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2 STEVE: -- do anything or make, make -- turn
3 something like that into a big deal. And those that
4 are in control of this country, that's what they --
5 they know that. And they're moving in that direction
6 and it's going to -- we're going to continue to lose
7 our freedoms. So, no, I didn't expect that a surgeon
8 or a doctor would come here. I don't care what doctors
9 -- what kind of an oath they take, you guys are in
10 control anyhow.

11 DICK: We-- well --

12 STEVE: So, if you don't want one -- if you
13 don't want to allow a surgeon to come in that has even
14 requested to come in, like on Ron Englewood's (sic)
15 behalf, and he himself is willing to come in -- and
16 that would have gone a, a long, long, long way for this
17 whole body to come on out. But, of course, why should
18 you people take a chance to find out if that would
19 work? Why don't we just go on for days and weeks and
20 so forth, until you bring your tanks in, till you
21 firebomb, till whatever else you need to do?

22 DICK: Steve, how, how can we meet you'all
23 halfway? How can, how can I as a negotiator and you
24 as, as kind of a negotiator or intermediary, how can we
25 meet this halfway? We don't want anybody to get hurt.
We don't want Judy's --

1 STEVE: Let me, let me --

2 DICK: -- finger to --

3 STEVE: -- just halfway --

4 DICK: -- you know, get inf--

5 STEVE: Judy --

6 DICK: -- so bad.

7 STEVE: You mentioned Judy. And, about her
8 finger, it would go a long ways in her behalf to have
9 trust in people like yourselves if -- when her request
10 and Ron Englewood, whose willingness, along with the
11 surgeons he found to come in to take care of her
12 finger, that, I think, would make a huge difference in
13 her views of you people, because, after all, she's the
14 one that got shot in the finger through the hand and in
15 the shoulder, reaching out for a baby bottle, or
16 whatever she was -- I, I think she said a baby bottle.
17 So, I mean, and she was not -- she didn't have a gu--
18 she wasn't firing at anybody. She looked out of a
19 window and -- first of all, and then -- and it was --
20 and hearing the co-- some commotion, and, and she got
21 it. I mean, why were these guys firing at her in the
22 first place? I would -- I'll tell you the truth. I
23 was outraged when I --

24 DICK: Well --

25 STEVE: -- saw her finger and saw what had
happened.

1 DICK: Yeah.

2 STEVE: I was extremely mad.

3 DICK: I was -- Steve, I wasn't there, you
4 know.

5 STEVE: But I -- why --

6 DICK: I can't answer those --

7 STEVE: -- why should she come --

8 DICK: -- some of those questions.

9 STEVE: -- out and go through some kind of a
10 process until you people to her, in her own mind, to
11 her satisfaction, have proven themselves? She doesn't
12 think you have. She doesn't see a good intent, from
13 her perspective --

14 DICK: Okay.

15 STEVE: -- right now.

16 DICK: Yeah.

17 STEVE: She sees a good intent on the part of
18 a, a Ron Engelmand and --

19 DICK: Well --

20 STEVE: -- the surgeons that were willing to
21 come here, and there, and thereby, if you would have
22 allowed that, she would have seen that you were working
23 with people that had love for humanity and for the
24 welfare of humanity. But at this point, she doesn't
25 see it. And I, and I can't, the truth is, talk her out
of her position right now.

1 DICK: Sure.

2 STEVE: I, I could come out on my own. She
3 -- I'll tell you the truth, she -- if I came out right
4 now, she would stay here.

5 DICK: Uh-huh.

6 STEVE: She told me that. She would --

7 DICK: Okay.

8 STEVE: -- stay here.

9 DICK: Okay.

10 STEVE: So -- and I asked a few other people,
11 well, if I go out -- and I'll tell you this. I asked a
12 few other people: if I go out right now, what are you
13 going to do? They said they would stay here. So, no,
14 I don't have the kind of influence you people are
15 giving me credit for. Right now they are still, they
16 are still more ill-at-ease than I am in regards to your
17 agency --

18 DICK: Yeah. Well --

19 STEVE: -- in regards to the system. And
20 they are getting this because of the actions -- they
21 all knew what Jim had said from Sunday night and --
22 about the perimeter, about no one being on the
23 property. And you, the FBI, who are in control, right
24 away continued to do more and more and more, contrary
25 to what was given by Jim the very first night. That
keeps coming up by the people to me over and over every

1 day.

2 DICK: Steve, Steve, can I interject
3 something?

4 STEVE: Now, you -- are you listening really
5 close to what --

6 DICK: I'm listening.

7 STEVE: -- I'm telling you?

8 DICK: But can I interject something?

9 STEVE: But did you hear me, Dick?

10 DICK: Okay. Go ahead.

11 STEVE: Did you hear me?

12 DICK: Yes. Go ahead.

13 STEVE: Okay. Now, if you want to react to
14 that, because that still is a major issue to a -- the
15 majority of those people that are in here.

16 DICK: Certainly.

17 STEVE: That's what I've been trying to get
18 around, and it's not easy when the facts are staring
19 them in the face. Not only did you guys bring in all
20 the Bradleys, the -- ruin our private property -- I
21 don't know what you're going to do or how you're going
22 to replace a, a, a motorcycle that has special art work
23 done to it. I mean, here they went and ran one over.
24 They buried one. They ran over shacks. I mean -- and,
25 and you people did not communicate to me that ahead of
time or the reasons for it. You just did it. Whereas

1 | we look out the window and you people are screaming
2 | loud and clear over the, the telephone about someone
3 | looking out a window wearing a balaclava. I was glad
4 | you introduced me to a new word in the vocabulary. I
5 | never heard of it before. But at the same time you
6 | screamed loud, loud, loud. I mean, if anybody makes a
7 | movement around here -- but it's not been a two-way
8 | street and I have said that from the beginning. So,
9 | it's they -- my job, what I've desired to do, as much
10 | as you say you do, and that's bringing people out, it's
11 | made my job ten times harder, every day much harder.

12 | DICK: Yeah.

13 | STEVE: Because you don't do things that are
14 | -- I mean, like one day, of course, they finally
15 | brought in -- four or five days after the request for
16 | milk they finally bring it in. Then they shut the
17 | electricity off that, that night. So, right away here
18 | the milk is already starting to s-- what in the worl--
19 | what's going on?

20 | DICK: Yeah.

21 | STEVE: It -- you know, tr-- I'm trying in
22 | their behalf also to sit down sensibly, talk these
23 | issues out, to make sense of it for myself. And it's
24 | not easy. You guys don't -- you -- it's like y-- on
25 | one hand you're, you're saying you're trying to help me
 | out, you're trying to help them out. On the other,

1 | you're doing everything to show that you're not
2 | sincere. Your actions don't show that. Last night I
3 | thought -- yesterday and last night -- now, you said I
4 | was going to get these magazines. Here it is now into
5 | the -- well, well into the next day. So, where do we
6 | go from here? You tell me. I, I mean, I've been
7 | listening. I've been listening. But try to make it so
8 | it's believable.

9 | DICK: Well --

10 | STEVE: Try to make it believable to me.

11 | DICK: Can, can you hang on just a second?

12 | STEVE: Sure can.

13 | DICK: Someone's kind of waving at me over --
14 | hold, hold on. Please. Please hold on.

15 | (Pause.)

16 | DICK: Hello, Steve?

17 | STEVE: Yeah.

18 | DICK: Steve. Yeah. Now, someone kind of
19 | waved to me there and --

20 | STEVE: All right.

21 | DICK: What about, you know, setting aside
22 | these, these issues that, you know, that, that keep
23 | coming up and how about -- let me, let me throw this
24 | out. You know, take some time and think about it.
25 | Talk to David if you want. How about sending some
 | people out, say four or the three that were -- that,

1 | you know --

2 | STEVE: Dick, you've got your --

3 | DICK: -- that -- it, it --

4 | STEVE: -- you -- I had --

5 | DICK: Well, wait now.

6 | STEVE: No, no, no.

7 | DICK: Listen, Steve.

8 | STEVE: Wait, wait, wait, wait.

9 | DICK: Now --

10 | STEVE: Now --

11 | DICK: -- listen to you.

12 | STEVE: -- li-- no, no. Wait. Before you

13 | say anymore, let's, let's pick on -- you just said how

14 | about sending some people out, four or whatever.

15 | DICK: Steve, I listened to you.

16 | STEVE: Wait -- now, listen -- wait, wait.

17 | DICK: And I -- would you listen to me?

18 | STEVE: I can't because you're talking about

19 | an impo-- I can't --

20 | DICK: It's not impossible.

21 | STEVE: -- coerce -- I can't force them --

22 | DICK: Go ahead. Go ahead.

23 | STEVE: -- against their will. How do you

24 | send somebody out that's not willing to go out, now?

25 | Dick, you're, you're talking -- you're not talking

 | sensibly to me. Come, come back -- let's, let's use

1 the phrase Max uses all the time: come back to Earth,
2 Dick. Come back to Earth. Dick? Dick?

3 DICK: Hello.

4 STEVE: Now, this is what --

5 DICK: Hello, Steve.

6 STEVE: -- Max says to me. Now, let's -- let
7 me do that to you. Now, these people have a freedom of
8 choice. I respect it. I couldn't re-- coerce them
9 into anything or with -- through salesmanship try to
10 talk them out of a position they've taken. You don't
11 understand by what happened last night, speaking one
12 way and showing something else. You damaged my
13 credibility with yourselves and them. I, I'm not
14 joking you when I'm telling you that.

15 DICK: How do you think we felt when we
16 walked in here this morning and occurred --

17 STEVE: I -- it does not -- well, the -- then
18 you're not in control and you guys ought -- don't waste
19 your time, Dick. Go home and put the commanders on the
20 phone then. There's no sense in having you in between
21 them and us.

22 DICK: Well, our, our credibility -- you
23 know, you damaged our credibility when you'all didn't
24 come out. What is it? I don't -- I've lost track of
25 times, Steve. A week or so ago.

STEVE: No, no, no. No, no.

1 DICK: The first Tuesday.

2 STEVE: You, you people were the first to
3 break your word. Let's be real now. Right from
4 Sunday.

5 DICK: No.

6 STEVE: No, no. Let's go right back --

7 DICK: David said he --

8 STEVE: -- to Sunday night --

9 DICK: -- would come out --

10 STEVE: That was, that was David.

11 DICK: -- at the end of that hour-long
12 broadcast --

13 STEVE: It was David Koresh --

14 DICK: -- and he did not.

15 STEVE: -- that chose --

16 DICK: Everybody was coming out.

17 STEVE: It was David Koresh that chose to
18 start sending children out. It had nothing to do with
19 you, your organization or Jim. David chose to do that
20 himself. I was right here --

21 DICK: Fine.

22 STEVE: -- next to him.

23 DICK: That's very good.

24 STEVE: Okay. So, he starts doing that right
25 from Sunday night. Certain promises were made to us.
They have never ever been kept, but you've encroached

1 upon us more and more and more. You've tried to
2 intimidate. You've played all sorts of mind games by
3 the, the, the games you've been playing. But it
4 doesn't affect the people and their state of mind,
5 their mind-set from where they're coming from. It
6 doesn't bother them. What bothers them is if they are
7 to make a choice to come out, you've got to show them
8 something that they can trust in, that you have some
9 consistency in the things you're doing and saying, and
10 that's where you fall short. When you're talking to
11 me, John has for the past three days, it doesn't
12 finally matter anymore when John is so sweet, so
13 decent, so humanitarian, but on the other hand someone
14 else comes in to play, changes the program, changes the
15 rules, acts contradictorily to what has taken place.

16 DICK: Well --

17 STEVE: So, now here we --

18 DICK: We've --

19 STEVE: -- are again.

20 DICK: -- we've delivered.

21 STEVE: I'm in a worse place -- since this
22 all started, I'm in the worse place than ever before.
23 I really am.

24 DICK: Well, then, how about coming on out of
25 there then? You know, we've given milk. We've, we've
tried to convince people. We've sent the --

1 STEVE: Dick --

2 DICK: -- suture kit in.

3 STEVE: -- man, I tell you what, I don't know
4 what school -- I don't know what kind of an environment
5 you grew up in or what kind of a school you got your
6 training, you definitely -- you and, you and I are not
7 hitting on the same wavelength --

8 DICK: Uh-uh.

9 STEVE: -- right now. The very reason why
10 they're not coming out is the very reason you're going
11 to bring up to me. They should come out. You -- well,
12 you and me are so far apart --

13 DICK: Uh-uh.

14 STEVE: -- right now.

15 DICK: I know. I'm listening to you, Steve,
16 but you won't listen to me. It's, it's --

17 STEVE: Oh, I will -- I'm listening to you,
18 but you aren't being realistic. You've got to start to
19 prove to these people again you -- I'm serious. What
20 John had done the last three days in a row these people
21 liked. It made a huge difference. Now here comes a
22 new guy, Dick, the ninth person. What the --

23 DICK: Nine? Nine already.

24 STEVE: Yeah, it is nine already.

25 DICK: I lost track here.

STEVE: At least nine, maybe ten even. I

1 don't know. I'll, I'll jot them all down. It's prob--
2 you're probably -- yeah, you're nine and, and Third
3 John would be ten.

4 DICK: Uh-huh.

5 STEVE: But after all these guys, that even
6 makes it look worse. I mean, you guys get a break.
7 You can go eat. You can go back home after putting in
8 your week's --

9 DICK: Yes.

10 STEVE: -- work or your --

11 DICK: That's true.

12 STEVE: -- couple days. I mean --

13 DICK: Certainly.

14 STEVE: But, anyway -- no, I will sit and --
15 I'll listen here 10, 20, 50 minutes if you want, but be
16 realistic. If you're going to be going around in a
17 merry-go-around repeating yourself, becoming redundant,
18 what can I do? Come on. Give me something to go back
19 to these people to gain some respect and some, some
20 trust in you. Right now, whether it's you or not, if
21 it's the commanders, then they're going to believe that
22 no matter what you say, Dick, doesn't mean a whole lot.
23 It doesn't mean a hill of beans. Are you hearing --

24 DICK: Okay.

25 STEVE: -- me say that?

DICK: Yeah. Yes.

1 STEVE: Okay.

2 DICK: Okay. Steve --

3 STEVE: So, if the commanders are the --
4 actually the ones in control and no matter what you say
5 it doesn't matter, they'll do their own thing, well,
6 then, what's the sense of me having a phone line open
7 to you in the first place?

8 DICK: Okay. All right. Wait a minute now,
9 Steve. I'm, I'm concerned about Judy's finger. Okay?
10 And I, I know you've, you've kind of relayed Judy's
11 attitude toward us or, you know, seeking medical help.
12 What -- consider this. What if Judy came out to the
13 tank or --

14 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: Bradley.

15 DICK: -- Bradley and had a doctor, medical
16 doctor, treat -- take a look at her finger and, and
17 just kind of, you know, indepe-- just see it firsthand
18 and treat it if necessary, whatever, and, and she can
19 go back in?

20 STEVE: Well, do you know what?

21 DICK: What about that?

22 STEVE: If you actually -- if she did that
23 and you were honest and you followed through with what
24 you're saying and she came back in, that would give me
25 so much space and room to start gaining -- I'm -- it,
it would help a lot.

1 DICK: Okay. Now, it's going to cost you.
2 We want some people come out. In other words, how
3 about some children? I, I'm sure they're cold, Steve.

4 STEVE: Well, of course they are.

5 DICK: You know, I -- I haven't been in there
6 and I, and I don't know, but I, I walked in this
7 building this morning and it was cold. How about three
8 children? We'll treat Judy's finger and I've got to
9 sell this to, to --

10 STEVE: Well --

11 DICK: -- the guys that I answer to and
12 they've got to go up the, the ladder, so to speak.

13 STEVE: Dick, let me -- about the children --

14 DICK: Yes, sir?

15 STEVE: The children, that's what -- that's
16 one thing that's not in my hands at all. Dealing with
17 these other adult individuals is, not dealing with the
18 children. The children, for the most part, the
19 majority are David's own children. So, you're talking
20 about three children coming out. Then you'd ha-- I'd
21 have to go to him, talk to him about it. I really
22 don't see that that's right now something that he would
23 choose to do, especially because he was so highly
24 insul-- I'm telling you, he stopped talking last night,
25 even to -- I haven't talked to him yet. Every -- when
we were sitting there, I had just been in communication

1 with John Cox, and that electricity went off, we're --
2 what's this now? And since then I've not communi-- and
3 to -- for me to even have the -- I wouldn't even insult
4 him further myself going to him saying they want three
5 of your children.

6 DICK: What -- well, well --

7 STEVE: You -- Dick --

8 DICK: This is going to be for Judy.

9 STEVE: I want -- okay. I'm going, I'm going
10 to leave. That won't matter. That --

11 DICK: Steve.

12 STEVE: -- won't matter.

13 DICK: It's for --

14 STEVE: Seriously.

15 DICK: -- it's, it's for Judy.

16 STEVE: Nope. That would -- I'm being honest
17 with you.

18 DICK: We, we want to help her with her
19 finger. Okay? I, I saw the, you know, the tape --

20 STEVE: Now, if you're talking about, if
21 you're talking about adults, I can go talk --

22 DICK: Okay.

23 STEVE: -- to them.

24 DICK: Okay. Fine. That's, that's okay.
25 Okay? And let me run this by you. Medical treatment
for Judy's finger. She's free, free to go back in.

1 Okay? After she's -- gets this medical -- I guess it's
2 an evaluation and whatever emergency first aid. And,
3 and, and three adults.

4 STEVE: Well, let me tell you how --

5 DICK: And I --

6 STEVE: I, I, I'm almost sure that --

7 DICK: Go ahead.

8 STEVE: Okay. I would -- I'm going to go
9 talk to David, if he will talk to me. I don't even
10 know if he will. But here's what he would say. I'm
11 sure of it. I'm not, not -- I'm 99 percent sure he
12 will say this. To regain some confidence in this, let
13 Judy go out there, get her finger fixed, come back in,
14 and these three people then after that will come out.
15 That's what he's going to say, because it is you people
16 that are the ones that stopped the process. It's you
17 people that are the ones that broke the trust
18 relationship.

19 DICK: Okay.

20 STEVE: So, it's you that got to make the
21 first move and start showing the opposite again. I
22 know he's going to say that.

23 DICK: Okay. Well, let me --

24 STEVE: One of the last things he said to me
25 was in that regard. Not of course about Judy or
anything else, but in -- speaking about the principles.

1 DICK: Okay. How, how about we,
2 compromise. Okay? How about we meet halfway. How
3 about one adult out. We treat Judy's finger. She
4 comes out, goes back in, and two adults.

5 STEVE: Are you saying one comes out with her
6 and then gets --

7 DICK: No --

8 STEVE: -- in the vehicle --

9 DICK: Well, we can do that. Or just -- or,
10 you know, one adult comes out and -- freely walks out.
11 Judy has her finger treated. We're concerned. I'm,
12 I'm serious, Steve.

13 STEVE: Now, remember, I've --

14 DICK: We're very concerned --

15 STEVE: -- I've got a --

16 DICK: -- about her finger.

17 STEVE: You remember, I've got to pass this
18 all to the three individuals who will --

19 DICK: Okay. Well, I've got --

20 STEVE: -- who are willing --

21 DICK: -- I've got to talk to --

22 STEVE: -- to come out on their own. I mean,
23 it -- they weren't coming out because they were ne-- we
24 were negotiating anything. They were coming out
25 willingly --

 DICK: I, I understand. I understand.

1 STEVE: They weren't -- there was no
2 bargaining, nothing. They just came out because they
3 had -- gaining confidence in you people. I kept
4 talking to them. They were gaining confidence. That's
5 the reason. But now, I mean, I'll have to run this by
6 David. I'll have to run this by those thr-- first of
7 all, those three, because they -- it won't matter to
8 him what their choice is. They've got a choice --

9 DICK: Certainly.

10 STEVE: -- to make on their own.

11 DICK: But --

12 STEVE: But he might -- he will want to know
13 what's going on around here for sure.

14 DICK: But I also know how influential you
15 are. And, and here's, here's the deal. One come out.
16 If she wants -- if he or she wants to come out with
17 Judy, fine. Judy gets her finger treated. Judy goes
18 back in and two other adults. I have to get -- I've
19 got to talk to the coordinator that kind of runs
20 roughshod over our -- the negotiators, and he's got to
21 go -- you know, it's incredible, but the, the
22 bureaucracy, we've got to go up the line. Okay?

23 STEVE: Um-hum.

24 DICK: They wo-- it can-- okay. Can -- you
25 can run that by David and perhaps talk to --

 STEVE: I will.

1 DICK: -- some of the adults.
2 STEVE: Give me -- give me --
3 DICK: Sta--
4 STEVE: -- at least one hour, though.
5 DICK: One hour?
6 STEVE: Because I, I --
7 DICK: Okay.
8 STEVE: -- don't know if he's awake yet,
9 because he goes in and out all the time.
10 DICK: Okay. How, how is he doing? I mean,
11 you know, physically?
12 STEVE: I don't -- I haven't, I haven't seen
13 him since 12:15 last night --
14 DICK: Oh, okay.
15 STEVE: -- when I walked, when I walked out
16 of his room. He didn't -- see, he wasn't -- like I
17 told you, he wasn't speaking. He, he was very stern in
18 his countenance. And he do -- he -- I mean, he -- for
19 -- he said this. Like I told you, he said we are now
20 going to be counselling with God or we're going to
21 communicate with God. We're going to get all these
22 people together, because you people have, have stopped
23 communicating with us by your actions. That's what he
24 said.
25 DICK: Okay.
STEVE: That's the only thing he said I could

1 | pass on in his behalf to yourselves.

2 | DICK: Okay, Steve. Well, how -- you know,
3 | let's, let's talk again in about an hour, okay? About
4 | 2:30 or so. I think it's -- let me see. It's 1:30.

5 | STEVE: It is. Okay.

6 | DICK: About 2:30?

7 | STEVE: Okay. About 2:30 then.

8 | DICK: Okay.

9 | STEVE: I'll talk to you then.

10 | DICK: All right. Thank you.

11 | STEVE: Sure.

12 | DICK: Bye-bye.

13 | STEVE: Bye.

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15 | UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER 1: Hang up?

16 | UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER 2: He's not going
17 | to answer.

18 | UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER 3: Hang up?

19 | UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER 4: No, no, no, no.

20 | STEVE: Hello?

21 | DICK: Steve?

22 | STEVE: Yes.

23 | DICK: Dick. How are you doing?

24 | STEVE: Dick. Okay.

25 | DICK: Hi. Well, we've got another telephone
glitch.

1 STEVE: Oh. No, I was just a little -- a few
2 steps away from the phone here.

3 DICK: Oh. Okay. Hey, I wanted to ask you,
4 Steve, if you -- this communication we got from an
5 attorney here on behalf of your sister, do you -- have
6 you given that any more thought or --

7 STEVE: No, I really haven't. I was more
8 concerned about the communication breakdown between us
9 and yours-- and ourselves. You know --

10 DICK: Yeah. Well, well, do you have any
11 message for your sister or would you want us to --

12 STEVE: I really don't. I really don't.

13 DICK: Okay. All right. Okay. Did you have
14 a chance --

15 STEVE: Yeah.

16 DICK: Go ahead.

17 STEVE: Yeah. I peeked in there to see if
18 David was around --

19 DICK: Uh-huh.

20 STEVE: -- and he, he being there, he said --
21 actually, he had a few things to say.

22 DICK: Uh-huh.

23 STEVE: He said to him it was the highest
24 insult. On one hand, he said we had this rapport going
25 for three days, and then, of course, the electric go --
cut off. And that told him a lot about you, your

1 organization, about what you people are about, about
2 humanitarianism, all the rest. And he also reminded me
3 that -- to remind you that we're also Judeo-Christians.
4 It's our sabbath today and so you couldn't have picked
5 a better time. He also -- you know, of course, you
6 brought up his children and how cold it is here for
7 them and that's --

8 DICK: Sure.

9 STEVE: -- true. He realized -- and that's
10 exactly it, and that's why he's wondering what's going
11 on.

12 DICK: Uh-huh.

13 STEVE: You know, a lot of us have thought
14 about things like the Red Cross and how in time of war
15 or any other crisis, no matter what extreme of society
16 you have or, or that a people might be involved in some
17 adverse conditions, it seems to always be help. But
18 you people, of course, have cut us off from any kind or
19 source of help when it comes to medicine, whatever it
20 might be. It's got to be your way or no way. It's --
21 I see that. It's that way with the press even, no
22 matter -- or what other part of the government or
23 society in this country there is, it seems like you
24 people are totally in control. So, you know, I mean,
25 you guys are smooth with, with us on one side, you
know, you -- the way you talk to us and so forth, and

1 we look out the windows and see a lot of, like I told
2 you earlier, a lot of negative actions. And, of
3 course, there's always -- it's -- we can never do
4 something good enough or fast enough for you, even
5 though do-- David has reiterated to you that you can't
6 force the conscience of people. You know, if you give
7 them time, as you saw happen, as you saw happen -- I
8 really thought it would have turned out to be like a
9 little break in a dam where ultimately it would have
10 taken place. That's really what was in my mind
11 yesterday. And, I mean, I went and talked to a few, a
12 few people meanwhile, and they're not reacting well to
13 me at all. I knew that. I --

14 DICK: Sure.

15 STEVE: -- actually, I knew it.

16 DICK: Sure.

17 STEVE: And I really -- I mentioned about
18 Judy's finger and the, the -- and the other three, but
19 the -- before I could do anything -- I didn't even go
20 to Judy because she would, of course, be more than
21 happy to do something like that. But I went and talked
22 to the three and they were not interested.

23 DICK: Not interested, huh?

24 STEVE: No. So -- and, and it didn't matter
25 if I talked to David about it, because he's not going
to go against what their choice is. That's the whole

1 -- so, I didn't even bother, you know, with that issue.
2 So, here I am now. I knew it was going to come to
3 this.

4 DICK: So, here we are again, huh?

5 STEVE: Yeah. I, I'm telling --

6 DICK: Yeah.

7 STEVE: To tell you the truth, I'm totally
8 shocked. Even -- you know, totally shocked.

9 DICK: Well, you know, to --

10 STEVE: Keep in mind about the Red Cross.
11 Keep in mind about other conditions of other fazes of
12 human life and how humanity has come to help and to do
13 and so forth. Remember this, Dick. I wish you would
14 have never been involved with this. I wish you would
15 have been at your office, some other place, or involved
16 with other illegalities of other criminals or doing --
17 or something of that nature. But maybe it was meant to
18 be. Maybe it's providence. But you came close to
19 having an opportunity to reach a people that have
20 answers when it comes to why this Earth has gone on
21 like it has for 6,000 years, what the answers are for
22 these things, whether you're interested or not. But
23 we're here to tell you God's not happy with any of us,
24 but especially you people. You don't seem to have ears
25 to hear. We were here in this building that day
studying that book, looking to see what God's will was,

1 | because we're not so stupid. We do have some faith,
2 | that we believe that there is a, a mightier authority,
3 | a greater mind than ourselves that we got here by. I
4 | mean, I see in stereo. I hear in stereo. A scientist
5 | can't even show you how life comes from a dead sea, how
6 | a monstrous tree like a Sequoia can come from a little
7 | seed. I mean, these are -- these, of course, are
8 | mysteries that they'd like to look into. And we have
9 | someone here that can explain those very mysteries.
10 | But one would never know that unless they had some time
11 | and ears to hear. But people are too interested in
12 | this life, the life of the flesh, the life that'll pass
13 | away. You and I are subject to death, Dick, aren't we?
14 | DICK: Certainly. It's --
15 | STEVE: Your, your --
16 | DICK: -- you know --
17 | STEVE: -- your family, yourself -- and
18 | that's why we're here in the first place. Now, we're
19 | looking at how, how humanitarian you people really are.
20 | What you do to us and what you allow to happen to a
21 | people who love freedom, who love to worship God by the
22 | dictates of their conscience, we're, we're watching to
23 | see how you treat us, and, and we believe that God is
24 | watching you. And I told you about this 100 years. I
25 | can show you in the Bible where the prophets talk about
those people in the last days to beware, don't get

1 caught up on the wrong side, listen to the issues,
2 weigh it out clearly. Because what is done in this
3 ultimate and final generation is going to be manifested
4 ten times -- tenfold to those involved. I don't want
5 to see some -- you go through 100 years where it's
6 going to be so cold, people are going to be hungry,
7 those that are the, the strongest survive. I, I don't
8 want to see you part of it. You're ignorant of it.
9 You know nothing about it. You probably don't believe
10 in the book for good reasons, because religion has been
11 a farce through many generations. And if we, if we see
12 with our eyes what it's really been, people judge
13 correctly. They don't want to be part of such a,
14 thing. But like myself, I've kept my ears and eyes
15 open for many years when it comes to what I'm doing on
16 this Earth, where I'm going, and I read -- I finally
17 came across a source that had consistent logical
18 answers. And I literally tried to disprove the guy. I
19 tried to rip him apart and show where he was wrong. I
20 could not do it. So, in all honesty, I said if there's
21 a God out there, help me to have some discernment to --
22 and, and some honesty with myself, with you, that if,
23 if such a being exists I make the right decision. But
24 it's a decision that's been made every day since I've
25 joined or been part of this organization, as with these
other individuals. It's not easy, the stumbling block

1 being here's a place that, like I told you earlier, is
2 so dumpy -- and it's meant to be that way. But now,
3 because we've lived in such conditions, it doesn't
4 bother us that you turn off the electricity. It
5 doesn't bother us that we don't have this, don't have
6 that. We're actually used to it.

7 DICK: Uh-huh.

8 STEVE: But we are bothered about is, from
9 your perspective and perception, what we're bothered
10 about is how you've gone out of your way to do what
11 you've done. I mean -- and then being -- also, the
12 whole program you've got there, being so totally
13 inconsistent. On one hand you're patting me on the
14 back and shaking my hand. On the other hand, you're
15 stabbing me in the side. I mean, this is exactly
16 what's taking place, especially from last night.

17 DICK: Steve, though, you know, I, I'm not
18 here to stab you in the side. I did not stab you in
19 the side. I will not stab you in --

20 STEVE: No, your organiza--

21 DICK: -- the side.

22 STEVE: I -- you're part of an organization
23 that you have chose to be part of, so some
24 responsibility is laid on you. Some is, because --

25 DICK: Right. I --

STEVE: -- you chose to be in that

1 organization.

2 DICK: Yeah. I, I, I'm sitting here
3 listening to you, Steve, and I -- you know, I can't
4 help but feel you're trying to put a, a guilt trip on
5 me.

6 STEVE: No, no. I --

7 DICK: But I'm concerned --

8 STEVE: No, it was you --

9 DICK: -- with the medical needs --

10 STEVE: -- you -- between you and I and God,
11 you, you take the responsibility that is yours.

12 DICK: Steve, it's cold. I'm sure it's cold
13 and uncomfortable out there. I -- we've got some
14 people that are injured. You know, I'm just sitting
15 here trying to, to get some help for these people, you
16 know, to address your medical needs and s-- the -- you
17 know, their safety. I'm as concerned about them and
18 their well-being as you are. I know it's cold out
19 there. I know it's uncomfortable. Those children must
20 -- you know, it must really be uncomfortable for the
21 children, the kids out there. You know, fortunately,
22 thank God, you're not injured. You're able to, to
23 maintain this, you know, this communication line.
24 What, what, what about the others? If, if Judy, you
25 know, does not care for medical treatment, what about
-- was it -- I understand Scott, Scott --

1 STEVE: Dick, listen --

2 DICK: -- Senobi or Davey Jones?

3 STEVE: -- to your -- listen to what you just

4 said? What an insult it is for me to even sit and

5 listen to that statement. That is a total fabricated

6 lie, what you just stated.

7 DICK: What is?

8 STEVE: It's not that, that Judy is not

9 interested in medical attention. She is --

10 DICK: Well --

11 STEVE: -- but, but not -- let's make it very

12 plain -- but not on your terms, Dick.

13 DICK: Well, then --

14 STEVE: You un-- you understand? Now, let's

15 not -- when you talk to me, remember --

16 DICK: Okay. Well, let's put it that way.

17 STEVE: You on one hand --

18 DICK: She does not want --

19 STEVE: Listen. On one hand --

20 DICK: -- medical --

21 STEVE: -- you say I'm intelligent. On the

22 other hand, you keep on insulting me by making

23 statements --

24 DICK: Well --

25 STEVE: -- that are --

DICK: -- let me rephrase --

1 STEVE: -- incomplete or not true.

2 DICK: Let me rephrase it then. Perhaps she
3 does not want med-- want or seek medical treatment on
4 our terms. Is -- okay.

5 STEVE: This is -- okay. This is correct.

6 DICK: Okay. Okay.

7 STEVE: She chooses to be --

8 DICK: Well, there's nothing I can do.

9 STEVE: -- here right now because she's an
10 innocent person. She's never done anything in her life
11 illegal but maybe get a speeding ticket.

12 DICK: Uh-huh.

13 STEVE: And you came in and your -- the men
14 of the other agency shot her, and you should have the,
15 the decency to show her some trust now by taking care
16 of that wound of which that agency inflicted upon her,
17 for no reason under this Constitution or the laws of
18 this state even that they had a right to do such a
19 thing.

20 DICK: Steve, we, we don't need to yell at
21 each other.

22 STEVE: Am I getting loud? I'm sorry for
23 that.

24 DICK: Yeah.

25 STEVE: I didn't mean to, but I think -- it
annoys me --

1 DICK: Well, you know, we're --
2 STEVE: -- it annoys me when I --
3 DICK: I know we can -- we --
4 STEVE: It annoys me when I see her condition
5 --
6 DICK: Sure.
7 STEVE: You don't have -- you're in a warm
8 place. You don't have the conditions --
9 DICK: I know all this.
10 STEVE: You're on that saying come out and so
11 forth. She's done -- I mean, it's awesome to me. It's
12 totally amazing.
13 DICK: Well, I'll, I'll -- what about Scott
14 or -- is it Scott?
15 STEVE: Scott is sitting right here looking
16 at me right now.
17 DICK: Does he need some medical treatment?
18 STEVE: What do you -- he was shot in the
19 leg. The bullet's in the leg still, in his, his --
20 DICK: Well, we can --
21 STEVE: It went into his hand and wrist area
22 all the way through to the --
23 DICK: Yeah.
24 STEVE: -- elbow, from what I understand.
25 DICK: Well, we can get some medical
treatment for him. What, what about him coming out?

1 STEVE: Well, we'll send him out then.

2 DICK: The same, the same thing as --

3 STEVE: Let Ron Engelmand bring his two
4 surgeons back here again. He --

5 DICK: Who?

6 STEVE: -- brought them -- from what I
7 understand, he brought them down to the blockade, and,
8 of course, you did not allow them to come in. Can we
9 --

10 DICK: I'm not familiar --

11 STEVE: Would you, would you --

12 DICK: -- I'm not familiar with the --

13 STEVE: Well, I am. Would you allow the Red
14 Cross to come in and take care of some of the -- look
15 at how humanitarian we were to you, to the ATF, and to
16 their people --

17 DICK: Steve --

18 STEVE: -- when we allowed them to come out
19 -- no, no. We allowed them to come into the complex,
20 pick up the wounded, carry them off, and all that they
21 needed to do, even coming within part of the building.
22 We allowed that. We gave them assurance of their
23 safety, that they would be able to come in and take
24 them. And we, we made sure of that. We kept our word.
25 We meant what we said. And, on the other hand, look at
the way we've been treated by yourself, meaning your

1 agency.

2 DICK: Well, I -- I'm glad you -- I'm, I'm,
3 I'm certain that --

4 STEVE: I hope this --

5 DICK: -- ATF --

6 STEVE: -- is reported.

7 DICK: -- is very --

8 STEVE: I want you to listen to this over and
9 over again.

10 DICK: Okay.

11 STEVE: I don't want to have to keep on
12 repeating myself. You get tired of hearing me. I get
13 tired of saying the same things. I hate to keep on
14 getting back to what the issues really are. I don't
15 want to get off on tangents, Dick.

16 DICK: Yeah.

17 STEVE: Let, let's get -- let's stay right on
18 line what -- with what the issues are. You and I have
19 been talking about this word trust until the word's
20 been beat to death. And on -- and we have not really
21 seen anything to produce a word of what the very
22 meaning and definition means. So, I don't know. If
23 you've got -- I don't know what you might want to talk
24 to me about right now today, but I, I'm sitting in a
25 pretty bad position right now with these people, with,
with all of them. And I really don't know what to say

1 anymore. I'm about run out of words. I'll tell you
2 the truth.

3 DICK: Uh-huh. Well, could you maybe run it
4 by Scott or is it --

5 STEVE: He's standing right here listening
6 and he's --

7 DICK: Does he want --

8 STEVE: -- shaking his head --

9 DICK: -- medical treatment? No?

10 STEVE: Well, of course he wants medical
11 treatment.

12 DICK: Well --

13 STEVE: But he's willing to forego it if it's
14 on, on your very narrow terms.

15 DICK: Yeah. Yeah.

16 STEVE: You know, if he can see -- if you can
17 show him trust, that you're -- you really are concerned
18 about him, where you come in via surgeon, take care of
19 him, and a, and a wholesome person gets to take a day
20 or two or some time to take a look at it real carefully
21 to show that you had trust in him, maybe he will make
22 that move. More than likely, I think he would. I
23 think we were in the progress to, to really get that
24 all resolved. I was hoping that ultimately today I
25 could be talking to you about a surgeon or a doctor
that could maybe take care of a couple people. That

1 | would have added to the momentum of, of these people
2 | coming out. But, on the contrary, on the coldest day
3 | of the year your commanders, yourselves involved,
4 | turned off the electricity right in the process of even
5 | communication.

6 | DICK: I -- you know, I -- Steve, make it
7 | clear, I didn't turn it off. I was -- I, I told you
8 | before --

9 | STEVE: No, but -- no --

10 | DICK: -- we're -- I know we're repeating
11 | things.

12 | STEVE: When I say -- let's always remember
13 | the generic "you" of which you're part of the
14 | organization.

15 | DICK: Okay. But --

16 | STEVE: If they're not listening --

17 | DICK: -- but I was as shocked as, as --

18 | STEVE: If they're not listening to you and
19 | to the other Johns and so forth, it's, it's futile,
20 | isn't it? It's a --

21 | DICK: Well, I --

22 | STEVE: -- foolish, foolish communication
23 | that we're involved in.

24 | DICK: Yeah. Well, I think probably in the
25 | back of their minds -- I say "their" -- the people
 | running this show, the commanders --

1 STEVE: Well -- are they really called -- is
2 that a word that is, is --

3 DICK: No. I -- we just say bosses. We
4 just --

5 STEVE: Bosses. Okay.

6 DICK: It's just a -- they're -- they are
7 commanders, but I --

8 STEVE: But -- yeah, but I, I'm glad you --

9 DICK: They're not like me, the --

10 STEVE: -- didn't -- commanders --

11 DICK: -- commanders, okay?

12 STEVE: -- because it reminds me like on
13 these pseudo-movies, you hear about commandos.

14 DICK: No.

15 STEVE: You know.

16 DICK: No. No, no.

17 STEVE: It -- because that's --

18 DICK: That's just --

19 STEVE: -- the kind of picture that comes up
20 --

21 DICK: It's just a generic --

22 STEVE: -- in the mind.

23 DICK: -- term. Just a generic term. Okay.
24 But I think probably what they're thinking of is,
25 again, we go back, and not to rehash, you know, things
that we've gone over time and time again is that --

1 STEVE: But at times --

2 DICK: -- that everybody said they were
3 coming out or -- the word we received was everybody
4 coming out, and, and they haven't come on out. And,
5 and I think, from our point of view, our -- I say
6 "ours," the, the commanders' point of view, milk has
7 gone in, the children that have been --

8 STEVE: Did you say milk has gone in?

9 DICK: Yes, sir.

10 STEVE: Yeah, five days --

11 DICK: Listen.

12 STEVE: -- after the request.

13 DICK: Well, I -- well --

14 STEVE: Then you turned the electricity off
15 so the milk could curdle into cheese. Go ahead.

16 DICK: Care has been received for the
17 children that were, that were released. Okay? We sent
18 in what we thought were very nice videos and
19 photographs of the children. We sent the suture kit
20 in, I think for David's --

21 STEVE: By the way --

22 DICK: -- one of his injuries.

23 STEVE: -- another issue, before I forget,
24 and, and it's a very --

25 DICK: And --

STEVE: Wait, wait. Let me --

1 DICK: Wait. Now, wait, wait, wait.

2 STEVE: Dick, let me --

3 DICK: It's my -- I thought it was my turn,
4 Steve.

5 STEVE: Can I just add this one? Because
6 otherwise --

7 DICK: It's my turn.

8 STEVE: Oh, you don't -- if you don't want to
9 hear it, we're going to -- we've got a stalemate. Let
10 me bring it out. One last thing, okay? I'm not going
11 to -- I'm going to let you continue, just also we
12 didn't hear from Ollie, Dick. And it's a big deal to
13 his sister. It's a big deal to David. Okay. Go ahead
14 now, just so I didn't forget that issue, because it's a
15 major one. Now, go ahead.

16 DICK: Okay. You know how late it was in the
17 day? And the system, you know, was probably shut down
18 by the, by the time --

19 STEVE: You know I acknowledged that and gave
20 --

21 DICK: Oh, okay.

22 STEVE: -- and gave room for that? But I
23 thought we were still on that --

24 DICK: Oh, let's -- maybe we could address
25 that here in a minute. We've offered medical help.
We've sent in notes from -- messages from family. I, I

1 | just read you a, a letter, you know, from your sister,
2 | very concerned about your well-being and about your
3 | legal representation.

4 | STEVE: Now, you're saying this -- these
5 | attorneys can come to this place where I'm at and start
6 | working with me?

7 | DICK: No, Steve.

8 | STEVE: Or are you saying --

9 | DICK: You have to --

10 | STEVE: -- by --

11 | DICK: You have to --

12 | STEVE: -- by telephone? Are you saying by
13 | telephone?

14 | DICK: Could you -- you would have to come
15 | out. And once you appeared, then you would have legal
16 | representation.

17 | STEVE: I have -- has Ollie been interrogated
18 | with or without an attorney present?

19 | DICK: I, I, I think if -- he may have an
20 | attorney. If he asked for an attorney he had one. I,
21 | I don't know that offhand.

22 | STEVE: Well, I -- of course these people
23 | definitely would want to know that.

24 | DICK: Yeah. I'd have to -- I'd -- Steve,
25 | I'd have to check.

 STEVE: And it sounded like, the information

1 I received last night, it sounded like he was taken off
2 and interrogated without anyone.

3 DICK: I don't -- if he --

4 STEVE: I --

5 DICK: Well, I can assure you --

6 STEVE: -- I'm not certain.

7 DICK: Yeah.

8 STEVE: But that, that bothered me.

9 DICK: I, I wasn't there.

10 STEVE: You, you can find --

11 DICK: So --

12 STEVE: -- that information. Because, you
13 know, they need to know that and --

14 DICK: If he has an attorney. Okay.

15 STEVE: Present from the time he came out
16 here that was with him to tell him his rights, to
17 assist him, to --

18 DICK: You know, if he, if he didn't have any
19 money or, or -- you know, he would be appointed a, a, a
20 defender, public defender from the -- that's part of
21 the system.

22 STEVE: This -- in, in this kind of a manner,
23 even knowing what -- why -- where he's coming from or
24 not or involvement, is he also read his Miranda rights
25 right off?

DICK: Yeah-- I, I'm sure he wa-- I say I'm

1 | sure he was. I was not present --

2 | STEVE: -- were --

3 | DICK: -- but I, I think that is one of the,
4 | the basic, you know, precepts. People aren't -- go, go
5 | into custody and they are advised of their Miranda
6 | warnings. And, certainly, if they want, seek
7 | representation from the legal side, they are provided
8 | -- let me see here. Somebody just handed me something
9 | here, Steve. Kathy -- yeah, they mentioned the tape
10 | that Kathy did. She pretty well explained that
11 | procedure, if you recall. Do you still have that tape
12 | there or --

13 | STEVE: The one with the --

14 | DICK: Would you want to review it?

15 | STEVE: The one with the little boy in it
16 | sitting at a table?

17 | DICK: She talked to you on the -- she talked
18 | to you on the phone as well.

19 | STEVE: Um-hum.

20 | DICK: Right?

21 | STEVE: I don't recall her mentioning the
22 | very questions I just asked about the interrogation of
23 | Ollie or reading the Miranda rights, having to --

24 | DICK: Ollie, I think --

25 | STEVE: --

 DICK: Ollie was not out yet or did not come

1 out --

2 STEVE: But I need to know those things.

3 That's what I'm saying.

4 DICK: Well --

5 STEVE: You know.

6 DICK: Okay. Let me check on that for you

7 and get back --

8 STEVE: Yes.

9 DICK: -- with you?

10 STEVE: Please do.

11 DICK: Okay. Okay. Well, where are we now

12 on the --

13 STEVE: You tell me. I --

14 DICK: -- on med-- on medical help? Sta--

15 are we --

16 STEVE: With medical help?

17 DICK: -- at a stalemate on that?

18 STEVE: Positively. Because there is no --

19 from -- I've talked to Scott. I talked to Judy. I

20 talked to David. And, let's see, who else was injured?

21 I talked to Dave Jones. And none of them will

22 negotiate their being wounded for anything or any

23 reason at this point of time. They all let me know

24 that they're waiting, just like --

25 DICK: Okay.

STEVE: -- originally from that Tuesday,

1 | they're waiting. And Judy told me very clearly. I
2 | couldn't talk her out of it, like I told you. But if
3 | her finger did turn into gangrene or infection, it got
4 | into the blood stream, she's willing to go that way.
5 | She's put God first in her life. I've known her all
6 | these years.

7 | DICK: Uh-huh.

8 | STEVE: That's what she chooses. I can't do
9 | anything else. You know, I can't -- I, I can't.

10 | DICK: Well, maybe, you know --

11 | STEVE: I could, I could cry to her. I could
12 | tug on her. It doesn't -- she's going to do what she
13 | feels she has to do. She told me she fears God first.
14 | She said she doesn't have the fear of man as she does
15 | of God. She fears God. And she knows that there's a
16 | will; he's manifested his will. It's very clearly laid
17 | out in a book called the Bible. She wants to follow it
18 | through. She's looking for greater and better things
19 | that last forever. That's where she stands. She,
20 | she's very un-- upset and disgruntled about you people,
21 | about the way the system's been to her after paying
22 | taxes all these years, about her supporting freedom,
23 | the Constitution. And her day when she's been
24 | innocent, and God knows the whole story, she's not been
25 | given the help that she's needed. Only under very
extreme conditions of where she's to come into the

1 | hands of another agency that seems to be back in the
2 | other one of which caused her the problem. That's
3 | where she stands. That's basically --

4 | DICK: Okay.

5 | STEVE: -- what she told me.

6 | DICK: All right. Okay.

7 | STEVE: So, she's --

8 | DICK: Okay, Steve.

9 | STEVE: -- she's still waiting to see if you
10 | people are humanitarian enough -- if you don't send in
11 | a, a doctor, that if you wouldn't let -- allow the Red
12 | Cross, if you wouldn't allow Ron Engelmand with his two
13 | surgeons to come in and take care of her wound. She
14 | said it may help her to think these issues over more
15 | clearly, but right now she's pretty well set on the one
16 | issue.

17 | DICK: Okay. All right. Steve, let me check
18 | concerning Ollie and, you know, what -- exactly where
19 | he is in the system, and I can get back with you later.
20 | Okay?

21 | STEVE: Okay.

22 | DICK: Okay, Steve. Well, thank you.

23 | STEVE: Talk to you later. Bye.

24 | DICK: Bye-bye.

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(End of Tape #124)

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TAPE #125

March 13, 1993

3:52 p.m. - 9:54 p.m.

1 (Tape 125)

2 STEVE: Hello?

3 DICK: Hello, Steve?

4 STEVE: Yes.

5 DICK: Yeah, yeah, Dick. How you doing?

6 STEVE: All right. How, I, I did find out
7 that Ollie has an attorney as does Kathy and at this
8 point, you know, their legal needs are being well
9 represented and both are being treated as material
10 witnesses. Of course, we already knew that, and
11 they're going to have a bond hearing.

12 STEVE: Okay.

13 DICK: At this point or at least as far as I
14 know or have been able to find out there are no other
15 criminal charges pending. So that's kind of where that
16 is.

17 STEVE: Okay. Was he interrogated without an
18 attorney?

19 DICK: He was interviewed. He was
20 Mirandized, you know, advised of his rights as, you
21 know, set forth a standard form and he was interviewed.
22 And then --

23 STEVE: Who was he interviewed by?

24 DICK: By the Texas Rangers. Now, that
25 was -- you know, I think I'd already left, you know,
but I know he was interviewed by the Rangers and I, I
was gone by then.

STEVE: Okay. You had, you had said
something to me earlier about the part of the Texas

1 | Rangers I believe didn't you?

2 | DICK: Right.

3 | STEVE: What was that again? I can't really
4 | -- I don't recall.

5 | DICK: Right. Well, I think we had talked
6 | about the crime scene and, and the property or land --

7 | STEVE: Okay.

8 | DICK: -- being returned back and they would
9 | have to conduct a crime scene and, you know --

10 | STEVE: What are the Texas Rangers really
11 | like, I mean, in relation to a Sheriff's Department or
12 | relation to federal agencies?

13 | DICK: Well, they're the state -- they
14 | represent the State of Texas and they are their --

15 | STEVE: Are they like --

16 | DICK: -- criminal investigators.

17 | STEVE: Are they more like other states would
18 | have your state police maybe or --

19 | DICK: Yes. They're, they're the
20 | investigative branch of the state police --

21 | STEVE: I see.

22 | DICK: -- Texas Department of Public Safety,
23 | right. Right.

24 | STEVE: I went and peeked in to see David.

25 | DICK: Uh-huh.

 STEVE: And the only thing he said -- he only
gave me one word. He said electricity.

 DICK: I see.

 STEVE: That's, that's all he said to me.

1 DICK: Okay. All right. Well, I, I wanted
2 to, you know, mention again our offer of medical
3 treatment and I know, you know, it's, it's not
4 acceptable to you at this time so but I, I did want to
5 mention that and throw that back out.

6 STEVE: Well, remember when you say, when you
7 say you you're talking about the individuals because
8 it's their choice --

9 DICK: Yes.

10 STEVE: -- not mine.

11 DICK: Certainly, certainly, certainly.

12 STEVE: So in other words you took the issues
13 that you and I discussed and about like Ron Engleman
14 with his offer and about the Red Cross and so forth,
15 you took that to them and it's no issue?

16 DICK: That's correct.

17 STEVE: Okay.

18 DICK: Right.

19 STEVE: I'll pass that on to them.

20 DICK: Okay.

21 STEVE: And let's see, so -- and Ollie, we
22 never got to hear his voice so I'll pass that on also
23 even though that was part of what John -- second John,
24 John Dolan and I had spoke about which was assured to
25 me. So I'll pass that on also.

 DICK: Yeah, my understanding is, Steve, that
he's in court now or having a bond hearing as we speak.

 STEVE: Okay. Well, just so -- remember that
part of it was that he was to call back here.

1 DICK: Okay. I -- yeah, I'm, I'm, I'm not
2 aware of that or I don't remember that.

3 STEVE: Yeah, right. Well, it's for Kathy
4 which she did do and that's what helped a lot with
5 Ollie going yesterday.

6 DICK: Oh, I -- oh.

7 STEVE: So see, the next three were going to
8 go out very rapidly also. I mean, the thing that
9 really shocked David and myself last night was we
10 thought -- and it was like this thing was starting to
11 roll and --

12 DICK: Well, Kathy -- you know, I think we
13 pretty held up our bargain as far as Kathy was
14 concerned. That was my understanding, that it was for,
15 you know, the call back and, and --

16 STEVE: And that was true for Ollie.

17 DICK: -- for Kathy. Well, I don't know.

18 STEVE: Because these other two, these other
19 two guys they kept -- they -- right now even as I went
20 and talked with them, as I went in to speak with the,
21 they asked -- that was the first thing they asked me,
22 they asked me over and over again, did I hear from
23 Oliver, has he called yet? That was the main thing on
24 their mind --

25 DICK: Oh, well --

 STEVE: -- the main thing. And of course I
had to tell them no, he hasn't but of course he might
be going through some kind of a process so I didn't cut
it off that the wouldn't or that you wouldn't have him

1 | still do so. So I said, well, I don't know yet because
2 | I, I didn't want to make it worse than what it really
3 | is. And to me it's worse than what I've made them or
4 | told them.

5 | DICK: Okay. Well, I, I --

6 | STEVE: It's just the fact that you guys did
7 | what you did with the electricity like last night and
8 | so forth after one way you were talking so decent to us
9 | and I thought things were going so well. I mean, of
10 | course now I don't really think that David will be
11 | talking to you people anymore at all.

12 | DICK: Okay. Well, I just wanted to relay
13 | that, you know, our medical offer is still good.

14 | STEVE: That means -- that -- but, you know,
15 | because of -- that's why I wanted you to hear me so
16 | clearly when I talked to you before: what you're saying
17 | to me, what I'm to pass on to these individuals that
18 | were wounded. You're actually insulting them. You're
19 | saying nothing to them.

20 | DICK: Okay.

21 | STEVE: Of course it would be good, we could
22 | walk out here and go to wherever and it would be good,
23 | of course doctors are always going to want to heal and
24 | help the sick, of course Dick you're saying nothing to
25 | me. And if we would have known this maybe, maybe we
should have taken a different attitude to the wounded
that were on our property back to weeks ago Sunday.

 DICK: Okay. Well, you know, if --

 STEVE: I mean, is that -- I mean, you,

1 | you're showing me such a -- an inhumanitarian concept
2 | here like I'd never seen in this country, seriously.

3 | DICK: Um-hum.

4 | STEVE: It helps me to understand more about
5 | your agency, it really does.

6 | DICK: Okay. Well, Steve, if, if, if --

7 | STEVE: Okay, Dick -- you call me when you
8 | feel like it and we'll --

9 | DICK: Well --

10 | STEVE: -- we'll talk some more words.

11 | DICK: If anybody has any questions, you
12 | know, we're here 24 hours a day, just, you know, give
13 | us a call let us know.

14 | STEVE: Hey, I really doubt that they, I
15 | really doubt that they do.

16 | DICK: If they want to come out let us know.

17 | STEVE: Okay.

18 | DICK: Okay. Bye.

19 | STEVE: See you.

20 | (Phones hung up)

21 | UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: (Indiscernible)

22 | DICK: Much better. (Spoken to other agent)

23 | STEVE: Okay. Is this Dick?

24 | DICK: Yes.

25 | STEVE: Okay.

 DICK: How you doing?

 STEVE: The same.

 DICK: Okay.

 STEVE: What's -- I just -- the phone rang

1 | about three, four times. I picked it up. It seemed
2 | like someone was on but it didn't seem like there was
3 | much of a connection. I don't know. Did you call?

4 | DICK: No, no, it wasn't us at all, no.

5 | STEVE: Oh, it wasn't?

6 | DICK: No, sir, no, it was not us.

7 | STEVE: Well, that is strange.

8 | DICK: Yeah.

9 | STEVE: Somebody called. Someone got through
10 | on this line and I don't know what. It was kind of
11 | weird. I thought that was you calling.

12 | DICK: No, uh-uh, no.

13 | STEVE: Okay. I thought I'd give you a call
14 | back thinking that you called so I guess --

15 | DICK: Okay. How, how is everybody, okay?

16 | STEVE: The same.

17 | DICK: All right.

18 | STEVE: Everything has remained about the
19 | same.

20 | DICK: Okay. All right. Well, it, it wasn't
21 | us, Steve.

22 | STEVE: Okay.

23 | DICK: Okay.

24 | STEVE: Bye.

25 | DICK: Bye-bye.

(Phones hung up)

UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: (Indiscernible)

MIKE: It's Mike.

STEVE: Mike?

1 MIKE: Yes.

2 STEVE: Mike. You're a new person.

3 MIKE: I'm a new person. I've been here
4 listening here with you.

5 STEVE: You have been?

6 MIKE: I have, Steve. How are you doing?

7 STEVE: Did someone call here about a half
8 hour ago? Someone just came and got me and said the
9 phone rang about I guess about six times or something.

10 MIKE: No, no, we did not.

11 STEVE: What, what -- see now, you would know
12 more than I would what kind of line we have these days.
13 I was under, under the impression that it went directly
14 to you or something to that or --

15 MIKE: Yes, that's correct, Steve, yeah. We,
16 we haven't changed the line.

17 STEVE: Well, that is -- see, twice today now
18 -- this afternoon there was three rings, I picked it up
19 and then after I was on I said hello, hello, someone
20 put it down. So I called back. It was Jack that told
21 me you had not called and then just about a half hour
22 ago it rang about six times.

23 MIKE: Hmm.

24 STEVE: And someone else went to pick it up.
25 here. When they picked it up there was no one on the
line.

MIKE: No, that was not us. We haven't
changed a thing in all these days.

STEVE: Strange.

1 MIKE: Yeah.

2 STEVE: Okay. Well, that's what -- I thought
3 I'd check back to see what was -- if someone was
4 calling here or what it was.

5 MIKE: No, we have not.

6 STEVE: Okay.

7 MIKE: How you doing?

8 STEVE: Well, it's very -- where I'm at right
9 now it's very dark.

10 MIKE: Okay.

11 STEVE: But how am I doing? It's a cool
12 evening and physically I guess we're doing fine.

13 MIKE: All right. Good to hear it.

14 STEVE: Yeah. Other than I was talking with
15 David and he was asking me -- he came around out of
16 sleep. He was asking me what, what's been happening.
17 I told him more or less from this morning -- well, he
18 was -- the last time I was really talking with him was
19 last night about oh, I think it was just when John Cox
20 got off the phone with him.

21 MIKE: Right.

22 STEVE: He said he was going to call him back
23 which he didn't do. We called him instead at about
24 11:15 when lights went out.

25 MIKE: Right, sure, sure.

STEVE: And he said he was going to call us
back, he never did. And then this morning of course I
was woke up by a third John and then Dick talked to me.

MIKE: No, that was John 1 this morning,

1 Steve.

2 STEVE: It was?

3 MIKE: Sure. Early, at 6 o'clock?

4 STEVE: Oh, really?

5 MIKE: That was the return call that John
6 wanted to make to you, John 1.

7 STEVE: Oh, I was told that it was John -- I
8 think he told me it was John 3.

9 MIKE: No, no, that was John 1.

10 STEVE: It was pretty I guess so maybe I
11 wasn't totally with it then. I don't know.

12 MIKE: Yeah. No, that was John 1 and that's,
13 that's the call that I think you misassumed he was, you
14 know, going to call you back and didn't and that's the,
15 the call he did make.

16 STEVE: Are you, are you talking about like
17 this morning like about oh --

18 MIKE: 6 o'clock.

19 STEVE: 6 o'clock?

20 MIKE: Yeah.

21 STEVE: Boy, I don't even recall.

22 MIKE: Yeah. You were pretty sleepy when you
23 picked it up.

24 STEVE: Must have been.

25 MIKE: Yeah.

STEVE: Must have been. I was under the
impression the person said they were John -- a third
John or something.

MIKE: No.

1 STEVE: I'm almost sure.

2 MIKE: No.

3 STEVE: Were you there?

4 MIKE: Yes, I was.

5 STEVE: I see.

6 MIKE: Yeah. We want you to know, too, you
7 know, that we've received wrong number calls in here
8 also --

9 STEVE: I see.

10 MIKE: -- on the same phone system and it's
11 not something you should worry about.

12 STEVE: Okay.

13 MIKE: You know, if we, we call, you know,
14 we'll let it ring until something picks it up.

15 STEVE: Okay. When I was last talking, I
16 think it was with John, he was going to get back to me
17 about information when Dick got on the phone and it
18 seems like we went around and around for a while and
19 always getting back to like John Dolan --

20 MIKE: Okay.

21 STEVE: -- we had such an awesome relation
22 for about two, three days there. I must honestly say
23 again and admit that I thought this was going to be
24 quickly resolved. It was just starting to open up. I
25 had opportunity with these people like I've not had --

MIKE: Yeah.

STEVE: -- really ever.

MIKE: So did we, so did we, Steve.

STEVE: Well, I know, what the strange thing

1 | to me was what Dick was telling me and sharing with me
2 | is that in essence you people, the negotiators had
3 | really no input with what took place. And in fact, he
4 | said -- we were talking about those that were coming
5 | out. In fact, the thing that really disappointed me
6 | more than anything was this morning, they were already
7 | planning on being out between 9:00 and 10 o'clock.

8 | MIKE: Right. That's how we left it this
9 | morning when, you know, we went off, were certain that
10 | they were also.

11 | STEVE: So then when the electricity went off
12 | at 11:15 and then what did -- I -- in truth I don't
13 | even remember what John said to me this -- if he called
14 | me at 6 o'clock basically what was he saying? I don't
15 | even recall the conversation.

16 | MIKE: We basically wanted to, to reassure
17 | you that we did try to have an input into that decision
18 | but the decision was not ours to make.

19 | STEVE: I see.

20 | MIKE: And we wanted to reinforce that, that
21 | we gave it, gave it our best. We do have inputs into
22 | the, into the people that make the decisions and we
23 | relay to them your concerns as well as our concerns
24 | on a, on a major decision.

25 | STEVE: Um-hum.

 MIKE: And the one last night was not our --
we did not have, have the final say.

 STEVE: It is so funny that after what was
all gained yesterday and the good attitude between --

1 it, it was a shock, it was like having the rug pulled
2 out from under me, it really was. I really had the
3 confidence and the momentum really believing that, you
4 know, it was really -- the way the people were reacting
5 to me, the way we were sitting down talking and all of
6 it --

7 MIKE: Right.

8 STEVE: -- I really thought this was going to
9 be really something that would be really picking up
10 quickly.

11 MIKE: Right, and so we, we were.

12 STEVE: And that's what I, that's why related
13 my thoughts to Dick about how these men must be lacking
14 and insight and wisdom because, I mean, if they would
15 have been monitoring the conversations from the last
16 couple days and how it was starting to pick up, and I
17 even said I, I thought it was going to
18 snowball --

19 MIKE: Um-hum.

20 STEVE: -- really did.

21 MIKE: Right, we talked about that and we
22 know you're, you're trying very hard to, to continue
23 the --

24 STEVE: Like even right now --

25 MIKE: -- the negotiations just by
communicating with us.

STEVE: I don't even know what -- my next
step, I told Dick, I really didn't even know what to
do, I don't know how to even begin with these people

1 | now. It's like I'm at a loss. I went and talked to
2 | them in the last couple hours. I talked to Brad
3 | Branch, I talked with Kevin, and they're not even
4 | communicating with me.

5 | MIKE: Hmm.

6 | STEVE: They're not even communicating with
7 | me. And I says, are, are you still contemplating it,
8 | are you thinking about it? They said look, if Ollie
9 | didn't call back they said we were going to go right
10 | out when we heard from Ollie that's why for sure we
11 | were -- we thought he'd be calling by the morning
12 | sometime, we were planning on moving out and that's
13 | what they told me. And I -- and then they asked me
14 | again, they heard you called or that Dick called a few
15 | times and they said did Ollie, was he on the line? So,
16 | you know, they, they still ask me the question, they
17 | still ask me the question.

18 | MIKE: Sure, well --

19 | STEVE: So, of course, I says, well, they
20 | tell me that he's okay but no, he wasn't on the line.
21 | And so from there they says well, we'll talk to you
22 | later if, if something better develops. And I said,
23 | well, that's about the place it was left at least.

24 | MIKE: Right, but was their decision based
25 | entirely on whether or not Ollie was going to call
 | them?

 STEVE: Well, I didn't realize that, see,
 | Mike, at first. You know, I -- you know, they don't
 | always -- you know, some people are not communicators,

1 they don't really -- like, like for instance, Kevin's
2 not a real talker.

3 MIKE: Right.

4 STEVE: And I tried to get out of him just
5 what he'd thought about it. He didn't say much other
6 than he had made up his mind that he would be coming
7 out. But then last night when that happened and then
8 also with that, with Ollie not calling apparently that
9 was a bigger thing to him than I thought. I didn't, I
10 didn't -- in fact, the truth is I even forgot about it,
11 I really did. But as soon as I went, I went to where
12 they were that's the first thing they asked me and then
13 I forgot about it the second time I think I talked to
14 Dick.

15 MIKE: Um-hum.

16 STEVE: But then of course I finally said to
17 him -- I brought it up to him at some time at one of
18 those conversations. And I thought -- and in fact even
19 I, I said I was not in a hurry, just at some point of
20 time it would make it a lot easier for me working with
21 these people if they would have heard -- if somebody
22 would have heard his voice, me or anybody, his sister,
23 it wouldn't really matter, but that
24 would -- you know, it'd go a long way with, you know,
25 strengthening the confidence in a lot of these people
and --

MIKE: Right.

STEVE: -- that's what I was -- actually, you
know, working with John the last couple of days it

1 | didn't seem like that was even a problem whatsoever.

2 | MIKE: Hmm.

3 | STEVE: So that's what surprised me about,
4 | you know, the electricity last night and then of course
5 | him not calling back. The magazines never showed up,
6 | such a small thing, it's no big deal, it's just the
7 | whole -- the, the principle of the matter.

8 | MIKE: Yeah.

9 | STEVE: So it was, it was things like that
10 | that people are looking at and wondering. And so to
11 | tell you the truth, they all thought -- because I kept
12 | on passing through the last two or three days, the
13 | great conversations we were happening -- having and I
14 | just kept on trying to talk as positive with a smile as
15 | I could and --

16 | MIKE: No, we realize you're doing that and
17 | we appreciate that and we just --

18 | STEVE: So --

19 | MIKE: -- to, to work harder to get it, to
20 | get it --

21 | STEVE: What, what do we -- how -- what, what
22 | -- any suggestions for me?

23 | MIKE: Well, we need to keep working at it
24 | and we're -- you know, we're literally looking out here
25 | for a sign that, you know, David and everyone is
serious about encouraging people to leave that -- we
talked about credibility on both ends and, and we need
that credibility.

 STEVE: Exactly.

1 MIKE: But --

2 STEVE: But of course, you know, like I was
3 trying to share with Dick, it's such a different thing
4 being on, on this side especially with people that have
5 never been in trouble before with such apprehension. I
6 mean, if I were over on that side I mean I would be
7 trying every avenue myself, I would try to -- I mean,
8 just basically what you guys probably are doing. I
9 mean --

10 MIKE: Sure we are, sure we are.

11 STEVE: So but at the same time I never would
12 have dreamed I would be in a position where I'm trying
13 to talk someone for their life or trying to gain
14 confidence from someone to, to be involved in a
15 situation so off-the-wall, so weird and bizarre. So,
16 but you know, I mean --

17 MIKE: Yeah.

18 STEVE: -- I haven't, I haven't quit or
19 anything, but it's exasperating and it's --

20 MIKE: We know that, we know that you're
21 working hard.

22 STEVE: -- it's really rough.

23 MIKE: Yes. No, I understand that.

24 STEVE: I mean, the best phrase I could ever
25 say or use though is having the carpet pulled out from
under one. I mean, I, I could think of no better
phrase.

MIKE: Yeah, well, yeah, but you again have
to understand the decision to --

1 STEVE: I'm, I'm surprised that as many guys
2 as yourself and Gary, Dick, Henry, all of you guys with
3 -- after talking to us that you wouldn't have had
4 stronger input with whoever is in charge or the so-
5 called commanders or bosses. I mean, it, it amazes me
6 especially with -- I would have thought the, the great
7 development that really started especially yesterday,
8 well, the night before, but right yesterday, I knew for
9 sure today would be at least three. I was already
10 talking to a few more. I was talking to Pablo but he
11 said -- at first he says let me do a film, and I
12 couldn't even do that film with him today, he asked me,
13 because there was no electricity.

14 MIKE: Um-hum. What, a video?

15 STEVE: Yeah, exactly.

16 MIKE: Yeah.

17 STEVE: So that cut that off, it cut off any
18 opportunity to send out anything like that, and so I
19 mean we're -- I don't know. It's like one really
20 doesn't really have the tools that I had in the, in the
21 days past. So no ability to show a video. You sent --
22 in fact, the people here never got to see Kathy because
23 it came in late last night. David got to see it and
24 then the electricity went off --

25 MIKE: Um-hum.

 STEVE: -- so it was totally for naught.

 MIKE: So only a small number of people saw
the videos?

 STEVE: Only David, myself and one other

1 | person happened to be right there.

2 | MIKE: Um-hum.

3 | STEVE: And he was just handing it to me to
4 | give to someone else to go and let the rest of the
5 | mothers and the people see it; they never got to. So I
6 | mean, I mean, everything what happened from that time
7 | after was like whatever tools I had been -- what I was
8 | using and working with to talk to these people it was
9 | like taken from me.

10 | MIKE: Right. Yeah. Well, there, there just
11 | appears to be different personalities, different
12 | concepts here and, and we're only one part of the
13 | overall picture here.

14 | STEVE: Um-hum.

15 | MIKE: But --

16 | STEVE: Well, if you have any ideas or
17 | explanations or what you mean by that or what -- how
18 | they think or what they want to do or what, what I can
19 | be working with or how, I mean I've got ears to hear.

20 | MIKE: Okay. Well, we're again looking for a
21 | sign. We've had significant progress over the last few
22 | days until, you know, what happened last night.

23 | STEVE: I'll tell you the truth, David -- I,
24 | I -- no kidding, hey, he was blown away when he had --
25 | we -- he was -- he actually -- I never saw him be so
upbeat since this all began as last night.

 MIKE: That's good.

 STEVE: And he thought --

 MIKE: Happy to hear that.

1 STEVE: In fact, he was happy for these
2 people that they were -- they had made their choice,
3 they were going to follow through and all of a sudden
4 11:15 he was just saying a few words to me, I just
5 happened to be sitting over by his bed where he was.
6 He was just telling me a few things, we were waiting
7 for John to call back, he said he'd be calling back,
8 when all of a sudden bingo, and all of a sudden no
9 lights, no anything, I couldn't see him. And then we
10 sat in the dark for an hour waiting for John's return
11 call which never came. And I says, well, I don't know
12 about you but I'm turning in and from there, well, you
13 know the rest what has happened. So --

14 MIKE: Okay. Well, John -- my understanding
15 wpa John was going to call back if there was something
16 positive that happened --

17 STEVE: I see.

18 MIKE: -- after the power was off and we, you
19 know, may have misinterpreted that situation, but --

20 STEVE: So Mike, have you been around for the
21 last two weeks yourself then or --

22 MIKE: I've been here about a week.

23 STEVE: About a week?

24 MIKE: Right.

25 STEVE: I see, okay.

 MIKE: But again, we're, we're looking, you
know, for a positive sign and my understanding based
on, on the discussions with Dick this afternoon that
perhaps the one that we should both be considering is,

1 | is the medical treatment for, for Judy and, and/or
2 | Scott.

3 | STEVE: See, well, the hardest thing with
4 | that, I mean just I -- you know, that's where I mean I
5 | don't -- I mean, you know, you can suggest things to
6 | people. Judy's got a --

7 | MIKE: Right. That's what we do here --

8 | STEVE: Yeah. Judy's got --

9 | MIKE: -- to our bosses.

10 | STEVE: -- a very strong will when it comes
11 | to what she thinks is right and wrong and even through
12 | the years me being spending all these years with her
13 | when it came down to issues to do with life and death
14 | or eternal things, I mean, she's been very, very
15 | adamant about what she believes in. Even when I first
16 | met David six and a half years ago and we were
17 | listening to him I kind of listened more than she did
18 | originally, then she started -- and then we started
19 | talking back and forth about it raising a lot of
20 | questions. And in the process I always told her look,
21 | if you believe it or you see it go with it, don't wait
22 | for me, you're dealing with -- if you and I believe
23 | there's a God, we're dealing with eternal issues. So
24 | we agreed that if she saw it she would go with it, if I
25 | saw it I'd go with it otherwise we'd part company or
try -- somehow try to work it out from there. But from
that time and from the time I met her years ago she's
always been one that if she saw something as being
right she would hang onto it. And so where she's at

1 | now, she's been watching and observing what's happening
2 | to like Kathy and to Oliver and --

3 | MIKE: Yeah, it's been all positive.

4 | STEVE: Pardon?

5 | MIKE: It's been all positive.

6 | STEVE: That's what she told me --

7 | MIKE: Sure.

8 | STEVE: -- when I was talking to her
9 | yesterday.

10 | MIKE: Sure.

11 | STEVE: She, she asked me two or three times
12 | in the day how it was going and I told her about John
13 | and my conversation, they all had smiles around here.
14 | I mean, it was so different from what it had been. It
15 | was so different. And that's why I say when toward the
16 | end of the day when David was finally coming around I
17 | once or twice went in and talked with him and, and he
18 | looked pretty good --

19 | MIKE: Good.

20 | STEVE: -- and the, the attitude was real
21 | good. And then John said, well, can I talk to him. He
22 | wasn't feeling the greatest still but, you know, and
23 | then he says sure. So, from there we turned -- put the
24 | video on of a number of the guys over there and he even
25 | had a smile because, you know, you never know what
another -- it's like you don't come close in your mind
picturing a person's voice to what they really look
like. So, but I --

MIKE: But you could with a video, right?

1 STEVE: Oh, yeah, but, it -- you know, it was
2 all -- it seemed like such a good day, it seemed like
3 such a good day.

4 MIKE: Well, it was, it was, but have you
5 considered the previous issue of, of the medical
6 treatment and, and possibly those people who had made
7 the decision to come out to reconsider as part of the
8 package in, in getting Scott and --

9 STEVE: Yeah --

10 MIKE: -- Judy treated?

11 STEVE: -- well, even before I talked to
12 David I went to talk with them and the -- let me tell
13 you this: I talked to Brad -- I didn't talk to Rita too
14 much -- but I talked to Brad and to, to Kevin and they
15 didn't seem to show that much of an interest even
16 though I told them what was offered. I told them what
17 was offered about Judy going out there, having a doctor
18 look at her finger and, and doing the best he could to
19 fix it or to take care of it --

20 MIKE: Sure.

21 STEVE: -- for them to come out. And they --
22 that's when they, they really didn't want to talk much
23 about it they said. Well, they said because of last
24 night, because of what, what, what's happened since
25 that time we want some time to think about it and
that's when he said to me my main thing; I says, what's
that; he says, well, my main thing is you are no one
has heard from Oliver. And I says, well, I did talk to
Dick and because of the late processing last night the

1 | time he got there they kind of let me know that, that
2 | it would probably be today. And it, it sounded like
3 | through Doug besides John that that would not be really
4 | a problem. But because so much time went on and it
5 | seemed to degenerate today then all of a sudden their
6 | attitude even changed all the more.

7 | MIKE: Hmm.

8 | STEVE: So that's what -- I mean, but I did
9 | spend time with them three times minimum today, three
10 | times, for quite a bit of time, a good time period.
11 | And Judy, she just -- she was sick today. For the
12 | first time she, she told me this morning she was very
13 | sick.

14 | MIKE: How so? What happened or how does she
15 | feel?

16 | STEVE: Well, I think probably because of
17 | the, the finger, maybe infection, I don't know.

18 | MIKE: Did she say anything in particular
19 | about --

20 | STEVE: Did she what?

21 | MIKE: Any, any specifics of how she was
22 | feeling poorly?

23 | STEVE: She said that her eyes were kind of
24 | aching and feeling heavy along with she had a little
25 | bit of nausea.

 MIKE: Okay.

 STEVE: And so I, I went and asked one of the
nurses to take a look at her, but of course they don't
have the ability to really know --

1 MIKE: Sure.

2 STEVE: -- what to do about the finger.

3 MIKE: There's all the more reason that, you
4 know, she should be -- get the treatment that she
5 needs, Steve, you know.

6 STEVE: But, you know, and I told her that.
7 I mean, you know, I can tell her many times. She's the
8 one that's got the finger and the problem.

9 MIKE: Right.

10 STEVE: But she says that she, she --all that
11 she was basing her decisions on were watching Oliver,
12 watching this, this progression and the momentum from
13 yesterday. And she said she's, she's pretty strong
14 about waiting to see how it develops before she makes
15 her decision.

16 MIKE: But it's -- you know, it's a, it's a
17 no, no-loss situation for her to win-win if she'll come
18 out, get the treatment and if she makes the decision
19 she'll be able to return --

20 STEVE: She --

21 MIKE: -- back into the camp.

22 STEVE: She -- I think she's a little bit
23 like me in the way that she doesn't -- she feels like
24 until a lot more people go out and she can -- she's a
25 lot like me, she's very helpful, does -- she does a lot
for people, is always helping and, and I think she
wants to see a lot more people be able to get their,
their thing together and maybe make a move. But it's
like she don't want to be, you know, one of the first

1 ones to just run out on everybody when there's people
2 still so apprehensive and afraid that it's almost like
3 they're frozen and can't move. So she's been actually
4 -- she spends a lot of time talking with a lot of
5 people here as well --

6 MIKE: Well, that's good. You know, we
7 need --

8 STEVE: -- and very upbeat, so --

9 MIKE: Good. We need her help and we need
10 your, your help to, to get this -- get, get it moving
11 again really from your end to break this impasse.

12 STEVE: Well, I don't know what to do now
13 though, Mike, that's the whole thing. I mean, the, the
14 electricity was -- it was more not because we can't
15 handle it, it's not a big deal. I mean, we've got
16 flashlights, lanterns --

17 MIKE: Um-hum.

18 STEVE: -- diesel, you know, all that kind of
19 thing. And it was just the whole -- the idea of doing
20 it especially after the, the time spent in the day over
21 the last few days. So, I mean, it was -- to David it
22 was extremely insulted because, I mean, he -- I guess
23 it, it was a shock, it was a surprise to him just like
24 it was to me. And apparently it was to John too, he
25 seemed pretty surprised by it.

MIKE: Right. Well, we all truthfully were
and as I said, we, we --

STEVE: I said -- I called him up and I says
what's happening; he says what do you mean; I says the

1 | electricity, the lights.

2 | MIKE: Right, oh, I was here, I was right
3 | next to him listening.

4 | STEVE: Oh, you were huh?

5 | MIKE: Sure, I've, I've been right at the
6 | same table about --

7 | STEVE: Yeah.

8 | MIKE: -- two feet away and, and we were --

9 | STEVE: That's sort of like this afternoon
10 | Dick was asking me what's happening and I says, well, I
11 | had talked to David once again and he only said one
12 | word to me and that was the --

13 | MIKE: Electricity.

14 | STEVE: Yeah.

15 | MIKE: Right.

16 | STEVE: Exactly.

17 | MIKE: Right.

18 | STEVE: And he was -- he seemed even annoyed
19 | with me because I, I went to talk with him, it was like
20 | he didn't hardly want to give me the time of day.

21 | MIKE: Hmm.

22 | STEVE: So I don't know.

23 | MIKE: Well, will you think about our offer,
24 | you know, for treatment? And, you know, we're --

25 | STEVE: Well, I --

 MIKE: -- not obligating anybody.

 STEVE: See, if it was me -- you know, if it
was me and the offer was given to me it would be so
simple. I could talk to you directly --

1 MIKE: Right.

2 STEVE: -- about myself and, you know, it'd
3 be my move. But for me -- it's, it's like who can help
4 me out here to try to get these people to gain trust
5 and to get them moving in that direction?

6 MIKE: Right.

7 STEVE: Who's here to help me? What, what --

8 MIKE: Well, we're here to help you, I'm here
9 to help you, Steve.

10 STEVE: Yeah, but no, you aren't.

11 MIKE: We need your help too though.

12 STEVE: The electricity, also not having
13 Ollie speak through the, the phone. And where's the
14 "Newsweek" magazines? Even something as small as that.
15 It, it just showed that there was such a momentum
16 beginning to take place, I, I, I swear it. I mean,
17 I'm, I'm sure that John and those -- the guys that were
18 involved especially yesterday and the day before, they
19 must have noted it. I mean, if they would have been
20 here they would have seen it clearly.

21 MIKE: Right. No, we're aware.

22 STEVE: I mean, if you go back and review the
23 conversations of yesterday and the day before, I mean
24 you should be able to detect it.

25 MIKE: Right. No, I agree.

STEVE: And then I just kept right on talking
to people, more people, and I mean I -- Rita was a new
name that originally wasn't given but I talked to her
and it seemed like there was -- like she was making the

1 | move and, and I really -- on the whole, you know, you
2 | don't like to give names out ahead of time because I'm
3 | not -- you know, one isn't saying well, they're coming
4 | right out tonight and it was -- I was trying to let
5 | John know I'm talking to them and the signs are there
6 | and they're, they're verbally coming across to me that
7 | they're showing an interest for that now. And so
8 | that's why like for this morning still they let me know
9 | clearly last night when I last saw them that they would
10 | be out before noon, they told me clearly, and the first
11 | one wanted to leave, if not all of them together, right
12 | around after 9:00, between 9:00 and 10:00.

13 | MIKE: Right.

14 | STEVE: Because, you know, the worship time
15 | we have --

16 | MIKE: That's --

17 | STEVE: -- is that one-hour period.

18 | MIKE: Sure. No, we anticipated them and we
19 | were ready to welcome them out of, out of the camp.

20 | STEVE: Well, I -- right at this moment I
21 | don't know what to --

22 | MIKE: Very surprised when they didn't come.

23 | STEVE: -- you know, I don't know what to say
24 | because, you know, the "Newsweek" magazines never
25 | showed, Ollie never called, the electricity was shut
off. I -- really, I don't know what to say yet, I
don't.

 MIKE: Yeah, well --

 STEVE: I don't know what kind of a positive

1 | sign you want to give me to work with with these
2 | people, if it's encouraging Judy to leave here to get
3 | her finger taken care of or whatever, I mean it looks
4 | like you've given me something like -- that I can't
5 | work because I've tried and it seems like that's a
6 | dead-end street right now.

7 | MIKE: Well, how about with Scott? Is Scott
8 | as adamant about it as Judy?

9 | STEVE: Well, Scott, see, he's, he's not --
10 | he doesn't have, he doesn't have the kind of physical
11 | problems. You know, I mean, he's, he's got a bullet in
12 | his thigh, it's near the surface of the skin.

13 | MIKE: Right, but his wrist is not in the
14 | best shape in, in the longer --

15 | STEVE: It, it's not -- but he -- it's, it's
16 | been checked and looked at and it doesn't seem like it
17 | has any infection or there doesn't seem to be really
18 | any problem with it. It doesn't seem to be broke
19 | anyway.

20 | MIKE: Well, that's not the indicator we get
21 | from the doctor that --

22 | STEVE: Oh, is that right?

23 | MIKE: Yes.

24 | STEVE: Well then maybe you know more about
25 | it than I because I haven't --

 MIKE: Yeah.

 STEVE: -- you know, I haven't -- I asked him
from time to time but it didn't -- he never told me the
conversation of last night.

1 MIKE: Oh, okay. Well no, the, the doctor
2 is, is very certain that some of the bones in the wrist
3 have been broken --

4 STEVE: Really?

5 MIKE: -- and the, and the --

6 STEVE: Because all he has is -- you know,
7 he's got --

8 MIKE: Yes.

9 STEVE: -- only gauze wrapped around it
10 slightly.

11 MIKE: Right.

12 STEVE: It's not like he's got it in a cast
13 or like he's got it set or anything, so --

14 MIKE: And, and the chance for infection
15 internally in that same wrist are, you know, are very
16 good --

17 STEVE: I see.

18 MIKE: -- if, if it's not treated and
19 literally sooner the better for the treatment.

20 STEVE: In fact, he's standing right here by
21 me. He's got a -- he just turned a flashlight on his
22 wrist looking at it. Scott, so the doctor said that
23 you probably have --

24 SCOTT: A broken arm.

25 STEVE: A broken arm?

SCOTT: At last one bone, bone is broken.

STEVE: Does it feel like that from what you,
what you described and what he told you or --

SCOTT: Well, if I turn it a certain way it hurts.

1 Feels like there's something wrong with it.

2 STEVE: Hmm.

3 SCOTT: The wound itself doesn't hurt.

4 STEVE: The wound itself doesn't hurt he
5 said.

6 MIKE: Right, but the doctor also explained
7 why it would not and if he's taking any antibiotics
8 which, which he said --

9 STEVE: Mike, what I could --

10 MIKE: -- that he is --

11 STEVE: -- maybe what -- I should maybe just
12 pass the phone to you, that way you can try. You know,
13 I mean I've talked with him of course through the day.
14 It'd probably be better for you to go one-on-one maybe
15 with him.

16 MIKE: Sure, sure. Be happy to.

17 STEVE: Okay, and if -- I'll be nearby so if
18 he's off the phone if you wanted to continue talking
19 just have him call me back then.

20 MIKE: Okay. Good, Steve.

21 STEVE: Here, here he is.

22 SCOTT: He wants to talk to me?

23 STEVE: Well, he -- you know, he's got maybe
24 an offer for you or something (indiscernible).

25 SCOTT: It's hard to see without lights.

Hello?

MIKE: Scott? How --

SCOTT: Yeah. Who is this now?

MIKE: This is Mike.

1 SCOTT: Oh, Mike?

2 MIKE: Yes.

3 SCOTT: Mike No. 1, right?

4 MIKE: Mike No. 1.

5 SCOTT: (Laughter)

6 MIKE: I'm the guy. How you doing?

7 MIKE: I'm going okay so far. I'm freezing
8 my, my hands numb but other than that I'm fine.

9 MIKE: Your hand is numb from the cold or
10 otherwise?

11 SCOTT: Yeah, from the cold.

12 MIKE: Okay. Well, you know, apparently
13 Steve was not aware of what the doctor and, and you
14 discussed. I was here with, with the doctor last
15 night --

16 SCOTT: Uh-huh.

17 MIKE: -- and --

18 SCOTT: Oh, you were there too?

19 MIKE: Sure. I've been here for, for several
20 days, just have been on the phone.

21 SCOTT: Yeah.

22 MIKE: But, you know, it's my understanding
23 that listening to how you described your hand and the
24 doctor's response and, and his statements to us after
25 that phone call is that, that you in all probability
has a broken bone in, in the wrist and that the change
of infection is --

SCOTT: Oh, yeah --

MIKE: -- is there.

1 SCOTT: -- I wouldn't be surprised.

2 (Laughter)

3 MIKE: Yeah, and the longer you, you go
4 untreated with that the harder it's going to get to,
5 to --

6 SCOTT: Right.

7 MIKE: -- you know, full function with it.

8 SCOTT: Right.

9 MIKE: And, you know, you really need to make
10 a decision, you know, now to, to really help yourself
11 and, and receive that medical treatment.

12 SCOTT: Yeah.

13 MIKE: And, you know, the doctor is, is
14 available and he'll, he'll treat it.

15 SCOTT: Um-hum.

16 MIKE: Now, the decision, you know, is
17 literally yours but you talked to the doctor --

18 SCOTT: Yeah.

19 MIKE: -- and he was more than willing to, to
20 help you --

21 SCOTT: Right.

22 MIKE: -- as we all are.

23 SCOTT: Yeah, I have no problems with that.
24 But like what, you know, what Steve was saying is, is I
25 agree with what he said about, you know, how everything
was going pretty good and then all of a sudden it was
like a complete shock when the electricity went off.

MIKE: Right.

SCOTT: And --

1 MIKE: But, you know, what -- you know, we're
2 not certain what that has to do with whether or not,
3 you know, your decision to get, get treatment and we're
4 really thinking that your decision now to come out and
5 receive some treatment would be a very positive action
6 on the part of, of you and others in there to, to
7 reestablish the relationship that we had.

8 SCOTT: Yeah, I understand that.

9 MIKE: You'd be helping yourself, you'd be
10 helping the other, others in there.

11 SCOTT: Uh-huh. Well, I'll certainly think
12 about -- I've been thinking about it, you know?

13 MIKE: Yeah, we know you have and --

14 SCOTT: (Laughter)

15 MIKE: -- we know you're, you're concerned
16 about the wrist and you should be and, and we -- you
17 know, we were hopeful that you'd accept the offer of
18 treatment last night.

19 SCOTT: Yeah. Well, one thing is for sure:
20 I'd never been shot before so, you know --

21 MIKE: Right.

22 SCOTT: -- that's one thing that's been on my
23 mind a lot.

24 MIKE: No, I can understand that. You know,
25 do you want that treated?

 SCOTT: Huh?

 MIKE: Do you want that treated, Scott?

 SCOTT: Sure.

 MIKE: Okay.

1 SCOTT: I'd like to have it treated, you
2 know?

3 MIKE: Why not, you know, come out? We could
4 arrange the mechanics in a number of minutes literally
5 to have it done. You know, that's --

6 SCOTT: Yeah, I understand that.

7 MIKE: It would benefit you, it would benefit
8 others in there, it would benefit this whole situation.

9 SCOTT: Yeah.

10 MIKE: It would, it would probably be the,
11 the one, the one factor right now that could get, get
12 the negotiations back on track.

13 SCOTT: Uh-huh.

14 MIKE: And if --

15 SCOTT: I also, I also believe that God is
16 taking care of me so far, you know, as far as -- it's
17 like I was telling the other guy, I think Jim was it
18 that was talking to me the other -- John?

19 MIKE: John.

20 SCOTT: Yeah.

21 MIKE: Last night?

22 SCOTT: Well, you know, the, the FBI
23 spokesman mentioned David's wound healing miraculously
24 or whatever, you know?

25 MIKE: Um-hum.

 SCOTT: And I can look at my hand and the way
the bullet went through and went through my leg, and
I'm able to walk on my leg and everything with no pain.
And my hand's not all swollen and purple or nothing and

1 I'm going, well, you know, that's nothing short of
2 miraculous in itself.

3 MIKE: Um-hum.

4 SCOTT: But I do agree, you know, it needs
5 medical attention.

6 MIKE: It, it certainly does. You know, if
7 the doctor didn't convince you he certainly convinced
8 us at the, at the end of the conversation yesterday.
9 And what he left, left the message for us to pass to
10 you is the sooner the better and that the long-range
11 effects, you know, that you won't, won't be aware of
12 literally until it's too late for it and we don't want
13 to, you know, see those things whether it's the
14 infection or the, the use -- loss of use of that hand
15 and that wrist.

16 SCOTT: Um-hum. Right. So, like did -- were
17 you able to -- was John able to find out anything my
18 dad? Because I asked him to, you know, give him a call
19 and, you know, let him know about my kids and stuff and
20 he said he'd --

21 MIKE: Yeah.

22 SCOTT: -- get back to me?

23 MIKE: Hang on a second. They just told me
24 that, that they did. I'm just going to put you on hold
25 for a second.

SCOTT: Okay.

MIKE: They did find something out.

SCOTT: All right. Thanks a lot.

(Pause)

1 MIKE: Yeah, Scott?

2 SCOTT: Yeah?

3 MIKE: Yes, I understand that one of the
4 Johns here today did talk to your father, that there
5 was some difficulty with the language, had problems
6 understanding him, but we did relay to him that, that
7 you were in there, that you had been shot, that with
8 the exception of the wounds that you're doing all
9 right.

10 SCOTT: Uh-huh.

11 MIKE: And he sends, sends his love and he's
12 concerned about you and the would and, and really hopes
13 that, you know, you'll receive treatment for that
14 wound --

15 SCOTT: Yeah.

16 MIKE: -- so that it doesn't --

17 SCOTT: I know he's not --

18 MIKE: -- become a hardship for you.

19 SCOTT: -- I know he's not a very happy
20 camper right now (laughter) but --

21 MIKE: Yeah, yeah.

22 SCOTT: -- you know? I told him that, you
23 know, whatever happened -- because see, he always
24 thought that this was kind of strange anyway --

25 MIKE: Hmm.

SCOTT: -- what we believe in.

MIKE: Yeah.

SCOTT: And --

MIKE: Well, again all different

1 | personalities that we're talking about.

2 | SCOTT: (Laughter) yeah.

3 | MIKE: Again, we, we want to be certain out
4 | here and I want to be certain in talking to you that
5 | you realize with -- you, you have a broken bone in
6 | there and that if it isn't, you know, treated rapidly
7 | or quickly it'll, it'll heal incorrectly.

8 | SCOTT: Right.

9 | MIKE: Remember what the doctor discussed,
10 | the, the layers of bones in that wrist?

11 | SCOTT: Yeah, they'll fuse together.

12 | MIKE: They'll fuse together and you'll have,
13 | you know, limited or no movement with that wrist
14 | eventually.

15 | SCOTT: Yeah.

16 | MIKE: As it heals -- it's going to heal but
17 | our, our concern or the doctor's concern and your
18 | concern should be that it's going to heal
19 | incorrectly --

20 | SCOTT: Uh-huh.

21 | MIKE: -- and that you're not, not going to
22 | have the same use, the normal use of it.

23 | SCOTT: Yeah.

24 | MIKE: But, you know, it's as simple as that
25 | aside from the potential of infection.

 SCOTT: It's kind of like what I'm also
worried about is if I come out there I probably won't
have much use for my wrist even if I could use it
because I'm going to be in, you know (laughter) pretty

1 | much trouble, huh? (Laughter)

2 | MIKE: What -- I, I don't know that.

3 | SCOTT: Sure.

4 | MIKE: What are your concerns there?

5 | SCOTT: Huh?

6 | MIKE: What are your concerns there, Scott?

7 | SCOTT: Well, you know, about just being

8 | thrown in jail without a trial or whatever.

9 | MIKE: No, that's not going to happen.

10 | SCOTT: (Laughter)

11 | MIKE: That's not, that's not going to

12 | happen. We tried to explain to, to everybody, Steve

13 | and others, what the system is going to be and I'd be

14 | happy to explain to you. That -- you know, that's not

15 | a given, that's not a given.

16 | SCOTT: Yeah, I'd like to -- for you to go

17 | over that if you would.

18 | MIKE: Sure, sure. But, you know, you, you

19 | sound like, you know, you want to come out, you know,

20 | both to get treatment and, and then, you know, on a

21 | permanent basis.

22 | SCOTT: Yeah.

23 | MIKE: But the process basically, you'll be

24 | held as Ollie is and as, as --

25 | SCOTT: Kathy.

 MIKE: -- Kathy is --

 SCOTT: Uh-huh.

 MIKE: -- as material witnesses.

 SCOTT: Okay. Can you explain what a

1 | material witness is?

2 | MIKE: Sure. That's just until the, the, the
3 | investigation of this whole situation is completed you
4 | are held as a potential witness to what took place on
5 | the 28th on that Sunday.

6 | SCOTT: Uh-huh.

7 | MIKE: You know, that's, that's, that's
8 | definitely saying you're not being charged as what we
9 | call a principal or a subject.

10 | SCOTT: Right.

11 | MIKE: You may have information for the
12 | authorities, for us, on what took place and we want to
13 | give everybody that opportunity to tell us --

14 | SCOTT: Uh-huh.

15 | MIKE: -- truthfully what took place in
16 | there. And that's -- all these people are considered
17 | material witnesses and you will be held as a material
18 | witness.

19 | SCOTT: Okay. You said -- you mentioned
20 | held. Like, where?

21 | MIKE: Yeah. Okay. What, what happens,
22 | you'll come out and the actual facility is the County
23 | Jail here in Waco --

24 | SCOTT: Uh-huh.

25 | MIKE: -- is my understanding. But when,
when you come out of, of the camp, you know, you'll,
you'll physically be taken under the control by the
people that we have out there. The first thing you'll
receive is the necessary medical attention.

1 SCOTT: Uh-huh.

2 MIKE: Before anything else happens they will
3 treat you on the scene.

4 SCOTT: Uh-huh, right.

5 MIKE: If need be, you can go right to the
6 hospital from there. I'm sure they'll treat you with
7 the emergency situation on the scene. If the doctor
8 determines that you'll be hospitalized you'll go to the
9 hospital first and you won't even enter the legal
10 system, the judicial system, until your, your medical
11 or your physical needs have been taken care of.

12 SCOTT: Right.

13 MIKE: That's our first concern --

14 SCOTT: Right.

15 MIKE: -- is your physical well-being.

16 SCOTT: Uh-huh.

17 MIKE: Once that process -- the medical part
18 is, is, is complete and the doctors say that you're,
19 you're available and --

20 SCOTT: Um-hum.

21 MIKE: -- the legal process starts. And the
22 first thing there is you'll have legal representation,
23 you'll have an attorney, a lawyer, and if you can't
24 afford one one will be appointed for you, there's a
25 system for that.

SCOTT: Um-hum.

MIKE: There are lawyers here that are
willing to help. You know, there'll be a lawyer
provided to you prior to ever going to court or at the

1 | same time that you go to court.

2 | SCOTT: Right.

3 | MIKE: And you'll see a judge -- you'll be in
4 | the federal system, we're all federal officers here.
5 | You'll go to federal court, see a federal judge. He'll
6 | literally explain to you why you're being held and that
7 | as, as a material witness to the offense that happened
8 | on, on February 28th.

9 | SCOTT: Right.

10 | MIKE: And he'll explain that, he'll explain
11 | the, the process, he'll give you your rights. He's
12 | very, very thorough in the federal system. I don't
13 | know, have you been in any court system at all over the
14 | years?

15 | SCOTT: Only for traffic violations.

16 | MIKE: Yeah, okay. Well, the, the federal
17 | system is a, is a long way from traffic court and the
18 | local system. Very professional, the judges are very
19 | professional and very thorough. But they -- he will
20 | literally walk you through it, give you your rights as
21 | a citizen prior to ever being questioned by a, a law-
22 | enforcement officer. He'll explain that you're
23 | going -- initially going to be charged with being a
24 | material witness.

25 | SCOTT: Uh-huh.

 MIKE: He'll, he'll decide on the, on the, on
the, the question of bond. He'll either set some kind
of bond or, or determine what the situation with bond
should be. If he sets a bond and, and you can make it

1 | or someone puts up the bond for you you'll be released,
2 | you'll be free until a subsequent court appearance.

3 | SCOTT: Uh-huh.

4 | MIKE: Somewhere, you know, in that process,
5 | you know, you'll be processed through the -- through a
6 | jail and, and be fingerprinted and, and photographed.

7 | SCOTT: Right.

8 | MIKE: So, that's -- you know, and they'll go
9 | from there. As the, as the investigation progresses --

10 | SCOTT: Right.

11 | MIKE: -- and your involvement, you know, it
12 | will be determined and, and literally once you have
13 | that attorney that's the guy that's going to be, you
14 | know, looking out for your best interests.

15 | SCOTT: Right.

16 | MIKE: You know, right now, you know, we're
17 | looking out for your best interests. We hope that, you
18 | know, once you -- when you do come out, you know, that
19 | attorney, that lawyer will, will be the guy that will
20 | represent you --

21 | SCOTT: Right.

22 | MIKE: -- and, you know, watch out for you.

23 | SCOTT: Uh-huh.

24 | MIKE: But, you know, if, if it's decided
25 | that you're held it will be my understanding in a
local, local jail here.

 SCOTT: Um-hum.

 MIKE: So, I don't know, if that's, that's
all you want covered or more? Do you have any

1 | questions on, on that?

2 | SCOTT: Well, that's pretty comprehensive. I
3 | mean, I probably wouldn't understand if you went any
4 | further.

5 | MIKE: Yeah. Are there other assurances of
6 | what you need right now? You know, we're, we're
7 | prepared out at the scene and, and we're prepared here
8 | to make those arrangements for you to, to come out of
9 | this as quickly as, as you make the decision to come
10 | out.

11 | SCOTT: Right. I understand.

12 | MIKE: You know, we don't see any real need
13 | to wait until first thing in the morning --

14 | SCOTT: Uh-huh.

15 | MIKE: -- when we have the people out there
16 | waiting. We've got the medical people either on scene
17 | there or minutes away.

18 | SCOTT: Right.

19 | MIKE: And, you know, once, once you, you
20 | know, decide to come out the hospital is there, the
21 | doctor is available.

22 | SCOTT: Uh-huh. I appreciate that.

23 | MIKE: But -- and, you know, rest assured too
24 | that when this whole situation ends, you know, when,
25 | when everybody comes out, and everybody will eventually
-- will come out and go through this same process.

 SCOTT: Right.

 MIKE: And, and after the investigators are
completed at the camp --

1 SCOTT: Um-hum.

2 MIKE: -- they're going to search it what
3 they'd, what they'd call a crime scene search.

4 SCOTT: Right.

5 MIKE: Then individuals that make the
6 decision are going to be free to go back in and resume
7 their lives, you know? So if that's a concern --
8 what's going to happen --

9 SCOTT: Oh, you mean we'd be allowed to
10 return here if -- afterwards if --

11 MIKE: Certainly.

12 (End of Tape #125)

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1 (Tape 126)

2 MIKE: -- trying to change your, your views,
3 your lifestyle there, forbid you from returning to that
4 camp and, and resume normal --

5 SCOTT: Okay. Another question --

6 MIKE: -- normal living.

7 SCOTT: Okay.

8 MIKE: Sure.

9 SCOTT: Say -- you said I'm fingerprinted and
10 I get my picture taken, right?

11 MIKE: Um-hum.

12 SCOTT: And say I'm not charged with
13 anything.

14 MIKE: Right.

15 SCOTT: Will this be like on the record?

16 MIKE: Well --

17 SCOTT: Say if I applied for a job or
18 something would that show up or something?

19 MIKE: It may well show up as, as an initial
20 arrest but the important thing there is the disposition
21 is that all charges were dismissed, you know, if, if
22 the investigation determines --

23 SCOTT: Right.

24 MIKE: -- that the -- that no further charges
25 would be forthcoming --

SCOTT: Uh-huh.

1 MIKE: -- they'll all be dismissed.

2 SCOTT: Right.

3 MIKE: Sure. There are, there are other ways
4 to have that purged from your record, but that's for
5 you and your attorney to discuss.

6 SCOTT: Like community service or something?

7 MIKE: Sure, sure, whatever.

8 SCOTT: (Laughter) Yeah.

9 MIKE: Yeah, there are a lot of options
10 there. There are a lot of options.

11 SCOTT: Well see, I was just kind of curious
12 about that.

13 MIKE: Sure.

14 SCOTT: Because I'm, I'm a landscape
15 contractor, I got a landscape contractor's license in
16 California.

17 MIKE: Oh, okay.

18 SCOTT: And --

19 MIKE: You could return to that.

20 SCOTT: Yeah, I can.

21 MIKE: Be a heck of a business to be in in
22 this day and age.

23 SCOTT: Yeah. It was going, going pretty
24 good but, you know --

25 MIKE: Yeah, I'll bet.

SCOTT: My clients are -- is what I'm little

1 | concerned about.

2 | MIKE: Yeah. Yeah, well, I would be too but
3 | I wouldn't worry about that.

4 | SCOTT: Yeah. I mean, that's kind of like in
5 | the distance.

6 | MIKE: Yeah.

7 | SCOTT: But --

8 | MIKE: Okay. Well, what do you think? Are
9 | you ready to come out and get that hand taken care of
10 | and get this whole situation behind you?

11 | SCOTT: I'd like to think about it some more,
12 | you know. I want to come out but I still want to think
13 | about it a little more and make up my mind and --

14 | MIKE: Okay.

15 | SCOTT: If that's all right with you.

16 | MIKE: Sure. No, that's fine. Will you
17 | promise me when do make your decision that you'll call
18 | us --

19 | SCOTT: Sure, I'll do that.

20 | MIKE: -- as, as soon as it's made and --
21 | yeah.

22 | SCOTT: I'll do that.

23 | MIKE: Okay. What kind of time are we
24 | talking about do you think here, Scott?

25 | SCOTT: I really can't say, you know. I mean
I -- it's been on my mind and it's, it's a real

1 | personal thing because --

2 | MIKE: Oh, I know.

3 | SCOTT: -- these are -- this is my family
4 | over here, you know.

5 | MIKE: Right.

6 | SCOTT: I consider them my family and my
7 | friends and --

8 | MIKE: Right.

9 | SCOTT: -- and I have known David for seven
10 | years and --

11 | MIKE: Well, they'll always be your family
12 | and your friends and, you know, what you're
13 | accomplishing by, you know, coming out and again
14 | getting medical treatment and going through the system
15 | is just a temporary separation from them.

16 | SCOTT: Right, right.

17 | MIKE: Yeah.

18 | SCOTT: I understand that.

19 | MIKE: It's not like you're deserting them as
20 | family, as friends.

21 | SCOTT: Right. You know what I'm saying,
22 | right?

23 | MIKE: Yes.

24 | SCOTT: I mean, it's not like something that
25 | I, I take lightly --

 MIKE: Yeah.

1 SCOTT: -- leaving them, you know?
2 MIKE: Yeah.
3 SCOTT: So --
4 MIKE: Okay. Well, you know, would, would it
5 also be more reassuring to you, would you like someone
6 else to, to accompany you out of the camp? Would that
7 make it easier or someone to, to meet you out here?
8 SCOTT: I'm -- let's see, you know, my, my
9 two daughters? I was really wondering about them, how
10 they're doing. Because the videos --
11 MIKE: Okay.
12 SCOTT: -- that we have received my two
13 daughters are not really seen very much --
14 MIKE: Yeah, yeah.
15 SCOTT: -- if at all.
16 MIKE: Okay.
17 SCOTT: Do you know which ones they are?
18 MIKE: Yes, yeah.
19 SCOTT: Angelique and Crystal.
20 MIKE: What's the first one?
21 SCOTT: Angelique is the older one and
22 Crystal is the other --
23 MIKE: And Crystal.
24 SCOTT: Yeah.
25 MIKE: Yeah.
 SCOTT: And the pictures that we got the

1 second time, you know --

2 MIKE: Did you not get pictures and notes or
3 whatever from one or both?

4 SCOTT: No.

5 MIKE: Oh, okay.

6 SCOTT: There were just, there were just
7 three kids that wrote notes.

8 MIKE: Oh, okay. It was my impression when
9 I, I saw them just briefly I thought just about
10 everybody wrote or had somebody write for them.

11 SCOTT: No. Just three kids wrote notes and
12 one wrote -- two of them wrote two notes --

13 MIKE: Yeah.

14 SCOTT: -- one of them wrote one note.

15 MIKE: Okay.

16 SCOTT: And the photographs we got the second
17 time were just of a few of them.

18 MIKE: Sure. Okay. Yeah.

19 SCOTT: You know, so I'm kind of like well,
20 where are the rest of them, you know?

21 MIKE: Yeah. No, they're all, they're all,
22 you know, together and they're being cared for.
23 Obviously I --

24 SCOTT: I think they were just taken to the
25 parks -- not all of them were taken at that park --

MIKE: Okay. Okay. Well, would you like to

1 | be reunited with both of them as, as Kathy was with
2 | Brian?

3 | SCOTT: Sure, yeah.

4 | MIKE: Yeah, okay. We can -- we'll work on
5 | arranging that.

6 | SCOTT: Okay.

7 | MIKE: That's not that difficult a thing
8 | once, once you're out.

9 | SCOTT: You know, because that was one thing
10 | that was really worrying in my mind that, you know --

11 | MIKE: Yeah.

12 | SCOTT: -- like they were telling me yeah,
13 | you know, you get to see them and stuff -- I'm going
14 | yeah, right, you know, like, like I'd be lucky if I got
15 | to talk to them on the phone, you know?

16 | MIKE: Yeah. That's not the case. You know,
17 | we, we will work on that. That may take a little
18 | time --

19 | SCOTT: Right.

20 | MIKE: -- so, you know, as, as, as soon as,
21 | you know, you're -- you give us an indicator that
22 | you're ready to come out we will start working on that.
23 | You know, we can be working on that kind of reunion
24 | between you and your daughters while you're going
25 | through a medical examination --

 SCOTT: Right.

1 MIKE: -- and through the other process.

2 SCOTT: Yeah.

3 MIKE: Yeah.

4 SCOTT: But I'd appreciate that if --

5 MIKE: I'm sure that they would, they would
6 like to give their, their dad a big hug, you know?

7 SCOTT: Yeah.

8 MIKE: Yeah.

9 SCOTT: Yeah.

10 MIKE: No, I'm --

11 SCOTT: Because I, I was real close to them,
12 so --

13 MIKE: Well, I'm sure you are, yeah, I'm sure
14 you are, and they're close to you.

15 SCOTT: Yeah. They're real good kids.

16 MIKE: Yeah, oh, yeah. All the kids were
17 good what I saw of them, yeah.

18 SCOTT: Yeah.

19 MIKE: Yeah, and you've, you've got to
20 realize that, you know, they have a need for you, you
21 know, you are their --

22 SCOTT: The one thing that really --

23 MIKE: -- you're their father.

24 SCOTT: Yeah. The one thing that really
25 upset me --

MIKE: What's that?

1 SCOTT: -- was the kid -- you know, the
2 psychologist -- you know, the so-called "experts"?
3 Because the kids were kind of like well behaved --

4 MIKE: Uh-huh.

5 SCOTT: -- and like controlled themselves to,
6 to a certain degree that, you know, that they thought
7 they were abused or something?

8 MIKE: Well, I wouldn't worry about all that.
9 You know, they were, they were under a strange setting
10 there and, and --

11 SCOTT: Kind of funny, you know?

12 MIKE: -- they'd been away, yeah. No, I
13 wouldn't -- we're trying to, you know, keep them all
14 together until they can be reunited with, with
15 everybody that they should be when, when, when --

16 SCOTT: Yeah.

17 MIKE: -- you all come out.

18 SCOTT: Another thing I was wondering is,
19 okay, they were saying that they would do a background
20 check on any relatives that wanted to take custody of
21 the kids. And how would that work with an out-of-state
22 parent? Like my family is from Hawaii.

23 MIKE: Well, it wouldn't make, make any
24 difference at all. They'll, they'll go -- you know,
25 they don't have to be from here or from Texas or, or
the continental United States.

1 SCOTT: Right.

2 MIKE: The, the Social Service people that,
3 that handle it --

4 SCOTT: There's a, there's a way they could
5 do that that --

6 MIKE: Pardon me?

7 SCOTT: There's a way they could do it
8 without actually going --

9 MIKE: Sure, sure.

10 SCOTT: -- over there?

11 MIKE: Oh, sure, I mean they're only a
12 telephone call away.

13 SCOTT: Right.

14 MIKE: They're only a telephone call, you
15 know? There are people from Australia and Britain, you
16 know, and, and everything else, Scott.

17 SCOTT: Right. Okay.

18 MIKE: That's no problem to get on the --

19 SCOTT: I see.

20 MIKE: -- the telephone, yeah.

21 SCOTT: Uh-huh. Want to talk to Steve some
22 more?

23 MIKE: Yeah.

24 SCOTT: I'm getting, I'm getting kind of
25 cold.

 MIKE: Sure, sure. Okay. Okay. But you

1 | give that -- this whole situation some thought.

2 | SCOTT: Yeah, and your name was what? Mike?

3 | MIKE: Mike, Mike, right. And, you know,
4 | this phone system is literally available 24 hours a day
5 | there's someone here to answer it.

6 | SCOTT: Okay. So we can call you then?

7 | MIKE: You know, I'm here -- pardon me?

8 | SCOTT: We can call out?

9 | MIKE: Sure, you can.

10 | SCOTT: Okay.

11 | MIKE: Sure you can. And as, and as soon as
12 | you let us know, you know, the, the quicker we'll be
13 | able to set this thing up for you.

14 | SCOTT: Right.

15 | MIKE: Literally, anybody in there can call
16 | out and, and we're here to, to help everybody and we
17 | just want to see this -- see it resolved.

18 | SCOTT: Right.

19 | MIKE: And, you know, you, you coming out
20 | and, and getting the treatment you need is a first step
21 | for everybody else too, so --

22 | SCOTT: Right.

23 | MIKE: -- you're helping yourself and, and
24 | others.

25 | SCOTT: I got a big favor to ask you.

 MIKE: What's that? I'll help you if I can,

1 | and I, I think I can.

2 | SCOTT: Well, yeah, I mean, you know, do what
3 | you can, but --

4 | MIKE: Sure.

5 | SCOTT: -- do you think you can do something
6 | about the electricity?

7 | MIKE: About the power? Well, we --

8 | SCOTT: I know, I know it's a big deal, you
9 | know?

10 | MIKE: Yeah, yeah.

11 | SCOTT: But it -- you know, it would show
12 | some, it, it would show some good faith on your part.

13 | MIKE: It would, and we realize that and it
14 | would reestablish some credibility. It's basically
15 | like the credibility -- probably the best thing we
16 | could do right now to, to get that power back on is to
17 | have you come out.

18 | SCOTT: Right.

19 | MIKE: That would be --

20 | SCOTT: It's like a two-way street, right?

21 | MIKE: It's a two-way street -- good faith
22 | from your side, reestablish the credibility. And, you
23 | know, even if you couldn't benefit from that power back
24 | on, everybody else in there --

25 | SCOTT: Yeah.

 MIKE: -- you know, could.

1 SCOTT: Right.

2 MIKE: So you'd be helping, helping others,
3 your friends and the family in there.

4 SCOTT: Okay.

5 MIKE: Okay?

6 SCOTT: All right. I'll let you get talking
7 to Steve then.

8 MIKE: Good, Scott. Good talking to you.

9 SCOTT: Okay --

10 MIKE: I'll hear from you soon.

11 SCOTT: Okay. See you later.

12 MIKE: Bye.

13 SCOTT: I'll get -- I'll to get him right
14 now. Hello?

15 MIKE: Hello?

16 SCOTT: You want me to just have him call you
17 back?

18 MIKE: Sure, if he wants to, to --

19 SCOTT: I got to go find him.

20 MIKE: Sure, that's okay. If he wants
21 something else -- I don't have anything specific for
22 him that we haven't talked about --

23 SCOTT: Oh, okay.

24 MIKE: -- so if he wants --

25 SCOTT: If he has anything else --

MIKE: -- wants to talk --

1 SCOTT: -- I'll have him call you.

2 MIKE: Sure.

3 SCOTT: Okay.

4 MIKE: Okay, Scott.

5 SCOTT: Okay. Take it easy.

6 MIKE: Anybody that wants -- you know, needs
7 anything or has a question have them call.

8 SCOTT: Okay.

9 MIKE: Okay, Scott.

10 SCOTT: All right. Thanks.

11 MIKE: Bye.

12 SCOTT: Bye.

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14 (Phone dialing) (Phone ringing)

15 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Hello?

16 JOHN-3: Hello, is Steven there, please?

17 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Wait one
18 moment.

19 (Pause)

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Hello?

21 JOHN-3: Steven?

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yes.

23 JOHN-3: This is John-3.

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: John-3?

25 JOHN-3: I talked to you shortly yesterday.
about the note from your sister, Susan.

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, yes.

2 JOHN-3: The reason for my call, Oliver and
3 Kathy had requested to talk to you.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

5 JOHN-3: And I don't -- do you still want to
6 talk to them?

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Sure.

8 JOHN-3: Okay. We're going to arrange that
9 here in just a second.

10 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

11 (Pause) (Dial tone persisting throughout
12 following exchange)

13 JOHN-3: Can, can you hear?

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: I can hear it sounds like a
15 dial tone --

16 JOHN-3: Okay (dial tone ceases) hold on one
17 second here.

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

19 JOHN-3: We're trying to arrange this here.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

21 JOHN-3: Go ahead.

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: Hello?

23 OLIVER: Hello?

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: Is this Oliver?

25 OLIVER: Yes.

MR. SCHNEIDER: Oliver, how are you doing?

1 OLIVER: Oh, Steve, I'm great, doing just
2 fine.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, good. Good to hear it.

4 OLIVER: Yeah, they're -- you know, they're
5 treating me real nice, you know? No one's been unfair
6 to me or anything, you know, everything's going real
7 well. I'm in good spirits. I just -- you know, I just
8 got out of bed not so long ago.

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, really? Well, that
10 sounds good.

11 OLIVER: Yeah.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Anything you want to tell me,
13 or your sister --

14 OLIVER: Yeah, they've, they've provided an
15 attorney for me.

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: They have? Okay.

17 OLIVER: They're going to appoint me a new
18 one on Monday.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

20 OLIVER: Yeah, of course the Australian
21 consulate came to see me.

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: Good.

23 OLIVER: You know, he wanted me to -- you
24 know, he asked me if I wanted my parents to know
25 anything, he wanted to send some message on --

MR. SCHNEIDER: I see.

1 OLIVER: -- and stuff like that. I, I
2 believe -- they've, they've told me that I've got press
3 access which I didn't know up until today, but I do
4 have access to the press. I can ring anyone I like.
5 And I --

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, if, if you can we'd
7 like to be listening by radio to who you might connect
8 with or the possibilities of hearing you or what you
9 might want to say.

10 OLIVER: Okay. I'm just jotting these down.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Oliver?

12 OLIVER: Yeah?

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: Would you like to talk with
14 your sister?

15 OLIVER: There's one more thing I'd like to,
16 I'd like to say before I --

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

18 OLIVER: -- before I talk to Aeysha.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

20 OLIVER: I just -- you know, I do have faith
21 in the system and I hope everything does work out.

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

23 OLIVER: And I believe this will be worked
24 out just fine, you know what I mean?

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

 OLIVER: Okay. Yes, I would like to speak to

1 her.

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Just a minute. Here,
3 here she is.

4 AISHA: Hello?

5 OLIVER: Hi.

6 AISHA: Hi. How you doing?

7 OLIVER: I'm all right.

8 AISHA: Yeah?

9 OLIVER: Yeah. What are you doing?

10 AISHA: The usual.

11 OLIVER: Uh-huh. How's Startle?

12 AISHA: Good.

13 OLIVER: Is she, is she sleeping or what?

14 AISHA: No, she's just in bed. So, what,
15 what happened to you?

16 OLIVER: Oh, I they're, they're holding me
17 down in the county jail right now.

18 AISHA: You're in jail?

19 OLIVER: Yeah.

20 AISHA: Really?

21 OLIVER: Yeah.

22 AISHA: What for?

23 OLIVER: They're, they're holding me as a
24 material witness --

25 AISHA: Oh.

OLIVER: -- which is my -- I, I may know

1 something and they may want to keep me to -- just in
2 case -- they want to find out, you know -- in the long-
3 term situation -- do you have dad's phone number,
4 because I, I left my wallet on the bed?

5 AISHA: Oh, you didn't take it?

6 OLIVER: No, I left it. You know, I wanted
7 to take it. It had my ID and everything.

8 AISHA: Oh, Ollie, how come you left that
9 there?

10 OLIVER: Oh, I don't know. I wasn't thinking
11 I guess.

12 AISHA: Yeah, I have, I have to go get it,
13 okay?

14 OLIVER: Yeah, go get it. Aisha's going to
15 go --

16 AISHA: Okay. Just wait.

17 OLIVER: Okay.

18 AISHA: Hold on. Ollie?

19 OLIVER: Hmm?

20 AISHA: While I go get it do you want to talk
21 to David?

22 OLIVER: Sure.

23 AISHA: Sure.

24 (Pause)

25 MR. KORESH: Ollie?

OLIVER: Hi.

1 MR. KORESH: Did you get that steak dinner
2 yet?

3 OLIVER: Not quite.

4 MR. KORESH: (Laughter) What are they
5 feeding you?

6 OLIVER: Just prison food, I guess. It's --

7 MR. KORESH: Prison food?

8 OLIVER: Yeah.

9 MR. KORESH: That may not be that bad.

10 OLIVER: It's all right. No, I've got no
11 complaints.

12 MR. KORESH: They've been treating you good?

13 OLIVER: Yeah.

14 MR. KORESH: That's good.

15 OLIVER: Yeah.

16 MR. KORESH: So anyway, so they're not half
17 as bad are they?

18 OLIVER: No, they're, they're all right.

19 MR. KORESH: Huh?

20 OLIVER: They're pretty good to me, yeah.

21 MR. KORESH: Heard anything about the
22 weather?

23 OLIVER: No, everything is fine.

24 MR. KORESH: That's good. Yeah, you kind of
25 discouraged a lot of people here when they didn't let
you call back like they said.

1 OLIVER: Yeah, well --

2 MR. KORESH: Well, they just broke -- after,
3 after you left they just broke negotiations with us.
4 They shut our electricity off, you know, didn't give us
5 the "Newsweeks."

6 OLIVER: Really?

7 MR. KORESH: Yeah, they haven't, they haven't
8 been calling us or nothing.

9 OLIVER: Hmm. I'll have to talk to them
10 about that.

11 MR. KORESH: Well, it's just, you know, I
12 guess they got their reasons.

13 OLIVER: We'll work something out.

14 MR. KORESH: You know, Kevin and them were
15 going to come out, you know, we was working it out and
16 then all of a sudden they just -- John Cox was the last
17 guy I was talking to, it was going real good then all
18 of a sudden they just turned our electricity off and we
19 called them and we said what's going on. And, you
20 know, they just -- ever since then they just been real
21 stifled, haven't been calling us in the morning or
22 nothing.

23 OLIVER: Hmm.

24 MR. KORESH: So we didn't know what -- we
25 didn't know if they beat you up or whatever they did to
you, you know? So anyway -- so --

1 OLIVER: No, they've, they've been very, very
2 polite, the -- especially the, the Sheriff's Department
3 down there and --

4 MR. KORESH: Oh, yeah.

5 OLIVER: -- they've been real good to me.
6 You know, they've -- you know, you know, given me
7 everything I needed and, you know --

8 MR. KORESH: Well, tell, tell, tell those
9 guys, Weinberger and all those guys I still love them
10 down there.

11 OLIVER: To who?

12 MR. KORESH: Sheriff Weinberger.

13 OLIVER: What's his name, Sheriff Lamberger?

14 MR. KORESH: Weinberger.

15 OLIVER: Weinberger?

16 MR. KORESH: Yeah.

17 OLIVER: Weinberger.

18 MR. KORESH: And Harwell --

19 OLIVER: Oh, Weinberger, right.

20 MR. KORESH: -- and all those guys down
21 there. And tell them, you know, it's strange thing
22 when these big boys come in down here in our little
23 town.

24 OLIVER: Yeah.

25 MR. KORESH: But anyway, well, good to hear
from you. Here, here's, here's Fish.

1 OLIVER: Okay.

2 MR. KORESH: Okay.

3 OLIVER: Catch you later.

4 MR. KORESH: Talk to you later.

5 OLIVER: Yeah --

6 MR. KORESH: Tell them to send those

7 magazines.

8 OLIVER: All right. I'll tell them that.

9 MR. KORESH: Thanks.

10 (Pause)

11 OLIVER: Hello?

12 AISHA: All right. I got the phone number.

13 OLIVER: Okay.

14 AISHA: Wait a minute. (Pause) Okay. As

15 far as I know, it's 011-613 --

16 OLIVER: Yeah, I know that part.

17 AISHA: Okay, 758 --

18 OLIVER: 758.

19 AISHA: 8975.

20 OLIVER: 8975.

21 AISHA: Do you have the address?

22 OLIVER: Yeah, I've got the address, 7 Rudman

23 Street (indiscernible).

24 AISHA: Yeah. 3156. That's the Post Code.

25 OLIVER: 3156.

AISHA: Okay?

1 OLIVER: Okay. Yeah, it's -- everyone is
2 treating me real nicely, you know?

3 AISHA: Of course, Ollie.

4 OLIVER: It's great.

5 AISHA: Just like the prophecies say so.

6 OLIVER: Yeah, well, I guess. You know I
7 love you and I hope for the best and I hope, hope this
8 can be resolved in a good way and that everything will
9 come out nicely.

10 AISHA: I heard that Gary Coker got Catherine
11 and Margaret -- were they for the reason for -- that
12 you're being held?

13 OLIVER: Let me ask them. Is -- do you know
14 Catherine and Margaret, the two elderly ladies that
15 came out? Are they being held the same way I am or
16 have they been released? All -- have they been -- has
17 their bond been paid? Are they released? Are
18 they --

19 AISHA: Well, we know they have been
20 released.

21 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: They're out,
22 they're out.

23 OLIVER: Yeah, they're out. They've -- you
24 know, they've, they've been set a bond and --

25 AISHA: Are they going to do that for you?

 OLIVER: I don't know yet. There's -- we

1 | will have to see. I guess they might. I don't
2 | know -- see -- I don't know. She's asking me, my
3 | sister, if they're going to put a bond for me but --

4 | AISHA: Um-hum.

5 | OLIVER: We'll, we'll have to discuss that
6 | later, me and my lawyer and, you know, find out what's
7 | going on with that.

8 | AISHA: With your lawyer, okay.

9 | OLIVER: Yeah. I've, I've got a temporary
10 | lawyer right now but I'll, I'll be getting a new one on
11 | Monday and so send my love to, you know, everyone and
12 | tell them I'm all right and I love them and, you
13 | know -- you still there?

14 | AISHA: Yeah, yeah, I'm listening.

15 | OLIVER: Okay. Tell, tell Kevin and --

16 | AISHA: So you're --

17 | OLIVER: Huh?

18 | AISHA: -- you're staying in a cell in a --
19 | that's where you are, in a cell?

20 | OLIVER: Yeah, I'm in a cell. I've got a
21 | television, you know, I've got a shower, you know, I've
22 | got a toilet, you know, bed. Don't know what else to
23 | say. I guess there's not much really to say.

24 | AISHA: Okay. Well --

25 | OLIVER: Just listen out on the radio and see
what happens.

1 AISHA: All right.

2 OLIVER: So you didn't get the magazines,
3 huh?

4 AISHA: No, we didn't get the magazines.

5 OLIVER: All right. I'll tell them about
6 that. That's unusual. And you were, and you were cut
7 off --

8 AISHA: They cut off all negotiations with
9 us, Ollie.

10 OLIVER: They've cut off all negotiations?

11 AISHA: Yeah, and the electricity.

12 OLIVER: And the electricity. All right.
13 Well, I'll ask them about that and see what we can do.

14 AISHA: That's why the rest, that's why the
15 rest of the guys here aren't coming out.

16 OLIVER: She's, she's right here -- she's
17 going to --

18 AISHA: Huh?

19 OLIVER: Okay. Well, I got to go now and
20 Kathy wants to speak to you guys now --

21 AISHA: Kathy wants to talk --

22 OLIVER: -- later on -- Kathy wants to speak
23 to you --

24 AISHA: Oh, later on?

25 OLIVER: -- later on, yeah.

 AISHA: When? Right now or later on?

1 OLIVER: Later on. Well --
2 AISHA: Later on?
3 OLIVER: -- the same line or you going to
4 redial?
5 AISHA: Huh? She's going to what?
6 OLIVER: So you're going to take over for me
7 now? Okay. Well -- what was your name again?
8 DICK: Dick.
9 OLIVER: Dick's going to take over now and --
10 DICK: Hello?
11 OLIVER: -- good-bye.
12 DICK: Hello?
13 AISHA: Good-bye, Ollie.
14 OLIVER: Hello?
15 DICK: Hello. Keep, keep the line open if
16 you would, please, so that Kathy can --
17 OLIVER: Yeah. I'm just going to hand it
18 over to Dick.
19 DICK: I guess we have to call back but
20 we'll, we'll keep the, the line open here.
21 OLIVER: All right. Okay. Bye.
22 AISHA: Bye, Ollie.
23 OLIVER: Yeah. I love you.
24 AISHA: Okay. I love you, too.
25 OLIVER: Here's Dick.
AISHA: Oh, okay.

1 DICK: Hello? Steve?

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: Hello?

3 DICK: This is Dick.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, Dick (indiscernible) or
5 Dick?

6 JOHN-3: Yeah, hello, John here -- John-3
7 here.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, John. Okay. John, Steve
9 here.

10 JOHN-3: Okay. Steve, listen, we'll get
11 Kathy set up and we'll, we'll be back with you.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, so you want to call me
13 back then?

14 JOHN-3: Yeah.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. John, so, yeah, I was
16 talking with I think it was see, who was it last night
17 last? Oh, it was Mike and he told me no -- I said I
18 had talked to a John-3 and he says no, you were talking
19 to John Cox. I says, no, I believe it was -- he told
20 it was John-3.

21 JOHN-3: Steve, he was confused.

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

23 JOHN-3: I talked to you yesterday.

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: I thought so. Okay. You
25 know, it was what, 6:00 in the morning or somewhere
around there?

1 JOHN-3: Yeah.

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Talk to you when you
3 call then.

4 JOHN-3: All right.

5 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Bye.

6 * * * * *

7 (Pause) (Indiscernible voices in
8 background.)

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Hello?

10 JOHN-3: Steven?

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yes.

12 JOHN-3: This is John-3 again.

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: John-3, how you doing?

14 JOHN-3: Good.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Good.

16 JOHN-3: I believe we've got that call from
17 Kathy --

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

19 JOHN-3: -- set to go here in a minute if
20 you'll just hold on.

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, I will.

22 JOHN-3: Okay. I think she's there. Go
23 ahead.

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Hello?

25 KATHY: Hello?

MR. SCHNEIDER: Kathy?

1 KATHY: Hi, Steve.

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: How is it going?

3 KATHY: Okay. How's it going there?

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, we had -- apparently
5 Sabbath was kind of a breakdown with them.

6 KATHY: Yeah.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Started out with the
8 electricity being turned off. We thought everything
9 was going great. Three, three people at least were
10 going to go out yesterday and, and --

11 KATHY: But not --

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- they, they got cold feet
13 when they didn't hear from Ollie, the electricity went
14 off, no "Newsweek" magazines.

15 KATHY: Kind of scared them, huh?

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, yeah, it did. I, I
17 tried --

18 KATHY: No "Newsweek"?

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- I tried to talk to them a
20 little bit further and they just didn't want to make a
21 move, they didn't hear from Ollie, they were --

22 KATHY: I thought you had "Newsweek" and
23 "Time."

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: No.

25 KATHY: Oh, no.

MR. SCHNEIDER: Never received it. We were

1 | listening to the radio and we were -- David and I and
2 | the rest were quite unhappy with you because they
3 | stated you said you are our spokesperson.

4 | KATHY: I never said that.

5 | MR. SCHNEIDER: And also you called us
6 | Koreshians which isn't so and -- Branch Davidian
7 | Seventh Day Adventists which is not so. So I mean, I
8 | don't know, Kathy, just be -- you know, those things
9 | we've never -- David has never called us that or said
10 | we were that. Pardon? Yeah, he said -- David even
11 | passed on you didn't need to salt your foot.

12 | KATHY: Okay.

13 | MR. SCHNEIDER: So, other -- but otherwise,
14 | they're treating you okay and things are fine?

15 | KATHY: Yeah.

16 | MR. SCHNEIDER: You've got an attorney?

17 | KATHY: Yes. The court appointed me an
18 | attorney real quick, but --

19 | MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Are you still, are you
20 | still with Brian?

21 | KATHY: No, Brian -- I saw Brian -- when I
22 | did I come out? Friday. I saw Brian Friday.

23 | MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, and not since, huh?

24 | KATHY: No.

25 | MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, what's the thing on
that?

1 KATHY: Well, I have -- they -- I have to
2 wait until they go through the system.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: And have they given you any
4 idea about time or --

5 KATHY: No. It just depends on, you know,
6 how the court proceedings go.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. So, no idea what
8 time, huh?

9 KATHY: No.

10 MR. SCHNEIDER: So, right now you're a
11 material witness. What kind of -- I mean, where are
12 you located? Are you in a, in a jail or --

13 KATHY: I, I was -- I went through the FBI
14 command post, whatever, which is where I was when I saw
15 Brian and --

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: That was the first thing you
17 did?

18 KATHY: Right.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

20 KATHY: And I was not put through any
21 interrogation or anything, you know, everybody was real
22 nice.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Great.

24 KATHY: Then I was moved here and --

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, where is here?

KATHY: County, County Sheriff's Office.

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, you're at the County
2 Jail?

3 KATHY: Yeah.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Do you have a cell or
5 something?

6 KATHY: Yes. I have access to whoever. I
7 have a phone and I have an attorney.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: You have a telephone? You
9 can call anybody?

10 KATHY: Yeah.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: And you have access to the
12 press?

13 KATHY: If I want.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: If you want, huh?

15 KATHY: I, I have a, I have a phone in my
16 room.

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

18 KATHY: I have a detention hearing scheduled
19 Tuesday and I'm -- if all goes well I could be released
20 then.

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: I see.

22 KATHY: But I don't want to push anything,
23 you know?

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

25 KATHY: So I'm just going by their rules and,
you know, doing the best I can to facilitate the best

1 resolution of the whole situation. You know, that's
2 why, you know, I want to talk to you, let you know that
3 okay, yeah, I am going through a system.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

5 KATHY: But I, I've been treated fairly. You
6 know, the system has -- is doing what they can for me
7 and I'm doing what I can to help the people that are
8 still in there to solve the situation. I mean, there's
9 no way that everybody is going to be able to speak
10 until they come out. So that's why I'm on the phone
11 with you, to help you help the others to see that
12 that's, that's the only possibility. They're not
13 going --

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, they, they've
15 stated that --

16 KATHY: -- they're not going to let you have
17 any access to the press. You know that.

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- they've stated that to me
19 numerous times and --

20 KATHY: Okay.

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- it's been obvious by what
22 has taken place thus far --

23 KATHY: Right. That's, that's the simple
24 facts. There's no --

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- about us not having access
to the press until we come out.

1 KATHY: That's -- there's no way around it.

2 But I do have access --

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: No, I, I know, I know, I know
4 they have total control.

5 KATHY: Yes, they have total control of you.
6 I have access to the press though.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: I know they have -- that they
8 made that statement even on the press this morning how
9 they are -- that they have total, complete control of
10 everything.

11 KATHY: Yeah.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: They're, they're more
13 powerful than the press, they're more powerful than any
14 other aspect of society.

15 KATHY: They are. But now I'm out of that
16 situation and I do have access to the press. Whether I
17 use that is, is, is dependent on your lives in there.

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. Well, hang on a
19 minute. (Pause) Yeah, anything else, Kathy or --

20 KATHY: You know that Margaret and Catherine
21 were released on bond? You know that?

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: They -- okay, if they're
23 material witnesses did they explain to you why they
24 would have to be on bond or bail in the first place? I
25 don't quite understand.

KATHY: Because as a material witness don't

1 they have to come back when there is a court trial and
2 testify? That's why the bond is placed on them, so
3 that they can secure their testimony.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: I see, so that's the only
5 reason.

6 KATHY: Yeah.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: And so far it appears that's
8 the way it's going to be for yourself?

9 KATHY: That's what I'm hoping.

10 MR. SCHNEIDER: And then you don't know much
11 about Ollie then do you?

12 KATHY: I don't, I don't know anything about
13 Ollie.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. Okay. So --

15 KATHY: I mean, I've seen him a couple times,
16 but --

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, you have seen him a few
18 times?

19 KATHY: Yeah, but I, I don't know about his
20 case.

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: I see. Are you both in the
22 County Jail?

23 KATHY: Yeah.

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: I see. Okay.

25 KATHY: The other statement I wanted to make
was that when I get the opportunity and, you know, if

1 I, if I win the detention hearing or whatever, I'm
2 going to file a wrongful death lawsuit against the ATF
3 for killing Mike.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

5 KATHY: And I'm going to need you all's help.

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

7 KATHY: So in order for -- you know, this is
8 my, my help to the -- to the FBI, in order for you to
9 help me --

10 MR. SCHNEIDER: I would have to be out.

11 KATHY: Right.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, I'm working on it.

13 KATHY: Okay. That's the bottom line there.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: The truth is, you can pass on
15 that I want to be on that side with the rest too.

16 KATHY: Okay. The last thing I wanted to
17 mention was that, you know, we've been in this for
18 what, 14 days now?

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: This is actually -- yeah, 14
20 days today.

21 KATHY: Day 14? I don't think time is really
22 on our side. You have a lot of supplies --

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: You, you don't, you don't,
24 you don't think time is on our side? What do you mean?

25 KATHY: You have a lot of supplies in there,
but the resources that are being used out here are

1 monumental and the FBI has made it clear that for that
2 reason and --

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: So --

4 KATHY: -- and for the lives and for the
5 injuries and for the need for medical, medical
6 attention of those inside that they are extremely
7 anxious for this situation to come to an end.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: They're extremely anxious
9 for -- well, we've been anxious for this thing to have
10 never started and also to come to an end. You stated
11 that we have a lot -- even though we have a lot of
12 supplies here they've got great -- what, what was meant
13 by they have great resources out there?

14 KATHY: They're using, they're using a lot of
15 resources out here to --

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: What do you mean they're
17 using a lot of resources? Like -- can you make
18 yourself more plain?

19 KATHY: Well, you can, you can see, you can
20 see what's on our property, right?

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, you talking about the
22 tanks and Bradleys?

23 KATHY: I'm talking about everything that,
24 that's being used. I mean, even, even to keep me here
25 costs, you know, time, space, everything.

MR. SCHNEIDER: Is this what they explained

1 to you then or --

2 KATHY: Well, that's common sense, too, but,
3 but what they did explain to me was that --

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Why, why would you be telling
5 me that when since day one it's obvious to me by just
6 looking out the window I can see things happening? I
7 mean, is there a reason? Have they encouraged you to
8 say that? Have you -- do, do you have an, an opinion
9 about it or what?

10 KATHY: Well, that statement I know you know,
11 but the -- what they have encouraged is that they are
12 anxious to bring this situation to an end based on
13 those facts.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, so they, so they let you
15 know that they are anxious --

16 KATHY: Right.

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- to bring this to a quick
18 close?

19 KATHY: Right.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: And that they do have
21 resources to do so?

22 KATHY: Sure they do.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

24 KATHY: And, and, you know, based on the
25 lives that are in there we want it to come to a
peaceful end, that's, that's, that's their, their --

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, you know the --

2 KATHY: -- biggest desire.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: Kathy, we -- I really thought
4 in all truth and honesty, I really thought that what we
5 had going with this John-2, John Dolan, about three
6 days or Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, it was looking so
7 well and three more were coming out. I was actually
8 starting to talk to a number of guys that were speaking
9 about going out and it all came to an abrupt stop
10 Friday night.

11 KATHY: Because of the electricity going off?

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, that was the first
13 thing that -- it was the most freaky thing to this
14 point of time that's happened. It was like pulling the
15 carpet out from under us. All of a sudden these guys
16 that wanted to go out didn't want to even talk to me.
17 What now?

18 MR. KORESH: (Indiscernible) (In background)

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, John Cox was -- yeah,
20 John Cox was talking to David, everything was going
21 fine. In fact, he was going to call us right back.

22 KATHY: I, I read that in the paper that --

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

24 KATHY: -- David talked to him.

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, did -- have they been
bringing out how they all of a sudden right in the

1 process of, of super -- David had already let them know
2 that he was aware that these three guys were coming
3 out, they were going to be out in the morning like say
4 9, 10, 11 o'clock. And all of a sudden --

5 KATHY: I think --

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- all of a sudden the
7 electricity came off. Did they, did they show in the
8 press that it went off at 11:15 and that's when
9 negotiations broke down, no "Newsweek," no Ollie's
10 return call? I mean now all of a sudden the people
11 they became scared again. You know, now I've got to go
12 back and start trying -- but I don't have any tools to
13 work with. The electricity never came back on, they
14 never warned --

15 KATHY: I told, I told them that that was
16 going to put everybody in a state of shock but I don't
17 know --

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: It did --

19 KATHY: -- I don't --

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- more -- worse than I -- I
21 mean, after almost these 14 days now it's made it near
22 impossible to even to even -- for me to communicate
23 with them.

24 KATHY: I don't know why that came about. I
25 did, I did read that some -- that they are unsure as to
why myself and Oliver came out. I did not state that I

1 was a key player, I did not state that at all, I don't
2 know where that came from.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, I know -- we heard that
4 too and I was wondering --

5 KATHY: I stated --

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- what that was all about.

7 KATHY: I stated that the people inside are
8 going to look and see what happens to me --

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Exactly.

10 KATHY: -- to help their decision as for them
11 to come out.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: And that did make a --

13 KATHY: That was my statement.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: And it was a big difference.

15 KATHY: That was my statement.

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: Ollie was feeling much better
17 about it, he went out, and these others were just going
18 to follow right after him. In fact, they were thinking
19 about it that night and they said, well, let's just
20 wait until the morning hours when the sunlight comes up
21 and, and we're going to be going out then ourselves.
22 And then bingo, all of a sudden the electricity went
23 off and John Cox said he'd call us back, he never did.
24 So that was -- and they all started --

25 KATHY: (Indiscernible)

MR. SCHNEIDER: -- acting real strange. Then

1 all, all of a sudden I talked to a John-3 and a new
2 person Dick and got absolutely nowhere, nothing about
3 turning the electricity back on, nothing about the
4 "Newsweek," nothing about Ollie talking to us. I mean,
5 the whole thing just totally fell apart and now they
6 show no interest in even calling here. And then we
7 listened to the press conference, the whole truth was
8 not told. I mean, all these --

9 KATHY: The only way that you can be
10 told --

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- on this side, on this side
12 you wonder just what's going on with them now.

13 KATHY: I -- it's, it's not going to happen,
14 Steve. The only way the truth can be told is for us to
15 tell it; you know they're not going to tell it. We
16 have got to tell it.

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Now, that's for sure.

18 KATHY: We're going to tell it in the courts
19 and we're going to tell it to the media, but we can't
20 tell it from in there. Because I don't, I don't know
21 any way around that. We cannot tell it from in there.
22 The FBI refuses to let that happen and --

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, I know that. You -- and
24 I, I -- you, you and -- they've told me that, you've
25 told me a number of times. I'm aware of their
statements.

1 KATHY: And, and Steve, I have to apologize,
2 but the, the, the (indiscernible).

3 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: Steve? Excuse
4 me. Kathy? Kathy?

5 KATHY: Yes?

6 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: Steve?

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah?

8 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: I just wanted to
9 let you know that we were on the line here just so we
10 aren't concealing anything, okay?

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, all right. I, I wasn't
12 aware of that.

13 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: Okay, and can I
14 clear up something that might involve the spokesperson
15 issue?

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

17 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: That may have
18 been our words. I don't believe Kathy said that she
19 was a spokesperson -- exactly what she just said --
20 that she said that people would be looking on the
21 inside at how she was treated and --

22 KATHY: I called myself a guinea pig, that's
23 the words I used.

24 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: That's the exact
25 same words, right.

MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

1 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: Okay? So I'll
2 let you go on.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

4 KATHY: What was I saying?

5 MR. SCHNEIDER: You were talking about the
6 press or something or -- or --

7 KATHY: Right, right. I have immediate
8 access to the press right now. Whether or not I want
9 to say anything that might harm the lives in there -- I
10 may, I may not say anything to the press until
11 anybody's out based --

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: That sounds good.

13 KATHY: -- based on the fact that I don't
14 want to do anything that's going to hurt anybody
15 inside.

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: Exactly.

17 KATHY: So, everything -- look, everybody is
18 going to have to go through the system, Steve, it's
19 that simple, okay? But --

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Do you know that I'm at a
21 place where I'm, I'm actually anxious for that? It's
22 just that there's --

23 KATHY: I, I am too. I'm --

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- it's just that there are
25 people here that aren't like I am, you know, that don't
see it so clear, they're apprehensive, they're scared

1 especially because of Friday night all the more. I
2 mean, that's what bothers me more than anything else.
3 I thought we were making like super headway. I even
4 got to talk to David a few times that night and he had
5 a smile on his face, he had a happy, good conversation
6 with John Cox and then all of a sudden bingo.
7 Yesterday was a total -- so totally different, so
8 totally different. I was hoping to talk to this John
9 Dolan again which they call John-2 again, but, you
10 know, obviously I have not had that opportunity.

11 KATHY: I, I, I don't know why the
12 negotiations you feel have broke down. I really feel
13 that -- you know, you --

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, just because they were
15 so decent, so friendly. People were coming out, it was
16 snowballing, I told them clearly it was and then bingo,
17 they cut off -- without even warning cut off the
18 electricity, Ollie never called back.

19 KATHY: I don't know why Ollie didn't call
20 back. I mean I stayed there --

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: I -- well, anyway, I gave
22 them credit --

23 KATHY: -- I stayed there all day.

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- I gave them credit where
25 he could maybe call back the next day but -- which was
yesterday, never happened.

1 KATHY: I stayed there all day
2 (indiscernible) call -- back.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: They had a colder attitude.
4 Maybe it was Dick, maybe -- I don't know, but it was
5 just colder. It seemed like the negotiators had little
6 or no control whatsoever, that there were those above
7 them that didn't have the same insight as themselves.

8 KATHY: Well, that's, that's true. I mean,
9 there is higher-ups in every, in every situation. I
10 mean also, Steve, you got to also remember when we come
11 out and we make our statements to the media, right now
12 the situation has been going on so long the media is
13 leaving and I know you know that.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Of course.

15 KATHY: I mean, I'm sure that the thing will
16 pick back up --

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, for myself, Kathy --

18 KATHY: -- if everybody were to come out.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- understand for David and
20 myself and a lot of people here I really don't care
21 about the media. I had a life to live two weeks ago
22 and I wasn't in this because I wanted some kind of
23 adverse media coverage --

24 KATHY: No, but don't we want the truth told?

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- or some kind of infamy or
notoriety because that's what it is.

1 KATHY: But we want the truth to be told.

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, if that's what God
3 would have, but one does not need to lean on the arm of
4 the world or to do crazy or weird things to be able to
5 speak to -- through the airwaves. So I don't, I don't
6 see that as anything extremely advantageous. The day
7 that anybody comes out -- or, or let me speak for
8 myself: the day that I come out, I mean I would like to
9 be able to have someone there to monitor --

10 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: (Spoken in
11 background) Steve, there's a tank right on our
12 property by the little lake sitting at the lake.

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Like right now there
14 is a tank right on our property right -- it's so close
15 to the building, it's right next to the little lake
16 setting up lights on us. So, you know, that goes real
17 far for these negotiations and people coming out too.
18 So what, what can I say?

19 KATHY: I just, I just hope, Steve, that you
20 realize that coming out peacefully is the only answer
21 to --

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: Coming out peacefully is the
23 only answer, Kathy?

24 KATHY: -- to ending this situation with,
25 without God doing something.

MR. SCHNEIDER: Kathy, you don't think I

1 realize that?

2 KATHY: (Laughter) I know, I just need to --
3 that's why I'm here on the phone.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. I mean, these are
5 things that are considered constantly, these are things
6 that I'm thinking even for myself all the time that I
7 want, but I, I feel I've got a responsibility with
8 others here that, you know, not to leave them sit but
9 encourage and, and communicate with the, try to help
10 them, help them see it clearly and that's what I've
11 been doing.--

12 KATHY: Well, you understand --

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: That's why I was so
14 disappointed because of what happened Friday night
15 because I mean --

16 KATHY: You understand --

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- after all the talking, my
18 voice was hoarse and sore, thought I'd really gotten
19 somewhere and then all of a sudden it's, it's like I
20 just -- it was like I had no tools, nothing to work
21 with, I've lost my credibility to some degree with
22 these people.

23 KATHY: Steve, for -- on a personal note from
24 myself if I can remember what I was fixing to say, you
25 understand that as long as I am out here I have no
contact with my -- you know, I'm on my own, right?

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

2 KATHY: Okay. I have no contact with
3 day-to-day events with my belief, right?

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

5 KATHY: I don't know what God's going to do,
6 I don't know what's going to happen.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, just hang on to what
8 you remember or what you believe or what you choose to
9 believe, it's up to you. I mean, you've got freedom of
10 choice, of course, and we all know what the issues are.
11 There's a book called Naham, a book called Habakkuk, a
12 book called Revelation.

13 KATHY: And I've been reading them all.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Good.

15 KATHY: Especially the Psalms and I've even
16 been --

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Naham, Naham is a reality
18 right now. It's no longer a prophecy, it's history in
19 the making.

20 KATHY: I know.

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: So I mean, you know, these
22 people they still believe in the Bible, the only reason
23 why they ever came here is because they already believe
24 there was some credibility to that source of
25 information and that's why they have chosen to stay
even though the adversity here and -- but of course

1 they've given a lot of thought as to how this should be
2 resolved each as an individual. And a lot of them were
3 starting to look at, you know, what was happening with
4 yourself and Ollie until that incident. And they're --
5 now a lot of them are, are stepping back a little bit
6 and still watching and looking. So I'm just hoping
7 that something can be resolved or --

8 KATHY: Well, all right, maybe --

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- I want -- I'd like to
10 actually pick up where I was with John. If you would
11 get off the phone you could tell them I'd like to pick
12 up back with John Dolan again and see what could be
13 worked out from where him and I were at the time that
14 we broke off speaking to one another.

15 KATHY: Okay. Let me just tell you, too,
16 that you are watching what happens to me and Ollie and
17 I'm hoping that a positive note will be sent to you by
18 what happens to me Tuesday. And I'm hoping that maybe
19 then I can call you back and if we can get --

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: I hope so. Please --

21 KATHY: -- if we can get the --

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- I hope they will allow
23 that because that will -- that would be another plus --

24 KATHY: Yeah. I --

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- that would be another help
for sure.