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HENRY: -- with his promise, with his strong, strong message, but the fact that he has not come out makes it look like he is what the news media keep saying that he is.

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STEVE: This is what Jim said to me and I listened very intently and carefully to that, and I sympathized from the carnality of man what you're saying, totally, completely do. But, like you said, like I have come to experience there is a God beyond you and I. If God says halt, you halt. If he says move, you move.

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HENRY: And this --

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STEVE: Listen, 43 years old is what I am. After all these years I've never had an experience like that where an audible voice or I get pictures in my mind, visions, or I'm shown things that are so beyond and that cannot be controverted subject matter of the sciences.

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HENRY: Steve, but one of -- but that same God told him to promise us that that's what he was

1 going to do and to live up to that expectation.

2 STEVE: And I just heard him say he --

3 HENRY: Do you believe, do you believe that
4 God would tell him to tell us that simply to tell us a
5 lie?

6 STEVE: I do not.

7 HENRY: And I don't believe that either.
8 And a lot of people believe that he is a cult leader
9 and that what he said is not true, you know, and he is
10 giving that people fuel, you know, for that, for that
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12 STEVE: But I see -- the same experience has
13 happened to me also, Henry. I never was really
14 labeled like I had been once I became part of this.
15 When I shown these awesome truths, the first thing I
16 did is I didn't accept it. I went to scholar after
17 scholar. I went to 20 minister friends of mine.

18 HENRY: Yes, I understand --

19 STEVE: They couldn't controvert it.

20 HENRY: I understand what you talk about,
21 but that's not what we're discussing. What we are
22 discussing --

23 STEVE: -- to a better people.

24 HENRY: -- now is that there are millions of
25 people because he went on national television, on

1 national radio. They are watching. The world is
2 watching to see if he is going to live up to his word.

3 STEVE: That's true. This is true. If you
4 read Psalms 68, you'll find out there are 20,000
5 chariots that have come to watch.

6 HENRY: But we don't need to read anything.
7 We just need to know if he's going to live up to his
8 word. His word --

9 STEVE: Yes. Yes, he will.

10 HENRY: Okay. Then let's get him going now.

11 STEVE: Well, the thing is that's what he
12 was telling you. There's a time element that we're
13 speaking about here. He said he will do it. That
14 means he will do it. I was here today when we were
15 getting prepared to move him. In fact, everybody here
16 right now, we haven't even eaten, by the way, Henry.
17 We're not running around, moving around. We were
18 prepared --

19 HENRY: I --

20 STEVE: Listen. We were prepared to do
21 exactly what we told you.

22 HENRY: But when?

23 STEVE: We haven't moved from our position.
24 What we are doing --

25 HENRY: When are you going to do it?

1 because his promise was, and I'm sure that God had a
2 strong part, and that decision making was that as soon
3 as that message was played he was going to -- and
4 nobody asked him. This is -- that all came from him,
5 was that he was coming out immediately. One of the
6 things --

7 STEVE: Well, see, I didn't know that. I
8 was never -- you know, I never heard what it was. I
9 did
10 --

11 HENRY: You need to know that. You need to
12 know that. You need to know that.

13 STEVE: Jim did tell me --

14 HENRY: He needs to, he needs to be reminded
15 of that because all of us are human. He himself is
16 human.

17 STEVE: Did you remind him of that?

18 HENRY: Pardon me?

19 STEVE: You must have reminded him of that,
20 didn't you?

21 HENRY: I reminded him of that, but he --

22 STEVE: And didn't he say something to you
23 about God and time, like when Christ said 2,000 years
24 ago, "I come quickly?" 2,000 years. Is that quickly
25 to you and I?

1 HENRY: Do you see God's hand in the
2 broadcast to the world?

3 STEVE: Yes, I do.

4 HENRY: Okay. Then the world is waiting.

5 STEVE: And I really see that you are on the
6 brink of -- what did you think about what was just
7 shown to you or do you have a mind set because of all
8 that you've heard that -- of the bizarrrity of cultism?

8 HENRY: No. I have --

9 STEVE: Because of --

10 HENRY: I do not consider him a cult leader.
11 Okay? He has a very strong and very powerful
12 message. I truly believe that he's sincere.

13 STEVE: Well, as far as I'm concerned,
14 between you and I, the guy is inspired either of
15 Christ, either of God or of Satan. There's no in
16 between. Of course, you might judge that is -- but I
17 see -- because of what the guy is able to do, what he
18 has shown in so many areas of science and so forth,
19 because of what he has shown, it's beyond the ability
20 of man to do that. I mean, when three engineers came
21 on and he's showing them how the pyramids were made,
22 how it is that they sit on something as soft as sand,
23 what a terrible foundation when the greatest engineers
24 in the world can't go much higher than the Sears tower

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1 because they haven't figured out a stronger
2 foundation, and he's showing the very -- I mean, there
3 was an engineer sitting there with his mouth hanging
4 on the ground.

5 HENRY: That's fine.

6 STEVE: So the question is where did this --

7 HENRY: And that's exactly, and that's exactly --

8 STEVE: That same power that shows in those
9 things is the power that should wait. Henry, I don't
10 know you, but I love you because at least I can tell
11 that you've given me some ear to talk. I'm more
12 concerned about you because I do believe in Nahum's
13 prophecy which he started to read to you, about the
14 chariots, of the flaming -- with the torches jostling
15 in the, in the places. If you're going to read even
16 while I'm off the phone with you, Chapter 2 and 3.
17 Just take a little time and see how that cannot be the
18 greatest nation that God has ever risen up, the United
19 States of America with the separation of church and
20 state and the great Constitution allowing for our
21 freedoms which are quickly being eroded. You know
22 that because of the very agency you're in. Even
23 though there's a higher bureaucracy over yourselves,
24 you see yourself in a very decent job and so forth,
25 and you probably are, in your sincerity, a very decent

1 person, but the truth of the matter is all --

2 (David Koresh speaking to Steve.)

3 STEVE: Pardon?

4 HENRY: What?

5 STEVE: He's talking right now. Have the
6 ministers show that he's wrong from the word of God,
7 Henry. If you know any personal scholars yourself in
8 the world, if you know of anybody, Henry, seriously
9 please, anybody you want --

10 HENRY: He can do that himself. I -- you
11 know, the power that he has, the ability that he has,
12 to make such a strong significant statement merely by
13 coming out you would not believe. The world is
14 watching.

15 STEVE: He's saying right --

16 HENRY: He needs to be influenced to --

17 STEVE: He's saying we are a poor people.
18 This is a strong nation. Is this the way Big Brother
19 is going to be?

20 HENRY: There is, there is a purpose for
21 everything. God's work was done in David's broadcast
22 to the world and promised to come out immediately.
23 Now, he did not, in fact, come out immediately.

24 STEVE TO DAVID KORESH: Did you promise, did
25 you promise them that you'd come out immediately?

1 STEVE: He says yes, he did.

2 HENRY: Okay. Then, you know, he needs to
3 be called to task because God told him to say that.

4 STEVE: Can I say this? He said his present
5 position is he still promises to and -- but you have
6 to deal with his God.

7 HENRY: Everybody has to deal with God
8 within himself. Okay? And --

9 STEVE: Wait, wait, wait. That's -- not
10 according to the Bible, not according to the Bible.
11 You do it God's way or like in the days of Moses when
12 Coradathian and Nebyrum raised their voices because
13 they didn't like the way Moses was doing it, God
14 opened up the earth, swallowed up these men alive with
15 thousands of others. The earth closed up while they
16 were yet screaming and they were stuck in a position
17 and that's the way they suffocated. God throughout
18 history has given many examples. When he speaks, he
19 means what he says.

20 HENRY: That's exactly right and the promise
21 was immediately and if God instilled in him to say
22 that, that's exactly what he meant. Now, God does not
23 take his word back. Now, there is some confusion and
24 that's fine, but --

25 STEVE: Well, that's exactly what --

1 HENRY: -- God does not take his word back.

2 Now --

3 STEVE: I would like to, I would like to let
4 you give yourself an opportunity to let him open up
5 some wisdom to you in that regard, how God does work
6 when he says time and immediate.

7 HENRY: In terms of myself, you know, I
8 don't have any problems with that. What he needs to
9 understand is that there are millions of people
10 waiting and watching.

11 STEVE: Believe me, if you notice how deep
12 he can get into the sciences and humanity (sic), the
13 sociology of mankind, believe me, he understands the
14 forces that are -- that involved, what has taken place
15 here, what the world thinks, the statement made.
16 Believe me, he's aware. Believe me.

17 HENRY: One of the things, one of the things
18 that he needs to understand is that, you know, by not
19 coming out he puts everybody in a very difficult
20 position.

21 STEVE: But he did not say he's not coming
22 out.

23 HENRY: If he dies, if he dies within the
24 place, you know, then he's --

25 STEVE: He will not die.

1 HENRY: You don't know that. You don't know
2 that. Are you God? You don't know that. You don't
3 know if he's going to die or if he's not going to die.

4 STEVE: Try to understand. Read Psalms --

5 HENRY: But if he does, but if he does,
6 everything that everybody worked for will be for
7 nothing. We can't let that happen.

8 STEVE TO DAVID KORESH: They're concerned
9 that you might die and everything that has been worked
10 for will come to nothing.

11 STEVE: And he's saying the word of God
12 never dies. This is why Paul in the book of Hebrew --

13 HENRY: That's right. And if it doesn't die
14 -- you know, his work was that he would come out
15 immediately and lead his people out. He has not done
16 that.

17 STEVE: Can he explain to --

18 HENRY: He needs to examine that.

19 STEVE: Henry, can he explain -- give you an
20 explanation for that?

21 HENRY: I, I don't need an explanation.
22 What I need is for him to live up to that.

23 STEVE: Henry.

24 HENRY: He needs to take action. How can
25 David expect to spread God's word if he does not live

1 by the promise instilled in him by God?

2 STEVE: After 6,000 years of human history,
3 do you think we're somewhere near the end of time or
4 do you think that this world will go on indefinitely?

5 HENRY: That is not for us to know because
6 that is for --

7 STEVE: Yes -- no, no. No, that's not so.

8 HENRY: -- that is for God to know.

9 STEVE: God -- that's why he gave you and I
10 a book, Henry, so that you might know ahead of time
11 those things which he's going to bring upon this
12 world, that you might miss out on the catastrophes.
13 In the days of Noah he told the number of people to
14 get into an ark of safety. God says, "I'm going to
15 destroy the world with a flood." The religious world,
16 everybody included, says, "No, you won't," so they had
17 to learn how to swim. After the flood God spoke his
18 word again. The same word that created all things
19 said, "I will not destroy the world with a flood
20 again. Here's the rainbow of my promise." The world
21 says, "Oh, yes, you will." They build the tower of
22 Babel to get away from a flood that would never come.

23 It seems like no matter what generation, what era,
24 man lives in, he's always in contradistinction against
25 God's plain, clear word. So in every generation, like

1 Peter says in II Peter 1:12, "Be established in the
2 present truth." Well, what's the truth for 1993?
3 When God says he's going to pour judgments upon this
4 world, he's going to give you and I a way out. You're
5 confused. I'm confused. You don't know how or when
6 you're going to die or what to do about it.

6 HENRY: That's right.

7 STEVE: I'm telling you I do know and if you
8 gave me the time, I would show you some words by the
9 mouth of many people that came before you and I that
10 harmonize all their testimony and statements. I know
11 it's going to happen to me. If I take a day at a time
12 and do the program as laid out by God, by his spirit,
13 through all the prophets, down to the very day you and
14 I live in, 6,000 years of human history -- you and I
15 should have learned by now. We can't do it our way.
16 It doesn't work. This is a cemetery, this earth.
17 Plants die. People die. Everything dies here.

17 HENRY: That's right. And if he dies within
18 that place, everything that he's done, everything that
19 he's done, a lot of people are going to say he was
20 just a cult leader.

20 STEVE: That's exactly right.

21 HENRY: That's right and --

22 STEVE: That's is exactly right.

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1 HENRY: And, therefore --

2 STEVE: And I will have been wrong. All of
3 this would have been for nothing.

4 HENRY: That's right. So we have to work
5 with him. We need to influence him not to permit
6 himself. One of the things that you -- I don't know
7 whether you understand or don't understand. Because
8 of his age, he's going to, he's going to look real
9 strong for a long period of time. When he starts to
10 go down, he's going to go down real fast. And when he
11 goes down real fast, he'll eventually wind up in
12 cardiac arrest and then there'll be nothing that
13 anybody can do. And if he dies within the compound,
14 because of his name, because of the things that he's
15 said, because of the fact that they see him as David
16 who is going to slay the giant and the giant is fear,
17 they will say he died in fear within the compound. He
18 needs to be moved into action. You need to try to
19 influence him. Don't take a back seat.

20 STEVE: In honesty, though, Henry, in
21 honesty, there is no way. If God told him to do
22 something, I could -- if I were a salesman, if I was
23 an orator, and really spent the time trying to
24 convince -- I know -- I've been around the man long
25 enough to tell you I couldn't convince him of

1 anything. There's -- long before I met him he had an
2 experience beyond mine and when those experiences were
3 compared, I have nothing. The foundation I had for
4 all my life just disappeared in relation to that which
5 he showed me. So right now that God that has led him
6 all this time -- and it says that only the lamb could
7 open the seals. It might seem like a bizarre, cultic,
8 arrogant thing to imply one could be that person, but
9 the Bible, the word of God, says that God's got a
10 snare for Babylon in the final days. Babylon, which
11 is the world in confusion, is going to be taken
12 unawares, but those that have a love for truth, like
13 is says in II Thessalonians 2, they're the ones that
14 will not be deceived and be destroyed.

15 HENRY: That's right.

16 STEVE: So -- but the whole point being,
17 this truth that is being shown is the thing that has
18 to be judged now.

19 HENRY: Okay, but the fact of the matter is
20 that there have been many people -- or that many
21 people have chosen and have demonstrated David's
22 strength and conviction, but that destroyed that
23 credibility with the seed or destruction. Okay? God
24 does not want his word tainted by deceit. Now, the
25 fact of the matter is God gave him instructions in

1 terms of what he wanted to say in that cassette. He
2 followed through --

3 STEVE: But it didn't --

4 HENRY: -- and everybody worked in
5 orchestration to get that accomplished. There was a
6 lot of work that went into that.

7 STEVE: Well, you know, I'm not going to be
8 naive with you. It's quite obvious what you and I
9 both -- you definitely have your designs already set
10 as to what you want to do with him and so forth.

11 HENRY: We -- I don't have any designs to do
12 --

13 STEVE: Not you as a person.

14 HENRY: -- anything.

15 STEVE: Not you -- Henry, not you as a
16 person, but I mean, through my life, being in America
17 which is the greatest nation, so blessed, you and I
18 would agree on that, when you look at the Weaver case
19 and you look at so many atrocities, and that's not --
20 I mean, that's -- that can be from me, from you, from
21 anybody because all of us in this world misjudge, so I
22 don't hold that against anybody. But I've seen what
23 the court system, what this government, what the
24 people that don't have the love of God within, a
25 desire to know truth, mankind overall, we just are so

1 selfish as beings, what we do to one another.

2 HENRY: But I --

3 STEVE: But, truly, you know, he's going to
4 do what God tells him. If God says wait, he's still
5 going to follow through with what he told you. It
6 could be -- we might be giving you a call in a minute
7 or the next half-hour or later in the middle of the
8 night. But he can't -- I mean, if you ever allowed
9 him to tell you his experience, what he went through
10 before he was ever given what he has, you could
11 understand why. God taught him the fear of God. You
12 don't fear God. I'm learning to, but it's taken me
13 six-and-a-half years --

14 HENRY: But the fact --

15 STEVE: -- six-and-a-half years.

16 HENRY: Yes.

17 STEVE: When God says he's going to do
18 something, Henry, he means it.

19 HENRY: That's exactly right. That's
20 exactly right. When God says that, that's what he
21 means. And this morning the truth was that he was
22 coming out immediately, but this afternoon something
23 has changed. Now, God does not change the truth from
24 the morning to the afternoon, for God's sake.

25 STEVE TO DAVID KORESH: Henry's saying that

1 God does not change the truth from the morning to the
2 afternoon but, in the first place, it was in the
3 afternoon. It wasn't in the morning because they
4 already -- I remember them telling me something like
5 2:30 but, anyway.

6 HENRY: He and I had agreed, he and I had
7 agreed --

8 STEVE: You, yourself?

9 HENRY: -- that at 11:00 he was going to
10 come out. That's from yesterday. Now --

11 STEVE: Oh, I didn't know anything about
12 that.

13 HENRY: Okay. Well, you know -- and he said
14 he was coming out immediately. That's what God
15 instructed him or inspired him to say.

16 STEVE TO DAVID KORESH: Are you awake?

17 HENRY: You know, I cannot imagine that God
18 would change his mind from in the morning to in the
19 afternoon.

20 (David Koresh talking to Steve.)

21 HENRY: One of things that we have a concern
22 about, Steve -- Steve? Steve?

23 (Conversation in background.)

24 STEVE: The only thing -- I asked him, "What
25 can I say? How can I communicate?" Hello? Henry?

1 HENRY: Has his condition clouded his
2 vision?

3 STEVE: Not at all.

4 HENRY: Okay.

5 STEVE: Not at all. I mean, you got to hear
6 him talk to you. What do you think?

7 HENRY: Well --

8 STEVE: Revelations --

9 HENRY: -- yesterday there were times when,
10 when he wasn't feeling well, you know. That's why
11 I've been asking for Rachel to take --

12 STEVE: Okay, Henry. I guess, you know --
13 okay. I want to tell you. No. By observation, not
14 being a medical doctor, not having training, but the
15 basics you get through high school and college and so
16 forth, but an observation, knowing a lot of the
17 symptoms and signs, he's more stable right now than I
18 have even seen him from yesterday.

19 HENRY: Then please --

20 STEVE: He's not complaining about pain like
21 he was yesterday.

22 HENRY: Then what is the reluctance in
23 coming out?

24 STEVE: The -- it has nothing to do with you
25 people, the building, the weather, nothing but one

1 thing, the thing that got him to the place where he is
2 in the first place, where he is giving out seven seals
3 to the world to anybody that will listen. The thing
4 is there is a God --

5 HENRY: Everybody is going to listen if he
6 lives up to what he says, but he clouds the issue when
7 he changes it. Then people start having doubts.
8 That's what happened, you know, with the bosses here
9 because Jim told him -- believed in what he said and
10 now he's changed because, you know. Now God has not
11 changed his mind. You know, the truth is the truth.
12 He has discredited his message by not coming out. We
13 don't want that to happen. He needs to come out
14 tonight. He needs to come out tonight because he said
15 he was coming out immediately. Okay. He didn't come
16 out immediately, but if he can come out tonight, then
17 we're on track.

18 STEVEN: I -- Henry, as much as I appreciate
19 what you're saying from your vantage point, from your
20 viewpoint, I can't do anything. He -- the first thing
21 I told you was whoever gave him the ability to open up
22 these seals, and he can, I mean, I went with him to
23 scholars here, and they're all over the world, he can.
24 They cannot. That same voice, that same being, also
25 said to him to wait. I mean, I got to see this

1 afternoon something I had never seen before, what he
2 went through. And it's, and it's for people like
3 yourself in your ignorance, even though you don't know
4 anything about it. You know nothing about it. And I
5 -- it's not -- you're not to blame, but you don't
6 realize what you're running into here, what's being
7 offered, what's being shown or being attempted to be
8 shown to you. It's beyond your comprehension and I do
9 not have the ability to even repeat or to begin to
10 show what this man can if given the time. But I'm
telling you I can't, I can't --

11 HENRY: And that's why we --

12 STEVE: But, Henry, I can't talk him out of
13 what this same person that showed him the seals told
14 him to do. He is -- if his life was to be taken or
15 saved or given back or you were -- I mean, if he was
16 to have his life and freedom or whatever else, that
17 still wouldn't matter to him if the voice said to him
to wait. Seriously.

18 HENRY: One of the things, one of the --

19 STEVE: But did you understand what I'm
saying?

20 HENRY: Yes, I understand what you're
21 saying.

22 STEVE: And I'm telling you I could hand
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1 this phone to anybody here, as much as they like you
2 and they understand your logic and all that you're
3 speaking about and it's clear, it still comes down to
4 what I just said. Seriously, it does. I don't have
5 the ability to talk him out of that which I told you.

6 HENRY: That's fine. That's fine and I
7 don't have any problems with your telling me that, but
8 what you can do is you can talk to him so that he
9 doesn't --he hears from someone other than himself --

10 STEVE: Okay.

11 HENRY: -- so that he can be open to
12 receiving the word of God. Okay? I'm sure that he is
13 and that's fine, but he needs to know that there is a
14 tremendous amount of responsibility that --

15 STEVE: I agree.

16 HENRY: -- is at least on him --

17 STEVE: I understand what you're saying.

18 HENRY: -- and everybody, because everybody
19 went on a limb, because he said, "I will do this if
20 you --

21 STEVE: -- Henry, to see what's going to
22 happen.

23 HENRY: That's fine.

24 STEVE: I really think something is.

25 HENRY: Okay.

1 STEVE: And I believe that, you know, like
2 he told you, that's going to happen.

3 HENRY: Okay.

4 STEVE: But I -- the time element, I'll be
5 honest with you. I'm confused about it myself.

6 HENRY: Okay.

7 STEVE: I just know that when I look at the
8 history of what God took the prophets through --

9 HENRY: Okay.

10 STEVE: I mean, when Christ says in
11 Revelation 1 -- he's talking to people 2,000 years ago
12 and then he says, "I come quickly." I mean, what,
13 what do you make out of that? He comes quickly?
14 2,000 years is quickly? But, anyway, you know, no
15 matter -- even for me it's a struggle, you know.
16 There's things like that that take a strength of --

17 HENRY: Steve?

18 STEVE: Yes.

19 HENRY: Don't tell me we're going to have to
20 wait 2,000 years.

21 STEVE: Okay.

22 HENRY: Okay?

23 STEVE: Henry, I appreciate it. Okay. Let
24 me, you know -- I'm still waiting here myself --

25 HENRY: Okay.

1 STEVE: -- and I'm anxious. I'm just as
2 anxious as you are.

3 HENRY: Okay.

4 STEVE: But I guess I'm learning to just
5 wait a little bit and, you know, that's the hardest
6 thing I've ever had to do in my life. When I see
7 something -- when you've laid out a logic and so
8 forth, you set your mind to it. You want to go
9 through. You get right up to the very time and moment
10 and all of a sudden -- and it takes something out of
11 you.

12 HENRY: Sure.

13 STEVE: So that's why I'm not disagreeing,
14 but --

15 HENRY: Okay.

16 STEVE: -- like I said -- okay?

17 HENRY: Okay.

18 STEVE: So I will call you or you can call
19 us back.

20 HENRY: Okay.

21 STEVE: And we'll keep -- we'll summons --
22 Rachel was saying about keeping his --

23 HENRY: Okay.

24 STEVE: -- vital signs.

25 HENRY: Please.

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STEVE: Okay.

HENRY: And, and, you know, have Rachel -- she said that he doesn't want his, his blood pressure taken. Please take it.

STEVE: Well, I think, I think it was at the time.

HENRY: Okay.

STEVE: I don't know, I don't know if she stated that right.

HENRY: Oh, okay.

STEVE: I think it was because --

HENRY: Okay.

STEVE: All right.

HENRY: Okay. Well, I'll talk to you in a little bit.

STEVE: Okay.

HENRY: You take care.

STEVE: Bye Henry.

HENRY: Bye.

(Telephone conversation ends.)

(Phone rings.)

RACHEL: Hello?

HENRY: Hello. Rachel?

RACHEL: Yes.

HENRY: This Henry Garcia.

1 RACHEL: Okay.

2 HENRY: How are you doing?

3 RACHEL: All right.

4 HENRY: How is he doing?

5 RACHEL: He's doing all right.

6 HENRY: I'm sorry?

7 RACHEL: He's doing okay.

8 HENRY: Did you take his blood pressure?

9 RACHEL: My --

10 HENRY: I'm sorry? I didn't hear your last
statement.

11 RACHEL: Hello?

12 HENRY: Hello. What did you say?

13 RACHEL: We're going to do it right now.
(Background conversation.)

14 HENRY: I'm sorry?

15 RACHEL: We are going to do it right now.

16 HENRY: Oh, okay.

17 RACHEL: You want to call back in five
minutes?

18 HENRY: Yeah. And -- but tell him that what
19 we'd like to do is we'd like to --

20 (Bad connection.)

21 HENRY: Hello?

22 RACHEL: I'm here but I cannot hear you.

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1 HENRY: Hello?

2 RACHEL: Yes, I'm here.

3 HENRY: Okay. What we'd like to do is we'd
4 like to continue taking out the kids if we can. Okay?
5 Hello?

6 RACHEL: Yes, I'm here. I was just
7 listening to the noise outside.

8 HENRY: Is everything okay?

9 RACHEL: Outside in the front.

10 HENRY: Huh?

11 RACHEL: I was just listening to the noise
12 outside in the front.

13 HENRY: Oh, okay.

14 RACHEL: Okay.

15 HENRY: Okay. You're going to take his
16 pressure now?

17 RACHEL: Um-hum.

18 HENRY: Okay.

19 RACHEL: Yes. She's right here. She's
20 taking it right now.

21 HENRY: Okay. You just need to know that
22 we're having a changing of the shift.

23 RACHEL: Yes.

24 HENRY: There's going to be some vehicles
25 moving around, you know, away from the compound.

1 RACHEL: Right. Okay.

2 HENRY: Okay?

3 RACHEL: Okay.

4 HENRY: Okay. Well --

5 RACHEL: Yes. She's taking it right now.

6 HENRY: Huh?

7 RACHEL: She's taking it right now.

8 HENRY: Okay. Who are the next two kids
9 that we could take out?

10 RACHEL: Just a minute.

11 HENRY: Okay.

12 RACHEL: I'm going to have to find out.

13 HENRY: Okay.

14 (Background conversation. Pause.)

15 RACHEL: He's not talking right now. He's
16 having his blood pressure taken.

17 HENRY: Okay.

18 RACHEL: Well, he just said it's amazing.
19 It's 120 over 85.

20 RACHEL IN BACKGROUND: No. It's excellent.
21 Very good.

22 RACHEL: Did you hear me, Henry?

23 HENRY: What was that?

24 RACHEL: I said she said it's amazing. It's
25 120 over 85.

1 HENRY: That is amazing.

2 RACHEL: Yes.

3 HENRY: Okay.

4 (Background conversation.)

5 RACHEL: I told you he was looking good.

6 HENRY: Okay. Well, good. I'm glad to hear
7 that.

8 STEVE IN BACKGROUND: Is that Henry?

9 RACHEL: Yeah.

10 STEVE IN BACKGROUND: Can I talk to him?

11 RACHEL: Yeah. Just a minute.

12 STEVE: Hi, Henry.

13 HENRY: Hi.

14 STEVE: Yeah. I'm right here, too, and I
15 was waiting for that, too. I'm -- it's funny you
16 called just about the same time she was there.

17 HENRY: Um-hum.

18 STEVE: Yeah, but -- yeah. It's 120 over
19 85.

20 HENRY: That's excellent.

21 STEVE: Isn't it?

22 HENRY: It sure is. Well, good. So, I mean
23 --

24 STEVE: Still waiting, though. Still
25 waiting. But, let's see, was there -- what else --

1 | you said blood pressure and was there something else
2 | or --

3 | HENRY: Yeah.

4 | RACHEL TO STEVE: Pulse is 72.

5 | STEVE: Oh, pulse is 72.

6 | HENRY: Okay.

7 | STEVE: Yeah.

8 | HENRY: Good.

9 | STEVE: We're still waiting in the same
10 | place.

11 | HENRY: Okay.

12 | STEVE: So it should -- we'll -- if you
13 | don't call us, we'll stay in touch, though, for sure.

14 | HENRY: Okay.

15 | STEVE: Can we still -- are we able to call
16 | you still?

17 | HENRY: I think so. Can we, can we continue
18 | taking some kids out?

19 | STEVE: So far -- let me see. He's over
20 | here. He's been kind of quiet.

21 | HENRY: Okay.

22 | STEVE TO DAVID KORESH: They were wondering
23 | if they could continue to take kids out or are we
24 | waiting yet or what?

25 | STEVE: He says we're still waiting because,

1 you know, what he said earlier. It seems that's the
2 program. He doesn't want to change from anything
3 other than -- the word was just wait.

4 HENRY: Well, you know, and I can understand
5 that, that he wants to wait but, you know, I -- from
6 talking to him last night --

7 STEVE: Yeah.

8 HENRY: -- and then this morning, you don't
9 have any windows, do you?

10 STEVE: We don't have any what?

11 HENRY: Windows.

12 STEVE: What do you mean?

13 HENRY: Were the windows knocked out? Isn't
14 it cold in there?

15 STEVE: Well, yeah, there are windows
16 knocked out for sure.

17 HENRY: Okay.

18 STEVE: But no, no, it's not cold in here,
19 no.

20 HENRY: It's not cold in there?

21 STEVE: No.

22 HENRY: Okay. Because he had said that he
23 had like six or eight blankets on him.

24 STEVE: Last night I think it -- last night
25 it was chilly.

1 HENRY: Um-hum.

2 STEVE: And there was a breeze that was
3 coming through, but I -- it seems like it's okay and
4 no wind. It's not bad.

5 HENRY: Okay.

6 STEVE: I appreciate that.

7 HENRY: Okay.

8 STEVE: Henry, I know you're trying to do
9 the best you can. I know you are.

10 HENRY: Okay.

11 STEVE: I really do.

12 HENRY: Okay.

13 STEVE: And I really appreciate your concern
14 also. I do.

15 HENRY: Okay. Is he going to let any other
16 people out?

17 STEVE: He said the only thing he can do
18 right now is wait.

19 HENRY: Okay. And I can understand that.
20 He wants to wait.

21 STEVE: Yeah.

22 HENRY: But I'm not asking for himself.

23 STEVE: Yeah. No, I understand. I
24 understand.

25 HENRY: Does he not want to let any, any

1 other people out?

2 STEVE: Well, it's not that. You know, the
3 original, what the program was, he wanted to do, he
4 intends to do. He said that and the only thing that
5 came to him was not that he's not going to do that.
6 The only thing that came was just to wait. That was
7 the only thing.

8 HENRY: Okay.

9 STEVE: So nothing's changed other than that
10 time element.

11 HENRY: Okay. But how do you --

12 STEVE: Yeah.

13 HENRY: -- how do you see this ending? Is
14 everybody going to come out or is nobody going to come
15 out?

16 STEVE: No. To me it looks very good and
17 I'm -- to me it looks very good. I'm at peace about
18 it. I'm at peace with you guys, what you have shown,
19 you know, the humanity. I think we concur with you on
20 that.

21 HENRY: Okay.

22 STEVE: So, you know, the only thing it is
23 that I guess maybe for us, maybe it's a little test of
24 faith because, you know, people were in their mind.
25 Like I told you earlier, they were set to do that and

1 they still are. No one's even changed. He didn't
2 tell them well, go do something else now. No. He
3 says what I told you earlier, you know, that's what it
4 is. But the only thing he says, just wait. He says I
5 was told to wait and that was -- you know, that's all.

6 HENRY: Okay. Does he have any sense of how
7 long this wait is?

8 STEVE: No. In honesty, no, he doesn't.

9 HENRY: Okay. Do you?

10 STEVE: No, I don't because, you know, I've
11 never been in anything quite like this before or I
12 can't -- I'm trying to recall even the past
13 six-and-a-half years. Well, let's see. There's been
14 a few experiences where I had where it seemed like
15 something was going to be done. We were told to wait
16 and maybe hours or so might pass by or something like
17 that.

18 HENRY: Um-hum. Now, does he feel that
19 divine inspiration is going to come in such a fashion
20 that he'll know at that moment when he can come out?

21 STEVE: I would -- well, see, everything's
22 he's ever done, that's what -- you know, if I were in
23 your shoes, I would have a hard time to believe it
24 but, you know, in the last six-and-a-half years that
25 I've known him every -- like when he goes to

1 California, he's gone to England. Let me just tell
2 you this. When I first met him, you know, I didn't
3 know who he was from Adam. I was dubious about the
4 guy. And when I heard what he had to say from the
5 Bible, I said to him, "Well, could I take you over to
6 -- I'll fly you to some friends of mine. They're
7 scholars. And I'd like to have you share what you did
8 with me to them." And he said to me -- he looked at
9 me. He said, "Steve, I don't go anywhere. I don't do
10 anything without God directing me," and I looked at
11 him and I thought, well, huh? You mean if I've got an
12 interest and my friends have an interest? And he said
13 that and he left it at that.

14 HENRY: Um-hum.

15 STEVE: But then the next day, the next
16 morning, he invited me to stay overnight that night.
17 I did. The next morning he said, "Let's go," and
18 again I looked at him. I says, "Really?" He says,
19 "Yeah," and I says, "Okay," and, you know, it turned
20 out very well.

21 HENRY: Um-hum.

22 STEVE: So, you know, that was the first
23 experience I ever had when I met him and that was
24 about six-and-a-half years ago.

25 HENRY: Um-hum.

1 STEVE: So, you know, since then -- I mean,
2 I've taken -- you know, I've gotten used to where at
3 times we've been set to do something and all of a
4 sudden he will say wait and, of course, I'm already
5 anxious. Man, the wheel's already turning. I want to
6 do what, you know, I see in my head.

7 HENRY: Um-hum .

8 STEVE: But it's always worked out for the
9 best and I've seen the thing develop.

10 HENRY: Okay. Now, does he need to see a
11 sign or hear a voice or what?

12 STEVE: Well, you know, a voice did say to
13 him -- okay. I'll tell you how it is. He hears
14 audibly. He heard a voice say to him, "Wait." That's
15 exactly what he heard.

16 HENRY: Okay. Now, what about the kids?
17 Did God tell him to wait on the kids, too?

18 STEVE: The whole program. He asked about
19 all of that. You know, he was praying and all the
20 rest, and he was told to wait. That's the only answer
21 that was given to him.

22 HENRY: But -- and I understand that, but,
23 but did it tell him to wait with respect to the
24 children, too?

25 STEVE: With the -- everything, yeah.

1 HENRY: Okay. Okay.

2 STEVE: So that's what he means, but in the
3 past, you know, like I told, the example I gave you,
4 you know, that, that has been something I have seen,
5 you know, in the past.

6 HENRY: Okay.

7 STEVE: Yeah.

8 HENRY: Okay. I want you to do me a favor.

9 STEVE: Okay. I'll try.

10 HENRY: I want you to monitor his blood
11 pressure real close.

12 STEVE: Okay.

13 HENRY: It looks excellent. It looks
14 excellent and I hope that it continues in this
15 fashion.

16 STEVE: Okay.

17 HENRY: And so long as it does, we're fine.

18 STEVE: Henry, what's advisable? I mean,
19 for a -- you know, I mean how frequently or --

20 HENRY: Well, you know, my best guess is,
21 you know, we should take it at least every -- I mean,
22 because he's, because he's been hurt --

23 STEVE: Yeah.

24 HENRY: -- you know, it should be like every
25

1 15 minutes now. You're probably not going to do it
2 every 15 minutes, but --

3 STEVE: You think that much?

4 HENRY: -- like, like every half-hour.

5 Okay?

6 STEVE: Okay.

7 HENRY: Because if it starts to drop now,
8 it's going to drop real fast.

9 STEVE: All right.

10 HENRY: Okay? And he can have a rapid loss
11 of consciousness.

12 STEVE: Okay.

13 HENRY: If that happens, we're not going to
14 be able to save him unless we take immediate action.
15 There's no way we can take immediate action if he's in
16 there because everybody's going to have a concern
17 about, you know, the other party.

18 STEVE: Um-hum.

19 HENRY: If you sense or if you see that he
20 starts to lose consciousness or something like that,
21 you need to call me immediately --

22 STEVE: All right.

23 HENRY: -- because we could get him out of
24 there right away.

25 STEVE: I will do that.

1 HENRY: We won't be able to save him.

2 STEVE: Okay. So we'll monitor that and if
3 there's any change, you know, going negatively or, or
4 anything less of that, I'll call you immediately.

5 HENRY: Okay. Now, is everybody all squared
6 away in terms of food or --

7 STEVE: Yes. Yes.

8 HENRY: -- stuff like that.

9 STEVE: I'm glad you asked. Yeah, we're all
10 fine. We're all fine.

11 HENRY: Okay.

12 STEVE: But I really appreciate you asking.

13 HENRY: Okay. Well, what I'm going to do
14 is, you know, I'm going to wait and see if --

15 STEVE: Okay.

16 HENRY: -- if anything happens.

17 STEVE: Okay.

18 HENRY: But if, you know, if like what we
19 talked about happens, you know, we may not have enough
20 time to save him.

21 STEVE: Well, you know, I'll do it. I'll
22 get to you, I mean, immediately.

23 HENRY: Okay. Now, we'll have to have some
24 kind of a plan worked out. Now, do you have that,
25 that cot in there or --

1 STEVE: Yes, we do. Yes. It's right there.

2 HENRY: Okay. I want you to make a plan.

3 STEVE: All right.

4 HENRY: Okay? And I want you to make a plan
5 so that if you feel that he's starting to, to lose
6 consciousness or if his blood pressure starts to go
7 down, I don't want to wait.

8 STEVE: Okay.

9 HENRY: Okay? Now --

10 STEVE: Well, how about this? If you have a
11 plan -- you know, if anything happens, I'll call you.

12 HENRY: Okay.

13 STEVE: And just lay it on me and we'll just
14 go from there. We'll see what happens then.

15 HENRY: Okay. Okay. But I want you to have
16 about, I want you to have about -- are there any
17 people in there that are not, that are not hurt that
18 would be able to carry him, you know?

19 STEVE: Yeah. Sure.

20 HENRY: Okay. Because, because the time is
21 going to be critical, we're going to have to take him

22 --

23 STEVE: Remove him quickly.

24 HENRY: Yeah. We'll have to move very
25 quickly, so I need for you to have some people that

1 you can call upon right away that will bring him to
2 us.

3 STEVE: Okay. And I'd let you know who they
4 would be and all that then.

5 HENRY: Okay. That sounds fine.

6 STEVE: Okay. Henry, thank you so much.

7 HENRY: Okay. I want you to, I want you to
8 talk to him --

9 STEVE: Okay.

10 HENRY: -- periodically to see if he's heard
11 anything, if he's dreamt anything, if he's seen a
12 vision --

13 STEVE: Okay.

14 HENRY: -- or heard anything because we --

15 STEVE: You'll be the first to -- I'm going
16 to sit right here and I'm going to -- I'll tell you,
17 you're going to be the first to know.

18 HENRY: Okay. I would like to get, you
19 know, any -- are there any ladies that are hurt in
20 there?

21 STEVE: No, there aren't.

22 HENRY: Okay. I know you're hurt. I know
23 several people are hurt. If anybody is having any
24 kind of a situation that you feel requires medical
25 attention --

1 STEVE: Okay.

2 HENRY: -- we want to get those people out.

3 STEVE: Okay. And I'll pass that on for
4 sure.

5 HENRY: Okay. I want you to understand also
6 --

7 STEVE: Okay.

8 HENRY: -- that, you know, Jim had a
9 difficult situation.

10 STEVE: Right.

11 HENRY: So, consequently, the big bosses are
12 putting pressure on everybody, you know. We'd like to
13 try to establish a situation here so that they feel
14 that we have a working relationship.

15 STEVE: Well, you know, we're going to
16 definitely keep that with you and we haven't changed
17 from what we, you know, told you, you know, the
18 position and all that. That's why, you know, people
19 are staying where they are. In fact, I tell you the
20 truth, I have trust with you. Like someone said one
21 of the tanks moved. I didn't care because I thought
22 to myself I've been dealing with Henry. He has shown
23 me the same kind of a relationship just as Jim, and
24 I'll be honest with you. I do trust you a lot. I do.

25 HENRY: Okay.

1 STEVE: So when that person told me that, I
2 just said, "What? Just go sit down and relax."

3 HENRY: Okay.

4 STEVE: So, you know, I mean, to me it was
5 no big -- could I ask you a question maybe?

6 HENRY: Sure.

7 STEVE: I don't know if you might know it,
8 but on the news, you know, when I've been listening to
9 the news --

10 HENRY: Um-hum.

11 STEVE: -- the reporters frequently talk
12 about three guys that ran off the property in a burst
13 of gunplay or gunfire. One was killed, one wounded
14 was taken, and one that was not wounded was taken.

15 HENRY: When?

16 STEVE: Well, if you listen to the news, it
17 comes every so -- every now and then. Whether it's
18 CBS or whoever, they give that account. And so if
19 they were -- and they're giving that same account but,
20 you know, in honesty, I wish you could get ahold of
21 them or something. I mean, you would know the facts
22 over me, but nobody, as you know, left here, no three
23 guys Sunday at 6:00 or whenever else and that happened
24 to them. But I do know of three guys, their location,
25 you know, that are part of us and if you have

1 information, which I'm sure you would have, and that
2 would be Bob, Mike and, as one of -- I think it was
3 Jim that told me it was Delmar.

4 STEVE TO UNIDENTIFIED PERSON IN BACKGROUND:
5 What's his name?

6 STEVE: Anyway, anyway, Delmar or whatever
7 the first name is, I heard -- Jim told me they did
8 take him, but at that time Jim was not aware of what
9 happened to the other two men.

9 HENRY: Okay.

10 STEVE: Could you tell me that, just for
11 curiosity?

12 HENRY: Let me check on that because I don't
13 know about that, but I'll --

13 STEVE: Okay.

14 HENRY: -- I'll check on that and then I'll
15 call you back.

16 STEVE: Okay. Thanks, Henry.

17 HENRY: Okay.

18 STEVE: I'm just wondering what -- you know,
19 if they're okay and, I mean, who's in custody or --

19 HENRY: Okay.

20 STEVE: -- who died and, you know. I'm sure
21 -- I know you guys know. It's just, you know, it's up
22 to you if you want to tell me or whatever else, but I

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1 | would appreciate it.

2 | HENRY: Okay. What I'll do is I'll research
3 | it so I can get you the straight story on exactly what
4 | happened and who --

5 | STEVE: Okay.

6 | HENRY: -- you know, exactly what it was
7 | that occurred.

8 | STEVE: Okay. Thanks a lot, Henry.

9 | HENRY: Let me tell you this.

10 | STEVE: Okay.

11 | HENRY: Okay. We've lost some of the -- you
12 | know, some of the bosses feel that we're not on a real
13 | good working relationship with you because they were
14 | anticipating getting something from David.

15 | STEVE: I understand that.

16 | HENRY: Okay? Now, I want you to help me to
17 | try to re-establish something so that if --

18 | STEVE: Well, remind them that -- Henry, if
19 | you could do this. Remind them for us the major
20 | aspect to life for us is the spiritual. I mean, that
21 | is something that's a hard thing to relay.

22 | HENRY: I understand.

23 | STEVE: You know, I mean, it's not that --
24 | no, we want to comply. We want to do what we said --

25 | HENRY: Okay.

1 STEVE: -- and that's what the plan -- it
2 has not changed. Tell them that.

3 HENRY: Okay.

4 STEVE: The only thing that has -- if
5 anything, if they think is changed, it's that time
6 element, that word "wait."

7 HENRY: Yes.

8 STEVE: And I don't know if that's -- it's
9 for our benefit. I would think it's for our benefit.
10 It could be for yours, as he described to you by
11 showing you the prophecies. I mean, number one, I
12 mean, God loves us all. He doesn't love me more than
13 he loves you. I mean, if there's a God, that is, and
14 I think you and I both agree that there is a higher
15 power --

16 HENRY: Um-hum.

17 STEVE: -- but, you know, it's that
18 spiritual aspect that makes it more difficult, I
19 think, on your side, especially viewing us. But no,
20 you know, the program hasn't changed. So, you know, I
21 know it is a difficulty where you guys being called
22 out of your different places you live, your homes and
23 so forth, from such a distance. I know you'd like to
24 get it resolved, be back with your families --

25 HENRY: Um-hum.

1 STEVE: -- and I appreciate that but, you
2 know, it's -- that's the one aspect, I guess, is that
3 one thing. Even I'm sitting here with the rest
4 waiting and wondering.

5 HENRY: Okay.

6 STEVE: So, but no, we're going to stay
7 where we are. We're going to -- we're still -- people
8 have the same clothes on even. No one's even really -
9 - some have kind of set back and some have laid down
10 and everything, but they haven't even changed their
11 clothes.

12 HENRY: Okay. Well --

13 STEVE: If that helps at all.

14 HENRY: It helps, but what would really be
15 help is if I could have something tangible like --

16 STEVE: I understand.

17 HENRY: And, you know, and I'm not pushing
18 you. I'm just saying, you know, consider that in your
19 discussions with him.

20 STEVE: I know. Okay.

21 HENRY: If we could have two children every
22 hour or every couple of hours, believe me, it would go
23 a long ways towards if we wound up in some kind of a
24 situation where then we need to give you something,
25 you know, to you, as we did before. That is, in

1 making all the arrangements that we did in trying to
2 get his message out, you know, we were very hopeful
3 and it took a lot, you know, for us to make all of
4 those arrangements.

5 STEVE: I believe that. I really believe
6 that and I know that.

7 HENRY: The time may come again where he
8 needs something, but if we can have something that we
9 can put our hands on to say to our bosses, look, he
10 said this and he did this, you know.

11 STEVE: Right.

12 HENRY: But right now we're not on that kind
13 of a relationship with the bosses.

14 STEVE: Okay. Well, when -- I'll be
15 communicating with you.

16 HENRY: Okay.

17 STEVE: And right -- he's been quiet and --

18 HENRY: Okay.

19 STEVE: -- I've been waiting for him to
20 speak or whatever.

21 HENRY: Okay.

22 STEVE: And that's when I was planning on,
23 of course, calling you.

24 HENRY: Okay.

25 STEVE: But we'll be in contact even in

1 regards to his health, like I told you.

2 HENRY: Okay.

3 STEVE: And, you know, from my frame of
4 mind, I am still curious what happened. I did know
5 those three men --

6 HENRY: Okay.

7 STEVE: -- and, you know, you can tell me
8 even the story, what they did or didn't do, and I
9 would actually believe you, you know, because I don't
10 know and I really don't think you'd give me a story,
11 you know, what actually happened.

12 HENRY: I will.

13 STEVE: Okay.

14 HENRY: I will. I'll -- you know, but I
15 want you to --

16 STEVE: Because if somebody did go out in a
17 blaze or shooting, I mean, man. I mean, I want to
18 know about it.

19 HENRY: Okay.

20 STEVE: I'm curious as to who or why or when
21 or where and all that sort of thing.

22 HENRY: Okay. Now, I want you and -- since
23 someone will be working on that, and I promise you
24 I'll get exactly what the story was --

25 STEVE: All right.

1 HENRY: -- I want you to work on trying to
2 give me some kids.

3 STEVE: Okay.

4 HENRY: Okay?

5 STEVE: You know, I'm definitely going to
6 mention it but, you know, you know that I'm in a
7 position where, you know --

8 HENRY: I understand.

9 STEVE: Thank you.

10 HENRY: Just do as much as you can do.

11 STEVE: Exactly.

12 HENRY: Okay.

13 STEVE: Thanks, Henry.

14 HENRY: Okay. I'll be talking to you.

15 STEVE: Okay. Good. Bye-bye.

16 HENRY: Bye-bye.

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