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2 MR. SCHNEIDER: I'm telling you, it's not  
3 easy.

4 JOHN: Yeah, I know exactly what you're  
5 saying.

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

7 JOHN: Excuse me.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: 'Cause, you know, like  
9 Dave -- They never came here because they met me or  
10 knew me, they came because of Dave. They, they met  
11 like David over in Australia. See, I never -- I  
12 wasn't with him when he went over there and met them,  
13 apparently, as a family and all that. And --

14 JOHN: Right. Well, if, if you can kind of  
15 find out what they -- what Oliver or the other men may  
16 have as objections, you know, maybe I can dig out --

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

18 JOHN: -- the information on this end that  
19 will help them.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

21 JOHN: How is David as far as physical  
22 condition?

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: You know, that's -- You, you  
24 can imagine I'm quite anxious, you know, today to talk  
25 to him, and he's still totally out. The nurses even

1 came to me and they says well, when are we going to go  
2 check him out, and I says well, I don't know, if you  
3 want you can go knock on his door. And, apparently, I  
4 think one of them did tap on the door and he  
5 wouldn't -- I guess she might have looked at him, but  
6 he kind of shook his head. Apparently, he wanted to  
7 still sleep.

7 JOHN: Mmmm.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: So, I know he's in there on  
9 his own. You know, it's quiet, there's no lights,  
10 it's dark in there, and, and I don't think he wants to  
11 be bothered right now. So I've just kind of left him  
12 be myself, but, you know, I'm definitely anxious.  
13 There are so many things I want to talk to him about.

13 JOHN: Yeah.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: What you and I discussed,  
15 what John Cox and I discussed.

16 JOHN: There are so many things pending, you  
17 know.

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, exactly.

19 JOHN: And I can appreciate the fact that  
20 you want to get in, but I also appreciate the fact  
21 that you don't want to disturb him. But, at the same  
22 time, we, we should try to get something going.

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, you know, that's why I  
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1 have made an attempt. But, see, the whole thing is if  
2 I push it, then he'll say Steve, you know --

3 JOHN: I know. It's like, like what we  
4 talked about. We don't want to push the --

5 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

6 JOHN: You know, we don't want to do that.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: I don't want to -- I mean,  
8 there's no way I'd be able to force the guy, in the  
9 first place.

10 JOHN: No, no, no, no. Absolutely not. But  
11 let me ask you something else.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

13 JOHN: As far as physical conditions go --

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

15 JOHN: -- have you noticed or anybody  
16 noticed him having sweats?

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: You mean like sweating?

18 JOHN: Yeah.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: No, I haven't noticed that.  
20 I think he did in the beginning, if I remember right.  
21 I think like maybe in the first few days, but not  
22 since.

23 JOHN: Not since. Okay.

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: Is that a good sign that  
25 he's not then or --

1                   JOHN: Well, I don't know, but let me tell  
2 you what the doctors tell us.

3                   MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

4                   JOHN: You know, they're, they're basing  
5 their opinions on the videos.

6                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

7                   JOHN: So we're not saying they're 100  
8 percent right, either, you know, and --

9                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. Okay.

10                  JOHN: Obviously, looking at the, at the  
11 fingers and stuff, it's difficult to tell. Here's  
12 what the doctors are thinking, and you can run it, run  
13 it by the nurses and see what they think. Okay?

14                  MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. All right.

15                  JOHN: It's called septicemia.

16                  MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, let me -- I'm going  
17 to --

18                  JOHN: Yeah, why don't you take a note on  
19 it? And I'll give you the best phonetic spelling I've  
20 got.

21                  MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, let me grab a piece of  
22 paper here.

23                  JOHN: Yeah.

24                  MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, let's see here. It's  
25 called septicemia?

1 JOHN: Yeah, S-E-P-T --

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

3 JOHN: -- I-C-E-M-I-A.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

5 JOHN: And what according to the doctors  
6 tell us, that this is a disease called by -- caused by  
7 septic infection of the system.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

9 JOHN: Okay? And, essentially, it's a blood  
10 poisoning. Okay. And it can -- If, if it is  
11 developed, it can kill in 24 hours.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Mmmm.

13 JOHN: So, you know, run it by the nurses,  
14 run it by Julie and, and so on. And that's -- They're  
15 looking at that and saying this is a possibility that  
16 we have to look at.

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Sure. Did they ever hear  
18 the comments and see in that video on the wound?

19 JOHN: Yeah. They're also interested in the  
20 BP's or blood pressures, because they are not so sure  
21 that they were accurate considering the amount of  
22 trauma. So you might --

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

24 JOHN: You might want to get them to take  
25 another blood pressure and --

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

2 JOHN: And, apparently, there's a -- All the  
3 vital signs, pulse and, and blood pressure and the  
4 whole thing.

5 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

6 JOHN: And temperature. You know, the whole  
7 thing.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. Right.

9 JOHN: So that might be something you want  
10 to, you want to get into. And, supposedly, we sent in  
11 a machine that's supposed to be brand-new and accurate  
12 and all that stuff.

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

14 JOHN: So you might want to use that.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

16 JOHN: So that could be an indication of  
17 where he's at physically, so -- And maybe we can  
18 provide you with some information to help along those  
19 lines.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Have the doctors had any  
21 comments about Judy's finger?

22 JOHN: Yeah. I was just coming to that.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

24 JOHN: As a matter of fact, they feel that  
25 there's some bone damage, clearly, by the presence of

1 it. The fact that the, that the swelling did go down  
2 was a good sign.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, so --

4 JOHN: That's a good sign. But it does not  
5 necessarily mean that you can't stop testing for  
6 infection.

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. Right.

7 JOHN: And the indicators for infection are,  
8 you know, when you close the palm that there is pain,  
9 and also that there's what they call like a tracking  
10 where it's either physically noticeably red spots  
11 going up from the hand, up the arm --

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

13 JOHN: -- or pain emanating up the arm from  
14 the wound.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

16 JOHN: So, in other words, you have two  
17 symptoms.

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

19 JOHN: One, either the actual pain or, two,  
20 actual red spots. You know, not like nickels or dimes  
21 or anything, but, but redness moving up or radiating  
22 up from the position of the wound.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Um-hum.

24 JOHN: Okay? So how's she doing? How's she  
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1 feeling?

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: She seems to be -- I  
3 haven't -- I was going to go just talk to her and see  
4 how, you know, what her response is, too, about the  
5 finger. And then I got caught up talking to, of  
6 course, Oliver, so I never did get to really ask her.  
7 I just asked her to wait a minute, and so, of course,  
8 I'm talking to you now, so --

9 JOHN: Sure. And, Steve, if there's  
10 anything that I can do, running it by our physicians  
11 here, to help out --

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

13 JOHN: -- I'm definitely going to do that  
14 for her. You know that.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. I appreciate that.

16 JOHN: So there's no question about that.

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

18 JOHN: And we're also concerned about David,  
19 too, you know.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

21 JOHN: So that's one of the reasons we want  
22 to get some vital signs.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, I'm -- I keep on  
24 running back over here every now and then to check, to  
25 see if, you know, I can't be talking to him. I did

1 for the first time get to talk to him a little bit  
2 last night when I was talking to John Cox. It kind of  
3 surprised me, too, when he had mentioned about the  
4 two, because I didn't know that even.

5 JOHN: The two men?

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

7 JOHN: Yeah.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: I mean, you know, besides  
9 Oliver.

10 JOHN: Um-hum.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: So -- But I'm still not sure  
12 who they are, and I wanted -- I was curious even then,  
13 and he says well, talk to me in the morning. Well, of  
14 course, here it's late in the morning already.

15 JOHN: Late, late, very late, yeah.

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. And so I'm anxious to  
17 get in there and see what we can get going here.

18 JOHN: Did, did David mention some others  
19 besides those?

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: That, that was all he  
21 mentioned.

22 JOHN: Okay.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: But in passing, it seemed  
24 like there could be more, and he didn't say men or  
25 women or what. But it's just the way he phrased or

1 | said a few things that -- And I wanted to talk to him  
2 | about that.

3 |           JOHN: Okay.

4 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: I've talked to some people  
5 | around here and you don't always know because, you  
6 | know, they're -- I don't know, how would you -- What  
7 | would the word be? They're not saying much, but, you  
8 | know, it's the look in the face and, and once in a  
9 | while that's why I'll go around and ask people, well,  
10 | you know, are you tired of it? Would you like to  
11 | leave? It's not a problem with anybody here, don't,  
12 | don't feel that you're -- don't stay because, you  
13 | know, you see a group of people staying here.

14 |           And, you know, you try to give them every  
15 | kind of a way to look at it and think about it so they  
16 | can truly follow what they --

17 |           JOHN: Well, that's, that's great. That's  
18 | really great, you know. And that's going to keep up  
19 | the great, the great momentum that's really started  
20 | between us, you know.

21 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

22 |           JOHN: Yesterday, the day before, whenever  
23 | it was. And just -- Is there any chance that you can  
24 | take a look at him, maybe without disturbing him? Is  
25 | that possible or --

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Boy --

2 JOHN: Okay.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, I mean, put yourself  
4 in my place. I mean, I'd like to. Normally, what I  
5 do is I just tap at the door there and I'll try to  
6 look in. I mean, he -- a lot of times he might say  
7 who is it or what or something.

7 JOHN: Yeah.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: And a couple of them just  
9 knocked at the door, like those nurses did, just  
10 minutes ago and there was no response. So they just  
11 walked away.

12 JOHN: Let me give you some information --

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

14 JOHN: -- on septicemia that might help out  
15 your end.

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

17 JOHN: Okay, basically, what they say is  
18 that the treatment for that, they take a blood  
19 culture.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

21 JOHN: And when they take a blood culture,  
22 then they go to see what type of IV antibiotic is  
23 needed. So that's basically the treatment of how they  
24 treat septicemia.

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1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

2 JOHN: And, as we said, it's an infection of  
3 the blood, okay? And it may be -- It's not separate  
4 --is separate from and may occur simultaneously with  
5 gangrene.

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Mmmmm.

7 JOHN: So that's something we want to keep  
8 in mind with Judy, too. We want to keep a real close,  
9 close eye on that finger.

10 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

11 JOHN: Septicemia, gangrene, neither gets  
12 better by itself. Okay?

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

14 JOHN: This doesn't cure itself.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

16 JOHN: Okay? And if it is in the arm or the  
17 leg, the answer is that that appendage has to be  
18 removed if that is developed. Okay? So --

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: So there's nothing to do at  
20 that --

21 JOHN: Well, we want to prevent it from,  
22 from reaching that point.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

24 JOHN: So the treatment. Okay? And, in the  
25 final analysis, as we both know, if left totally

1 untreated then -- if left untreated, not totally but  
2 just simply left untreated, then the results are  
3 fatal.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

5 JOHN: So that's the, that's the story on  
6 that.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

8 JOHN: We want to keep an eye on both these  
9 people. We don't want that to happen. We want to do  
10 everything we can to --

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

12 JOHN: -- insure that, that we catch this  
13 before it gets there.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, I'm amazed even at  
15 this Scott who took a hit to his thigh or at the top  
16 portion of his leg, and the bullet is still in there.  
17 I'm amazed he doesn't have any kind of problems at  
18 this time.

19 JOHN: How does the wound look? How does  
20 Scott's wound look?

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: I haven't really seen it. I  
22 mean, it, it's way up towards his groin area, so I,  
23 I've seen him. You know, he's been limping around.  
24 He's walking, which he hadn't done for days.

25 JOHN: That's amazing.

1                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, it is, and he seems to  
2 be doing okay. But the bullet in one side and, and  
3 lodged toward the other end of the, the thigh,  
4 apparently. But I have not taken a good look at that.

5                   JOHN: You know, we ought to try, if we  
6 could, to get him medical treatment because, you know,  
7 he may be getting the infection, you know, and not  
8 know it. And he's young and strong, you know, so --  
9 And then, like I said before, you know, older guys,  
10 they go down the hill slowly and younger guys feel  
11 great, look great, and then it's kind of rapid with,  
12 with a younger person.

13                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Um-hum.

14                   JOHN: But we want to also keep an eye on  
15 Judy's finger. How's it look? How's Judy looking  
16 today as far as her finger goes?

17                   MR. SCHNEIDER: She hasn't pulled the, the  
18 bandage off yet. And I was -- I just -- In fact, as  
19 soon as I'm off, I'm going to go check and see how the  
20 finger looks and where the swelling is, what the  
21 infection looks like.

22                   JOHN: Yeah, why don't you do that? And  
23 anything that I can do to, you know, to get  
24 information in --

25                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

1                   JOHN:  -- or anything we can do to get that  
2 maybe looked at or whatever --

3                   MR. SCHNEIDER:  Right.

4                   JOHN:  -- as far as maybe she wants to come  
5 out and say hey, look, you know --

6                   MR. SCHNEIDER:  And what I'm also going to  
7 be doing right now is I'm going to start trying to get  
8 as many people together as possible for filming.  It  
9 was so strange -- I had a real bad day yesterday  
10 around here because the night before that there was a  
11 lot of people that said, when I ended that 60-minute  
12 tape, they wanted to get on it.  They had all this  
13 enthusiasm and, and yesterday, when it came right down  
14 to it,  
15 they -- a lot of them started saying to me well,  
16 where's the tape going?  Who's going to see it?  And  
17 how will it be used?

18                   And I says well, so far, you know, of course  
19 I'm sending it on to some of the guys I've been  
20 negotiating with, and they says well, is it, is it  
21 going to be seen by our parents or relatives or who  
22 or, or is any information in it going to be given to  
23 the press?  If it's just going to them and it's going  
24 nowhere, what's the sense?  You know, that's what  
25 about, oh, six, seven of them were telling me, that



1 actually had the night before wanted to do it.

2 JOHN: Um-hum.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: So then, all of a sudden, I  
4 couldn't get anybody to sit down and film or talk  
5 with.

6 JOHN: Because they didn't feel it was going  
7 out or something?

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, yeah. They, they just  
9 said well, what is it, a dead-end thing? And I said  
10 well, not, not totally, it doesn't seem.

11 JOHN: Um-hum.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: So but I -- Really, the  
13 truth is, you know, I didn't have really any  
14 information as to what's happening with all that  
15 material or what, you know, what -- how it's going to  
16 be used.

17 JOHN: Okay. You know, another way -- This  
18 is just a thought. We can, we can kick this around a  
19 little bit --

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

21 JOHN: -- between us, but just a thought.  
22 Maybe the people that are there could give like an  
23 address or, more specifically, a phone number and the  
24 name of a person that they want contacted -- Excuse  
25 me --

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

2 JOHN: -- and the message that they want  
3 delivered. Then right here, I'll have my own unit  
4 right here, have the people that you and I deal with  
5 everyday right sitting next to me actually make those  
6 calls so that we can get a report back --

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

7 JOHN: -- directly, what -- so we won't lose  
8 anything in the translation.

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. I'll tell them then  
10 to be a little more specific as to where or what they  
11 want done with the information.

12 JOHN: Yeah. And, and they, they -- We will  
13 call them from here immediately. We'll give those  
14 people the messages directly.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

15 JOHN: And, and not only that --

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: That'll help, that'll help.

17 JOHN: Sure. And not only that, Steve --

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

19 JOHN: -- but we will, we will give you back  
20 the messages that those people give us.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

21 JOHN: And we will give it, you know,  
22 exactly verbatim.

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1                   MR. SCHNEIDER: As soon as I slow down, you  
2 know, I'm going to be pretty busy here, but as soon as  
3 I slow down a little bit, I'm going to try to --  
4 before the day's over, I'll have a number of people on  
5 the phone that you haven't talked to yet.

6                   JOHN: Fine.

7                   MR. SCHNEIDER: For you or John, one of you.

8                   JOHN: Sure.

9                   MR. SCHNEIDER: And they'll come to the  
10 phone. There's a few of them I've already talked to  
11 while I was walking around here that want to get on  
12 the phone and speak with you.

13                   JOHN: Sure.

14                   MR. SCHNEIDER: So that, that'll be  
15 happening, also.

16                   JOHN: Yeah. Well, I'll tell you, I really  
17 feel good about where you and I are. I think there's  
18 really growing optimism, spreading rapidly.

19                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

20                   JOHN: And I hope it's the same way on your  
21 end.

22                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, it seems like it. You  
23 know, there's still the apprehension, of course.

24                   JOHN: Of course.

25                   MR. SCHNEIDER: You know, as time has gone

1 on, it's, it's definitely helped in the last few days.  
2 It definitely has, you know. They, they can tell how  
3 I'm talking to you on the phone and all that, and it  
4 seems like they're -- a lot of them are calming down a  
lot more.

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6 JOHN: Yeah. Well, I think we have -- we  
really have a good relationship.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, I do, too.

8 JOHN: And it's going to continue.

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: I just wish that, you know,  
10 that one, that one phase or aspect, whether it would  
11 still take place because they're still letting me know  
12 about, you know, this waiting business. And if it  
13 wasn't for that, there would not be any problems  
whatsoever.

14 JOHN: Right. I know that and --

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: You know, that, that's,  
16 that's the one thing that's kind of keeping me back  
from really getting a lot more done even.

17 JOHN: Yeah. Because you mean David's,  
18 David's been told to wait, is what you mean?

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, exactly. So -- And  
20 every now and then they'll bring that up to me when,  
21 you know, I'm talking to them about a lot of different  
22 issues, so --

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1                   JOHN: Well, you know, I think, I think what  
2 we have going here is an awful lot of trust between  
3 us, and that's, that's the basic ingredient to getting  
4 one of these things resolved, and I think we're there  
5 already as far as that goes.

6                   MR. SCHNEIDER: When I, when I get back on  
7 the phone with you then, I'll, I'll report to you.  
8 Hopefully, I'll have -- by then, I've talked to him  
9 and I'll definitely tell you about Judy's finger.  
10 I'll  
11 be --

12                   JOHN: Yes.

13                   MR. SCHNEIDER: -- working on this video.

14                   JOHN: Well, don't worry so much about the  
15 video, but if we can -- if those three men still want  
16 to come out, let's do that.

17                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, yeah. I'm waiting to  
18 find out for sure, you know that. I mean --

19                   JOHN: Sure.

20                   MR. SCHNEIDER: In fact --

21                   JOHN: That'd be number one priority.

22                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. I'm waiting to talk  
23 to them myself, so, yeah, I'm -- that's why I'm hoping  
24 he's going to wake up here pretty quick so --

25                   JOHN: And you can get to him.

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, exactly.

2 JOHN: Okay, great. Let's leave it like  
3 that. Then you'll get back to me as soon as possible.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Exactly.

5 JOHN: Great. Thanks a million.

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Sure. Talk to you a little  
7 later.

8 JOHN: Bye-bye.

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Bye.

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11 SHERRI: Hello?

12 JOHN: Hi. This is John. Who's this?

13 SHERRI: This is Sherri.

14 JOHN: Hi, Sherri. How are you today?

15 SHERRI: Fine.

16 JOHN: A little bit older, huh? By one day.

17 SHERRI: It seems like every time I get on  
18 the phone it's the same, you know, oh, happy birthday.  
19 I think every one of you know, huh?

20 JOHN: Well, you know.

21 SHERRI: Yeah, I know.

22 JOHN: Spread good cheer, right?

23 SHERRI: Huh?

24 JOHN: Spread good cheer.

25 SHERRI: I guess so.

1 JOHN: Have you talked to David today at  
2 all?

3 SHERRI: No, I sure haven't

4 JOHN: Is he still kind of zonked out?

5 SHERRI: Well, I think he's, I think he's  
6 getting awake, but I don't know exactly. I haven't  
7 seen him.

8 JOHN: Um-hum. Have any of the nurses been  
9 able to check on him?

10 SHERRI: Yesterday they did.

11 JOHN: Uh-huh.

12 SHERRI: They haven't been in today.

13 JOHN: Nothing today, huh?

14 SHERRI: Uh-uh.

15 JOHN: Okay. Is, is Steve around?

16 SHERRI: Yeah. I was just looking for him.

17 JOHN: Okay.

18 SHERRI: Just a moment.

19 JOHN: Thanks.

20 SHERRI: This is the first, first John or  
21 the second John?

22 JOHN: John II, the second John.

23 SHERRI: John Cox?

24 JOHN: No, no, John Cox is on the night  
25 shift.

1 SHERRI: Oh. Okay. All right.

2 JOHN: Take care.

3 SHERRI: Steve, John's --

4 [gap]

5 SHERRI: Hey, John, I think he's in the  
6 bathroom. I can't find him. Can he call you back in  
7 about five so you won't have to hold on?

8 JOHN: Oh, sure. That'd be fine, Sherri.

9 SHERRI: All right, thanks.

10 JOHN: Thank you very much.

11 SHERRI: Bye.

12 JOHN: Bye-bye.

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14 (Telephone rings one time.)

15 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Hello?

16 JOHN: Hi, this is John again.

17 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Yeah, you want  
18 to speak to Steve?

19 JOHN: Yes, please.

20 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Okay.

21 JOHN: Thank you.

22 [gap]

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Hello, John?

24 JOHN: Hi.

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, I've been quite busy



1 this morning, as --

2 JOHN: I know that.

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: I've got -- There's another  
4 woman that wants to come out and --

5 JOHN: Who's, who's that?

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: And her name is Kathy  
7 Schroeder.

8 JOHN: Oh, Kathy, yes.

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. She wants to come  
10 out, so I'm working with her right now as to --

11 JOHN: Fine.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Telling about the procedure.

13 JOHN: Okay. Great. And if she wants to  
14 talk to me, you know, I'll be glad to talk to her.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Yeah. So I was --  
16 And, in fact, just right -- a few minutes ago that's  
17 what I was doing, I was talking to her about it in  
18 detail, answer questions or if she'd like to talk to  
19 you directly and --

20 JOHN: Sure, that's fine. Did she -- Well,  
21 is she going to come out with the gentlemen or does  
22 she want to come out --

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: I think -- So far, I'm not  
24 too sure. That's what I, you know -- At first, she  
25 was kind of -- I was talking to her about herself and

1 | so forth and, and I didn't want to bring that up until

2 | --

3 |           JOHN: Sure.

4 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: -- I'm for sure.

5 |           JOHN: No. Why don't we just --

6 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

7 |           JOHN: Why don't we just work on, on maybe  
8 | having Kathy --

9 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

10 |           JOHN: -- come out.

11 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: That's kind of what I  
12 | thought I'd do, too.

13 |           JOHN: That's fine.

14 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Because when she started  
15 | showing, you know, like she was -- that's what she was  
16 | thinking about --

17 |           JOHN: Sure.

18 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: -- that's when I thought I'd  
19 | better just sit with her and talk and --

20 |           JOHN: Fine.

21 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: -- let her know what she  
22 | could do.

23 |           JOHN: 'Cause I spoke to Kathy the other  
24 | afternoon.

25 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: That's right.

1 JOHN: Right, right.

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

3 JOHN: Okay, excellent, excellent. What --  
4 Just, just, you know, for logistics, what -- You know,  
5 are you going to go back and talk to her again?

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

7 JOHN: Okay.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: In fact, I'm going to start  
9 working on it for maybe where she can be leaving here  
10 in an hour or two, or less.

11 JOHN: That'd be great.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

13 JOHN: Great, Steve.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: And I was also trying to  
15 talk to David then about some of the others, and I,  
16 I'm going to keep on working on that. I think there's  
17 going to be a few more.

18 JOHN: Oh, okay.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. So I'll just keep on  
20 working with that. The one guy, like I was telling  
21 you, Oliver, I think he'll be coming, but he hasn't  
22 had the opportunity to talk to David. As soon as he  
23 talks with him, I'm sure he's, he's going out, too.

24 JOHN: Oh, excellent.

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

1                   JOHN: Okay, that's great. I just had a  
2 message that you could pass on --

3                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

4                   JOHN: -- to David. I know he's not feeling  
5 well.

6                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, yeah. I just -- Yeah,  
7 he really -- I don't -- I told him -- In fact, I'm  
8 going to go back and tell him about what you and I  
9 were talking about, the septicemia. He was asking  
10 what I heard or whatever, and I says well, yeah,  
11 they're concerned because, you know, that is a  
12 possibility.

13                   JOHN: Sure. Let me give you -- We just got  
14 a little bit more information on this give to us.  
15 Obviously, we're following up on it --

16                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

17                   JOHN: -- you know, to every possible thing.  
18 Okay, this doctor feels that, after viewing the  
19 videotape -- David's wounds, he advised that he has a  
20 deep-seated infection.

21                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

22                   JOHN: Okay? As indicated by the oozing  
23 called sero-sanguinous, S-A-N-G-U-I-N-O-U-S.

24                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Real quick one more time?

25                   JOHN: Yeah, I'm sorry.

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

2 JOHN: Okay, it's -- he feels that he has a  
3 deep-seated infection, as indicated by the oozing.  
4 And then he -- I think it's just a synonym for oozing,  
5 and it's S-E-R-O-hyphen --

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

7 JOHN: -- S-A-N-G-U-I-N-O-U-S of the wound  
8 in his left buttock.

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

10 JOHN: Okay. Left untreated, this infection  
11 will continue to extend and develop into septicemia.  
12 That's what we were talking about before.

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: I see.

14 JOHN: Okay.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

16 JOHN: Once the infection gets into the  
17 bloodstream, it will go into every major vital organ,  
18 including the brain.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

20 JOHN: Okay? After it gets into his brain,  
21 then that's, that's the 24-hour period. Okay, some of  
22 the indicators that septicemia has developed is, one,  
23 difficulty in awakening; two, sweating. And that's  
24 what the other physician had also indicated, that  
25 sweating, and that's why I asked about the sweating.

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

2 JOHN: Wooziness, hallucinations, dizziness,  
3 deviation from patterns of previous patterns of  
4 thinking, and change in vital signs. And they  
5 mentioned the three things here that I made a note of,  
6 would be temperature going up, pressure going down,  
7 and heart rate or pulse going up. And the reason for  
8 that would be that there's less blood, I guess, and  
9 the heart is working harder so that the heart rate or  
10 pulse would go up.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

12 JOHN: New tenderness, and the emphasis  
13 there is on the word "new." So --

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

15 JOHN: -- obviously, where there's trauma or  
16 a wound, there's tenderness. But a new tenderness.  
17 And, of course, swelling.

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

19 JOHN: So those are some of the things --  
20 Yeah, I've also got another thing to read to you, and  
21 this is once again for David, too. Mrs. Haldeman,  
22 which is David's mother, had gotten hold of an  
23 attorney by the name -- And I'll spell it to you  
24 'cause I want to make sure I'm pronouncing it right --  
25 Dick DeGuerin. That's D-E --

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: D-E?

2 JOHN: Yeah, D-E-G-U-E-R-I-N. Mr. DeGuerin.  
3 And he has been hired or, in any case, contacted and  
4 has agreed to represent David in this situation. So  
5 once he gets out, I'll be more than please and happy  
6 to make arrangements --

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

7 JOHN: -- to put them together.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: John, I've got Kathy right  
9 here, right now.

10 JOHN: Sure. Excellent.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, let me put her --

12 JOHN: Let me talk to Kathy.

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, here she is.

14 KATHY: Hi, John.

15 JOHN: Hi, Kathy. How are you?

16 KATHY: Okay.

17 JOHN: I spoke to you the other afternoon.

18 KATHY: Yes.

19 JOHN: Yeah. How you doing?

20 KATHY: Okay.

21 JOHN: Well, I was glad to hear that you're  
22 coming out.

23 KATHY: Yeah. It was a tough decision.

24 JOHN: It's a very tough decision, and I  
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1 think you've made the right decision. And we'll work  
2 it out. So what we were saying is that when you walk  
3 out, basically, what you see there is what's there  
4 now. And you very, very simply just walk down the  
5 driveway, that's all. And --

6 KATHY: Well, I want to tell you the main  
7 reason for this decision.

8 JOHN: Go ahead, please.

9 KATHY: My three-year-old son is now alone.

10 JOHN: I know.

11 KATHY: He's not even with his brothers and  
12 his sister.

13 JOHN: I know.

14 KATHY: Although I'd rather be here,  
15 although this is my place and my children's place,  
16 circumstances have made that difficult and beyond my  
17 control. So in order to be with Brian, and there's no  
18 one else with him, I guess I've got to come out to  
19 him.

20 JOHN: Kathy, I know how difficult --

21 KATHY: And you realize I don't want to do  
22 that.

23 JOHN: I know that very much. But it's the  
24 right thing and you've sensed and you've known all  
25 along how much he needs you.





1 or something.

2 JOHN: No, I think it, I think it's an  
3 armored van. So, but that doesn't matter. It's the  
4 same one we used for the children.

5 KATHY: Okay.

6 JOHN: That the kids were in. Okay. The  
7 sooner we'd like to get you out, the better.

8 KATHY: Okay, let me -- Don't, don't rush  
9 me.

10 JOHN: No, no. I didn't mean, I didn't mean  
11 to rush you.

12 KATHY: This is a really --

13 JOHN: Tough decision.

14 KATHY: -- tough thing for me to do.

15 JOHN: No, I don't mean to rush you. It's  
16 just I know you made the right decision.

17 KATHY: And let me just warn you, John, that  
18 if I decide to wait till tomorrow, that doesn't mean  
19 I've changed my mind. It just means I've got things  
20 to do to get ready. I don't know if I -- I don't even  
21 know what time it is now. I don't know -- Do you know  
22 what I'm saying?

23 JOHN: I understand what you're saying.

24 KATHY: And I don't want to just walk out in  
25 the two shoes that I have on.

1                   JOHN: I understand.

2                   KATHY: So if it's tomorrow, you know,  
3 don't, don't, don't think that I'm backing out.

4                   JOHN: No, I'm not. I, I sense that in your  
5 voice and I know once you've made the decision where  
6 you are at, and, and, believe me, you know, everybody  
7 here -- You know, in my own heart and in the hearts of  
8 the people here, you could hear a pin drop. I mean,  
9 it's just -- It's, it's overwhelming, to be honest  
10 with you. We do want to get you, get you out and get  
11 you reunited and, and get that process going as soon  
12 as possible, too. And if there's any incidentals that  
13 you can't find or something, I'm sure that Steve'll  
14 help you get that stuff out.

15                   KATHY: Okay. I do rely on Steve to --

16                   JOHN: You can.

17                   KATHY: -- help me, you know, set up the,  
18 you know, little things that I need to know. I do  
19 rely on his expertise a lot.

20                   JOHN: Yes.

21                   KATHY: He's very knowledgeable, and also  
22 Wayne will -- I'll probably ask him some questions,  
23 too, but --

24                   JOHN: Absolutely. Please do so. And, and  
25 I know that, that Brian will want to hug his mom. You

1 know, that's for sure.

2 KATHY: Yeah.

3 JOHN: That's a big guarantee.

4 KATHY: Okay. Steve has left the area.

5 JOHN: Okay.

6 KATHY: Did you still want to talk to him  
or --

7 JOHN: Sure, but I just wanted to reassure  
8 you. The mechanics and logistics you can leave to me,  
9 and they'll be, they'll be very simple. It'll be just  
10 like picking up one of the children. Just, just walk,  
11 walk out of the front door, make a left, walk down the  
12 road, and they will send a vehicle in to pick you up,  
13 just like we did with the children. So it'll, it'll  
be the same process.

14 KATHY: Yeah. Okay.

15 JOHN: And, like I said about -- Somebody  
16 slipped me a note and said --

17 KATHY: Oh, and you will let me -- When I  
18 get to wherever you're at, I will be able to call back  
here?

19 JOHN: Oh, absolute, absolutely, absolutely,  
20 positively.

21 KATHY: Just like the kids did?

22 JOHN: Exactly.

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1 KATHY: Okay.

2 JOHN: From the same phone that the kids  
3 used, in the same place the kids were.

4 KATHY: Okay.

5 JOHN: Absolutely, absolutely. And as far  
6 as, you know, if you want to send some, some notes  
7 back, fine. You know, something like that, too, so  
8 absolutely. But we will bring you directly to this  
9 very, very phone that the kids used and that I'm on  
right now.

10 KATHY: Okay.

11 JOHN: And that'll be your very first stop,  
12 if that's okay with you.

13 KATHY: That's fine.

14 JOHN: Okay. Let's hope we can do this  
today then, maybe. How's that sound to you?

15 KATHY: (No verbal response.)

16 JOHN: I know it's tough, but I think  
17 you're, you're really doing the right thing. I know  
18 you're doing the right thing.

19 KATHY: From your vantage point, I'm sure  
you believe that.

20 JOHN: That's for Brian -- It's -- For, for  
21 you it's a tough thing, but for Brian it's the right  
22 thing.

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KATHY: Okay.

JOHN: I'll see you in a little bit.

KATHY: Thank you, John.

JOHN: Thank you very much.

KATHY: I'm going to let you go now.

JOHN: Okay. Is, is Steve there, Kathy?

KATHY: I'm, I'm not sure where he's at.  
I'm going to have to find him.

JOHN: Okay, why don't you have him call me  
when you do find him?

KATHY: Okay, I will.

JOHN: I'll see you, I'll see you in a  
little bit.

KATHY: Okay, thank you.

JOHN: Thanks, Kathy.

KATHY: Bye-bye.

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MR. SCHNEIDER: John?

JOHN: Hi, Steve. Let me transfer you.

MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

JOHN: Hello?

MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. Is -- John, is there  
a press conference right now or no?

JOHN: Hello? Hello?

MR. SCHNEIDER: Hello, John?

1                   JOHN: Now I've got you. No, sir, there is  
2 no press conference that I'm aware of.

3                   MR. SCHNEIDER: So there's not going to be  
4 one this afternoon then?

5                   JOHN: No, sir.

6                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

7                   JOHN: No.

8                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Yeah, I was just -- I  
9 noticed David, David seems to be awake, so I was just  
10 going to go in there and talk with him and see what  
11 else -- It sounds like he's talked to a few people  
12 just before I even got there, so there may be a few  
13 more then.

14                   JOHN: Oh, great, great.

15                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

16                   JOHN: Very good.

17                   MR. SCHNEIDER: So he's -- He says well,  
18 look, you know, he says I'm waiting. He said I can do  
19 nothing else. He says I'm waiting, but he says you  
20 know, you people have waited now for -- I guess, as he  
21 says, it's been over a week, so he's been talking with  
22 them himself and I've been trying to do my best and --

23                   JOHN: Oh, that's great. How, how does he  
24 feel right now?

25                   MR. SCHNEIDER: I mentioned -- You know, he

1 doesn't -- Actually, he does not feel too well and  
2 that, that wound is draining a lot.

3 JOHN: Well, that's what we talked about.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, exactly. So I  
5 mentioned to him, you know, I took -- jotted down the  
6 notes. I mentioned to him exactly what you did to me  
7 and, and then he kind of smiled and he says well, tell  
8 them to send in a doctor.

9 JOHN: (Laughing.) He smiled when he said  
10 that, I know he smiled.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, he smiled. He says,  
12 he says well, tell them to send in a doctor.

13 JOHN: And I know he smiled.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, he did.

15 JOHN: Did you get a chance to mention that  
16 attorney thing to him?

17 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, I did, and he didn't  
18 really respond to it too much.

19 JOHN: Okay. Well, as long as he knows, you  
20 know. I just wanted to make sure that we're  
21 transferring everything to him and --

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

23 JOHN: -- you know, through you, of course.

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: I told him it was -- from  
25 what I understood, it was a very good attorney that



1 his mother had retained.

2 JOHN: That's my understanding, is that he's  
3 excellent.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, right.

5 JOHN: That's, that's hearsay to me, but  
6 that's what --

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

8 JOHN: -- what everybody says, this guy is  
9 very good.

10 MR. SCHNEIDER: But, you know, he -- I, I  
11 looked at his facial expressions. He hardly reacted  
12 to that, so I just kind of sat there a moment and --

13 JOHN: Well, maybe it's not important to him  
14 at the time or something like that.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. I told him, too, I'm  
16 in the process of trying to get -- I haven't even  
17 started the video business.

18 JOHN: Don't worry about that now.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, okay.

20 JOHN: We'll get to that later on.

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

22 JOHN: So does it look like Kathy wants to  
23 come out today or --

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: That's -- In fact, she --  
25 I've been in there talking to him and she was -- I

1 don't know if she was getting her things together or  
2 what she -- I don't know. She, she had a few words  
3 with him, but I, I wasn't there when she did, so --  
4 And I haven't talked to her since you were on the  
5 phone with her.

6 JOHN: Right, right.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: So I'm not too sure, but I  
8 know she's, she's definitely coming out, and that was  
9 the last thing she said to me. And I thought I heard  
10 her say something to you about -- maybe about tomorrow  
11 or something? Did she say that or --

12 JOHN: She said it might be, it might be  
13 tomorrow, she said, but I think her words were "but  
14 I'm definitely coming out."

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, yeah, she is for sure.  
16 No question about that, 'cause she made that very  
17 plain to me, too. She did. And I don't know if it's  
18 because she's trying to gather things together or what  
19 she -- I'm not even certain, but I know she's not  
20 right here by me right now.

21 JOHN: Right.

22 MR. SCHNEIDER: So I didn't get to talk to  
23 her.

24 JOHN: Well, I've got something I think I'd  
25 like you to tell her. I, I want you to tell her, if

1 | you would.

2 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

3 |           JOHN: Are you ready for this?

4 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

5 |           JOHN: Okay. This hasn't been easy, but  
6 | tell her that we're getting Brian to meet her when she  
7 | gets here.

7 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, okay.

8 |           JOHN: And that's the reason --

9 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, that'll make her  
10 | extremely happy.

11 |           JOHN: That's the reason we need to know  
12 | when.

12 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

13 |           JOHN: Because it's -- We, we're trying to  
14 | arrange with what do you call it? the Texas State  
15 | Child Protective Service.

16 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Right, right.

17 |           JOHN: So --

18 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, that's great.

19 |           JOHN: Yeah, the sooner she comes out,  
20 | obviously, the sooner we can put it together with  
21 | Brian.

21 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, okay.

22 |           JOHN: So that's -- You can understand

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1 | there's a little bit of logistics.

2 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, for sure. What I'll do  
3 | then, I'll, I'll pass it on right away to her.

4 |           JOHN: Great.

5 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: And let her know that as  
6 | soon as she knows for sure, get -- I'll tell her I'll  
7 | either call you or she can call you. I've got the  
8 | number right on the wall here, so --

8 |           JOHN: Great.

9 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: -- I'll tell her to call  
10 | you --

11 |           JOHN: Now --

12 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: -- immediately, as soon as  
13 | she knows when it's going to be, what time.

14 |           JOHN: Excellent. Now, we can't remove him  
15 | beyond a certain time.

16 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

17 |           JOHN: Obviously, they can't, you know, let  
18 | the children out after --

19 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

20 |           JOHN: So we can't get him out at night,  
21 | so --

22 |           MR. SCHNEIDER: I'll tell her.

23 |           JOHN: -- that's why it has to be, you know,  
24 | we'd like -- obviously like it this afternoon.

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1 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

2 JOHN: So I'm sure she would --

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay. Okay, I'll tell her  
4 that and it'll be clear to her.

5 JOHN: Great. I thought she'd be pretty  
6 excited about it.

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: No question about it, no  
8 question.

9 JOHN: Okay. I feel pretty good about that  
10 myself.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. Well, that does sound  
12 good.

13 JOHN: Sounds great.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, I'll get back to you.  
15 I'm going to, I'm going to see what I can -- what  
16 else I can learn and get going here with him. And as  
17 soon as I know something and -- There's been a couple  
18 people that have also asked me to tape them, so I'll  
19 try to at least do a little of that.

20 JOHN: Sure.

21 MR. SCHNEIDER: Along with talking with some  
22 of them.

23 JOHN: How are we standing with Oliver?

24 MR. SCHNEIDER: I haven't -- You know,  
25 since -- I haven't seen him since, and I haven't been

1 able to talk to him. I, I actually have been the one  
2 just lately talking to David 'cause, you know, as I  
3 told you, I've been anxious to talk with him.

4 JOHN: Sure.

5 MR. SCHNEIDER: So I don't know that Oliver  
6 has come around to talk with him yet.

7 JOHN: Well --

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: When I, when I go over to  
9 that end of the building, I'm going to go try to find  
10 him and say well, he's awake, so if you want to talk  
11 to him, you know, now is your opportunity.

12 JOHN: Sure. Let's -- If you can do that,  
13 that's great, but I would really like to see Kathy  
14 with Brian.

15 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. Oh, yeah, that's,  
16 that's -- I'm, I'm sure of that. I'm positive about  
17 that.

18 JOHN: Great. Great.

19 MR. SCHNEIDER: You know, I mean, after  
20 talking to her myself before I called you and  
21 everything, and it was pretty clear to me and she, she  
22 kind of breathed a sigh of relief. And, and I says  
23 well, now, you know, you've made this decision, now,  
24 you know, follow right on through. And she says I am  
25 and so --

1 JOHN: Great, great.

2 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

3 JOHN: Good. Well, you want to get back to  
4 me then --

5 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah, I will, I will.

6 JOHN: -- when you talk to Kathy? And, and  
7 then soon as I get the word from you, I will have one  
8 of the fellows here call down to Protective  
9 Services --

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

10 JOHN: -- right away.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: I'm going to, I'm going to  
12 go talk to her, then I'm going to go talk back to  
13 David, and I'm going to try to get a message over to  
14 Oliver that he's awake and if he, if he wants he can  
15 probably -- now is the best time to do it.

15 JOHN: If he wants to go in there.

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

17 JOHN: And I'm sure she's going to be  
18 needing a little bit of support, too, from yourself.

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

19 JOHN: I'm sure of that.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

21 JOHN: Great, great. Give me a buzz a  
22 little later.

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1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, I will.

2 JOHN: Thank you very --

3 MR. SCHNEIDER: Talk to you later, John.

4 JOHN: Thank you very much, Steve.

5 MR. SCHNEIDER: Bye.

6 JOHN: Bye.

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8 (Telephone dialed and rings four times.)

9 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Hello?

10 JOHN: Hi.

11 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Hi.

12 JOHN: This is John. Is Steve around?

13 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Yeah, he's  
14 busy talking to David right now.

15 JOHN: Okay. Okey doke. Is Kathy around?

16 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Kathy?

17 JOHN: Yeah.

18 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: No, she's not,  
19 not around here. Maybe she's in her room or  
20 something.

21 JOHN: Okay. I was just curious -  
22 - We were just curious as to what the status of things  
23 were.

24 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Basically, I  
25 think it's the same as when Steve talked to you a  
while ago.



1                   JOHN: Okay. Great. Let's see, is -- how's  
2 David's health doing? That's one of the things we  
3 were concerned about, Steve and I were talking  
4 earlier.

5                   UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: I didn't ask  
6 him how he was doing.

7                   JOHN: No, no.

8                   UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: I've seen him,  
9 but I didn't ask him, so I, I can't really answer that  
10 question.

11                   JOHN: Okay. How, how did he look? How did  
12 it appear that he felt?

13                   UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Well, that's  
14 hard to answer, too, because someone can look okay,  
15 but, you know, I don't know how he feels.

16                   JOHN: I see.

17                   UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: I mean, he  
18 hides, he hides pain very well.

19                   JOHN: Pretty well, huh?

20                   UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Yeah.

21                   JOHN: Did, did they take the vital signs  
22 today?

23                   UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: I wouldn't  
24 know.

25                   JOHN: Wouldn't know?

1 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: No.

2 JOHN: Okay. Okey doke. Well, I, I guess  
3 I'll probably just wait for Steve to -- Is Julie  
4 around, by any chance?

5 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: No, she isn't.

6 JOHN: She isn't. Okay. I was trying to --  
7 We were trying to, you know, hopefully, there were no  
8 bad symptoms. And we were trying to relay any  
9 symptoms and hopefully, you know, they wouldn't be  
10 present. But there were certain things to look for,  
11 and if, if they were there, that was not good. And if  
12 they weren't there, then it was a good sign that the  
13 symptoms were unpresent. So that's basically it.

14 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Okay.

15 JOHN: Okay, could you ask Steve to give me  
16 a buzz when he gets out of talking with --

17 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Okay, I will.

18 JOHN: Is -- I take it David is not  
19 ambulatory then? He's not getting around too much?

20 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: He's not what?

21 JOHN: He's not moving around too much,  
22 walking around?

23 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: I don't think  
24 so. I don't, I don't think so, you know.

25 JOHN: Okay.

1 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: I can't answer  
2 those definite questions.

3 JOHN: I know what you're saying. I --

4 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: He doesn't  
5 appear to be.

6 JOHN: Sure. How, how far --

7 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: You know, easy  
8 with the kids and whatever.

9 JOHN: Sure. How far away is Kathy,  
10 physically I mean? It's a long way away?

11 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Yeah, it's a  
12 little bit away from the phone.

13 JOHN: Okay.

14 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Not close by.

15 JOHN: She's not close by? Would it be  
16 possible, do you think, to ask -- to go down and ask  
17 her to come to the phone, give me a call back?

18 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: Okay.

19 JOHN: All right. I'd appreciate it a lot.

20 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: All right.

21 JOHN: Thank you very much.

22 UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE SPEAKER: All right.

23 JOHN: Bye-bye.

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KATHY: John?

JOHN: Hi, this is John. Let me switch you over to the other phone. One second, please.

KATHY: Okay.

JOHN: Hi.

KATHY: Hi, this is Kathy.

JOHN: Hi, Kathy.

KATHY: Now you sound really weird.

JOHN: Do I really sound weird? I think I'm getting some feedback here in this thing. So how's that, better?

KATHY: That's better.

JOHN: Yeah. It sounded weird, sounded like I was in a tunnel.

KATHY: Yeah.

JOHN: Okay. Did, did Steve -- I'm sure he did -- pass you the good news?

KATHY: Which was?

JOHN: We were going to unite you with, with Brian?

KATHY: Brian, yes, he did.

JOHN: Right. How's that feel?

KATHY: That's good.

JOHN: Okay. Okay, good, good. I was pretty sure that he did. I'll tell you what we've

1 done.

2 KATHY: Do you think there'd be a  
3 possibility of seeing the other children, you know, at  
4 all?

5 JOHN: Let me check on that, but I know for  
6 sure, sure we have Brian. Absolutely, positively.

7 KATHY: Okay.

8 JOHN: So we're going to --

9 KATHY: I just, you know, the mothers of  
10 those kids are going oh, Kathy, could you just check  
11 on my kids and tell them I love them? You know,  
12 little stuff like that.

13 JOHN: I'm sure exactly what they have in  
14 mind. One second, please. [gap] They just explained  
15 to me that nighttime is a problem with Child  
16 Protective Services with the children.

17 KATHY: Well, I, I hadn't -- I'm not ready  
18 myself anyway.

19 JOHN: No, that's okay. Fine.

20 KATHY: I want the night to get myself  
21 ready, get myself -- try to get myself a little sleep  
22 and get cleaned up and get my belongings together so  
23 that tomorrow in the morning I'll be fresh. You know,  
24 I don't want to -- I've got a headache right now, you  
25 know.

1                   JOHN: I can imagine. I can imagine.

2                   KATHY: I'd like to be able to, you know,  
3 have a few hours here, you know, to say goodbye to  
4 everybody and --

5                   JOHN: Sure, sure. How about we schedule  
6 then -- This, this'll be fine. We can set it up with  
7 Child Protective Services, and why don't we start on  
8 this first thing in the morning?

9                   KATHY: Yeah, give me --

10                  JOHN: What's a good time for you?

11                  KATHY: Well, we have the daily from 8 to 9,  
12 so after 9 let me try to get either myself or Steve to  
13 contact you and let you know if I'm ready or whatever,  
14 and --

15                  JOHN: Sure.

16                  KATHY: -- we can set something up from  
17 there.

18                  JOHN: Okay, fine. That'd be great. And  
19 then we'll notify Child Protective Services.

20                  KATHY: Okay.

21                  JOHN: But I thought you'd be kind of happy  
22 about what we were able to set up.

23                  KATHY: That's great.

24                  JOHN: Yeah.

25                  KATHY: I know he wants his mommy. He's by

1 himself there.

2           JOHN: Very, very, very much so. Very, very  
3 much so. So I'm really excited about seeing you guys  
4 together myself.

5           KATHY: I bet you.

6           JOHN: I'm serious.

7           KATHY: I'm glad somebody cares.

8           JOHN: We sure do, very, very much, and I  
9 think you know that.

10          KATHY: I know you do.

11          JOHN: Okay. Why don't we -- Like I said,  
12 you know, why don't you just take, take all the time  
13 in the world you need to get things together tonight,  
14 whatever, tomorrow morning. And, as you can  
15 understand, it's not a problem but, by the same token,  
16 they need to know what we're going to do.

17          KATHY: Right.

18          JOHN: So we have to advise them. It is a  
19 separate agency. It's the state, not a federal, all  
20 that good stuff. And they --

21          KATHY: Well, I don't, I don't think they'll  
22 be in such a hurry that they're not going to have  
23 their time to be notified.

24          JOHN: No, no, no. It's not a question of  
25 notification at all. It's no rush. It's just we

1 wanted to give them some tentative times.

2 KATHY: Yeah.

3 JOHN: So --

4 KATHY: Well, like I said, you know, I'll  
5 try to either have myself or Steve contact you in the  
6 morning, after the daily.

7 JOHN: That's be great. That'd be great.

8 KATHY: And then we can set up something  
9 from there.

10 JOHN: We'll set up the schedule from there.

11 KATHY: Yeah.

12 JOHN: Good. I'll look forward to that very  
13 much.

14 KATHY: Okay.

15 JOHN: And if you do see Steve around, if  
16 you could --

17 KATHY: I think he's talking to David. If I  
18 see him later --

19 JOHN: Or if you could -- Well, yeah, maybe  
20 you could leave a message by the phone or something to  
21 call me when he finishes his contact with David. I  
22 know they had some things to talk about.

23 KATHY: Yeah, there are some pretty serious  
24 talks going on.

25 JOHN: Oh, really? How do you mean?



1 KATHY: Well, you, you wouldn't understand.

2 JOHN: Oh, okay. Well, give me a try.

3 KATHY: It's Bible stuff.

4 JOHN: Bible stuff, okay.

5 KATHY: You know, we have to --

6 JOHN: Right.

7 KATHY: We have to pray to God. We have

8 to --

9 JOHN: Absolutely.

10 KATHY: -- put our hearts, put our hearts to  
11 wisdom. I mean, we've just really been trying to, you  
12 know, do what's right.

13 JOHN: That I know. That I know. There's  
14 no question of your sincerity.

15 KATHY: Everybody, everybody's really  
16 spending a lot of time right now on prayer and stuff.

17 JOHN: Well, that's good. I will look  
18 forward to talking with you tomorrow morning around  
19 9 a.m. then.

20 KATHY: Okay.

21 JOHN: Great. Have a good night.

22 KATHY: Thank you, John.

23 JOHN: Bye-bye.

24 KATHY: Bye-bye.

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1 JOHN: Hello? Hello? Hello?

2 UNIDENTIFIED MALE SPEAKER: Call him back?

3 JOHN: I'm calling back Steve. Yeah, Steve.

4 (Telephone is dialed and rings two times.)

5 MR. SCHNEIDER: Hello?

6 JOHN: Steve?

7 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

8 JOHN: Technical problem. I apologize.

9 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay, no problem. I, I --  
10 Yeah, I was just in there talking with David for a  
11 while and we're trying to work out -- I've been  
12 talking to quite a few people and, and there's a few  
13 that want to talk to him. So it looks pretty sure now  
14 that Oliver's going to be coming out, also.

15 JOHN: Okay.

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: And I think there's going to  
17 be more. I mentioned Kevin. That looks pretty sure,  
18 also.

19 JOHN: Okay. What's Kevin's last name?

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Let's see, Kevin, Kevin,  
21 Kevin Whitecliff, Whitecliff.

22 JOHN: Right.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: And I believe there's going  
24 to be a Brad Branch, also.

25 JOHN: Brad Branch, okay.

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. And from there, I  
2 don't know yet. I'm still talking to a few more.

3 JOHN: Oh, super.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

5 JOHN: Super. That's wonderful.

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah. And they're, they're  
7 just now trying to all start working it out. Kathy,  
8 she's starting getting ready. She's pretty sure now  
9 she will be coming out. I think it'll be in the  
10 morning --

11 JOHN: Yes.

12 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- for sure now.

13 JOHN: I had spoke to her.

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: Oh, you did?

15 JOHN: Yeah. Here's --

16 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

17 JOHN: We, we arranged with Child Protective  
18 Services to have Brian here. I thought she would be -  
19 -And you transferred the message.

20 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right.

21 JOHN: And I thought she would be very  
22 excited about that, and, and she was. And I think  
23 she's really happy about that. In any case, the  
24 reason we needed a little bit of lead time, because of  
25 dealing with a state agency, obviously.

1 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

2 JOHN: And it's also -- And just physically  
3 picking up Brian and bringing Brian over.

4 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

5 JOHN: But the way we will work that,  
6 apparently, is that she would contact you, give me a  
7 call around 9 a.m.

8 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

9 JOHN: And we'll hook up at 9 a.m. for, for  
10 Kathy.

11 MR. SCHNEIDER: All right.

12 JOHN: Now, Oliver, Kevin and Brad, were  
13 they going to come out this afternoon?

14 MR. SCHNEIDER: I don't know. That's what  
15 I'm still working on. I've got a feeling it's going  
16 to be in the morning, also.

17 JOHN: Okay.

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: Maybe about the time or just  
19 right after she does. Maybe they just want to see how  
20 the procedure goes. But, yeah, it's, it's almost  
21 positive, I think, in the morning.

22 JOHN: Fine.

23 MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

24 JOHN: That's fine.

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: If they can, they might work

1 it out to go with her with you guys, or they might  
2 just let her go and then turn around and allow someone  
3 to come back and get them or something.

4 JOHN: That's fine. We'll work that out in  
5 the morning.

6 MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

7 JOHN: And if they change their mind and it  
8 becomes urgent this afternoon or something, we can do  
9 that, too.

10 MR. SCHNEIDER: Right. Yeah, okay. I would  
11 let you know right away --

12 JOHN: Sure.

13 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- if anyone wants to go  
14 right at the moment or whatever then.

15 JOHN: Sure. That's fine. So we'll work  
16 that out. Are they concerned about anything, you  
17 think?

18 MR. SCHNEIDER: Well, you know, I've tried  
19 to remember everything that you stated to me and tried  
20 to, you know, share that with them. And probably  
21 I'll, I'll try to get them even on the phone so if  
22 there's any other questions they might be able to ask  
23 you --

24 JOHN: Sure.

25 MR. SCHNEIDER: -- and share with them.

1                   JOHN: I'll be happy, I'll be happy to  
2 answer anything at all.

3                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Okay.

4                   JOHN: You know, we can, we can assuage any  
5 fears they have.

6                   MR. SCHNEIDER: There's a couple other --  
7 There's -- Anybody that I've been able to find that  
8 even shows any kind of a, you know, like a question,  
9 I've been trying to encourage. So I think there's a  
10 couple others that I'm, I'm talking to, but I, I don't  
11 know yet.

12                   JOHN: That's great.

13                   MR. SCHNEIDER: But, you know, I'm going to  
14 keep on talking to them and like into the evening yet  
15 here, so --

16                   JOHN: Wonderful, wonderful.

17                   MR. SCHNEIDER: Yeah.

18                   JOHN: How is David feeling?

19 (End of Tape #111.)  
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