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1 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- if I don't need it  
2 anymore.

3 DICK SWENSEN: No, that's not what I'm  
4 telling you.

5 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: If you get the kids,  
6 what do we need the milk for? You get my point? You  
7 don't make any sense, Dick.

8 DICK SWENSEN: I've asked, I've asked for  
9 four children. I know there are considerably more  
10 than that there.

11 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Well, what about the 21  
12 we've already given you? Doesn't that count for  
13 anything?

14 DICK SWENSEN: What about the remaining 19?

15 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: What about the ones  
16 we've already given you? The ones that are out there  
17 don't even want to be out there.

18 DICK SWENSEN: Really?

19 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Really?

20 DICK SWENSEN: Oh. Why is it that they  
21 left? Why is it that their parents sent them out?

22 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Because their parents  
23 felt that at the time that was needed to be done.

24 DICK SWENSEN: Okay.

25 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And --

1                   DICK SWENSEN: What's changed their mind?

2                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- you agreed --  
3 nobody's changed their mind. It's just that -- come  
4 on. You talked to Melissa.

5                   DICK SWENSEN: Um-hum.

6                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: She'll go. But she  
7 doesn't want to. My children didn't want to leave.

8                   DICK SWENSEN: Well, send Melissa out then.

9                   (Pause.)

10                  DICK SWENSEN: The milk's available, Kathy.  
11 You have to make that decision amongst yourself,  
12 okay?

13                  KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick, Dick, you don't  
14 make any sense.

15                  DICK SWENSEN: Well, then, maybe, maybe --

16                  KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Why do you say --

17                  DICK SWENSEN: -- you're wasting your time  
18 talking to me, Kathy, if I don't make sense.

19                  KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Why do you say, why do  
20 you say the milk's available, we have to make that  
21 decision? Why do you keep saying that?

22                  DICK SWENSEN: Because you're in the  
23 position to make that decision. I am not.

24                  KATHRYN SCHROEDER: I have made the  
25 decision.



1 babies here that need the milk. Are you that inhumane  
2 that you can't just send us the milk for not sending  
3 out kids, or sending out David, or sending out women.

4 DICK SWENSEN: Our concern, our concern is  
5 for those children first and foremost and the rest of  
6 you also. All right? The children --

7 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: So, your concern is that  
8 these babies get fed the milk they need?

9 DICK SWENSEN: Kathy.

10 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: It doesn't sound like  
11 you're concerned, Dick.

12 DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, you don't want to  
13 listen to me. Okay?

14 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And you don't --

15 DICK SWENSEN: So why don't you put somebody  
16 else on, because obviously you're not listening to  
17 what I have to say.

18 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick --

19 DICK SWENSEN: I'll be happy to talk with  
20 you --

21 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Say it again, then.

22 DICK SWENSEN: -- if you want to use reason.  
23 Okay?

24 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: I'll listen to it again.

25 DICK SWENSEN: Okay. The agreement that I

1 | tried to get David to commit to was to send the kids  
2 | once we drop the milk up there. All right? Send the  
3 | kids and an adult to pick the milk up and send the  
4 | children out. That's the agreement. I went into my  
5 | boss and he said we will do it under these conditions.  
6 | We have attempted to, to work with you folks and we  
7 | will continue to do so, but we have to, we have to  
8 | share in this responsibility. You have to take some  
9 | responsibility, we have to take some responsibility.  
10 | There's a give and a take, concessions have to be made  
11 | by both sides and we're willing to do this. Send the  
12 | children out, the milk will be there.

13 |           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You are willing to do  
14 | this --

15 |           DICK SWENSEN: What part of that don't you  
16 | understand, Kathy?

17 |           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Okay. Your word willing  
18 | to. That's the part that I don't understand. You're  
19 | willing to do a lot of stuff, but you have not done  
20 | what you are willing to do.

21 |           DICK SWENSEN: Simply walk out the door and  
22 | the milk will be there.

23 |           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Oh, come on, Dick. If  
24 | we wanted to walk out this door, don't you think we  
25 | would have done that days ago?

1                   DICK SWENSEN: I'm suggesting to you that  
2 you can verify that the milk is there. We will have  
3 the milk dropped off. Do you want me to tell them to  
4 drop the milk off now, that you're sending the kids  
out?

5                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Tell them to drop the  
6 milk off right now --

7                   DICK SWENSEN: No. You're, you're only  
8 hearing --

9                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- and I will go out  
10 there, myself, Kathy, and I will get it.

11                   DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, you're only hearing  
12 half of what I said. The other half is --

13                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: I'm --

14                   DICK SWENSEN: The other half is, it's  
15 necessary to get the children out.

16                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You told me that.

17                   DICK SWENSEN: Okay then. If, if you don't  
18 agree to that then you and I don't have anything else  
19 to say to one another right now.

20                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And my, my statement to  
21 you that you're inhumane is, is, is unimportant?

22                   DICK SWENSEN: If that's your opinion,  
23 you're welcome to that opinion.

24                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: If, if I don't -- Dick,  
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1 what I'm saying is you're saying that we don't have  
2 anything to say to each other because I do not agree  
3 with your stipulations. That's -- it's like who's  
4 controlling whose mind here? Dave is not controlling  
5 my mind. You're trying to control my mind.

6 DICK SWENSEN: I'm not trying to control  
7 anything.

8 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You are --

9 DICK SWENSEN: You said you want the milk.  
10 I'm willing to give you the milk.

11 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Okay. Give me the milk  
12 then.

13 DICK SWENSEN: You send the children and  
14 that's agreeable. It's a done deal. It's already  
15 there. We'll do it. We'll do it. I'm happy to do  
16 it.

17 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: No you won't do it --

18 DICK SWENSEN: I told you that early this  
19 morning.

20 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You won't. Even if I  
21 sent all the kids out you wouldn't.

22 DICK SWENSEN: Well, why don't you try --

23 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You failed --

24 DICK SWENSEN: Why don't you try me?

25 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- so many times.

1           DICK SWENSEN: Okay. Listen, Kathy, you're  
2 really -- I know you're upset and that's fine. Why  
3 don't you give it some consideration and if you want  
4 to talk, reason, then we -- you and I will talk  
5 together, but really it's, it's, it's no reason for us  
6 to go on now, because --

7           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Because I won't --

8           DICK SWENSEN: -- you won't accept --

9           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Because I won't accept  
10 your conditions. But you won't accept ours either.

11           DICK SWENSEN: Well, we have to meet and,  
12 and I'm willing to bring the milk out.

13           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Okay. We --

14           DICK SWENSEN: What are you willing to do to  
15 get the milk? That's the question. What are you  
16 willing to do?

17           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: I'm willing to, myself,  
18 walk out that gate and be shot by your Bradleys if I  
19 have to and I'll go get that milk.

20           DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, you're not going to be  
21 shot by any Bradleys. We discussed --

22           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: I, I know that.

23           DICK SWENSEN: -- the rules of safety the  
24 other day. Okay?

25           KATHRYN SCHROEDER: I know that.

1                   DICK SWENSEN: At length and you understand  
2 them, do you not?

3                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Yes, I know that.

4                   DICK SWENSEN: Okay. You understand the  
5 rules of safety. It's very clear to you and to the  
6 others in there what the rules of safety are. So  
7 let's deal with the issue of the milk. The milk will  
8 be placed there. You send out the kids, you pick up  
9 the milk, you return to the compound --

10                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: What did you give us  
11 when I sent out Scott and Chrissie?

12                   DICK SWENSEN: Listen. Would you like a  
13 list of the things that we've tried to, tried to  
14 comply with?

15                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Not tried. I mean done.  
16 What have you done. What did you do for me --

17                   DICK SWENSEN: Would you like to listen to  
18 the things we've done? For you individually?

19                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick, I asked you a  
20 question. Can you please just answer it?

21                   DICK SWENSEN: What have I done for you?

22                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: What have you done for  
23 me, for Scott and Chrissie?

24                   DICK SWENSEN: We have provided care for  
25 those children and will continue --

1 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: No. What --

2 DICK SWENSEN: -- to do that on a daily  
3 basis.

4 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- have you done for the  
5 people that are still in here in exchange --

6 DICK SWENSEN: We've offered you --

7 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- for Scott and  
8 Chrissie?

9 DICK SWENSEN: We've offered you the choice.

10 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: To come out.

11 DICK SWENSEN: It's your choice. The choice  
12 to come out --

13 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: That's not an offer,  
14 Dick. That's --

15 DICK SWENSEN: Then you stay in. That's up  
16 to you. That's up to you.

17 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Okay.

18 DICK SWENSEN: That's your choice.

19 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: So what you're saying is  
20 all the children that we sent out earlier, we don't  
21 get anything for that.

22 DICK SWENSEN: You have gotten any number of  
23 things and we've offered to give you a number of other  
24 things. The first thing that we gave you -- David's  
25 early condition was that if you allowed him to

1 communicate -- if we allowed him to communicate  
2 nationally, on television, that he and all the rest of  
3 you would come out. That's a, that's the early effort  
4 that we made. David did not respond to that. We are  
5 offering you all safe passage out of there, humane  
6 treatment, and treatment --

7 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Humane treatment. No  
8 milk for the babies. That's what you call humane  
9 treatment?

10 DICK SWENSEN: You can have people there to  
11 meet you coming out so that you are -- can be assured  
12 that you will not be mistreated if that's a, if that's  
13 a consideration. It's, it's, it's not going to happen  
14 that you're going to be mistreated, but if you think  
15 that you are, we'll get people of your choice --

16 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick, do you have any  
17 children?

18 DICK SWENSEN: Pardon me?

19 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Do you have any  
20 children?

21 DICK SWENSEN: Yes, I do have children.

22 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Do you have any babies?

23 DICK SWENSEN: No longer.

24 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: How old is your  
25 youngest?

1 DICK SWENSEN: My youngest is 14 years old.

2 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Do you know anyone that  
3 has any children that are babies?

4 DICK SWENSEN: Yes. I know people that have  
5 babies. I know a lot of people that have babies.

6 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Would you please pass  
7 the message on to them that if they don't have the  
8 decency to give our babies milk, then they're --

9 DICK SWENSEN: No.

10 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- going to get the milk  
11 taken away from their babies.

12 DICK SWENSEN: Kathy.

13 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: That's up to God.

14 DICK SWENSEN: The baby getting milk is the  
15 responsibility of you and the other parents in there.  
16 If you decide that you don't want them to have the  
17 milk, then that is a decision that you make as adults  
18 and as parents.

19 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: We -- no, Dick, that's  
20 the decision you made. We asked for the milk, you  
21 tell the public that you're giving us all our demands.  
22 You're wrong.

23 DICK SWENSEN: We didn't say we were giving  
24 you all your demands. We said we were trying to meet  
25 you halfway.

1                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You have told, you have  
2 told the public that you are caring for us and taking  
3 care of what we've asked for. We have asked for just  
4 six gallons of milk. We have not --

5                   DICK SWENSEN: Kathy --

6                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- asked you for  
7 anything --

8                   DICK SWENSEN: I think I've told you what  
9 our conditions are. Okay? If you don't choose to  
10 accept them, that is your --

11                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Then you are inhumane.

12                   DICK SWENSEN: -- that's your  
13 responsibility. You can, you can call me whatever you  
14 want. That won't change the fact --

15                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: So you don't care about  
16 the babies.

17                   DICK SWENSEN: -- that you're making the  
18 decisions. Kathy, you're making the decision.

19                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You don't care.

20                   DICK SWENSEN: Well, certainly I care about  
21 the babies.

22                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: No you don't.

23                   DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, there's no long --  
24 there's no use in you and I going on like this, is  
25 there?

1                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Then why are we on this  
2 phone to begin with. Why aren't we talking to the  
3 reporters that will tell the world that you won't give  
4 us six gallons of milk.

5                   DICK SWENSEN: Put Julie Martinez on,  
6 please.

7                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You don't want that  
8 inhumanity known to the world, do you?

9                   DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, put Julie back on,  
10 please.

11                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Julie's gone.

12                   DICK SWENSEN: Well, put her back on.

13                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You upset her already.

14                   DICK SWENSEN: Oh really?

15                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Yes.

16                   DICK SWENSEN: Well, that's, that's -- I  
17 don't believe is accurate at all.

18                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Oh. You won't let her  
19 talk to her family and you don't think she's not  
20 upset?

21                   DICK SWENSEN: Do you have something more to  
22 say, Kathy?

23                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: I'd like to talk to  
24 somebody besides you. How's that?

25                   DICK SWENSEN: Well, I'm here now. John



1 will be on later this evening if you care to talk with  
2 him later. I'll, I'll ask him to, to set some time  
3 aside for you. Will that, will that -- is that good?

4 Put David on, please.

5 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: David doesn't want to  
6 talk to you.

7 DICK SWENSEN: Well ask David if he's going  
8 to accept my challenge.

9 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: He said Psalms 139 is  
10 for you.

11 DICK SWENSEN: I've offered a challenge to  
12 David --

13 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: 137.

14 DICK SWENSEN: -- the same way he's offered  
15 to me earlier today. I'm offering that challenge to  
16 him and apparently he's, he's not up to it. Is that,  
17 is that what I'm hearing? He's not up to it?

18 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: What, what challenge?

19 DICK SWENSEN: The challenge was for David  
20 to put into writing or on tape --

21 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: It's not that simple.  
22 We've tried to deal with tapes in the past.

23 DICK SWENSEN: Well, listen. Let me, let me  
24 explain to you. Perhaps you weren't aware of what  
25 went on earlier today. David suggested earlier to me

1 that he agreed to send children out of the compound --  
2 in fact David brought it up. I didn't offer this,  
3 David --

4 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Right.

5 DICK SWENSEN: Nor did I suggest it. David  
6 suggested that if we could tell him and discuss the  
7 third seal, that he would release the children. I  
8 spent approximately two, two and a half hours probably  
9 discussing the third seal at length and then David  
10 says, you know, Dick? You didn't do that right. You  
11 failed my test. And as a consequence the kids aren't  
12 leaving.

13 So I suggested to David that that was not my  
14 understanding of this agreement, so I'm issuing him  
15 the same challenge. I apparently failed his  
16 challenge. I'm offering him a challenge, that is, to  
17 put onto tape or write in, in an appropriate form,  
18 what he wanted to discuss concerning the seals.

19 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Okay. If he reveals the  
20 third seal to you, what is the rest of your bargain?

21 DICK SWENSEN: It's David's bargain. I, I  
22 complied with his bargain.

23 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: No -- what was the other  
24 half?

25 DICK SWENSEN: My suggestion is, my

1 challenge is for him to write up a document --

2 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And you will do what?

3 DICK SWENSEN: Or, or -- listen to me. Or  
4 on tape, put down what he requests from us with  
5 reference to the explanation of those seals. And what  
6 he will do if we're able to tell him what the seals  
7 are. Now, I tried to discuss with him with --

8 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: He's already given you  
9 that.

10 DICK SWENSEN: Well, that's the third seal.  
11 But he wanted me to go to get some scholars, some  
12 Biblical scholars or some other people that have some  
13 knowledge of the seals and other issues of a similar  
14 nature --

15 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And did you do that?

16 DICK SWENSEN: Well, I'm willing to do that  
17 if David will put down what he wants done. Because  
18 I'm not going to talk to him again without some sort  
19 of a written agreement, some sort of contract, because  
20 he just doesn't seem to want to comply with his  
21 agreement. So if he puts it down --

22 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Just because you didn't  
23 know the third seal you think he doesn't want to  
24 comply with his agreement?

25 DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, listen. You're not

1 listening to me. All right? It wasn't as if I knew  
2 the seal. It was that if I would research it and try  
3 to come up with some thoughts concerning the third  
4 seal and we would discuss it. We did that. We did  
research it.

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6 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And did you listen to  
him?

7 DICK SWENSEN: Pardon me?

8 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Did you listen to him?

9 DICK SWENSEN: Not only did I listen to him,  
10 I read passages from the Bible with him. I listened  
11 to him explain to me his beliefs concerning the,  
the --

12 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And what's the  
13 conclusion?

14 DICK SWENSEN: Well, the conclusion is that  
15 David reneged on our, on our deal. So I want a  
16 written contract --

17 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: What's your conclusion  
about the seal?

18 DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, that is not what we're  
19 talking about here. All right? What we are talking  
20 about is an --

21 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick.

22 DICK SWENSEN: -- agreement between --

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1 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick.

2 DICK SWENSEN: -- David and myself.

3 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick, was --

4 DICK SWENSEN: Put David on, please.

5 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Was the third seal in  
6 Hosea? Did you see that?

7 DICK SWENSEN: That's what David tells me  
8 and I saw that after he explained that, but that --

9 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You saw that.

10 DICK SWENSEN: -- that wasn't the agreement.  
11 The agreement was that we discuss it. And I told  
12 David that I'm not knowledgeable about the seals. I,  
13 I was willing to learn. I was willing to do some  
14 research.

15 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Okay.

16 DICK SWENSEN: Which was done.

17 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: When you researched it,  
18 did you tell him the third seal was in Hosea?

19 DICK SWENSEN: That wasn't what he asked me  
20 to tell him. He told me -- he asked me what the third  
21 seal was and to discuss it.

22 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And you didn't -- you  
23 were unable to tell him.

24 DICK SWENSEN: Not, not where it was, but  
25 what it was.

1 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Did you tell him what  
2 the third seal was?

3 DICK SWENSEN: Yes. We discussed it at  
4 length. We discussed the seal at length.

5 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And, and you knew what  
6 the third seal was?

7 DICK SWENSEN: I had an explanation and he  
8 may not have agreed with it, but I did research it.

9 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You had an explanation.  
10 Was it the right one, Dick?

11 DICK SWENSEN: According to some of the  
12 reference we did, yes. But David disagreed with that,  
13 okay?

14 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Now, Dick, compare.  
15 Compare the references that you've got. Compare  
16 the --

17 DICK SWENSEN: Kathy.

18 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Just wait a minute,  
19 please. Compare the research that you did and what  
20 you found out and what David showed you on the third  
21 seal. Which one was right? Which one was Biblical?

22 DICK SWENSEN: David's explanation was that  
23 his was and I'm not going to refute that, because I'm  
24 not a Bible scholar.

25 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: David's explanation was

1 Biblical, straight from the Bible --

2 DICK SWENSEN: Fine. I'm not disagreeing.

3 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Okay.

4 DICK SWENSEN: I'm not disagreeing at all.

5 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: He didn't renege on his  
6 deal.

7 DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, listen. You and I  
8 aren't going to come to any agreement here. Put David  
9 on, please.

10 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: David is tired.

11 DICK SWENSEN: David is tired. That's  
12 David's age old answer when, when I issue him a  
13 challenge he's too tired?

14 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Hey, Dick, you don't  
15 want to talk to me. Maybe he doesn't want to talk to  
16 you.

17 DICK SWENSEN: That's fine. I'm -- issued  
18 -- I took up his challenge, he doesn't want to take up  
19 my challenge.

20 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: All right. All right.  
21 I'm make you, I'll make you a deal. I'll make you a  
22 deal. You get us a different negotiator. Okay?

23 DICK SWENSEN: You'll have one very soon.

24 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: And you -- not your  
25 night shift. I don't mean -- you don't come back

1 tomorrow. Okay? You get us a negotiator that's  
2 unbiased, that's willing to --

3 DICK SWENSEN: Unbiased, huh?

4 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Unbiased. That's what I  
5 said.

6 DICK SWENSEN: Well, perhaps I can ask for  
7 someone out there that's willing to, to, to agree and  
8 to deal and to make some concessions, some, some  
9 movement off this dime and we'll move forward. So may  
10 I ask for someone that might be able to do that?

11 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: We have already done  
12 that. We have done that --

13 DICK SWENSEN: Really?

14 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: -- from this end. We  
15 are trying to talk to you, Dick.

16 DICK SWENSEN: Really?

17 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: I'm not stupid.

18 DICK SWENSEN: Am I? Are you implying that  
19 I'm stupid?

20 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Well, just a little.

21 DICK SWENSEN: Oh. Well, thank you. I  
22 appreciate that.

23 KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick, you didn't agree  
24 that David didn't renege on his deal and I don't see  
25 where you can say he did.



1                   DICK SWENSEN: Kathy, if you want to talk in  
2 circles --

3                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You didn't have the  
4 third seal and he did. That was his deal.

5                   DICK SWENSEN: Oh, really?

6                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You show him the right  
7 third seal and he would send some kids out, you  
8 didn't.

9                   DICK SWENSEN: Really? Okay.

10                  KATHRYN SCHROEDER: You say -- so he didn't  
11 renege.

12                  DICK SWENSEN: All right. Kathy, listen.  
13 Tell David that I will go beyond that. We will forget  
14 that and I'm -- and I will tell him that perhaps I  
15 didn't do as -- what he wanted to do.

16                  KATHRYN SCHROEDER: We'll forget that. But  
17 you don't agree that he didn't renege, and that's  
18 where you don't -- we don't want you anymore. If you  
19 cannot agree that you did not have the right answer --

20                  DICK SWENSEN: Well, there's been some  
21 misunderstanding. My understanding was something  
22 different than David's apparently, so we can, we can  
23 forget that then. You know, I'll concede that perhaps  
24 I misunderstood what he said.

25                  KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick, Dick, I'm not --

1                   DICK SWENSEN: Okay? But let's go on to my  
2 challenge to him --

3                   KATHRYN SCHROEDER: Dick, before you issue  
4 your challenge, David wants to tell you the rules of  
5 the game just one more time.

6                   DICK SWENSEN: That's exactly what I want to  
7 do with him.

8                   DAVID KORESH: Hello, Dick.

9                   DICK SWENSEN: You're back.

10                  DAVID KORESH: Yeah, I'm back.

11                  DICK SWENSEN: Good.

12                  DAVID KORESH: Now, here's the rules of the  
13 game one more time.

14                  DICK SWENSEN: Let's put them on paper. Or  
15 on tape. And then we'll have the rules down where we  
16 can both understand them, we can both see them, and  
17 we'll deal with them then.

18                  DAVID KORESH: All right. Well, when would  
19 you like to pick this up?

20                  DICK SWENSEN: Send -- get it down -- send  
21 it out with the kids.

22                  DAVID KORESH: Oh, for --

23 (Tape 83 ends.)  
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