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5:38 P.M. - 6:39 P.M.

1                   DAVID:  -- guys got angry, they got red in  
2 the face, they jumped up and down.  Are you trying to  
3 say, you know, that you are Jesus Christ?  Blasphemy.  
4     I mean, it was just like -- it was horrendous.

5                   DICK:  Um-hum.

6                   DAVID:  Okay, now, the thing is this.  And  
7 I'm sitting back in the chair and I said look,  
8 everything that we learned, we learned together and  
9 agreed to.  Now, the only thing we do not agree to is  
10 that you do not agree for me to show you the seven  
11 seals, because if I could, that would imply very  
12 clearly that you would have to be subject to the  
13 higher powers.  Blasphemy.  You're the -- the one guy  
14 says nobody can know the Bible as well as you but you  
15 be the anti-Christ, the devil himself.

16                   You know, it's like it's a bunch of chickens  
17 with their heads cut off.  So, anyway, one guy says --  
18 well, actually, it was two guys there.  Steve can give  
19 you the names of them.  He says we are going to spend  
20 lots of money, we are going to ruin you.  You are  
21 going to be ruined, you will see.  One guy kept saying  
22 you need to come to Africa, try to preach your, your  
23 doctrine in Africa.  I don't know what he was talking  
24 about.

25                   So I told him, I said, I says you gentlemen

1 get out of this house, you know.

2 DICK: Uh-huh.

3 DAVID: And so, you know, they, they were --  
4 I mean, it was just a big mess. And so, finally, they  
5 were all out the door. You know, this is like 10,  
6 11:00 at night now, and they're out in the front yard  
7 whooping and a hollering, just like the Sanhedrim did,  
8 the Pharisees did 2,000 years ago, disturbed, messed  
9 up. You know, their fried, dyed, combed-to-the-side  
10 hairdos, looking like a bunch of TV ministers. I  
11 mean, and, you know, all because why?

12 They cannot afford to, to be taught the  
13 seals at this time. They (Indiscernible) university.

14 A gentlemen became very angry, one of the top  
15 ministers there. I was in his office and I sat down  
16 in front of him and I began to expound to him in  
17 regards to the seals. Again, like everybody else,  
18 they agreed, God on a throne. They cannot deny it.  
19 It would be an insult to their own basic senses. All  
20 right, he's going to come. What's the reward? Well,  
21 all the power, the great -- no, no, what did God give  
22 him? Oh, the book.

23 And he says good point, good point. And I  
24 go right. I said now, here's the deal. Would you  
25 like to learn the seals? Well, what are you implying,

1 Mr. Koresh? I said would you like to be -- to show  
2 you the seals? Well, that's impossible. I go well,  
3 if that's impossible, the reason why it's impossible  
4 is because if I could show you the seals and you would  
5 be willing to receive them, then I would be sitting  
6 there, and I pointed to his chair, right, behind the  
7 desk where he was sitting --

7 DICK: Uh-huh.

8 DAVID: -- and you would be sitting here.  
9 And I pointed to where I was sitting, in front of his  
10 desk. And about that time his fingers were with his  
11 pencil, you know, like they're fixing to break his  
12 pencil. And he just got really shaky and all that.  
13 He says, he says sir, he says, you know, I feel it's  
14 time that you leave my office immediately. You know,  
15 I  
16 was -- how do you deal with this kind of -- now, this  
17 happened to me all over this country and this world.

17 And then you know what happens with these  
18 leaders, once that I first confront them? My name  
19 gets muddied, it gets slandered, it gets chopped.  
20 Story after story of thing after thing, rumor after  
21 rumor. And, you know, any and everything that they  
22 can conjure up is used. And then, all of a sudden,  
23 there comes all of these threats, like oh, you should

1 have seen England -- you know, (Indiscernible)  
2 University, talking about a bunch of mad men. you  
3 know, seriously --

4 DICK: You have to make it work for you.  
5 Make it work for you.

6 DAVID: God is making it work. But the  
7 Adventist Church, like I say, you could have such a  
8 high profession. I wish it would take some of those  
9 millions of dollars that it has in banks and all that,  
10 because they brag about their per capita, the richest  
11 church in the world per capita, you know, 'cause, you  
12 know, they, they teach a very thorough 10 percent  
13 tithe, right?

14 DICK: Um-hum. Um-hum.

15 DAVID: And which, you know, at the same  
16 time, if the, if the law of Moses was done away with,  
17 that should be done away with, too, I would say. You  
18 know, they quote, they quote one, one verse out of  
19 Malachi, saying bringing all the tithes to the  
20 storehouse, but they leave out the Malachi. They  
21 leave out the rest of it, keep ye all the laws of  
22 Moses, my servant which I command -- I mean, you know,  
23 anyway -- But, anyway, the point is this. So because  
24 all of this slander and propaganda has been developed,  
25 okay, God in direction has to go other ways and

1 otherwise to develop a picture or a means to bring  
2 these people into judgment, because, remember, the  
3 judgment begins at the house of God first.

4 DICK: Um-hum.

5 DAVID: And those who profess the highest  
6 profession are being judged first. Somebody like  
7 yourself, you know, your case is not really coming up  
8 as of yet, but, you know, the evidence is being  
9 gathered. I mean, while you're listening to me, while  
10 you're thinking about these things, while you're  
11 looking up into the clouds and you're saying to  
12 yourself man, what if this stuff is really true? You  
13 know, evidence is being gathered and, you know, this  
14 is where we're at right now, but oh, it's just, it's  
15 just a sad thing, you know.

16 And, and people just don't know where I'm  
17 coming from.

18 DICK: David, I can agree with parts of what  
19 you have to say, okay? A good deal of it. But people  
20 are willing, I am willing, I'm willing to find that  
21 out, but you have to be willing to take the time to  
22 make the effort, to take advantage of the opportunity  
23 that you have to make that clear to those that are  
24 willing to listen to you.

25 DAVID: Right.



1 all I'm asking.

2           DAVID: There's -- Well, I have been. I, I  
3 want to come out so bad. You don't understand. You  
4 see, you all people just do not understand where we're  
5 coming from.

6           DICK: No, I, I'm not --

7           DAVID: You know, we, we're here every day,  
8 we're here every day. And there are people here every  
9 day that are looking out there. There's women with  
10 children and they're coming to me and they're, and  
11 they're getting weak and I'm telling them every day,  
12 you know, well, if, if this is getting too hot for  
13 you, especially the wait is the time that's the  
14 hardest time of all. You know, the thing of it is is  
15 that, like Sita and all them, you know, they're  
16 talking about, you know, well, I need to pray to God  
17 and all that 'cause I'm really missing my children and  
18 everything.

19                   And they have the opportunity anytime to be  
20 able to go to their children. But, as far as myself,  
21 I --

22           DICK: David, are you telling me that, that  
23 you will allow that?

24           DAVID: Oh, since day one.

25           DICK: I know you have, David, but --



1                   DAVID: This is -- the decision of bringing  
2 the children out in the first place was also based  
3 upon the parents, too.

4                   DICK: I understand. I understand that.  
5 You're willing to let those that want to leave leave?

6                   DAVID: Here, let me, let me let you ask  
7 that question of somebody else.

8                   DICK: All right, put them on.

9                   SCOTT: Hello?

10                  DICK: Yes.

11                  SCOTT: You've got a question?

12                  DICK: Well, who's this?

13                  SCOTT: My name is Scott.

14                  DICK: Scott, how you doing?

15                  SCOTT: Fine.

16                  DICK: I think, I think one of the fellows  
17 talked to you the other day, did they not?

18                  SCOTT: Yeah, yeah.

19                  DICK: Yeah, good. You want to leave?

20                  SCOTT: Huh?

21                  DICK: You want to leave?

22                  SCOTT: Not particularly.

23                  DICK: What do you mean, not particularly?  
24 That, that tells me that you want to give it some  
25 consideration.

1 SCOTT: Well --

2 DICK: David's just told me that if you want  
3 to get up and leave, you can go.

4 SCOTT: Yes. We are free to leave, yes.

5 DICK: Let's do it. Do you want to leave?

6 SCOTT: I will leave whenever he leaves.

7 DICK: Okay. You want to leave with David?

8 SCOTT: Yeah. And if he doesn't leave, then  
I'm not leaving.

9 DICK: Okay, that's fair enough. Are one of  
10 your kids in there?

11 SCOTT: No, my, my two daughters are out.

12 DICK: All right. Now --

13 SCOTT: I think they were the first two that  
went out, I think.

14 DICK: All right. Then are you concerned  
15 about joining them? Do you want to join your  
16 children?

17 SCOTT: I wanted them to leave.

18 DICK: Okay.

19 SCOTT: I did not want them to be here.

20 DICK: But you wanted to stay?

21 SCOTT: Yes, I chose to stay.

22 DICK: Have you given any more thought to  
that?

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1           SCOTT: About what, leaving?  
2           DICK: Yeah.  
3           SCOTT: No, not really.  
4           DICK: Oh, yes, you have. Listen, you guys  
5 told me --  
6           SCOTT: What?  
7           DICK: -- that people wouldn't lie to us,  
8 okay? You cannot tell me that you haven't given it  
9 some thought.  
10          SCOTT: I thought about it before.  
11          DICK: Sure you have. You're continuing to  
12 think about it every day, are you not?  
13          SCOTT: Only if he leaves.  
14          DICK: Sure you do. Pardon me?  
15          SCOTT: I have thought about it according  
16 to --  
17          DICK: If David leaves?  
18          SCOTT: If he leaves, yes.  
19          DICK: All right.  
20          SCOTT: That is the only way I am thinking  
21 about it.  
22          DICK: Well, you're thinking about it.  
23          SCOTT: Right.  
24          DICK: All right. Your children would like  
25 you to, to be with them. It's your responsibility to

1 consider that issue very, very seriously.

2 SCOTT: Yeah, we were on our way out of here  
3 the other day. We were going to leave the other day.

4 DICK: Well, David's explained that to some  
5 degree.

6 SCOTT: Yes.

7 DICK: But my question to you is do you want  
8 to leave right now? David has given me your -- his  
9 assurance that you can leave.

10 SCOTT: Right, I understand that. I know  
11 that already.

12 DICK: And you don't want to leave. Is that  
13 what you're telling me?

14 SCOTT: Right. Unless he leaves.

15 DICK: Well --

16 SCOTT: If he leaves, I leave.

17 DICK: Let's --

18 SCOTT: If he doesn't leave, I don't leave.

19 That is my decision. I am not -- like all you guys  
20 and here on the radio and stuff, you're saying that  
21 he's got this power over us and stuff. Not so.

22 DICK: No, I didn't say that.

23 SCOTT: Yeah, that's, you know, that's my  
24 decision.

25 DICK: Did you get a chance to look at your

1 kids' pictures, where --

2 SCOTT: Yeah, I saw them.

3 DICK: Okay.

4 SCOTT: Yeah.

5 DICK: You've got them in there?

6 SCOTT: Yeah.

7 DICK: Did you take a look at them?

8 SCOTT: Yeah.

9 DICK: Everybody -- all the parents have  
gotten their chance to --

10 SCOTT: Yeah.

11 DICK: Well, listen, if, if you can convince  
12 David to leave, you'll be, you'll be happy to go with  
13 him. Is that correct?

14 SCOTT: Yeah.

15 DICK: Okay, why don't you talk to him?  
16 Why, why don't you all come out? Let's, let's come  
17 out and get together, get, get this thing settled.  
Get back to your families.

18 SCOTT: Right.

19 DICK: All right.

20 SCOTT: But, see --

21 DICK: Does that make sense to you?

22 SCOTT: We, we deal with a higher power than  
23 just, you know, it's not him. Like Paul Fatta called  
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1 up from the radio --

2 DICK: Oh, I thought you just told me that  
3 if David desired to leave, you would leave with him?

4 SCOTT: Right, right, that is true.

5 DICK: Okay.

6 SCOTT: But wait, let me finish what I'm  
7 saying. You see, we follow what is written in the  
8 book, not necessarily David. David is the -- David is  
9 just the means --

10 DICK: Scott, you can't have it both ways.  
11 A moment ago you told me that if David left, you would  
12 leave.

13 SCOTT: That is true.

14 DICK: But, on the other hand, you say that  
15 David has no hold over you, that it's, it's God's will  
16 that you stay. It can't be both ways.

17 SCOTT: Well, you don't understand what we  
18 believe, see.

19 DICK: No, I'm hearing what you're saying,  
20 however.

21 SCOTT: Yeah.

22 DICK: And you just told me that if David  
23 leaves, you'll leave.

24 SCOTT: Hold on a second. Maybe you should  
25 talk with somebody else.

1 DICK: Scott. Pardon me?

2 SCOTT: Another person.

3 DICK: Hey, Scott, don't run away.

4 SCOTT: Oh, no, I'm not running away.

5 DICK: I, I want to talk to you.

6 SCOTT: Okay. You, you have a  
7 responsibility to those children and to yourself.  
8 Obviously, you have a responsibility to others and to  
9 this higher being. We all have that responsibility.

9 SCOTT: Right.

10 DICK: But you, as a parent that brought  
11 those children in the world, have the responsibility  
12 to those children, do you not?

12 SCOTT: Yes.

13 DICK: Don't we all as parents have that  
14 responsibility?

15 SCOTT: Right.

16 DICK: Then let's handle that  
17 responsibility. Being away from David or being away  
18 from that compound doesn't mean you can -- that you  
19 don't still answer to God, that you can't serve God.  
20 You don't have to be inside that compound to serve  
21 God, do you? Can't you serve it from out, outside  
22 that compound?

22 SCOTT: That depends.

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1 DICK: On what?

2 SCOTT: Depends on what direction we're  
3 given.

4 DICK: Well, you can get your direction  
5 outside the compound.

6 SCOTT: No, God doesn't talk to me.

7 DICK: Well, you just told me that you  
8 answer to God. That must mean that --

9 SCOTT: Right.

10 DICK: -- God speaks to you in some fashion.

11 SCOTT: No, he doesn't talk to everybody.

12 DICK: Through prayer.

13 SCOTT: Does he talk to you?

14 DICK: Through prayer.

15 SCOTT: Do, do you actually talk to him? Do  
16 you say hey, you know, like I've got this problem,  
17 will you help me?

18 DICK: Well, I -- listen --

19 SCOTT: And you get an answer?

20 DICK: -- that's what prayer is, is it not?  
21 Isn't that -- when you talk to God and make your  
22 concerns known to God and ask for his help, his  
23 forgiveness, his concern --

24 SCOTT: No, that's a, that's a big  
25 misunderstanding of the Christian world.



1           DICK: All right.

2           SCOTT: He does not talk to everybody.

3 That's why --

4           DICK: I didn't say God talks to everyone.  
5 I say you attempt to, to make your desires and your  
6 concerns --

7           SCOTT: Right. You can talk to him all you  
8 want. Right.

9           DICK: All right. And does it not -- people  
10 are answered in, in some fashion?

11          SCOTT: Yeah.

12          DICK: In some, in some way?

13          SCOTT: Your prayers are all offered through  
14 Christ.

15          DICK: Exactly.

16          SCOTT: Right.

17          DICK: But you don't have to be there. I'm  
18 not there and God -- when I speak to God, it's not  
19 because I'm inside a compound someplace. I can do it  
20 from, from anywhere.

21          SCOTT: I pray that this doesn't have to  
22 happen, but everybody is going to find out who God is.

23          DICK: Don't you first and foremost have a  
24 responsibility to yourself, to God and to your family?

25          SCOTT: No, it's the other way around.



1 has to decide for herself.

2 DICK: All right, let me talk to Sita.

3 SCOTT: Okay, you want to talk to Sita?

4 DICK: Please.

5 SCOTT: Okay, hold on.

6 JUDY: Hello?

7 DICK: Sita?

8 JUDY: No, I'm not Sita.

9 DICK: No, this is not Sita.

10 JUDY: This is Judy.

11 DICK: Hi, Judy, how are you?

12 JUDY: I'm fine. How are you?

13 DICK: Mother of one of the children in  
14 there?

15 JUDY: Um-hum.

16 DICK: Which child?

17 JUDY: Which child?

18 DICK: Um-hum.

19 JUDY: Why, do you know all the children in  
20 here?

21 DICK: No, I'm just asking. We sent some  
22 photos. I was just, you know, I'm just --

23 JUDY: Oh, oh, no. My child is in here.

24 DICK: Oh, okay. All right.

25 JUDY: Yeah.

1                   DICK: You want your child -- you want to go  
2 ahead and -- why don't you go ahead and walk your  
3 child out? You can return. Walk the child out and  
4 we'll take care of the child.

5                   JUDY: Yeah. I don't -- I'm going to wait  
6 for a while, see what happens.

7                   DICK: Mina, is that your child? Mina, how  
8 do you pronounce that?

9                   JUDY: Yes, Mina.

10                  DICK: Mina? Two years old?

11                  JUDY: Yeah. Two and four-and-a-half  
12 months.

13                  DICK: Why don't you walk her out? We'll --  
14 and we'll, and we'll ensure her safety and, and take  
15 care of her and provide the, the necessary care until  
16 you come out.

17                  JUDY: Yeah. I think somebody else --

18                  DICK: Want to do that?

19                  JUDY: Not right now. I think somebody else  
20 wants their's to go out first.

21                  DICK: Okay. Well, let me talk to that  
22 person.

23                  JUDY: Okay. Hold on just a minute.

24                  DICK: Okay.

25                  JUDY: Oh, here's Sita for now.

1                   DICK: All right. Sita? Sita?

2                   SITA: Hello?

3                   DICK: Sita?

4                   SITA: Yes.

5                   DICK: Dick. I just spoke to your husband  
6 and he and David both told me that, that you're able  
7 to leave.

8                   SITA: Yes. I told Jim that already.

9                   DICK: Okay. Well, let's, let's go ahead  
10 and get your coat on and then come on out. That way  
11 you can take care, take care of the kids and your  
12 husband can stay in there and he and David can sort  
13 out what they have to do there. You come out and take  
14 care of the kids. We're reunite you with the kids.

15                   SITA: That's what they said.

16                   DICK: Both of them said that. I just  
17 talked to both of them.

18                   SITA: No.

19                   DICK: Pardon me?

20                   SITA: When I brought my kids, Jim promised  
21 to call, whatever, my parents-in-law, call them up --

22                   DICK: Sita, listen, listen. You listen to  
23 me for a second, please. I will handle that for you.  
24 We will handle it. It's being done. It's being done  
25 as soon as we can and in a fashion that assures the

1 safety and welfare of your children. That is the only  
2 way we'll do it and that's the only way you would have  
3 us do it. Isn't that what you want us to do, to  
4 ensure the, the well being of your child? Isn't that  
5 what you want done? If that's not what you want done,  
6 tell me.

6 SITA: I want my kids --

7 DICK: Absolutely. And that's what I want  
8 done and that's what's being done.

9 SITA: And the only thing -- I brought them  
10 out to be saved and to be with their parents,  
11 grandparents, so that they can watch them --

12 DICK: You know, listen, grandparents,  
13 grandparents are a poor substitute for their, their  
14 natural parents.

15 SITA: Well, for now, for now -- they were  
16 here a month ago.

17 DICK: Okay.

18 SITA: They were just here.

19 DICK: Sita, come out and take care of your  
20 kids, okay? I know you've been thinking about it  
21 because you've indicated as much to me and to, and to  
22 the other fellows that you spoke with. You're  
23 concerned. You're a good mother.

24 SITA: Oh, okay.

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1                   DICK: You have a responsibility to those  
2 kids. You brought them into the world. It's your  
3 responsibility to take care of them. You have that  
4 responsibility. God understands that responsibility  
5 and you must understand that responsibility. You  
6 brought those children into the world. Come out and  
7 take care of those children. They want you. They  
8 need you and you need them.

9                   I can tell by talking to you that you're a  
10 good mother. Both those men, both of those men I just  
11 talked to, both David and your husband Scott, have  
12 indicated to me that you have the right to leave and  
13 the choice is yours. The choice is more than a  
14 choice, it's a responsibility. You have a  
15 responsibility to those children. Take that  
16 responsibility. Come out here and deal with those  
17 children. What I want you to do is to tell David,  
18 where I can hear you, and to tell Scott in my hearing  
19 that you want to leave and that you want to go out and  
20 to take care of those children. That does not mean  
21 that you support them any less, that you can support  
22 them from without the compound.

23                   SITA: Steve want to talk to you right now.

24                   DICK: Steve? Well, you don't want to talk  
25 to my any longer?

1                   SITA: Well, he said something is important.

2                   DICK: Oh, Steve? I just said something  
3 that was important to you and to your children.

4 That's the most important thing in the world.

5                   SITA: Well, it (Indiscernible).

6                   DICK: Sita?

7                   STEVE: Hello, Dick?

8                   DICK: Yes, Steve.

9                   STEVE: Yeah. The reason -- what we just  
10 found was -- I wanted to get a hold of you before it  
11 gets any darker out than what it is. One of the guys  
12 spotted or finally found -- we have been -- one of our  
13 people have been missing for a while.

14                   DICK: Okay.

15                   STEVE: And his name is Peter Gent. He's --

16                   DICK: Yes, that was mentioned. David  
17 mentioned that earlier today.

18                   STEVE: Oh, did he mention it?

19                   DICK: Yeah.

20                   STEVE: Okay, they found the body. The  
21 body, they finally -- it's decaying, so, you know --

22                   DICK: Who found the body?

23                   STEVE: One of the guys did here.

24                   DICK: It's in the compound?

25                   STEVE: Right, it is in the compound.



1           DICK: Okay.

2           STEVE: And we wanted -- because he is, of  
3 course, getting old and everything, we wanted -- they  
4 were wondering just what to do about it.

5           DICK: Well, where, where is he in the  
6 compound?

7           STEVE: I don't even know right now. They  
8 just -- they came and told me what the details were  
9 and I says well, let me go call and find out what to  
do. I didn't really worry about so much where he was.

10          DICK: Okay.

11          STEVE: 'Cause he's on the outside, just on  
12 the edge of the building or something like that.

13          DICK: You mean he's outside the walls? Is  
14 that what you're saying?

15          STEVE: No, he's -- it's actually in the  
16 compound --

17          DICK: Okay.

18          STEVE: -- but, you know, there's like a  
19 fence by a certain part of it.

20          DICK: In the front? Are you talking about  
21 the front?

22          STEVE: Over on the side.

23          DICK: Which side, as you look at it? As  
24 you look at the front door, which side?



1 what. Obviously, our rules of safety are such that we  
2 can't, we can't do that. But I'll tell you what I'd  
3 like you to do. I will give, I will give you safe  
4 passage. I want you to take two people --

5 STEVE: All right.

6 DICK: -- and to wrap the body and to take  
7 the body out to the drop-off point.

8 STEVE: Over at the gate?

9 DICK: At the gate.

10 STEVE: Right.

11 DICK: I would like you to do that.

12 STEVE: We will do that. We will start  
13 doing it right now if you want.

14 DICK: Well, listen, listen.

15 STEVE: Okay.

16 DICK: You let me know before you go  
17 outside. I want to know and I want to alert the folks  
18 outside as to what we're doing.

19 STEVE: Okay. Let them know right now, so  
20 I'll go talk to the guys and see how long it takes  
21 them to at least --

22 DICK: Well, you've got two people that,  
23 that want to do that then?

24 STEVE: Yeah, definitely. Because, you  
25 know, everybody loved the guy. I mean, he was such a

1 decent-hearter. I mean, they're all sad as can be.

2 DICK: Well, we all are. We all are.

3 STEVE: You know.

4 DICK: But, but let's --

5 STEVE: I guess he took -- apparently, he  
6 was hit in the back of the head or something like  
7 that.

8 DICK: Okay.

9 STEVE: And nobody had seen him since the  
10 beginning of all this business.

11 DICK: Well, we can, we can do that.

12 STEVE: Okay.

13 DICK: We can do that, but let's,  
14 let's --

15 STEVE: Well, let's, let's do that then.

16 DICK: -- let's don't do anything too  
17 quickly. There's no hurry. Let's, let's, let's make  
18 sure that we don't get too excited.

19 STEVE: Okay, they're asking me also did you  
20 ever get the milk yet?

21 DICK: The milk has not been, has not been  
22 dealt with yet finally. We have -- I presented that  
23 to, to my bosses and they're giving it some  
24 consideration. Obviously, the safety of the kids is  
25 paramount. But you know what? We can get the kids

1 that sort of stuff outside. Is it, is it, is it  
2 unreasonable to feed those children?

3 STEVE: No, he's also talking about mothers,  
4 though, when he was asking for --

5 DICK: Okay. The mothers can come with  
6 them.

7 STEVE: Yeah, we realize that, Dick. We can  
8 all come with, you understand?

9 DICK: Certainly you can. Certainly you  
10 can.

11 STEVE: But, I mean, just if you don't want  
12 to do it, that's fine. You know, I won't bring the  
13 issue up again.

14 DICK: Listen. Steve, listen, listen,  
15 listen. It's not that I don't want to do it.

16 STEVE: No, no.

17 DICK: I told you --

18 STEVE: You know, no, just no. You know,  
19 this is -- let's be real.

20 DICK: Steve, let me, let me finish my, let  
21 me finish my thought, okay?

22 STEVE: Let's take care of Peter, though,  
23 right away.

24 DICK: Okay. Well, let's, let's finish this  
25 thought first.

1                   STEVE: Okay.

2                   DICK: You brought it up.

3                   STEVE: I did.

4                   DICK: I told you that I am willing to do a  
5 number of things, but I can't be met halfway. I took  
6 care of these concerns about the safety and the good -  
7 -and the welfare of the kids. I got photos made for  
8 you, okay? I got a tape. Unfortunately, the tape  
9 didn't work out. We're going to get you the tape.  
10 What I've asked, as a personal favor to me from you  
11 and from David, is to send out more children. But you  
12 guys don't want to listen to me. I just spoke to --

13                   STEVE: I haven't talked to you about that,  
14 Dick.

15                   DICK: Okay, I'm sorry, I'm sorry. That  
16 shouldn't be -- I, I shouldn't have included you.  
17 David did.

18                   STEVE: Okay. I heard nothing about it.

19                   DICK: Now, I just spoke to -- okay.

20                   STEVE: You didn't mention it to me.

21                   DICK: I just spoke to one of the, the gals  
22 in there who had indicated that there was an interest  
23 by one of the females in there, one of the mothers, to  
24 get her child out. I want to talk to that child now  
25 while we make these -- or to that person while we make

1 the arrangements to get Pete Gent out.

2 STEVE: Well, what was the name, because --

3 DICK: I don't know who it was.

4 STEVE: You were talking to Sita when I came  
5 in.

6 DICK: That was, that was before Sita.

7 STEVE: Someone before her?

8 DICK: The gal I spoke to before Sita.

9 STEVE: I wonder who that'd be. I have no -

10 - DICK: It was Judy, Judy, Judy Schneider.

11 STEVE: Okay, just a minute.

12 DICK: Steve?

13 STEVE: Yeah.

14 DICK: That's your wife, is it not?

15 STEVE: Pardon?

16 DICK: Is that your wife?

17 STEVE: Well, what do you think?

18 DICK: I would hope so. And I would hope  
19 you have the same concern about your daughter.

20 STEVE: I am, I am concerned about everybody  
21 here, you know. Of course, you know, about family  
22 and --

23 DICK: Okay, I spoke to Judy and she  
24 mentioned a second female that had some concerns and  
25 would like to get her child out of there. Judy

1 mentioned that but I didn't get a chance to talk to  
2 her. Can you ask Judy --

3 STEVE: Sure.

4 DICK: -- which person that was?

5 (Pause)

6 STEVE: I guess David's telling me right now  
7 he wants to have you get Pete's body, I guess, more  
8 than anything.

9 DICK: Okay. Well, we'll, we'll make those  
10 arrangements.

11 STEVE: Okay. Well, let's do that right now  
12 and I'm going to go down and talk --

13 DICK: Okay, well --

14 STEVE: -- before it gets much darker.

15 DICK: Okay, but don't, don't, don't do  
16 anything until I pass the word.

17 STEVE: Right, okay. Yeah, but let me at  
18 least alert them so they know -- might know what to  
19 do.

20 DICK: Okay. Tell them, tell them we're  
21 kicking it around and -- hey, listen, I want to get  
22 that fellow out there and give him, you know, treat,  
23 treat him with the respect due him, okay?

24 STEVE: All right.

25 DICK: I want to do that. And we all do.



1 But we want to do it within the bounds of safety.

2 STEVE: Okay.

3 DICK: Okay?

4 STEVE: I'll let you work on it and not take  
5 any more time. So you can call me or I'll call you  
6 back.

7 DICK: All right. We'll get back to you as  
8 soon as we can and get that together here.

9 STEVE: And David --

10 DICK: But listen, listen, I appreciate the  
11 time that you've given me today, both you and David.

12 STEVE: All right.

13 DICK: And you tell David that I've -- I  
14 picked up some things from him and I hope that, that  
15 we can continue this and that perhaps I can pass some  
16 information on to him.

17 STEVE: All right.

18 DICK: All right?

19 STEVE: And he says thanks for the milk,  
20 also.

21 DICK: Thanks for the milk.

22 STEVE: Okay.

23 DICK: I will work on that.

24 STEVE: All right.

25 DICK: And I'll guarantee it.

1                   STEVE: Okay, I'll talk to you in a little  
2 bit.

3                   DICK: All right? Listen --

4                   STEVE: Yes.

5                   DICK: -- can I go to my bosses and say  
6 listen, give me the milk, give me, give me some kids?  
7 Can I, can I do that? Would you ask, would you ask  
8 David that?

9                   STEVE: He says can I go to my bosses right  
10 now and say I'm going to give them the milk and they  
11 give me a kid?

12                   DAVID: No. Give us the milk.

13                   STEVE: He says no, give the milk.

14                   DICK: Give the milk but you won't --

15                   STEVE: That's right.

16                   DICK: You --

17                   STEVE: That's right.

18                   DICK: Tell him that the first element of  
19 negotiations is --

20                   STEVE: Let's deal with the body. Let's --  
21 I mean, you haven't come through on the milk, so we're  
22 --I'm just going to drop the request even. Let's deal  
23 with the body.

24                   DICK: Listen, don't drop it. I know your  
25 concerns. I have the same concern.

1                   STEVE: Peter needs to be taken care of.  
2 You know, here the guy is, he's been laying around for  
3 days.

4                   DICK: I fully agree. I fully agree. Let's  
5 deal with that now and --

6                   STEVE: Okay.

7                   DICK: -- I'll get back to you in a --

8                   STEVE: So I'll -- Okay, thanks.

9                   DICK: -- in a bit.

10                  STEVE: Okay, bye.

11                  DICK: Bye now.

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12                  DICK: Hello? Steve? Hello? Steve, I can  
13 barely hear you. Just hang on, let me -- you've got  
14 some --

15                  STEVE: Oh, boy, this crazy phone. Hello?

16                  DICK: There, there you go.

17                  STEVE: Okay.

18                  DICK: There you go. Listen --

19                  STEVE: Yeah.

20                  DICK: -- you can bring Pete, sending an  
21 adult with him for purposes of identifying the  
22 circumstances to the, to the coroner's office.

23                  STEVE: Well, now, what are you saying  
24 exactly?  
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1                   DICK: I'm saying that you could take the  
2 body of Pete out with two adults, one adult of whom  
3 will have to stay with the body to, to explain to the  
4 coroner the circumstances surrounding why the body was  
5 there for, for this period of time and that sort of  
6 thing.

7                   STEVE: Hang on a minute. He's saying they  
8 want one of the adults to go along so that they can  
9 explain to the coroner what happened.

10                  DAVID: No. Tell him to stop this.

11                  STEVE: Dick?

12                  DICK: Yeah.

13                  STEVE: David says let's stop this kind of  
14 thing.

15                  DICK: Stop what kind of thing?

16                  STEVE: I mean, you know, you mentioned have  
17 an adult go along downtown or something to the  
18 coroner. I mean, you know, if they choose to, that's  
19 one thing.

20                  DICK: That's fine. Get, get one of your  
21 adults there that chooses to do that. I know full  
22 well that there's --

23                  STEVE: But none of them want to do that. I  
24 mean, he asked already.

25                  DICK: All right. Then we'll have to forget

1 about Pete for right now.

2           STEVE: Okay. What we'll do then is we'll  
3 go bring him out and leave him out at the gate where -  
4 - and just leave him there, I guess.

5           DICK: No, we're not going to do that,  
6 either, okay? Again, I told you earlier on that I --

7           STEVE: You guys -- listen, you guys, not  
8 you and not the FBI --

9           DICK: Okay, all right.

10          STEVE: The ATF shot him.

11          DICK: All right.

12          STEVE: So let them deal with him.

13          DICK: We're willing to deal with it, but we  
14 have these safety rules that we, we made known to you  
15 yesterday.

16          STEVE: Safety rules? You've got -- you  
17 have men sitting in an armored vehicle. If they want  
18 to shoot -- maybe -- let me ask him. Just a minute.  
19 Can we have two guys take him down to the guard gate  
20 anyway? (Unidentified male voice in background not  
21 discernible.) So you're not going to respect our  
22 dead, are you, Dick?

23          DICK: Well, listen, I respect the dead, you  
24 respect the dead, but let us work on it. Listen, I  
25 told you that, that I don't make these decisions on my

1 own.

2           STEVE: I know, Dick, but when I say you,  
3 you know I was speaking --

4           DICK: I, I know, but listen, listen to me,  
5 Steve.

6           STEVE: -- to those that are --

7           DICK: I know, I know what you mean.

8           STEVE: -- allowing you to do what you're  
9 doing.

10           DICK: I know. We have to, we have to, you  
11 know, we have to be concerned about what we say and  
12 how we, how we say it. But, listen, I made your  
13 wishes known to the people that are running this, this  
14 law enforcement effort. And I think I told you before  
15 it's not one person, there are a number of, of  
16 interested parties here. Okay, I take your requests  
17 and my own requests to those people and they're  
18 evaluated. I told you before that I'd be riding down  
19 the lane over there with the milk, that I would pick  
20 Pete up, but I am a, you know, I'm trying to deal with  
21 you, but I don't make those other decisions.

22           There are a lot of decisions being made.  
23 They listen to me for -- with -- in some, in some  
24 fashion.

25           STEVE: Okay. You know what? The best

1 thing I like is I just like yes and no answers, you  
2 know.

3 DICK: I love them.

4 STEVE: Getting right to the point.

5 DICK: I love them myself.

6 STEVE: You can't do the milk thing, you  
7 can't do the body thing.

8 DICK: Not right now.

9 STEVE: Okay, fine.

10 DICK: Not right now.

11 STEVE: Well, you call me back when you feel  
12 you might want to do something --

13 DICK: Well, let's, let's don't let  
14 this --

15 STEVE: No, no, listen -- look, we don't  
16 need to go around on a merry-go-round, you and I,  
17 around and around.

18 DICK: Well, I hope we've not done that.

19 STEVE: Well, we're -- but we really have  
20 been. You've got certain designs. You want everyone  
21 out and you'll try -- and that's fine. Like I told  
22 you, I can --

23 DICK: Listen, haven't we got, haven't we,  
24 between the two of us, worked out things?

25 STEVE: We've said this over and over again.

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DICK: Okay.

STEVE: You know, we --

DICK: Have we worked some things out?

Let's don't give up.

STEVE: I, I --

DICK: Hold it, hold it, Steve. Listen, let's don't, let's don't -- let's think about this and talk calmly together.

STEVE: No.

DICK: We have gotten certain things done.

STEVE: Let's not come to a halt or a -- unless you want to. That's okay. See, I, I'm not going to sit here and try to give you a snow job and, and sell you --

DICK: Nor am I. Nor am I.

STEVE: Okay. Well, really, you don't realize --

DICK: I'm saying that we have gotten things done, have we not? Throughout the day we've gotten things done. Let's, let's don't, let's don't let this be a blocking issue here.

STEVE: Okay. Well --

DICK: Let's, let's work on it.

STEVE: -- listen, Dick --

DICK: Let's work on it.



1                   STEVE:  -- listen, in respect to all,  
2 let's -- you can call me when you feel you want to do  
3 anything.  If you have respect for the dead or if you  
4 have respect for our children, well, you can come to  
5 some --

6                   DICK:  Steve.

7                   STEVE:  -- decisions --

8                   DICK:  Listen, I hope you're not quarreling  
9 with the respect I have for those children.

10                  STEVE:  No, no, no.  Listen to me.  Listen  
11 to me.

12                  DICK:  I mean --

13                  STEVE:  Don't put more into what I'm saying  
14 than what I actually am.  I mean, I -- there's no  
15 sense in me staying on the phone with you for 20  
16 minutes, a half hour, five days.  The decision comes  
17 down to yourself.  Here's a body decaying, a human  
18 being that was here, never hurt anybody or anything  
19 else.  Here's someone that was shot in the back of the  
20 head.  We found him, we're willing to bring him out  
21 that he can be identified.  I heard that his parents  
22 are here.  Let them identify him.  I'm sure they will.

23                  DICK:  Well, I'm not sure that they are  
24 here.  How do you know that they're here?

25                  STEVE:  Oh, by the press.  Very clearly by

1 the press. Oh, by, by your agency also gave me the  
2 names of at least five families that were here.

3 DICK: And, and Pete Gent's family was here?

4 STEVE: That is correct. And I do believe  
5 you probably know that. I'm sure you would have any  
6 and all information at your fingertips. I'd be --

7 DICK: Listen, hold it. You give me more  
8 credit than, than I'm due, okay? If I had that  
9 information, I would give it to you. I told you I'm  
10 not lying to you. I haven't lied to you, I'm not.

11 STEVE: Well, have them bring -- you're at a  
12 command post, from what I understand --

13 DICK: Exactly. It takes us some time to  
14 sort --

15 STEVE: -- where all that information should  
16 be right there.

17 DICK: It, it should be available at some  
18 point in time, but it's not immediately available.

19 STEVE: Like I, like I even told you about  
20 the guy that probably got it in the field, I believe I  
21 know who he would possibly be.

22 DICK: Okay, I understand.

23 STEVE: And what would take so long to  
24 identify someone if it is or isn't?

25 DICK: It's being done, but it has to be

1 done to a certainty. You know, we, we just can't  
2 accept information that this is so and so. Obviously,  
3 some, some things have to be followed up on to --

4 STEVE: You already determined who it was?

5 DICK: Pardon me?

6 (Unidentified male voice in background not  
discernible.)

7 STEVE: Exactly.

8 DICK: Well, yeah, the black fellow that you  
9 spoke to, O., is in jail.

10 STEVE: Yeah.

11 DICK: I told you that.

12 STEVE: Yes, right in the beginning.

13 DICK: We didn't have to identify a live  
person. It's, it's a little more difficult --

14 STEVE: No, of course not.

15 DICK: -- dealing with the others.

16 STEVE: But what happened to the two? I  
17 believe there were three I told you. One was an older  
man. What happened to him?

18 DICK: Right. One is missing in action.

19 We, we don't know where that person is.

20 STEVE: Okay.

21 DICK: Maybe he, like Pete, is lying there  
22 someplace and we're not able to get to him and you're

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1 not able to get to him. I mean that's certainly  
2 possible. I don't know where he is. If, if I knew,  
3 what would be the advantage to me not to tell you?

4 STEVE: I'd be curious to know whatever  
5 happened to the one -- to the body that you found.  
6 Like they said, it was 360, was it yards or something,  
7 in the back of the compound.

8 DICK: Apparently, it was out some distance,  
9 yeah. I, I don't know exactly how far it was, but it  
10 was out some distance.

11 STEVE: And if it happened, from what they  
12 say, about -- it would have had to have happened  
13 somewhere around mid-afternoon, 'cause they said six  
14 but I, I doubt that it could be that.

15 DICK: See, Steve, I can't answer that  
16 question 'cause I don't know --

17 STEVE: Anyway, I'll tell you what, you can  
18 call me --

19 DICK: Let's keep our lines of communication  
20 open.

21 STEVE: We will, we will. I never said we  
22 wouldn't.

23 DICK: Okay.

24 STEVE: I said that --

25 DICK: I think we've gotten some things

1 | accomplished.

2 |           STEVE: If you want -- you can't -- there's  
3 | not much you can do right now, other than if you go  
4 | back to these commanders or whatever else.

5 |           DICK: Sure, that's the only thing I can do.

6 |           STEVE: If they don't want to do that, just  
7 | call me when they want to do something.

8 |           DICK: Well, I'm willing to go back. I'm  
9 | willing to go back to them and to try to talk some  
10 | more. It never hurts to talk, does it?

11 |           STEVE: Look, if it does -- if they don't  
12 | want the body, then we'll just go dig a grave and put  
13 | him in there. That's all we can do.

14 |           DICK: It's not, it's not the idea that we  
15 | don't want to handle the body and to give the body the  
16 | respect that a body is due. We are all in agreement  
17 | there. You know, that we can do.

18 |           STEVE: Make what?

19 |           DICK: Pardon me?

20 |           STEVE: Yeah, it says it sure makes -- he,  
21 | David, just said it sure makes Jim a damn liar because  
22 | he said they wanted the wounded and the dead. That's  
23 | what he told us right from the start, right from the  
24 | outset.

25 |           DICK: I know, but within the bounds of

1 safety, we'll work on those issues.

2 STEVE: Bounds of safety?

3 DICK: The rules --

4 STEVE: Look, we're willing to be walking  
5 out there. We're not armed or anything else. Here  
6 sits these -- how many guys in a Bradley? Sitting  
7 there, they can watch us, two guy -- I mean, what on  
8 earth?

9 DICK: Listen, how long has, how long has he  
10 been lying there?

11 STEVE: I would imagine since Sunday.

12 DICK: Okay. Then you brought this to my  
13 attention approximately 20 minutes ago. We have never  
14 made decisions, you know, on a rash or hurried basis.

15 Let us, let us work it out. I, I'll do my best,  
16 okay?

17 STEVE: All right. Well, that's --

18 DICK: But it just can't be done right this  
19 moment.

20 STEVE: Okay, that's no problem.

21 DICK: And I'll, and I'll work on it.

22 STEVE: Dick, well, that's what I said. You  
23 let me know. You know, you call me back.

24 DICK: See, you got kind of excited there  
25 and that kind of bothers me when you get a little

1 excited like that.

2           STEVE: No, no, no, not so. Actually, I'm -  
3 -Someone's pulling on me to help them do a few things  
4 here, so --

5           DICK: And you know what? I'm being pulled  
6 on, too, so the two of us have to make sure that  
7 we're, we're handling the conversations and we're also  
8 asking some of these other questions.

9           STEVE: Well, I apologize about that, if I  
10 was chiding you or --

11           DICK: Okay.

12           STEVE: -- if I was --

13           DICK: Well, let's just, you know, remain  
14 calm.

15           STEVE: I really am not.

16           DICK: Okay, because you know what? Nothing  
17 can be accomplished if we don't talk to one another,  
18 can it?

19           STEVE: Correct.

20           DICK: Okay. Let's deal with that then and  
21 you talk, you talk to David and you two try to work  
22 out some of your concerns there and, and we'll discuss  
23 them at length later, and, and we'll see what can be  
24 done.

25           STEVE: All right.

1                   DICK: In the meantime, you know what?  
2 We're going to get -- try to get that tape out to you.  
3 And I still want to talk to some of the other parents  
4 there, although, frankly, I'm probably going to be  
5 leaving here for a short while because, you know,  
6 talking to you guys I want to be fresh to, to be able  
7 to talk to you and make, make the decision, good  
8 choices.

8                   STEVE: Um-hum.

9                   DICK: And I believe Henry or one of, one of  
10 the fellows will be here to speak to you, but, you  
11 know, I've been -- we've talked and gotten along well  
12 and there's no reason why we can't continue to do  
13 that. But, you know --

13                   STEVE: Okay.

14                   DICK: -- what, what I, what I need  
15 you -- what I'm asking you to do, because we get along  
16 well, I think, don't you?

17                   STEVE: I do so.

18                   DICK: Well, I want, I want to be able to  
19 say to my bosses that hey, I'm speaking with Steve and  
20 with David and we're making headway and we're trying  
21 to work together. We're trying to come to a mutual,  
22 you know, to a mutual understanding with one another  
23 and we'll work on it.  
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1                   STEVE: By the way, there was another -- I  
2 guess something we could correct here.

3                   DICK: Okay.

4                   STEVE: It was stated by the FBI that he  
5 said he was a prophet. He didn't -- he has never said  
6 he was Jesus Christ or has he said he was a prophet.

7                   DICK: Listen, I'm telling you that they're  
8 -- the FBI does not make assumption as to who or who  
9 may not be a prophet. Some of that information is  
10 relayed to us by, in some instances, sources that,  
11 that are in error. And we try to correct them.

12                   STEVE: Okay. I wanted to pass it along,  
13 the correction.

14                   DICK: Okay. We'll correct those things  
15 that we can.

16                   STEVE: All right.

17                   DICK: As we have done in the past, as you  
18 suggested today, at the press conference this morning,  
19 corrected some things that you were concerned about.  
20 We'll continue to try to, to resolve those issues.

21                   STEVE: All right.

22                   DICK: And we'll work together.

23                   STEVE: All right, good. David did want me  
24 to pass on to you that as it states clearly from the  
25 scripture, it says that only the lamb could open the

1 seals.

2 DICK: Okay.

3 STEVE: And he offers to do that for anyone.

4 And the question that is asked in the Book of Luke is  
5 how (Indiscernible) says in Luke, Chapter 10.

6 DICK: All right. In order to open those  
7 seals --

8 STEVE: Do you understand?

9 DICK: -- if the people --

10 STEVE: Do you understand?

11 DICK: I, I understand what you're saying,  
12 but understand --

13 STEVE: Okay, but he never comes right out  
14 and says I am Jesus Christ, I'm this, I'm that.

15 DICK: I understand that, but, listen --

16 STEVE: He says may I serve you, is the question.

17 DICK: That's, that's certainly acceptable,  
18 but in order to understand those things, we have to  
19 understand one another, we have to work together.

20 STEVE: This is correct.

21 DICK: We have to show some positive -- some  
22 influence on those things that we can influence, okay?

23 STEVE: All right.

24 DICK: I can influence certain things, you  
25 can influence certain things. You need to influence

1 David to be -- to, to keep an open mind and I need to  
2 influence others here that I'm speaking with that we  
3 must keep an open mind. That's your job and my job.  
4 It's our responsibility.

5 STEVE: Well, we'll keep working at it,  
6 won't we?

7 DICK: Line up those gals for me, if you  
8 will, if I, you know, so I can speak to them later.  
9 Or, or perhaps Henry can speak to them and we can  
10 ensure that they'll feel comfortable about the, about  
11 the care that their kids are being given. Can you do  
12 that for me?

13 STEVE: Well, I'll see what I can do.

14 DICK: All right.

15 STEVE: Okay?

16 DICK: Hold on for a second here. I'm, I'm  
17 going to ask a couple questions of some folks here to  
18 make sure that I leave you with, with, with the right  
19 understanding of what we're doing.

20 STEVE: All right.

21 DICK: Hold on.

22 STEVE: Sure.

23 DICK: Steve, I was just told that there's  
24 somebody walking around in the back of the complex  
25 there with a tube in hand. Now, what, what kind of --

1 what, what is that? What is that? Would you find out  
2 about that right now while I hold the phone, and find  
3 out who's doing that? They didn't do it at your  
4 direction or David's direction, did they?

5 STEVE: Pardon?

6 DICK: They didn't do it at your direction,  
7 did they?

8 STEVE: What's that?

9 DICK: They're outside with tubing in their  
10 hand, what appears to be tubing. Oh, near the -- I'm  
11 sorry, near the tubing. They're outside in the back  
12 near some copper tubing.

13 STEVE: Who is?

14 DICK: One of your -- one of the folks from  
15 inside there.

16 STEVE: Oh, it's possible. Maybe it was  
17 with the body. I don't -- I think it's where they  
18 found the body.

19 DICK: No. I told you, and we talked about  
20 this yesterday, you cannot send somebody outside  
21 without letting us know that we can agree on that. We  
22 talked about that.

23 STEVE: I thought you were talking about  
24 taking the body to the gate.

25 DICK: But I told you --

1                   STEVE: Where the body is right now is no  
2 good.

3                   DICK: I understand what you're saying, but  
4 we've got to work on that and we'll get it done.

5                   STEVE: All right.

6                   DICK: But I don't want people going  
7 outside. It's just not good. We talked about this  
8 yesterday and we understand one another, I thought.

9                   STEVE: If you're talking about there are  
10 some guys out there, apparently by some cooper tubing,  
11 wherever that is --

12                   DICK: Not some guys, one guy, I believe.

13                   STEVE: One guy?

14                   DICK: One guy.

15                   STEVE: Okay.

16                   DICK: Get him back in the house, okay?

17 That's --

18                   STEVE: Well, he said there's some guy out  
19 there by the copper tubing. Apparently, I think  
20 that's maybe where the body is right now or something.  
21 And, yeah -- (Talking to someone else.)

22                   DICK: Did you send him out?

23                   STEVE: No, we didn't. Apparently, he might  
24 have gone out to check, thinking that he was supposed  
25 to.

1                   DICK: Well, you know what you need to do is  
2 you need to go over these, these things with the folks  
3 there so they understand that, that --

4                   STEVE: I think someone wanted to check to  
5 make sure what the identity or the person was for  
6 sure. He has been missing, along with someone else,  
7 so --

8                   DICK: Okay. But we discussed this and you  
9 were going to -- we were going to talk about these  
10 things. And we don't want these things to happen, for  
11 everyone's safety, okay?

12                   STEVE: Yeah.

13                   DICK: All right. You know, things like  
14 happened Sunday would not happen if we talked together  
15 before those kinds of things are done. You cannot  
16 do --

17                   STEVE: I couldn't agree with you more.

18                   DICK: Okay, then let's don't do it then.

19                   STEVE: I couldn't agree with you more.

20                   DICK: You agree with me, I agree with you.  
21 Let's not do these kinds of things, okay?

22                   STEVE: Well, that's -- this is correct.

23                   DICK: All right, get that fellow back  
24 inside, okay?

25                   STEVE: Okay. Then next -- and, and I hope

1 not to -- You know, today, myself, I looked through  
2 one of the scopes, and what you just told me is fine,  
3 but here you've got these guys behind sandbags in our  
4 garage, on our property.

5 DICK: It's for, it's for safety.

6 STEVE: I don't give a damn what it's for,  
7 Dick.

8 DICK: No, listen.

9 STEVE: Listen to -- no, you listen to me.

10 DICK: Didn't you tell me we weren't going  
11 to do that?

12 STEVE: Dick, you listen to me. You guys  
13 have told us from the beginning, right from Sunday  
14 night, that on the perimeter and no closer than the  
15 perimeter of the property these Bradleys would be,  
16 that you would have no personnel anywhere on our  
17 property. So what on -- where does it begin? Are you  
18 going to keep on drawing another line, another line,  
19 don't step over this line? Is that the game?

20 DICK: No, it isn't.

21 STEVE: You tell me, Dick. Be honest with  
22 me now.

23 DICK: I have been honest with you.

24 STEVE: No sense in you and I keeping on  
25 talking about these things if that's the way it's

1 going to be. It's okay for you to do these kinds of  
2 things and, and you want me to respect what you're  
3 requesting of us?

4 DICK: I have.

5 STEVE: How do, how do you want to go about  
6 this and what are these guys doing down there or --

7 DICK: I don't know what more I can do to --  
8 for you to show you that what I say is --

9 STEVE: Well, that's what we requested,  
10 right from the beginning. We don't mind if you've got  
11 somebody sitting on the edge of the property. We  
12 agreed to that. But when you have guys having these  
13 Bradleys come and sit in like -- within 100 feet of  
14 like the gymnasium, moving back and forth, crunching  
15 over buildings and all the rest. Now they're down  
16 there with their sandbags and all the rest of it,  
17 that's not what the agreement was at all.

18 Let them do it over across the street or  
19 wherever else they want, but we agreed not on the  
20 property.

21 DICK: Steve, listen --

22 STEVE: Is that such a hard request to make?

23 DICK: -- there were some agreements, there  
24 were some agreements made with David that  
25 didn't -- he didn't follow through on.



1                   STEVE: That one was two, three days before  
2 the one that you are speaking of, the one that --

3                   DICK: So you're saying the one that -- the  
4 most recent one is the most important one? Listen,  
5 listen --

6                   STEVE: I'm saying, I'm saying that's been  
7 an ongoing thing --

8                   DICK: Okay.

9                   STEVE: -- since day one.

10                  DICK: Listen, you know what? Let's work,  
11 let's work together on this.

12                  STEVE: Well, let's do it then.

13                  DICK: Let's work together and let's get  
14 these things accomplished.

15                  STEVE: But, I mean, the way you reacted to  
16 me about telling me not to have the guy come out,  
17 well, you tell the 20, 30 that have been roaming  
18 around here in cars, behind the building, doing  
19 everything contrary to what was agreed to. Can we do  
20 that?

21                  DICK: You know, I'm going to pass on --

22                  STEVE: Can we do that?

23                  DICK: I'm going to pass on your concerns  
24 and, again, you know, I don't make all the decisions.  
25 If, if it were me, I might make a different decision,

1 but --

2 STEVE: Okay.

3 DICK: -- you know what? I'm not paid to  
4 make decisions at all. Somebody else is making those  
5 decisions. What I am trying to do is work together  
6 with you so we can reduce --

7 STEVE: Well, we're not doing too well right  
8 now because those that you have to answer to  
9 apparently are the guys that, that choose to do their  
10 will one way or the other.

11 DICK: What did we talk about? Those kids  
12 and those tanks, didn't we? Didn't we talk about that  
13 today, the Bradleys, the people, the tactical people?  
14 You and I are not tactical people.

15 STEVE: You and I are talking about them.  
16 They're digging in to the contrary of the requests  
17 made and the agreement made.

18 DICK: Listen, I -- whatever they do, they  
19 are not going to cause any harm to come to you or  
20 anybody else in that building. Now --

21 DAVID: You're speaking out of two sides or  
22 your mouth, Dick.

23 DICK: No, I'm not.

24 STEVE: No, no, no. On one side, when you  
25 as agents, when you, representing the rest, say that

1 you're not going to come any further on the property,  
2 just the perimeter, but then you do it and then you  
3 say they're not going to hurt -- what is -- I mean,  
4 which, which thing should I believe? Because one  
5 thing is false, for sure.

6 DICK: Let me, let me suggest something now.

7 STEVE: I mean, that's -- in the first  
8 place, it's very intimidating. If it's intimidation -  
9 -

10 DICK: I agree, it is somewhat --

11 STEVE: -- different --

12 DICK: Do you know what was intimidating to  
13 me today?

14 STEVE: What's that?

15 DICK: When David said that he had some sort  
16 of a device, a rocket or something there that he would  
17 shoot at those Bradleys, I became a little concerned  
18 about that. So those fellows that are in those, in  
19 those vehicles have to ensure their safety. And  
20 sandbags is, is a way of doing it. Now, David told me  
21 -- I didn't bring it up. David told me that he had  
22 some sort of a rocket or some other device up there --

23 STEVE: Well, where does it -- you know what  
24 it's like? I've never heard anything like it in my  
25 life. It's almost like well, I've got this and I've

1 got that. Well, what, do you -- should we destroy  
2 each other maybe, is that the idea?

3 DICK: That's exactly what I've been arguing  
4 against.

5 STEVE: Well, then what are -- in the first  
6 place, after we were attacked with no sheriff bringing  
7 a warrant to the door, and then all these Bradleys,  
8 the heavy guns, the this and that, the amount, the  
9 personnel, what do you expect?

10 DICK: Okay, let, let me --

11 STEVE: It is like a modern day Goliath and  
12 a little David, isn't it, with five --

13 DICK: No, it isn't. We all regret that.  
14 You talk to the lawyer. You know, when you bring up  
15 some of those kinds of things, it shows me that I'm  
16 not sure that you're clear --

17 (End of Tape #58.)  
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