(tape #66.)

DICK: -- a similar one that I'm going to propose to you, when you talk to me, your, any decision making that you do is done with David's okay and prior approval. All right? Things --

STEVE: I'm an individual, wait a minute.

DICK: I know you are, but ultimately David is making those decisions to a large degree. You're making some, okay, certainly, I know you're doing that, and I'm making some, however, both of us answer to others. Whether it be God or whether it be my SAC or whomever, however, I make these suggestions to someone, they then, you know, they talk about it and they decide to make the, the final decision.

STEVE: David says, I'm listening to you, but just let me interject. David says no -- and this is what I said last night over and over to John, what's his name?

DICK: John?

STEVE: John Cox, yeah.

DICK: Yeah.

STEVE: David says no one gets in that tank. No one makes any kind of maneuver without it being ordered from the top. This is the military and we, and we have, people have been in the military in this
organization, but, anyway, even aside from that, I
know for a fact when something as touchy as this, the
control is at the command post --

    DICK: It is.
    STEVE: -- where you are.
    DICK: It is, but not where I --
    STEVE: -- so no one's going to turn a
Bradley around even a degree, or run over our guard
shack or move a motorcycle or a sandbag.
    DICK: Yes, I will agree with you, but
that's not my decision is what I'm trying to tell you.
    STEVE: I don't, well you put the guy on
that, whose decision it is.
    DICK: I am passing information to them.
    STEVE: And you, and you tell us ahead of
time. Discuss it with us like you said you would,
like Jim told us and Gary --
    DICK: Hold on for a second.
    STEVE: All right.
    DICK: Hold on, Steve. I'm having a problem
with this phone. I'm going to have to switch it over
to --
    STEVE: All right, go ahead.
    DICK: Let, it's going to take me a minute
and I'll get back to you as soon as we, we fix this
thing and I'll get back to you --

STEVE: Okay, fine.

DICK: -- in a couple of, just a couple of seconds. Tell David, Steve?

STEVE: Yeah.

DICK: Tell Dave that I need to speak with him and that we'll get these things that we'll talk about.

STEVE: Why don't you want to speak with me?

DICK: I like speaking with you, but I want --

STEVE: You want me to come out also, right?

DICK: Absolutely.

STEVE: And I want to also.

DICK: Absolutely.

STEVE: But see, what I'm voicing to you, Dick, is the concerns of everybody here.

DICK: And I will be able to address those concerns with, you put anybody on the phone and I'll address those concerns. In fact, what we want to do, you know, I didn't get a chance to talk to the gals yesterday --

STEVE: Like, see Dick, like David told you, if you talk to anybody here, or if anybody chooses, he's, David's even said to me a number of times,
Steve, find out from who in the building wants to leave. It's, it's something we've done many times.

DICK: Okay, well, I want to be sure of that in my own mind, so I'd like to speak to those folks.

STEVE: Freedom of speech is something that we're into, so.

DICK: I understand that.

STEVE: Well, call me back when you're able.

DICK: We'll do it.

STEVE: I'll be right here.

DICK: All right, bye.

STEVE: Good-bye.

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STEVE: Hello.

DICK: Steve?

STEVE: Yes.

DICK: Can you hear me now?

STEVE: Yeah, I can hear you.

DICK: A little stronger signal?

STEVE: For me it was okay.

DICK: Oh, was it?

STEVE: Yeah, I wasn't --

DICK: Oh, okay, well, I was having difficulty hearing you. Is Kathy available?

STEVE: Just a moment. I believe she
probably is. She wants, yes, she does want to pass on
information now about the parents.

DICK: Great. I'd like to talk to her.

STEVE: (to the background) Kathy?

Oh, she went to get an address book they tell me.

DICK: Okay.

STEVE: Apparently the father is somewhere
in Chicago and the mother's in Zephyr Hills in, I
guess it's somewhere near Tampa.

DICK: Okay. Listen, that, that tape you
got there, did you wind that all the way back to the
start and try to run that? I've been assured that,
that tape was good. But they may not have rewound it.

Did you guys run it all the way back?

STEVE: Yeah, they did. They ran it all the
way back.

DICK: And you still got nothing?

STEVE: Nothing at all. I know it's

strange. It's happened to me already, I mean, in
using VCR's and so forth, you know, once or twice. I
don't know why or how it happened but --.

DICK: Okay.

STEVE: I accidently erased one of my own --

DICK: You still there?

STEVE: Hello?
DICK: Yeah, you there?

STEVE: Yeah, what happened?

DICK: Oh, we just got a disconnect --.

STEVE: Okay, here's Kathy. You want to speak with her?

DICK: Certainly, thank you.

STEVE: Here she is. Go ahead.

KATHY: Hello?

DICK: Hi, Kathy.

KATHY: Hi.

DICK: Listen, I just wanted to pass on our condolences to you and we are totally sorry that the information had to be delivered to you. It's, it's tragic and we just really feel bad about it. But I wanted to talk directly to you because there is going to be an announcement made this morning of the identity of, of your husband, and please, accept our condolences, my particular condolences and the condolences of everybody that's here and the regrets of those folks here.

KATHY: You are going to tell his family first before you --

DICK: Yes. I'm sure that that is being done. Did the kids have the, the address when they came out? Was that included in the information that
you gave the kids when you sent them out?

    KATHY: No, the address I gave my kids was for my ex.

    DICK: Okay, well, why don't you give me that information then, Kathy, make sure that that's done. My guess is that they had been in touch with us already, but --

    KATHY: I don't know.

    DICK: Okay, you're not sure that they would have?

    KATHY: I mean, they probably are trying, but like --

    DICK: Okay.

    KATHY: -- but, like, you know, I have no way of getting in touch with them.

    DICK: No, I understand that and we'll be happy to do that for you. You know, we talked about this yesterday, but given the, you know, what has happened, I just can't imagine why David wouldn't understand or why your leaving to try to take care of some of these issues.

    KATHY: What are, it's got nothing to do with David.

    DICK: No, but I'm saying, that for you, this may be something that you might want to handle.
I'll be glad to do it for you.

KATHY: Maybe, maybe it's something I don't want to handle. Maybe it's something I don't want to do, okay?

DICK: Okay, we'll do that, we'll handle it for you, then.

KATHY: Thank you.

DICK: We'll handle it for you. Can you give us an address that or a telephone number and we'll go ahead and do that?

KATHY: Mike's father is Kenneth Schroeder, area code 312--

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: -- 393--

DICK: 393.

KATHY: -- 4539.

DICK: That's Kenneth Schroeder.

KATHY: That's his father.

DICK: Okay, what's his mother's name?

KATHY: His mother's name is Sandy Connizzo.

DICK: Spell, can you spell that last name?

KATHY: C-O-N-N-I-Z-Z-O.

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: She's going to be hysterical.

DICK: Now, are the two of them, are they
divorced?

KATHY: Yes.

DICK: Okay, what is her telephone number?

KATHY: 813- --

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: -- 788-1297. She's in Florida.

DICK: Now, are these elderly folks?

KATHY: No, not really.

DICK: Would there be someone else that we can call that might go over to be with them?

KATHY: Yes, please do.

DICK: Okay, who might that be?

KATHY: Mike has two brothers.

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: And the oldest is Bob Schroeder.

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: His number is 813-788- --

DICK: Uh-huh.

KATHY: -- 2351.

DICK: And where is that, Kathy?

KATHY: He's in Florida with his mother.

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: And the other one is James Schroeder, and he's in Illinois, I think, at the time, with his father.
DICK: Okay.

KATHY: His area, his number is area code 312-510-9906. If you can tell the sons, they can go be with their parents.

DICK: Okay. How, how long has the two of you been out here, I mean, they, they know where you are and that sort of thing?

KATHY: Yeah.

DICK: The family and kids and everything?

KATHY: Yes.

DICK: So you've been in touch with them. When was the last time you were in touch with them?

KATHY: I don't remember.

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: A few months ago.

DICK: All right. But they do know that, that you're here?

KATHY: Yes.

DICK: Obviously we don't want to, we don't want to --

KATHY: And Sandy's going to ask about the children.

DICK: Sandy will ask about your kids?

KATHY: Yes.

DICK: Okay. All right. We'll do that for
you. If you think it's better that, that we do it, we'll go ahead and do it. I would like to have you do it knowing that I would like that kind of message delivered personally, but if you don't feel that that's what you should do, then only you can make that decision.

KATHY: Well, I would have like to talk to Sandy on the phone, but if I, you won't let me do that, then I have to live with it.

DICK: How about Jacob?

KATHY: Yes, I'd like to talk to him on the phone, too.

DICK: Well, I know you, I know you would, but I just want to make sure that, especially at this time, that you know that the kids are being well, well cared for. We talked very briefly about it yesterday but, I just want you to know that the kids are taken, taken care of and that, you know, is that something that the kids are going to be able to take from, from a stranger? I mean, how are the kids going to react to that, my question? I know how my kids would react to that, and I just can't imagine a stranger passing on that kind of information.

KATHY: That kind of information can be handled by the older three.
DICK: The older three you, you feel comfortable that they can, they can do that?

KATHY: But the younger, see, that, Mike is not their father. He's their step-father.

DICK: No, I understand.

KATHY: And they know, they know what David teaches to a degree.

DICK: Um-hum.

KATHY: So, I think they're strong enough, but --

DICK: Well, you know, I can't quarrel with that because I don't know. I, I have some older kids of my own and I know that that would be a, it would be a horrible subject to try to bring to them by a stranger. I just, I just find it difficult. I want those kids to be able to, to know --

KATHY: You see the kids know that their father wasn't here Sunday morning when it happened.

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: And, and, you know, we were hoping he would try to get home, but obviously that's what he was doing when he got shot. I mean, they already know that he wasn't here with them.

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: So they already are worried about
him to begin with.

DICK: Well, I know that they're worried, but being worried and knowing, and being confronted with this are two different things, Kathy. You know that and I know that.

KATHY: Well, let me put it this way. If you don't want to tell them, you don't have to.

DICK: The kids will be told. We're not going --

KATHY: Okay.

DICK: -- to leave these kids --

KATHY: Okay. The kids can be told, just not the youngest one. The youngest one is Mike's, he will be three tomorrow and he, I mean, he got sick, you know how bad he got sick --

DICK: Um-hum.

KATHY: -- just from Sunday's business.

DICK: Um-hum.

KATHY: That's what caused him to get sick, was the stress of everything that was going on, having to get down on the floor and, you know, scared.

DICK: Certainly, certainly.

KATHY: That's the reason he's sick.

DICK: I'm sure it did.

KATHY: So not telling him will keep him
from getting sick again.

DICK: All right. But do you think that's something that can be kept from him by the other three?

KATHY: Oh, sure.

DICK: All right, well, you're the best, you're the best judge of that, Kathy.

KATHY: They, they take care of him and they can, you know, they can know what to say and what not to say.

DICK: Well, you're the best judge of that, I --

KATHY: Well, you've seen how well, how well educated and how well trained the children are and how smart they are.

DICK: Well, they're good kids. They're good kids, but, you've done a nice job with them. I just, I just want you to go on doing that job with them.

KATHY: So do I.

DICK: It's important. It's important to them, it's important to you.

KATHY: So do I.

DICK: Kathy, is there anything I can do for you personally?
KATHY: Sure. Talk to somebody about getting these Bradley's off.

DICK: Just leave? Have everybody leave?

KATHY: Yeah. Take these Bradley's off our property. I wouldn't mind.

DICK: Just have the Bradley's leave and the agents leave and --

KATHY: And --

DICK: -- and the press leave?

KATHY: No, I'd like to have some open communication to the press. That would be nice. And the ability to call my mother. That would be nice.

DICK: You will have that ability. I guarantee it.

KATHY: That's, that's fine. All those things and we'll be fine.

DICK: That, that's here for you anytime you want to come out. That's here for you.

KATHY: No, here, here, in my home.

DICK: I understand what you're saying, but you'll have to understand what I'm saying --

KATHY: Okay, well --

DICK: That's not going to happen while you're there. It's, --

KATHY: -- well, then, I'm not going to come
out.

DICK: -- you need to come out and take care of it.

KATHY: And I can't come out.


KATHY: I don't want to come out there and get thrown in jail and I've stated it before.

DICK: Well, hold it. If that's your reason we can discuss that. Why, why, everybody seems to have this sense --

KATHY: We have already discussed it.

DICK: Kathy, did you shoot anybody?

KATHY: -- you know -- agents, you know -- Hey, it doesn't matter.

DICK: It does matter.

KATHY: You can tell, you can tell them I did though. And lies have been thrown around so many times, I wouldn't put it past you.

DICK: Kathy, if you shot somebody then you have some concerns. If you did not shoot anybody you have very limited concerns.

KATHY: Well, how about the people out there --

DICK: Temporary concerns.
KATHY: -- that shot people? Are they concerned?

DICK: Yes, they have, they are concerned. They're no longer --

KATHY: Are they going to get thrown in jail for the people they killed? What about the baby they killed?

DICK: They're no longer on duty. They're no longer on duty.

KATHY: Oh, and you're exactly sure which ones shot the baby?

DICK: No. I'm saying the ATF agents that were involved --

KATHY: And you know who shot my husband?

DICK: Kathy, will you listen to me for a second? Just a second, please, I'm trying to answer your question. The agents that were here, involved, are no longer on duty. They are off, they have, they have been taken off of duty and an inquiry has been begun into this whole matter. They are no longer working.

KATHY: All of them.

DICK: The agents that were here, yes. They've, all this is going to come out during the investigation and congressional inquiry. The FBI is
doing an inquiry.

    KATHY: Well, an inquiry, I've been in the service, okay?

    DICK: Okay.

    KATHY: An inquiry is not the same as a trial.

    DICK: But that's where it begins.

    KATHY: That's where it begins, --

    DICK: The facts have to come out and in the trial.

    KATHY: But, yeah, but the same agency that's being investigated is the one doing the investigating.

    DICK: No, not so. The FBI was not involved in that shooting. We are doing an investigation. The Department of Justice is doing an investigation. The United States Congress is doing an investigation. Not the ATF. That's unacceptable. The ATF does, will not do the, they will do their internal investigation, obviously, but that's not what's going to be the determining factor in what, in any kind of court action is taken. Not the ATF. It has nothing to do with them any longer.

    Why do you suppose the FBI is here? Why do you suppose I am on the telephone with you? The ATF has
their own negotiators. If this is an FBI operation, in cooperation with ATF, the FBI will do the internal inquiry, will do the interviews and pass that on to the appropriate people in the Department of Justice. Not the ATF. I hope that everybody has that straight in their mind. In fact, you've got an attorney in there, he should be able to, be able to advise you on some of that stuff. But, I will guarantee you that it is not ATF that's going to be doing this thing.

The paper I was, I guess I didn't get a chance to talk to you yesterday, but I had a copy of the Waco paper yesterday, and it very clearly noted the internal, the inquiry by Congress that's taking place.

KATHY: Well, I heard on the radio some, some citizens themselves are --

DICK: Citizens groups?

KATHY: -- filing, filing, yeah.

DICK: Absolutely. I'll tell you what, the ACLU is going to be so supportive of, of this, of you -- Every person out there with any kind of --

KATHY: If everybody's so supportive of us, why do you still have Bradley's on our property? I don't --

DICK: Kathy, listen. This is a point that is very clear. We are not going to leave until you
come out.

KATHY: Why?

DICK: Whether it be today, tomorrow --

KATHY: Why? I don't understand why.

DICK: Why? Because we can't. There have been people killed.

KATHY: Well there have been people killed here.

DICK: Outside and inside.

KATHY: I mean, --

DICK: Sure there have, and that's why we're here to resolve it.

KATHY: Well, we're here --

DICK: We can't leave until that's done.

KATHY: Well, we can't leave either.

DICK: Well.

KATHY: Until that's done.

DICK: Let me tell you something. The FBI is not going to leave. I may be here as long as it takes. Now, I got seven years left before I even give retirement any consideration. I'll be here every day if that's what it takes.

Those Bradley's will be there every day until you folks come out of there. You can come out and tell your story.
KATHY: Well, why can't we tell it from here? This is my home.

DICK: Because you can't. We have to do a crime scene investigation there to begin with. You want to tell there's forensic evidence that will support what you have to say.

KATHY: There's also video's out there that support what we have to say.

DICK: Well, certainly. We have those.

KATHY: They're not allowed to be shown.

DICK: We have those. Those will be part of the evidence. All this stuff --

KATHY: Will be, will be. Everything is will be. (indiscernible)

DICK: It is part. It is part. It's been entered into evidence already. Those newspaper tapes, I mean those news media tapes are entered into evidence now. We need --

KATHY: How come they're not made public though? Because it's entered into your evidence? Into, into your investigation, Congress's investigation?

DICK: It's part of Congressional investigation. Yes, it will be part of that. It's part of the court proceedings.
KATHY: I want it part of public knowledge.

DICK: The court of public opinion,--

KATHY: I mean --

DICK: -- obviously. I mentioned that.

KATHY: Public, public knowledge is a better jury than all federal agencies combined.

DICK: It will be. It's on the media all over this country right now.

KATHY: Okay, that video of what happened Sunday morning?

DICK: All kinds of video's. That video, yes, has been on television. I saw it myself before I ever came here.

KATHY: Un-edited?

DICK: I didn't see the complete one. We don't edit those things. We are not in a position to edit evidence.

KATHY: I haven't seen it and I don't --

DICK: Well, I have.

KATHY: -- know if anybody here has seen it because --

DICK: Ask your attorney there. Ask Wayne what we're able to do with that kind of thing.

KATHY: I heard, I heard phone calls on the radio saying that video couldn't, all right, Steve
wants to talk to you about that. You just please take care of --

DICK: Now, listen, let me clear up the points with you.

KATHY: -- Mike's family, okay?

DICK: You're the person that has the questions. Let, Steve and I will talk later. Let me clear this up with you, okay? You have questions, I want to make sure that you get answers, and anybody else in there that has questions, we will be happy to give those answers too.

KATHY: If you give them correctly to Steve, then we can get them. But you're not even telling Steve everything.

DICK: Well, --

KATHY: So how can I believe you're going to tell me? He's got a much --

DICK: I'm telling Steve everything that I can.

KATHY: He's got a much, he's got a much more ability to speak with you than I do.

DICK: But he's not the mother of your children, is he?

KATHY: No.

DICK: Okay.
KATHY: But he loves my children.

DICK: He may well love your children. But you're the mother of those children. Steve is not going to care for those children. You, as their mother, are going to care for them. They love you. They may care for Steve, but they love you. The attachment is to you, not to Steve or anybody else. I want to make you feel comfortable with the answer to your questions. Steve, certainly, I'll be able to pass the information on to him, too.

KATHY: I've heard the information Steve's getting. That's why I'm telling you. It's not questions I have. I'm telling you the same thing Steve's telling you. You're not giving me a comfortable answer. You're not making me comfortable.

DICK: Well, what will make you comfortable is for the law enforcement people to withdraw, and that's not going to happen. So, we have to go on from there.

KATHY: Okay, let's go on, let's skip that point then, --

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: If that's not going to happen, --

DICK: Okay.

KATHY: -- why can't we have the news
coverage we want? Why can't the public know what's going on here? I know exactly where those tanks are positioned. I know the news media don't know where they are. I'm not stupid.

DICK: Well, you think, if you watch the news there, they've asked all kind of questions about Bradley's. The newspaper people and the media know about Bradley's.

KATHY: Sure.

DICK: Haven't you heard it mentioned on television?

KATHY: Sure. Do they know where they are?

DICK: Certainly they know where they are.

KATHY: No, they do not.

DICK: I'm telling you that they absolutely know that there are Bradley's here and --

KATHY: Around our perimeter, maybe.

DICK: There --

KATHY: They know, they know there's one at the front.

DICK: Kathy, the Bradley's will be where we, not me personally because I don't make those decisions, the Bradley's will be where the people that are making the decisions want them to be.

KATHY: Right.
DICK: Okay? I have passed on to them, they're your concerns.

KATHY: That's fine. That's fine.

DICK: That is an issue that is not debatable any longer.

KATHY: Okay. That's not my issue.

DICK: Okay, let's go on to your issue.

KATHY: Put them where you want them, but please let's have our open communication with the media and let them know what you're doing.

DICK: You will have the open communication with the media as soon as you choose to take that option.

KATHY: We have. We've asked you a million times. We even asked for milk for our babies and you didn't bring it.

DICK: Come out and you will have all those things. The milk, all those things --

KATHY: That was asked for yesterday?

DICK: Pardon me?

KATHY: You brought something we didn't ask for. You brought something to pull on my heartstrings, you showed me my kids pictures, --

DICK: Now hold it. We brought that at the request of, of --
KATHY: And we need milk for the babies that are here.

DICK: Now, listen. I want to addressed that issue because what you're doing is telling me that I'm a liar, and I'm not a liar.

KATHY: Yes, I am telling you that because no, we did not ask for the video, --

DICK: Okay, listen, --

KATHY: -- and no, we did not ask for the --

DICK: No, you didn't ask specifically.

What you said was that you were concerned that the kids were being farmed out --

KATHY: Right.

DICK: -- to foster homes.

KATHY: Okay.

DICK: We wanted to indicate to you that that was not being done and that the kids are together.

KATHY: Okay, but we specifically asked for the six gallons of milk, didn't we?

DICK: Okay, but let me finish my point, okay? How better to do it but to send you pictures of the kids together? You're not going to believe me if i tell you that they're all together, are you?

KATHY: I don't believe this. I just heard
that David gave you a thousand dollars cash when he asked for that milk?

DICK: David sent out a thousand dollars with the kids.

KATHY: When he asked for the telephone?

DICK: What is the point? I mean, if it was milk for the kids, I'd pay for it myself.

KATHY: Yeah, yeah, get the milk for the kids. Here's Steve.

STEVE: What, what's come of that? I remember when I was last on the telephone with you yesterday, I was asking about taking care of, there was different items --

DICK: I know, I know that.

STEVE: What ever came of that, Dick?

DICK: Listen. We're here trying to resolve a number of issues. The FBI, the government is not going to be in a position of furnishing groceries to you folks inside to prolong this thing.

STEVE: Wait a minute, wait a minute, can I tell, now, this is the truth, I don't know where you've --

DICK: Okay.

STEVE: -- been in the last six, seven days,
DICK: Well, I've been right here.

STEVE: -- yeah, but it was Jim, and I believe it was Henry, there's been a number of these guys that asked if we needed any supplies, any food even, that is, you go back and if you've been taping all this, --

DICK: Okay, sure.

STEVE: -- you can review that. Because they asked us, and we've never, I said no, we're fine, I said over and over again. David comes up with one request. Maybe he's testing you guys to see the honesty and all the rest, the integrity of your, your group there. Six gallons of milk to me is nothing. I can tell you one thing for sure right now that we can survive with or without it --

DICK: I understand that. I understand.

STEVE: It's like me asking you to send me a scoop of ice cream here.

DICK: Okay. My --

STEVE: So when he asks you for six gallons, why didn't he ask for one or twenty. There's a reason, and we're getting to see what you truly are about. So you want us to come out, you want to get into negotiation, you want to keep this thing open and so forth, it doesn't seem like it to me. You're not
being real with us. You really are --

DICK: Now, may I make my point, now --

STEVE: Let's go around this merry-go-round again, go ahead.

DICK: Okay. The milk is available, however, I told you yesterday, and I asked you, personally, if you would do this for me. I asked you, please, I want to get the milk in to you, and if it was up to me, I would bring it personally to you, however, there are other decision makers --

STEVE: Well, you tell the, listen, if there's --

DICK: Listen, let me finish my thoughts, Steve, please.

STEVE: Well, just before I forget, you tell that conference that will be going on something this morning maybe?

DICK: Um-hum.

STEVE: That we're at a, we are at a stalemate.

DICK: Well, let me, let me finish my thought here.

STEVE: Go ahead.

DICK: The milk is available to you in two fashions. You send the kids out here to, so that
they're cared for properly. You don't need those kids in there. Or, two --

STEVE: It's the parents. You've got to convince the parents to --

DICK: I will be happy to convince the parents. I will, in fact, when we finish with this conversation, I would like you to put a parent on for me. I will talk to each one of them individually. But let me just tell you the second part of that. You can send the children out, they will get the appropriate care until this thing is resolved and then they'll be back with their loved ones, or two, you can send me out kids and I will send the milk in. Those are the two options. It's your choice. It's your responsibility,

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STEVE: Okay.

DICK: -- not mine.

STEVE: All right.

DICK: I've told you how -- accomplish this.

STEVE: Let's you and I, let's you and I get ready for a long winter.

DICK: Long winter, winter's gone. We're into the, we're into the spring here.

STEVE: No, I'm talking about the one to
come.

DICK: The winter to come. All right, I'll tell you what. Why don't you put the parents on? Let me talk to one of the parents that's concerned about their kids.

STEVE: There's none here, I'm sorry. Just a minute. Yeah, like David just said, just come and kill us like you would like to.

DICK: Nobody is going to hurt you --

STEVE: That's what he said, --

DICK: Well, nobody is going to hurt you.

STEVE: That's his statement to you.

DICK: That's a statement, that I don't believe David --

STEVE: Why don't you give that statement -- to the press by him --

DICK: I don't believe David would make a statement like that.

STEVE: No, he just did, --

DICK: I don't think so.

STEVE: Use your psychology --

DICK: I don't think David would say that.

I don't believe, I think --

STEVE: You want me to put the, I'll put the phone down on you, Dick and we'll stop communication
right here and now, do you want to do that?

DICK: Have David talk to me, and --

STEVE: Did you hear what, no, no, Dick, did you hear what I said to you?

DICK: Steve, what did, yesterday you said you weren't going to yell --

STEVE: I'm going to put the phone, we'll pull the plug, you won't talk to anybody.

DICK: Steve, --

STEVE: Are you listening to me?

DICK: I am. You told me yesterday you weren't going to yell.

STEVE: No, no, you start giving me your kind of threats and you, you play your games with me. When he gave you a thousand dollars, Jim said, we're about done with your kind of mouth. We're about done with your words and your manners. You understand?

DICK: Here --

STEVE: Not maybe. If you want to come in and do your job, you go right ahead any time you are ready in the manner you want to. But you, you watch the heavens open up and what's going to happen to your butt, and I'm not joking you. It may, you may not believe in God, but it will happen --

DICK: This is not a joke.
STEVE: You're going to see this earth shake and your knees are going to smote together. You won't know where you're going or what you're doing. You, you want, for once in your life, Dick, you messed around with the wrong person. For once in your life. Your agency then, people like yourselves.

BACKGROUND VOICE: He better make sure he's right with God.

STEVE: You better make sure you're right with God and have been sincere all these years and doing the best you can. You've run into an author that can show you every word of that book that shows how your soul got into this earth and how it can get out of this place.

Look it, we've been going around and around with you for just about a week now. Monday was given to you, agreements were made right from day one. You've never complied with those as you said you would.

BACKGROUND VOICE: Freedom of religion. We're waiting on God. What's his problem? This is nuts.

DICK: I'm listening and --

BACKGROUND VOICE: What do we have to do?

DICK: I'm trying to hear what's going on in the background there. I know somebody is
concerned, and, listen --

STEVE: Yeah, their standing back here, --

DICK: Let's go and --

STEVE: No, no, we're going by your actions.

DICK: I understand.

STEVE: Number one, your actions have shown you --

BACKGROUND VOICE: (indiscernible)

STEVE: Okay, can I say one last thing because of what he said here to me?

DICK: I'm sorry, go ahead.

STEVE: Okay. It gets right back here to your breaking connections to the, to the freedom of press, the outside world, to be able to speak -- We realize that you have the ability, and it's not below you people to do something like to erase all evidences. Why do you have the press so far back?

You can give me any kind of crap you want, all this stories and nonsense. I know, you know, the reason we're not talking to the press is you people have got to cover your butts from what you did, what you've been doing in this country, and that's what's going here. That, Dick, that's what's going on here.

Let the press come in with their cameras and start filming this building alone. You might as well
get your Bradley's out here, burn it down or do whatever you want to do. But I tell you what, it's already been filmed by God. This whole, this whole world will get to see this all re-played again. His, His cameras are much more sophisticated than yours or mine.

Here, somebody else wants to talk to you. Dick, are you there?

DICK: Yes.

JUDY: Dick?

DICK: Who's this?

JUDY: This is Judy.

DICK: Hi, Judy.

JUDY: So, what's up today?

DICK: Well, what we're trying to ensure is that we get this issue resolved and, and we're trying to figure out a way to go about it. We've, we've made our thoughts known to, to David and to Steve and to you folks, and --

JUDY: Now, listen, okay, you've made your thoughts known to us. We'd like to make our thoughts known to the world.

DICK: We have been listening.

JUDY: No, no, they're not getting past you guys and --
DICK: Okay.

JUDY: -- of course there's going to be putrefied a bit coming from you, I mean, so is there any way we can get a message out to the world?

DICK: Um-hum.

JUDY: Hold on, just a minute.

STEVE: Dick, it's been stated by, over the airways, over the radio, there's been a number of people that have wanted to come in and be a negotiator between ourselves and you. Do you hear me?

DICK: We've had all kinds of people say that. Some of whom, you can't believe some of them.

STEVE: Yeah, you know, and so far it's, we're not doing so well with yourself being the ones that are there to arrest us. I do believe it would be in the best interest of all if there was a news person in between yourselves and ourselves that gets to hear, that can communicate, that is not biased. We'd about take anybody.

DICK: Okay.

STEVE: But right now, it seems like we're coming to a stalemate, you know, and we're not getting anywhere --.

DICK: Who would you like to have here, when you guys come out, who would you like to invite here?
STEVE: No, no, you, boy, you've got rocks in your ears, Dick.

DICK: Okay, explain to me, I'm sorry, go ahead.

STEVE: You say when we come out. I'm talking about right now. Let's get somebody in between us, right now to do some negotiating.

DICK: Who are we talking about?

STEVE: It's failing with you and I because

DICK: I know, but who are you speaking of?

STEVE: -- six gallons, six gallons of, well, we'll come up with a name. I'll give it some time here. We'll talk to you later in the day.

DICK: Well, we'll be happy to listen to whatever you say. You know, give us a name and, and tell us --

STEVE: I mean it's failed with having the respect like, you told us, about removing some, the body of a young man whose parents are even here. You haven't, you haven't come through on anything, the milk, we've given you a thousand dollars. Look at the lousy telephone you gave us. Look at how long it took for that telephone line and the phone to even come here after it was agreed upon. Days later.
DICK: I apologized to that, to you for that, did I not?

STEVE: And then, and then, you know, you people have tried to bring up to me over and over again how that one day, he said he'd play the tape to the press and we would walk out. You've got one thing there, and all we've said in response to that is wait. His God said to wait, nothing else. That's one, that's one thing. But yet, right from the beginning when, I'll keep on bringing it up, these Bradley's being on the property --

DICK: Didn't you have an hour's access to the press? It was un-edited by anyone. Did, David wanted, made that request and, and we handled that for you.

STEVE: Why, okay, can you tell me something, Dick? Why was it you didn't cut us off right away? You didn't have the ability? You didn't think about it --

DICK: To cut off what?

STEVE: How come you didn't cut us off right away from the press then?

DICK: Because David, David made that request and indicated that he and all the rest of you would come out if he could make this press, release --
press.

STEVE: No, no, I'm talking about, you know, you know, that Sunday I was talking to the press, on Sunday evening, on the telephone. That was, that was about the time you people start cutting our lines and all of a sudden we started having phone problems.

DICK: Steve, did we give you access to the press when you asked?

STEVE: Not directly, no, you did not.

DICK: That tape, you guys made the tape. We didn't make that.

STEVE: No, no, that was no access to the press at all, no, that's --

DICK: My gosh, that's a national christian station.

STEVE: I don't, that was not an NBC, CBS, that's beside the point --

DICK: Well, it was all over -- Steve, that's incorrect because it was all over this country --

STEVE: That's fine, but, but Dick, Dick, that was like a letter. That was not open communication for anyone to see if we're still living, like, you know, we've been hearing the different ones concerned also. Are they truly alive? Well, it's
because of your position, where you're at, your control. You know, there could be 250 million people in this country with a voice and it wouldn't mean a damn thing when you've got a little group of yourselves, little demigods that have chosen what you choose to do. Those people could rise up and vote against you and it would still would mean diddly.

The voice of America is not being heard anymore. It's a handful of people like yourself making decisions. Your agency, not even chosen to be, not even have anything to do with the constitution, brought about and can't even be, you can't even be voted out of office or anything else. Who do you answer to? Not to the people. Just like the IRS.

What's happening Dick? Are you covering the phone and looking at your fellow man there?

DICK: No, I'm listening to you. You asked me to listen, I'm doing that, Steve. I want to listen to you --

STEVE: I -- make certain statements and I'm always going to hear you putting your hand over the receiver, moving around or --

DICK: Well, of course I'm moving around. I'm moving around. I'm sitting on a hard-backed chair, but I'm listening to everything --
STEVE: What are we going to do now? Here's what I've been talking about.

DICK: Okay.

STEVE: Right now, we've been, the, the biggest thing that we've been unhappy about from day one is you cut our telephone lines. If you want us to stay in here until the day you and I are finally done with all this, and not your way, that'll be fine, 'cause that's about the way it looks it's going to be. By your choice. You open up those lines, in fact, we were doing actually very well with you people. That's why it came about the way it did, up until Tuesday, it actually did. But since those days, it's been eroding quite rapidly. The games you're playing over milk and you give us this and we'll give you that, I'll tell you what we'll give you, we'll give you a coming out, you open those lines, we'll pick up from where we were. If you don't want to, well, --

DICK: Yeah, but how can I --

STEVE: -- let's, we can, you and I can talk with each other there until the day you decide it's over.

DICK: Okay. Let me ask you, let me ask you a question, Steve.

STEVE: Go ahead.
DICK: How can I depend on what you say to be the truth? Because you've proven to me, in the past,

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STEVE: I have?

DICK: David has. David.

STEVE: All right, and how has he proven to you?

DICK: David said, and let, you correct me, please, if I'm wrong, please, feel free.

STEVE: -- the incident about what he said about the tape?

DICK: That's --

STEVE: Then you and I are going to back up further then, --

DICK: No, but I'm asking you, how can --

STEVE: No, no, no.

DICK: I'm asking how, how --

STEVE: Dick, how do we trust you when you lied. When I say that, I'm saying that generically, with your agency. I'm talking about Sunday night, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday. I can, you want me to give you a list? We'll go right in detail and the only thing you've got on us is one thing, Dick, one thing, and all we said with that is wait, 'cause God
said to wait, that's all. And we can see why now. You people never came through on the very promises you made in the beginning, about those of us that are wounded, or the dead, you said you would take off the premises. You would allow us to take them off, you would work with us on that. That has not happened.

DICK: Well, I'm still trying to get someone to, to understand. That's the thing that we talked about.

STEVE: Do you see what an insult it is to the people in this compound, though as you call it? I mean, when you make a statement about the wounded and, and you, by the way, it was you people that originally said about bringing in the food and whatever we might need, supplies, and all of a sudden now I get totally something opposite. Dick, come on. Unless my memory is so faulty, you know -- Don't keep up bringing up one incident to me when you, there's so many on the other side, so many things you people have broken.

DICK: Listen, I, I hear what you're saying, okay? I hear what you're saying. And there are some things that, that I asked to be done that, you know, right now are being considered, and, and some that are rejected. I'm not going to lie to you. I'm, I'm not going to tell you that everything that we have talked
about, -- I mean, we, we wanted to get certain things
done that you want done also, but again, I don't
necessary --

STEVE: You know the greatest thing, okay,
but you know the greatest would be though, seriously,
--

DICK: What's that?

STEVE: -- we don't trust you, because we
really don't, not as individuals, some of the people
we might speak to, but even then, of course, I don't
know you.

DICK: Certainly.

STEVE: I mean, there's so many things --

DICK: I know you don't and I wish you did
because I think that the two of us, we could get this
done, we could communicate with one another --

STEVE: Well, I'll be honest. I actually
thought we were coming out right up until that day,
and since those days it seems like there's been an
erosion, and that erosion, especially revolves around
our being cut off, our telephones being cut off. If
we had one line to be able to talk to a radio station,
or anything about our views, to be able to say
something, that would make a difference.

But of course, you know, that's where the problem
lies because you don't want the information to be told in the first place.

    DICK: Well --

    STEVE: It's counterproductive, apparently, for yourselves.

    DICK: It's, that's untrue, but I, I know what you're saying.

    STEVE: Then show me otherwise, Dick. Show me otherwise.

    DICK: You know, you're talk, can I, can I just interject one thing here. You talked about a list, we have a number of people here that have made inquiries on behalf of some of the folks in there with you.

    STEVE: Yeah.

    DICK: And I think John mentioned them last night, but I, I guess you probably didn't get a chance to write them down or anything.

    STEVE: I didn't.

    DICK: I wonder if it might not be reasonable to talk to these folks and let them know people are asking about them and they're passing on their, you know, their wishes, their best wishes and support and that sort of thing. Do you think that would be appropriate to do that?
STEVE: I don't know if it would be. Let me ask David if that would be appropriate. (In the background) There are certain, David, there are -- We could put every individual on the phone that has a relative or friend or whatever else there --

DICK: Okay, that would be fine. Or you --

STEVE: No, wait, no, no why should we go about --

DICK: Well, you don't have to, this is --

STEVE: There's a couple in the hallway here right now, and they're asking me, well, what's to be gained by it?

DICK: Well, there's nothing to be gained. I'll tell you what, if you find that unacceptable, let me just give you a list of the folks and you can pass it along. I'm not trying to play a trick on you.

STEVE: No, no, no. I know, but the whole thing is, we're still trying to work something out with you people and I see that it doesn't look like we're going to be going any further. Not because we don't want to, --

DICK: We both want to.

STEVE: But to open up our lives and so forth, to come walking out, that's one thing. But show, you want to show us some trust? Then leave --
what problem? You tell me something ahead of time now. You go talk to your commander, you go talk to those men there, you ask them what the problem was when we did have the phone lines Mon-- or Sunday.
Right until Monday morning. What, what problem, you come back and tell me what was going on that you didn't like and that you felt that you needed to cut it off. Give me a good reason for it, okay?

DICK: I'll give you a reason. You may not accept it as being good.

STEVE: Okay, you go ahead and give me the reason.

DICK: Many times, in these kinds of situations, what you have is people on the outside trying to call in, they're screwballs that will call in and pass on erroneous information to you, and --

STEVE: That didn't happen. All we talked to is the press.

DICK: Well, it will happen. I know, it will happen.

STEVE: All we talked to is the press. Very well knowing people that are very high up in the areas of the news media.

DICK: Well, you did them, but I'm telling you what will happen. It will be all kinds of people
that want to agitate and they want to get things, --

STEVE: You don't think --

DICK: -- because they like to see shootings. I mean, they like to see these things.

STEVE: You don't think we, listen, you don't think David and I are able to handle that after being in a, in a realm of speaking with people in spiritual levels for years where all you get is nothing but every kind of a freak from people that are logical thinkers to those that are the other extreme?

DICK: Sure, sure.

STEVE: And we're not offended easy.

DICK: Sure.

STEVE: If one doesn't have the common sense and so forth to see through it all, to see what the motives are by these people, and so far we haven't had any of that.

DICK: Well, you would have.

STEVE: Show me that. Show me that.

DICK: You will have. You would have.

STEVE: Give me an example. Show me that ahead of time.

DICK: Do you want me to give you these names? Do you want to write them down?
STEVE: No, I'm still waiting about the telephone line.

DICK: Well, the telephone lines will not be restored. At least at this point in time. Now, you know, I'll pass your wishes on, but they're not going to be restored. And I've given you the reason, the reason for it, and a second reason obviously is that we need to talk to one another --

STEVE: I don't -- The truth of the matter is, you know I don't buy that.

DICK: You don't, you don't buy what?

STEVE: Your reason, given why --

DICK: That's one of several reasons. There's one of several reasons. But I'm telling you, that, that will happen. A second reason is that we need to talk back and forth to one another.

STEVE: Well let's, okay, so we've got many phone lines, we'll keep one open for that like we did Sunday. It was me, it was, that called you people in the first place. Right away when those men came to the door, shooting through the door, it was me on the telephone. Wayne Martin and I, calling on the phone, trying to get your attention as to what was going on. It wasn't you calling us, you know, Dick. You realize that, don't you?
DICK: Um-hum.

STEVE: You people didn't call us all day long, it was us calling you trying to find out why you were over here killing people. What had happened? Why, why the violence?

DICK: The FBI was not here at that time at all.

STEVE: We were told, we've heard from, I think it was Jim and other different sources, that all the agencies have been involved.

DICK: Since when now? When are we talking about?

STEVE: For months already.

DICK: Well, that's not true. This is an ATF case.

STEVE: It's an ATF case, but we hear that all the different agencies were called together --

DICK: Well, see, that's, that's a perfect example of, of the erroneous information --

STEVE: But we're going to, whether we have, now, don't use that as an excuse 'cause whether we have a telephone line or two or three open or not, there's still going to be that by your own people. Erroneous, you man on the television, yesterday, gave erroneous information to the press, to the, America.
DICK: Well, we, we talked about that. We know --

STEVE: Yeah, no, but what I'm saying is don't use that, what I'm saying is don't use that as an excuse when it happens by you people anyhow.

DICK: I'm not using it as an excuse, I'm just trying to tell you why certain things are done. I'm not --

STEVE: Well, it's a poor reason. It's no, it's not a good reason.

DICK: Well, you know, I, I'm, you won't accept it for a reason, but I'm telling you --

STEVE: Well, of course not.

DICK: -- what my experience has been.

STEVE: Of course I don't accept it.

DICK: Okay. Well, I'm telling you what my experience has been, and you're telling me that that's not acceptable. I'm telling you what is and I'm trying to give you some anecdote information as to what has happened in the past.

STEVE: You know what made me feel good about your agency and us working with you Sunday night right through Monday morning was that we did have, we kept that line open to you people constantly --
DICK: Well, we know --

STEVE: -- and talking with you. And at the same time we had another phone where we were talking to people like the guy at the Dallas station, AM 1080, and he's un-bias, he's not biased to us, of course, I like that. I don't want the man to be. But, of course, you've cut us off from that.

DICK: Well, I just asked you for a list of names of people that you want to talk to.

STEVE: You see, the populace aren't even sure that you guys are telling the truth that any of us are alive out here in the first place. All that they get, of course, comes from yourselves, which is the way you would have it.

DICK: Okay, give me the name, give me the names of people that, you know, we talked about his earlier. Give some names of people that you would feel comfortable in dealing with.

STEVE: Okay, let me call you back.

DICK: That's fine. I'll get back to you shortly. How about fifteen minutes or so?

STEVE: Okay.

DICK: And, yeah, we'll talk.

STEVE: All right.

DICK: Nothing is, you know, nothing is
impossible if we talk.

    STEVE:  All right.
    DICK:  All right?  You agree with that?
    STEVE:  Yeah.
    DICK:  Okay.  Let's just continue to do

that, we'll work together.

    STEVE:  Call --
    DICK:  We'll work together.
    STEVE:  Okay.
    DICK:  Bye, now.
    STEVE:  Good-bye, Dick.

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