (possibly longer without greedy tourists taking pieces of it). Still, someone could have simply torn the darn thing down!

All things considered, it's probably a mute point whether or not barns are present in the area of the crash site today. What matters (depending on the validity of the cameraman) is if there were any barns nearby in 1947! We may never know...

Later,

Roger Evans

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