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STEVE: Hello?

DWAYNE: Steve?

STEVE: Yeah.

DWAYNE: This is Dwayne.

STEVE: Dwayne.

DWAYNE: Hi.

STEVE: Hello.

DWAYNE: Hi. When I left yesterday, we were talking about ribbons and manuscripts. I understand there's been a lot of wing flapping here today.

STEVE: There's been a lot of what?

DWAYNE: Kind of wing flapping, feathers ruffled.

STEVE: Okay.

DWAYNE: Yeah. I just wanted to call in and check on a couple of things to see how things are going.

STEVE: Well, they're doing a pretty good job out here.

DWAYNE: Yeah.

1                   STEVE: They haven't taken the building down  
2 yet. I don't know why not.

3                   DWAYNE: Yeah. I understand they're moving  
4 those four, five vehicles that are left out of the  
5 front of the --

6                   STEVE: Oh, they're moving more than that.  
7 They'll probably accidentally, you know, run into the  
8 building again but that's fine.

9                   DWAYNE: Well, Steven, I can tell you we've  
10 taken every -- we've done everything here from our  
11 perspective to talk to them about caution and safety  
12 there.

13                   STEVE: Yeah, I believe ya.

14                   DWAYNE: And we've tried to even play the  
15 game. Steve, look, we, we talk to you guys all the  
16 time about safety. Let's try not to be hypocrites.  
17 You guys, you know, you got a job to do out there,  
18 move the --

19                   STEVE: No, no, I know, you guys got a job  
20 to do for sure.

21                   DWAYNE: No, no, I'm talking about even us  
22 talking to our guys driving those tanks out there.

23                   STEVE: Oh, yeah, yeah.

24                   DWAYNE: To say, be, be careful and don't,  
25 you know, don't drive it like a teenager.

1           STEVE: Okay.

2           DWAYNE: On thing we did do, Steven, --

3           STEVE: I appreciate that.

4           DWAYNE: -- just for the information, I know  
5 there was some particular concern about I think the  
6 Camaro and one other car that apparently are David's  
7 that are pretty valuable.

8           STEVE: Well, the Camaro is and, of course,  
9 they already destroyed the one that was a '68 El  
10 Camino. It had a 427 or something like --

11           DWAYNE: How -- just how did they destroy  
12 it? You mean (Indiscernible).

13           STEVE: They -- well, no, they shoved it  
14 aside --

15           DWAYNE: Okay. Well, --

16           STEVE: -- and then they ran over the top of  
17 it.

18           DWAYNE: Well, we're going -- well, we've  
19 talked to them as why don't I just tow that thing away  
20 rather than push it like some of the others and that's  
21 --

22           STEVE: Right.

23           DWAYNE: We've talked to them about doing --  
24 to try to, you know, to be as fair about this as  
25 possible.

1                   STEVE: Yeah, I believe you. I believe you.

2                   DWAYNE: We've got to do that.

3                   STEVE: I think in the beginning, you know,  
4 they were very anxious to do as much destruction as  
5 they could and --

6                   DWAYNE: Yeah. Yeah. Well, I, I, I don't  
7 think -- I hope that's not the case. As I understand,  
8 Steven, --

9                   STEVE: Well, yeah, if you watch, you, you'd  
10 know. I mean it's no part of you -- yourself, of  
11 course.

12                   DWAYNE: Yeah. So you understand, we can't  
13 see from here.

14                   STEVE: No, I know.

15                   DWAYNE: But I understand one thing that may  
16 have been -- something involved in this was I guess  
17 David Jones came out two-- two or three times again  
18 today?

19                   STEVE: No, apparently what he did, he said  
20 he didn't, but he -- someone else thought that it was  
21 him that walked out by the chickens and fed them or  
22 something. They do that every day, I guess, or ever  
23 since the days of talking with John Cox a couple of  
24 weeks ago. But I wasn't even aware of that. But,  
25 anyway, he apparently was the guy that went out. So,

1 they noticed how he was dressed.

2 DWAYNE: Yeah.

3 STEVE: Then he was standing in the door a  
4 little bit later and that's when they called me back  
5 and said the same guy was standing in the door. So, I  
6 went --

7 DWAYNE: Oh, he had opened the front door  
8 and was standing there?

9 STEVE: No, it's the back door and --

10 DWAYNE: The back door.

11 STEVE: -- they leave it open a lot of times  
12 for light and breeze and all that. So, apparently, he  
13 went and stood in that doorway --

14 DWAYNE: Yeah.

15 STEVE: -- the second time and that's when  
16 Henry gave me some information.

17 DWAYNE: Well, I think you understand after  
18 all our conversations, Steve, that sort of stuff gets  
19 some very interesting --

20 STEVE: Well, it made me -- actually, the  
21 truth is it made me mad even when I found out about it  
22 because I like to know what's going on.

23 DWAYNE: Yes.

24 STEVE: A lot of times people here do things  
25 -- you know, they think that they can do whatever they

1 want --

2 DWAYNE: Yeah.

3 STEVE: -- and I'm always saying, as anyone  
4 else here, if you don't want to be part of the body,  
5 well, then go on out.

6 DWAYNE: Yeah. It sounds like you're  
7 getting a bit frustrated with David. He's, he's not  
8 certainly not --

9 STEVE: Well, yeah, I don't know. He, he  
10 does things off and on that --

11 DWAYNE: Just as, as we were talking  
12 yesterday afternoon, we talked about the Casio ribbon  
13 and stuff like that, it seems to me things are  
14 progressing. And I sure don't want anything to  
15 interfere with that. I mean I know David's, you know,  
16 working on a manuscript but this sort of thing -- for  
17 example, you know, out of nowhere, that resulted in us  
18 being, you know, told very clearly, convey to them  
19 what we'll -- you know, the --

20 STEVE: I don't know -- see what this  
21 manuscript thing, Dwayne. I'm not sure what he's  
22 going to do or not do. I think it may slow the whole  
23 process down.

24 DWAYNE: Well, I, I, I hear what you're  
25 saying, Steve, and that's why I'm addressing this.

1                   STEVE: Yeah.

2                   DWAYNE: And we, we didn't want anything to,  
3 to slow that down. We're (Indiscernible).

4                   STEVE: Well, I know he was extremely -- I  
5 could tell even though he was calm and all that, I can  
6 see he was not a happy camper.

7                   DWAYNE: Well, I, I can understand that and  
8 that's why any little, you know, --

9                   STEVE: Because, you know, we're not  
10 convinced it's done for any reason of like protection  
11 --

12                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

13                   STEVE: -- of your people, ours or anything  
14 in between. I mean that's foolish nonsense. He was  
15 concerned about the evidences being destroyed, the  
16 shell casings from the ATF when they fired upon the  
17 building and (Indiscernible).

18                   DWAYNE: Well, I can assure you of this, you  
19 know, you know, we have literally thousands of  
20 pictures that have been taken of the entire area. It  
21 will be used to --

22                   STEVE: So, it picked up things like shell  
23 casings, you think?

24                   DWAYNE: Yes, no doubt about that because,  
25 you know, with all the overflights they've taken, very



1 high resolution pictures with the intent to completely  
2 --

3 STEVE: All right.

4 DWAYNE: -- recreate that. So, you know,  
5 if, if that's your concern, that things will be moved

6 -- STEVE: Well, it is, yes.

7 DWAYNE: Well, I can assure you, you know,  
8 it, it had to be moved for safety purposes but, but we  
9 can put everything back --

10 STEVE: You're too smart for that when you  
11 say for safety purposes and all that.

12 DWAYNE: Yeah.

13 STEVE: I mean what safety purposes?

14 DWAYNE: Well, for, for our -- look at it --  
15 look at it from our perspective. I think some of the  
16 difficulty, Steve, has been understandably all of you  
17 in there look at it from your perspective and we look  
18 at it from ours. I think it's, it's hard to do it any  
19 other way. But -- well, from your perspective, you  
20 had people killed. From the Federal Government's  
21 perspective, we had people killed. We don't want  
22 anybody else hurt. And what typically happens is a  
23 loss of control, somehow a mistake, an error, a  
24 misinterpretation. That's what we're very concerned  
25 about. That's why David moving around is --

1                   STEVE: Well, you know, you -- Dwayne, your  
2 people have done enough to definitely inten -- to  
3 cause, you know, a lot of strong reaction. If we were  
4 really a bunch of nuts here, of course, it would have  
5 happened many times over from the beginning.

6                   You know, you call me up about people  
7 looking out the window and yet you're damaging and  
8 encroaching and encroaching, running into the  
9 building. You got to remember, I, you know, -- I know  
10 you don't -- you guys don't see the Bible like we do  
11 but I'm, I'm going to stand in court more than one and  
12 so will you. You're going to stand in at least one,  
13 the same one as me, but I know you don't believe in  
14 the sun, moon and stars being darkened and the earth  
15 being shaken and all that. That's about ready to be  
16 happening. It's a nice sunny day today. The earth  
17 has been spinning around for 6000 years. But I  
18 believe what all the prophets had to say about this  
19 earth and it's, it's filled up it's cup already.  
20 Judgments are impending soon. No, no question about  
21 it.

22                   I'm more concerned about you as an  
23 individual and some of those people there. I really  
24 am.

25                   DWAYNE: Well, Steve, I can appreciate that

1 and, quite frankly, I respect what you're saying.  
2 What I -- and I think what I'm trying to do is at  
3 least in the same ballpark, to keep -- to do whatever  
4 I can to prevent things --

5 STEVE: I believe that.

6 DWAYNE: -- from happening on a much more  
7 secular level. But in many ways --

8 STEVE: But how much, how much do the  
9 commanders listen to you, though, Dwayne? I mean how  
10 much -- do they really listen to you at all?

11 DWAYNE: Well, perhaps from your  
12 perspective, it doesn't sound like they do but, you  
13 know, they, they are looking at a number of factors.

14 One thing that's been, you know, that drives  
15 this is a concern for the safety of everyone involved.  
16 Now, from our perspective, when people are moving  
17 around, that presents a potential threat. That's why,  
18 David, -- I mean -- I'm sorry, Steven, that we, we --  
19 they've come to us and said we're now instructing you,  
20 you guys that are talking to him, to tell him now that  
21 no one is allowed in the tower. And I, I know you  
22 didn't want to hear that but that's something you'll  
23 probably --

24 STEVE: Yeah, you guys will have to -- it's  
25 not going to be heeded so you'll have to do what

1 you've gotta to do in regards to that.

2           DWAYNE: Okay. But, you know, I don't know  
3 -- this is kind of a chicken or egg thing. I don't  
4 know what happened between six or seven o'clock  
5 yesterday afternoon, you know, which, which came  
6 first, whether David moved -- I mean David Jones went  
7 out there and did something but, but now that's  
8 something --

8           STEVE: No one was out last night or  
9 yesterday.

10           DWAYNE: I'm, I'm just, you know, I just  
11 want to do what I can. As I said, I speak fairly  
12 straight forwardly and I, I want to continue to do  
13 that so that at least there's no misinterpretation --

13           STEVE: I think -- don't you think there  
14 might be an excuse to do -- I mean, I mean, you, you  
15 know, yourself, the commanders are going to do what  
16 they want to do irregardless. Now, if you look at the  
17 prophecies, it talks about a place in the last days  
18 that's plowed like a field. Do you think, per chance,  
19 it could be this place?

19           DWAYNE: Well, --

20           STEVE: If you got into a vehicle and you  
21 came out here -- get into a Bradley, come out here and  
22 take a look and see what they've done with this place

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1 so far. It seems like it's being fulfilled. I would  
2 have never dreamed --

3 DWAYNE: No, I, I, I hear your  
4 interpretation but this isn't a plowed field. These  
5 are roads. But, you know, you asked if the commanders  
6 listen to us, you know--

7 STEVE: Uh-hum.

8 DWAYNE:--we went to them and said, look, if,  
9 if you feel the people out there need to move the cars  
10 for safety, at least tow away some.

11 STEVE: What kind, what kind of safety, what  
12 do you mean by that? Explain it.

13 DWAYNE: Okay. Let me go back to it.

14 STEVE: All right.

15 DWAYNE: If someone comes out of the  
16 building during the day or at night, those vehicles  
17 there presented potential hiding places.

18 STEVE: Okay.

19 DWAYNE: Now, -- and, and, you know, I know  
20 to you this may sound like, you know, an exaggeration  
21 or we're making mountains out of molehills; but, you  
22 know, there, you know, we have our fellow agents out  
23 there and you people inside. And you realize they are  
24 potential hiding places. So, if you can try to just  
25 kind of look at it from our perspective, that was a

1 concern. So, when they started moving and we went to  
2 them and we said, look, at least for as much as you  
3 count on these, can you at least tow them away so that  
4 you're, you're -- it doesn't appear that you wantonly  
5 --

6 STEVE: Well, that's good. I mean that,  
7 that part I do -- you know, appreciate.

8 DWAYNE: So, and that's why I think they,  
9 they said, all right, we'll try to tow them. So, they  
10 do listen to some things, all right.

11 But the flip side of that is clear we're  
12 told, tell them now because, of, you know, you know,  
13 the reports we saw of, you know, the original --  
14 innocent aren't -- no one is to be allowed in the  
15 tower. And, again, --

16 STEVE: Uh-huh.

17 DWAYNE: -- that's because it's, it's the  
18 high ground, all right. So, that's something we've  
19 been, we've been not asked but told to make very clear  
20 to you and I don't want this from me to you, Steve, to  
21 sound belligerent. I mean --

22 STEVE: Right. No, I understand.

23 DWAYNE: -- I am trying to tone my voice  
24 down so --

25 STEVE: No, I think -- I really appreciate -

1 -I really think that you have tried since the first  
2 day or so that I've talked with you.

3           DWAYNE: But I'm, but I'm, I'm under clear  
4 instructions to make that clear to you so I --

5           STEVE: Right. You have definitely done  
6 your job.

7           DWAYNE: -- want to do my job. Yeah. That  
8 no one is allowed in the tower.

9           STEVE: So, if they want to shoot anybody up  
10 there, tell them they're free to do so.

11           DWAYNE: Steve, nobody --

12           STEVE: I won't, I won't hold it against  
13 them.

14           DWAYNE: Well, that's, that's very  
15 compassionate of you but no one's saying anything  
16 about shooting anybody. The instructions, just no one  
17 in the tower, okay? Now, that's what I wanted to get  
18 clear.

19           STEVE: Can you do me a favor?

20           DWAYNE: I'll do what I can.

21           STEVE: Okay. Tell them it won't be heeded  
22 so they can do what they need to do at their next  
23 step.

24           DWAYNE: Well, I don't understand what you  
25 mean. it won't be heeded.

1                   STEVE: Meaning they've told us no one in  
2 the tower, meaning there will --

3                   DWAYNE: Oh, heeded, you mean H-E-E-D-E-D?

4                   STEVE: Yes, yes.

5                   DWAYNE: I thought you meant heated like  
6 warmed up.

7                   STEVE: No, no.

8                   DWAYNE: You're saying you're, you're not  
9 willing to pass that word on?

10                   STEVE: That's -- yes -- well, no, it's  
11 already passed on but it's not going to be taken.  
12 It's -- there are still going to be people in the  
13 tower.

14                   DWAYNE: Yeah, yeah. I don't know if we've  
15 had a chance to tell David this. He's aware that we  
16 are saying nobody should go in the tower.

17                   STEVE: Yes, I did tell him that.

18                   DWAYNE: You did tell him that?

19                   STEVE: Yes.

20                   DWAYNE: Is he the one who said we will not  
21 comply?

22                   STEVE: We all have.

23                   DWAYNE: Okay. You know, I don't know  
24 what's going to happen but, you know, what I want to  
25 stress to you is those are the instructions. If



1 you're saying essentially, the heck with you, we'll do  
2 it, I'm just very concerned.

3           STEVE: This is our -- no, this is -- and I  
4 -- until the day I take my last breath, Dwayne, --  
5 this has been America. It's come to the place where I  
6 think this all needs -- everything needs to really end  
7 as far as I'm concerned or you can bring the issues to  
8 the entire American people. But the Constitution has  
9 been so ripped apart and run over its principles that,  
10 you know, do what you got to do, Dwayne, honestly.

11           DWAYNE: Yeah.

12           STEVE: You tell the commanders that. If  
13 they tell us to not stay in some portion of our  
14 building, you can tell them it's not going to be  
15 heeded. They, they can do -- they can burn the place  
16 down. Bring -- like I said the other day, bring in  
17 your Abrams tanks and just run the whole place over and  
18 then stick a gravestone over the place.

19           DWAYNE: Well, I can certainly hear the  
20 frustration in your voice, Steve. You know, in, in  
21 the few times we've talked and, and, as I said, I  
22 listened for a long time --

23           STEVE: Uh-huh.

24           DWAYNE: -- before I talked with you and --

25           STEVE: Right.

1            DWAYNE: -- I know it's been frustrating in  
2 there. I think you would agree with me, this is where  
3 -- are we in day 50 now that if we, we --

4            STEVE: I don't know.

5            DWAYNE: -- I think we're in 49 or 50. If  
6 we, the federal government or the FBI, wanted to, to  
7 go in and, and knock buildings down, I mean why would  
8 we sit around for 50 days --

9            STEVE: Well, because number one, you do  
10 have to deal with the President and the opinion of the  
11 populous and all the rest. I mean I really believe  
12 that if it was left up to some of these Rambo types  
13 out here, that they would have done that in the first  
14 few days. But at the same time, you still have to,  
15 you know, you've got public opinion and all the rest  
16 and if that changes, that's even fine.

17           DWAYNE: Yeah.

18           STEVE: I just think that we as a people, as  
19 a group here, because we are avid listeners and we  
20 have looked for a word called wisdom and what it means  
21 in trying to get our priorities straight as we see the  
22 realities of the next world and this. That's why  
23 we're here. That's why we're continuing in the vein  
24 we are.

25           DWAYNE: Yeah, I understand. What, what I'm

1 looking for is this. I mean we, we've done what we  
2 could to say, all right, if you're going to move the  
3 vehicles, move them as--

4 STEVE: Right. And that -- for your part, -  
5 -I appreciate it.

6 DWAYNE: -- as compassionately as possible.  
7 We passed on these additional -- let's call them  
8 rules of safety. No one should be in the tower. You  
9 told us that you're aware of that. David is aware of  
10 that. If I understand you correctly and I think I do,  
11 both you and David are saying, well, we, we know what  
12 you told us to do. You told us not to go in the tower  
13 but we will do it if we want to.

14 STEVE: That's like saying, don't go use the  
15 toilet or don't eat or don't do this or don't do that,  
16 don't go in this room or that room.

17 DWAYNE: I know, I can --

18 STEVE: I mean it's, it's foolishness. You  
19 know, if it starts here and now, there's no ending to  
20 it and, you know, we can't, we're not going to respond  
21 accordingly.

22 DWAYNE: Well, what I, what I certainly --  
23 in trying to do my part on this to keep something from  
24 starting that wasn't anyone's intentions, you know.

25 STEVE: I think -- what you're really saying

1 the commanders -- I think what they've been waiting  
2 for is us to start something. I, I got a feeling  
3 that's it or --

4 DWAYNE: Well, may, maybe David, you know,  
5 Jones moving around like that was misinterpreted or  
6 over interpreted.

7 STEVE: Oh, most definitely because I just --  
8 --he's that kind of a -- he's always been that kind of  
9 a personality. I mean he was --

10 DWAYNE: What, what prompts him to do that,  
11 Steve?

12 STEVE: I don't even know. He's --

13 DWAYNE: I mean you --

14 STEVE: -- I don't know. He's that --

15 DWAYNE: When you confront him or talk to  
16 him and say, David, why did you do this, what does he  
17 say?

18 STEVE: Well, he said he didn't do it,  
19 number one. And then I --

20 DWAYNE: I remember one time --

21 STEVE: -- said a couple of girls saw you  
22 standing in the doorway.

23 DWAYNE: Okay. So, he lies to you and --  
24 but other people have told you, yeah, I saw him there  
25 so --

STEVE: Yeah. Well, so, I mean --

1                   DWAYNE: And then once you --

2                   STEVE: -- but at the same time, if, if  
3 anything, -- well, no one was out yesterday or last  
4 evening or in the afternoon but today apparently he  
5 was and then, secondarily, he was standing in the  
6 doorway.

6                   DWAYNE: Yeah, okay. Well, --

7                   STEVE: He was out feeding the chickens.  
8 Someone's always fed the chickens since the days that  
9 John Cox mentioned, you know, that it was not a big  
10 deal. They usually go out there, throw some feed and  
11 they're back in again.

12                   DWAYNE: Yeah. You know, well, there, there  
13 are a couple of -- there are three or four issues I  
14 wanted to cover with you and there's one I'd still  
15 like to get to --

15                   STEVE: Okay.

16                   DWAYNE: -- 'cause I, I'd like to, you know,  
17 move up at least some -- to try to keep things moving  
18 in a positive way.

18                   STEVE: Uh-huh.

19                   DWAYNE: I think I've done what I could to  
20 reassure you that, that there will be no evidence  
21 destroyed, that this entire area has been photographed  
22 microscopically --

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1                   STEVE: Okay.

2                   DWAYNE: -- and, and those pictures will be  
3 in evidence, you know, when this is finally  
4 adjudicated.

5                   STEVE: Good.

6                   DWAYNE: We've done everything we can to  
7 have the, the vehicles moved as nicely as possible, be  
8 towed rather than pushed.

9                   STEVE: Right.

10                  DWAYNE: We've talked about that, you know,  
11 that, you know, who actually started first is not --

12                  STEVE: By the way, -- can I just respond to  
13 about what you said, towed instead of pushed? They  
14 did pull and -- or tow his vehicle to a certain point  
15 and then they got behind it and pushed it. So, I'm  
16 sure the tie rods, -- the front end's all bent up and  
17 --

18                  DWAYNE: Yeah.

19                  STEVE: -- messed up but hopefully --

20                  DWAYNE: Yeah.

21                  STEVE: -- the body's not real bad.

22                  DWAYNE: Yeah. You know, and it is  
23 frustrating quite frankly, Steve, I think in some  
24 ways. Those of us you've talked to here, me and Henry  
25 and all the Johns and -- run the same way you are.

1 You know, we're, we're kinda saying, look, you got  
2 guys like David Jones doing this and you're saying,  
3 look, I'm doing everything I can. Sometimes it's like  
4 trying to push a string. You go to people and explain  
5 to them the consequences of their behavior and they  
6 say, yes, I understand.

6 STEVE: I'm going to still try to work that  
7 out, by the way, with him.

8 DWAYNE: Okay.

9 STEVE: I just haven't -- in fact, I went up  
10 to talk to him once and now that David is around, --

11 DWAYNE: Yeah.

12 STEVE: -- I'm going to sit down with him  
13 and talk to him about the problem.

14 DWAYNE: Yeah. But see this is -- remember  
15 yesterday when we talked, I said, you know, the thing  
16 I've seen happen is misinterpretations create tempest  
17 in a teapot. And maybe something like this happened.

18 So, that's why we passed on all this stuff. And the  
19 last thing again, of course, is I know you guys have  
20 said many times you understand what we're saying now,  
21 no one can be in the tower. You said we understand  
22 but we're going to do what we feel we have to do.

21 Now, let's see -- that's correct, right?

22 STEVE: Well, I understand what your  
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1 statement is, that no one's to be in the tower. And I  
2 would imagine it's the building in the middle of the  
3 complex here.

4 DWAYNE: Yeah, that's, that's -- yeah, the  
5 one right in the middle, the tallest part there.

6 STEVE: Uh-huh. But, yeah, I was -- like I  
7 said, you know, you've said that, you've said many  
8 things from day one through -- it was Jim Kavanaugh  
9 first and then right on through --

9 DWAYNE: Yeah.

10 STEVE: -- and, you know, like you say, we  
11 both have made statements, the first statements being  
12 that your vehicles would not be anywhere on the  
13 perimeter but on the perimeter, not the property.  
14 But, of course, that was not heeded from the first  
15 night on.

15 DWAYNE: Let me ask you this. I want to get  
16 back to talking about, you know, the ribbons that --

17 STEVE: Yeah.

18 DWAYNE: -- we talked about yesterday. And  
19 I understand even the idea of milk for the, the kids  
20 was discussed. Let me ask you this, in the interest  
21 of trying to get things moving, is there any reason  
22 someone has to be in the tower? What -- what's  
23 driving that?  
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1                   STEVE:  Maybe it's just because it's still  
2 our property and it's like people don't want to lose  
3 their final freedoms of being Americans and just, just  
4 the whole concept of being told what to do in, in and  
5 on your own premises.

6                   DWAYNE:  Yeah, I understand that.

7                   STEVE:  I mean, you know, by giving in to  
8 one thing, it just -- it doesn't stop.  You know, you  
9 people are always talking about the concern and safety  
10 and so forth but yet things have been done where -- no  
11 question, Graham could have been injured really bad  
12 when they ran into the building.  His bed was -- it's  
13 paper thin board here and it --

14                   DWAYNE:  Yeah.

15                   STEVE:  -- moved his bed, him and the bed.  
16 His head was near the wall.  It moved him at least a  
17 foot and something.

18                   DWAYNE:  Yeah.

19                   STEVE:  So, I mean that sort of thing and  
20 all that -- other things you've done, you know, we've  
21 sat back and watched you encroach and encroach and,  
22 you know, yet you keep on saying what you want and  
23 what your demands are in regards to your own safety,  
24 yet you apparently go contrary to anything to do with  
25 our safety.

1                   DWAYNE: Well, we've tried to, to stress it  
2 as safety for, for both parties here, the, the, the  
3 long enforcement agents and the people inside because  
4 if anything happens, you know, all of us will be at  
5 risk. And, and we don't, we don't want that to  
6 happen. We don't want these unnecessary or these  
7 problems coming out of left field.

8                   You know, what, what I don't -- I really  
9 don't want is this, this new statement about don't go  
10 in the tower, to become a lion in the sand or I almost  
11 get the, the, the kind of picture of two guys  
12 standing, you know, chest to chest, and kind of  
13 pushing and saying, all right, who's going to push --

14                   STEVE: Well, it almost reminds me of  
15 that sort of thing, you know.

16                   DWAYNE: And I, and I, I, I am trying the  
17 best I can not to present it in that way.

18                   STEVE: You know, see, this -- I'll tell  
19 you, Dwayne, why it's so ridiculous. It's because,  
20 number one, you will learn one day that those  
21 individuals that came here that Sunday came with the  
22 intent for murder as when you take a look --  
23 ultimately you should be able to take a look at  
24 David's old room and how it was shot from the sky.

25                   DWAYNE: Yeah.



1 that -- you know, already my life has been affected by  
2 this government, not the people of America but by this  
3 government, by agencies that have become so powerful.

4 I mean I don't know if you believe in the illuminati  
5 or the trilateral commission, council on foreign  
6 relations but I know they exist. I've known people  
7 that have belonged and have been connected in one way  
8 or another. So, I mean I know what their world plan  
9 is. They have no --

9 DWAYNE: Yeah.

10 STEVE: -- patriotism for this country and,  
11 and all the rest. And when you get into the reasons  
12 for the Viet Nam War, ten years of going on and on and  
13 on, when you and I know this technological nation so  
14 powerful could have ended it in days. I mean but you  
15 and I know there's a lot -- I mean you'd have to be an  
16 igno not to be somewhat awake and looking for motives  
17 and reasons beyond the scenes. I mean this is all  
18 written in the Bible, Dwayne.

17 DWAYNE: Yeah.

18 STEVE: The merchants were the great men of  
19 the earth it says in Revelation 18, and by their  
20 sorceries they've deceived all the earth.

21 DWAYNE: Yeah.

22 STEVE: That's a pretty strong statement  
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1 made 2000 years ago.

2           DWAYNE: Yeah. Well, you know, some of the  
3 statements you've made recently. I mean I -- David,  
4 I, I'm not in your position. It would be ludicrous of  
5 me to say I know how you feel. But as much as  
6 possible, I think I understand what you're saying.  
7 And what you seem to be saying --

8           STEVE: I think you do.

9           DWAYNE: -- is I know I'm going to have to  
10 answer for this.

11           STEVE: I do.

12           DWAYNE: You said numerous times that, that  
13 -- in your words, that, you know, no one did anything  
14 wrong in there. It was the actions of the ATF. But  
15 you also have acknowledged that the only way that's  
16 going to be finally resolved is to come out and do --

17           STEVE: No, I agree. Dwayne, that I agree on.

18           DWAYNE: And all I'm trying to do, if we --  
19 we'll come right back to where we were, --

20           STEVE: Okay.

21           DWAYNE: -- is to, to, to get that done.  
22 And if, if what you're saying is true, I, I certainly  
23 trust our legal system. But I don't want anything to  
24 go wrong in, you know, in the meantime and have this  
25 thing turn into a, a disaster with a lot of people --

1                   STEVE: Well, --

2                   DWAYNE: Just because --

3                   STEVE: -- no, I understand what you're  
4 saying.

5                   DWAYNE: -- somebody like, like David Jones  
6 comes outside to smoke a cigarette.

7                   STEVE: Or if someone like your, your tanks  
8 running into the building in the middle of the night  
9 or destroying, destroying, destroying, flipping the  
10 finger, doing all -- throwing slash bangs, doing all  
11 sorts of --

12                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

13                   STEVE: -- intimidating, threatening -- I  
14 mean we haven't done that.

15                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

16                   STEVE: We haven't as much as pointed a  
17 broom handle at you people and yet you point your  
18 turrets and these 25 millimeter guns at us constantly,  
19 constantly. So, --

20                   DWAYNE: But can we at least agree, Steve,  
21 that --

22                   STEVE: I mean what do you think of that?  
23 Isn't that -- what, what a one way street we have  
24 going here, isn't it?

25                   DWAYNE: Well, --

1                   STEVE: The only thing we have is a life to  
2 give up to you yet and, you know, if you would like, -

3                   DWAYNE: Well, --

4                   STEVE: -- you can pass on to them. They  
5 ultimately -- you and I both know they can and if they  
6 want to, go ahead.

7                   DWAYNE: You have more than that. I mean I  
8 know you have, you have weapons in there but at least  
9 I think you and I can agree, Steve, that we're both  
10 pretty frustrated with the way things are. I mean I,  
11 I, --

12                   STEVE: I was -- I wished you were  
13 frustrated with this world and its conditions, how it  
14 is. Just because you and I were born and had the  
15 convenience of being raised in America, you and I with  
16 full stomachs and being able to go to college and  
17 pursue whatever you would like.

18                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

19                   STEVE: You being an agent and me being  
20 whatever.

21                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

22                   STEVE: There are people dying every day  
23 that are born in India, Bangladesh, here, there,  
24 Siberia, someone because they want to speak their  
25 mind, they're taken off like, I mean a million times

1 over it's happened in this crazy world. And there's -  
2 - what is wrong with this place? Do you -- do you and  
3 I think that we're going to change it after 6000  
4 years?

5 DWAYNE: Well, --

6 STEVE: You know, First Thessalonians,  
7 Chapter 5, it says in the final days we're going to  
8 cry peace and safety but sudden destruction comes upon  
9 them.

10 DWAYNE: Well, let me go back to something I  
11 said to you, I think, -

12 STEVE: Okay.

13 DWAYNE: -- in our first conversation. And  
14 you've acknowledged you were pretty exhausted then,  
15 don't remember it. I don't think I'm going to change  
16 anything in this world but I do believe --

17 STEVE: I know I am, Dwayne.

18 DWAYNE: Well, but I -- well, I'll say  
19 something to make a corollary of that but I do --

20 STEVE: Okay.

21 DWAYNE: -- believe each of us is  
22 responsible every day for our own behavior. And  
23 that's what I'm trying to do, is be completely  
24 responsible for my behavior. And I, I think you've  
25 been trying to do that with yours. You know, there is



1 a lot of frustration on your part and on my part but  
2 one thing, no one's been hurt, no one's been hurt  
3 since 2/28. We have been working together and it's  
4 been a very, very volatile time and maybe we're  
5 grasping at straws here but that's something I think  
6 we should acknowledge. No one's been hurt since,  
7 since February 28th. You've done as much as possible,  
8 your part. And we've done our part. And all we're  
9 trying to do here is not let something go wrong as  
10 David's working on the manuscript, all right. And  
11 maybe it's a chicken and an egg cart -- discussion --  
12 what happened today.

12 STEVE: Well, see, my concern is I, I  
13 appreciate what you're saying there but if you were  
14 around from the beginning, the beginning days, I was  
15 working real well as was Dave with John Dolan.  
16 Really, we were. We were doing very well,  
17 personalities. People started to pick-up being sent  
18 out and so forth. All of a sudden that was ended when  
19 destruction started. And then again we started with  
20 John Cox. Seven were sent out in a 24 hour period.  
21 And, again, destruction, cutting the phone lines,  
22 running them over, playing these weird sounds. That  
23 was in response to our sending those seven out.  
24 Immediately that took place.

1                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

2                   STEVE: So, every time we have started --  
3 like this manuscript starts now, then all of a sudden  
4 they do more destruction. It seems like it always  
5 coincides. I don't know if it's planned or what by  
6 these commanders but what, whatever attempts we make  
7 to start trying to get things rolling or whatever but  
8 at the same time, of course, like I told you, it was  
9 shown to him what he's to be doing in regards to the  
10 manuscript.

11                   DWAYNE: It almost sounds like, Steve, there  
12 are almost four sets of people involved here. There's  
13 --

14                   STEVE: It seems that way.

15                   DWAYNE: -- you, you and David and perhaps  
16 some of the others that we've talked to a lot and  
17 those of us that have been talking to you, and then,  
18 then, the, the rest of your compound who have been  
19 doing things that cause us concern and then the rest  
20 of all the federal presence here that have been doing  
21 things that concern you. Do you see what I'm looking  
22 at?

23                   STEVE: Yes, I do.

24                   DWAYNE: We talk about and it's -- I guess  
25 it's like, you know, moving hundreds and hundreds of

1 people out there. Often there's a, you know, a slip  
2 between the, the, the tongue and paper.

3 But yesterday we talked about ribbons and,  
4 and I understand today the idea of perhaps milk for  
5 the kids came up again. We would like to  
(Indiscernible) that.

6 STEVE: Henry brought, Henry bought, brought  
7 that up.

8 DWAYNE: You know, perhaps as a --

9 STEVE: Can I say something in regards to  
10 that because yesterday or the day before is when it  
11 was suggested by one of the negotiators about sending  
12 ribbon in. That one never came from us.

12 DWAYNE: Yeah.

13 STEVE: And then when you and I were talking  
14 about it, all of a sudden it seemed to turn into a  
15 trade or something, that we'll send in this and that  
16 and then in return, you know, --

17 DWAYNE: The manuscript?

18 STEVE: Yes. And --

19 DWAYNE: Well, --

20 STEVE: -- then like now today, of course,  
21 it was suggested by Henry earlier about send -- how  
22 about milk? Well, that really surprised the heck out  
23 of me.

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1                   DWAYNE: Well, let me be straightforward  
2 with you.

3                   STEVE: Okay.

4                   DWAYNE: You know, in some ways few people  
5 out here understand what we're trying to do and, and  
6 we have to be very cautious in, in offering you things  
7 because we're not the final approval. And the one  
8 thing we tried not to do is say, well, would you be  
9 interested and ask you, would this help, and then have  
10 -- and have you say, well, yeah, that would be very  
11 nice and have us come back and say, nope, sorry, it's  
12 not going to happen.

13                   We have checked on some things. I mean we,  
14 we don't want -- I think you'll agree those --  
15 particularly the babies in there are, are really the  
16 true innocents here. I mean the --

17                   STEVE: Well, I think all of us are. I  
18 don't care -- if I'm a baby that's 43 years old and --

19                   DWAYNE: Okay. Well, we want to work toward  
20 a common goal of resolving this. Now, the issue over,  
21 over that, what you're calling a quid pro quo or  
22 something like that, was, was never designed to be  
23 that way. But bear with me now. Let me finish this  
24 so you don't mis-- misunderstand me. I know you  
25 listen to the press releases and you hear some of the

1 commanders that say, you know, we don't have much hope  
2 that he's really doing this. The way I perceived this  
3 discussion about the ribbons and the first manuscript  
4 coming out was not so much a quid pro quo, you know  
5 this for that, but rather a show of let's, let's call  
6 it progress or good faith on both sides.

6 STEVE: I, I, -- Dwayne, I don't want --  
7 it's not that I want to interrupt you 'cause I want to  
8 pick up on this --

9 DWAYNE: Yeah.

10 STEVE: -- but is there any way -- can I  
11 call you back in 45 minutes, because it's the daily  
12 rate now?

12 DWAYNE: Oh, okay.

13 STEVE: I didn't -- I did not realize. No  
14 wonder someone looked at me kind of funny here a  
15 minute ago.

16 DWAYNE: Yeah, why are you talking to these  
17 heathens out here if --

18 STEVE: Well, no, it's not that. No, not  
19 that. In fact, you know, I'd be more than happy to  
20 talk about you but if it's about the Bible or truth or  
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21 DWAYNE: Okay. No, okay.

22 STEVE: -- living forever or something of  
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1 that nature.

2 DWAYNE: Yeah. All right. Well, you call  
3 back then because I think --

4 STEVE: You don't want to talk about that?

5 DWAYNE: Well, you --

6 STEVE: Dwayne, okay, I'll call you back in  
7 45.

8 DWAYNE: Well, you know, to, to be -- I'll  
9 be, I'll be straightforward with you, Steve. I know  
10 it's, it's important but sometimes the timing of  
11 things is not right.

12 STEVE: I know. I know. I know what you're  
13 saying.

14 DWAYNE: For your priorities, you want to  
15 take an hour off here. If it were up to me, I would  
16 say, no, these, these secular issues are much more  
17 important. But I'm willing to respect --

18 STEVE: Oh, that's great.

19 DWAYNE: -- your stepping aside. I'll leave  
20 you the thought, --

21 STEVE: Okay.

22 DWAYNE: -- we'd like to, in a sense, prove  
23 to or show to the people here that are very frustrated  
24 that David is working on the manuscript because see  
25 right now all we have is --

1                   STEVE: But he isn't right now, he just  
2 walked by.

3                   DWAYNE: I, I mean over the last few days.

4                   STEVE: Oh, he has been but I don't know  
5 about now.

6                   DWAYNE: All we have is -- Steve, Steve, --  
7 yeah, I don't mean exactly this minute but he -- you  
8 know, he told us he finished the first and was almost  
9 finished with the second. And the, I think,  
10 legitimate statement is, all right, those -- I mean  
11 how do we know? He's, --

12                   STEVE: Yeah.

13                   DWAYNE: -- he's told us that. That's what  
14 I'm trying to set up.

15                   STEVE: I don't know -- I don't know what  
16 he's going to do now that you people have done or  
17 meaning the commanders have done what they've done out  
18 front --

19                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

20                   STEVE: -- and all that. I don't really  
21 know.

22                   DWAYNE: Okay. Just --

23                   STEVE: I just know he's not working on it  
24 right now, for the first time in the daytime, --

25                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

1                   STEVE:  -- anyway, I've seen him walk by  
2 here.

3                   DWAYNE:  Well, let, let's just leave it like  
4 that.  If you want to take off --

5                   STEVE:  Okay.

6                   DWAYNE:  -- for the daily, that's obviously  
7 your prerogative.

8                   STEVE:  Okay.

9                   DWAYNE:  But the issue --

10                  STEVE:  I'll call you back in a little bit.

11                  DWAYNE:  The issue of the ribbons and the  
12 milk is, is still out there for discussion.

13                  STEVE:  I'll pick up on that.  Okay.

14                  DWAYNE:  Okay.

15                  STEVE:  I'll pick up on that with you .

16                  DWAYNE:  And, and don't forget we're still  
17 saying no one in the tower.

18                  STEVE:  Yeah, oh, yeah.  I mean that's fine.

19                  DWAYNE:  Okay.  That's clear to you?

20                  STEVE:  Listen.

21                  DWAYNE:  That's clear to you and David and  
22 (Indiscernible).

23                  STEVE:  Can you say something else?  Tell  
24 your commanders to say something else, too.

25                  DWAYNE:  Well, --



1                   STEVE: Let me add this. Tell them to say  
2 no one in the building also.

3                   DWAYNE: Well, we kind of like --

4                   STEVE: It's, it's the same thing.

5                   DWAYNE: Are you willing to go along with  
6 that?

7                   STEVE: That's the thing, we're not willing  
8 to go along with that.

9                   DWAYNE: But you have -- David is --

10                  STEVE: You know, see we've gone along with  
11 a lot of things and, --

12                  DWAYNE: Yeah.

13                  STEVE: -- you know, we've not squawked  
14 loudly when you've destroyed a lot of property. We've  
15 mentioned it and so forth but, obviously, we're not  
16 really into material things.

17                  DWAYNE: But you're aware that --

18                  STEVE: As far as you asking us not to be in  
19 the building, we can't comply.

20                  DWAYNE: But, but David's aware of it and  
21 you're aware of it. You've told the other people.  
22 So, at least we can --

23                  STEVE: And the same with that courtyard,  
24 I've already told you that won't -- that is another  
25 place that will not be heeded nor any part of this

1 building or the immediate premises.

2           We -- I go along with you when someone's  
3 outside, if they come near the building, I'm, I'm --  
4 for their safety also and I can understand that.  
5 That's why when a young man went out the one window  
6 the one day and you had a Bradley or so out on the one  
7 back side, I was also mad that he was out there at  
8 that time and in view of where he was. And he got  
9 really chastised bad.

9           See, I go -- anything's that common sense,  
10 that makes sense, but telling us to be not here or  
11 there in the building, you know, that --

12           DWAYNE: Right.

13           STEVE: -- that's - that won't -- just so  
14 you can pass on to the commanders, --

15           DWAYNE: Sure, Steve.

16           STEVE: -- that's not going to be heeded.

17           DWAYNE: We, we can't make you do anything  
18 in the building. We understand that. But I just want  
19 to make sure that you had passed it on to David and  
20 all --everybody inside were told. That's what we were  
21 saying now, that no one should be in the tower.  
22 You've told me you're aware of it, that David's aware  
23 of it, and you've passed it on to all the other  
24 people.

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1                   STEVE: Uh-huh.

2                   DWAYNE: And you've, you've also said that  
3 you have no intention of heeding that. That, that --  
4 I'm sorry to hear that. But I just want to make sure  
5 --

6                   STEVE: Well, it's just like you're asking  
7 us or telling us to come -- like send 30 out -- here's  
8 what you've done also, send 30 people out or else  
9 you'll suffer the consequences. You know, you've done  
10 that from very early on in this -- in the negotiating  
11 process.

12                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

13                   STEVE: So, you know, you need to --

14                   DWAYNE: I just want to make sure the, the  
15 information was there and, and the, the typewriter  
16 ribbons and the milk for the kids is still open for  
17 discussion when, when you call back.

18                   STEVE: Okay.

19                   DWAYNE: And that will be at about a little  
20 after four?

21                   STEVE: Yeah.

22                   DWAYNE: Okay.

23                   STEVE: Okay, I'll talk to you then.

24                   DWAYNE: Okay, Steve.

25                   STEVE: Okay, bye.

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DEC: Hello?

STEVE: Hello, Dwayne?

DEC: This is Dec.

STEVE: It's Dec, huh?

DEC: Yeah. And I, I presume that you're  
Steve?

STEVE: I presume it, too.

DEC: How ya doing?

STEVE: Dec, yeah, you definitely have a  
unique way of answering. I should have known  
immediately. I, I could tell when --

DEC: Was that -- is that good or bad? Is  
that friendly or unfriendly?

STEVE: No. Most definitely friendly.

DEC: Yeah. How are you doing?

STEVE: Okay. I, I was just calling because  
I didn't know they had -- some of the guys here, where  
they play the unique sounds -- we were talking, we  
didn't know if they were trying to get a message to us  
or -- but apparently not. I don't know. I was going  
to call --

DEC: I'll have to check on that, Steve. I  
really don't know.

STEVE: Okay.

1           DEC: What-- were they--?

2           STEVE: Well, I was busy toward the middle  
3 of the building. A lot of people came and said I -- I  
4 don't know if they're trying to communicate with us or  
5 not. And by the time I came out, they stopped talking  
6 and then they started putting the sounds back on. So,  
7 I didn't hear what -- they said something. You could  
8 tell it was live but I couldn't, I couldn't make it  
9 out.

9           DEC: Yeah. So, you don't know whether it  
10 was requests for you or --

11           STEVE: Yeah, I didn't know.

12           DEC: Okay.

13           STEVE: Exactly.

14           DEC: All right. Let me -- I can certainly  
15 check on that and --

16           STEVE: Okay.

17           DEC: -- and get back with you as soon as I  
18 can here.

19           STEVE: Okay. I'll wait right here.

20           DEC: All right.

21           STEVE: Okay.

22           DWAYNE: Okay.

23           STEVE: Bye.

24           DWAYNE: Bye.

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STEVE: Hello?

DEC: Again, Steve.

STEVE: Yeah.

DEC: Guess who?

STEVE: Yeah, Dec.

DEC: Yeah. I checked and, apparently,  
nobody was trying to contact you all in --

STEVE: Oh, okay.

DEC: -- the compound there.

STEVE: They were just whistling for the  
dogs through the speaker system there and they were  
making some more strange sounds --

DEC: Oh.

STEVE: -- live. So, I guess that was --  
apparently, that's what they were doing originally.

DEC: Okay. Maybe they were singing.

STEVE: Yeah, they might try that next, I  
suppose.

DEC: So, --

STEVE: They -- I guess the choppers were  
flipping everybody the finger today. So, --

DEC: I'm sorry?

STEVE: The choppers that flew by were  
flipping everybody the finger.

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DEC: Oh.

STEVE: But those, those -

DEC: You mean the people in the choppers,  
right?

STEVE: Yeah.

DEC: Yeah.

STEVE: Are those FBI agents?

DEC: I don't know who they are. I presume  
some of them might be.

STEVE: Okay. I just wondered.

DEC: Okay. Dwayne indicated awhile ago  
that he would be getting back with you all --

STEVE: Okay.

DEC: -- sometime later, you know, in the  
next couple of hours, I presume, to --

STEVE: Okay.

DEC: -- discuss a couple of issues.

STEVE: I'll have someone listen for the  
phone 'cause I can't always tell, you know, with all  
the sounds playing on the outside.

DEC: Okay.

STEVE: A lot of times it sounds a lot like  
the phone.

DEC: You're not going out for dinner or  
you're not going out anywhere this evening?

1                   STEVE: I was thinking about it. Well, I, I  
2 was --

3                   DEC: Will you be around tonight?

4                   STEVE: Well, yeah, I was thinking about  
5 going down and taking a dip in the lake there.

6                   DEC: Oh.

7                   STEVE: Yeah.

8                   DEC: Did you get your racquetball game in  
9 today or not?

10                  STEVE: Not yet. The racquet's hanging on  
11 the wall, though.

12                  DEC: Oh --

13                  STEVE: But I think I'll pass today. It's  
14 kind of a warm day.

15                  DEC: Dwayne is signaling for me to be nice.  
16 Have I never not been nice to you?

17                  STEVE: No, you -- I don't ever recall that  
18 you haven't been nice.

19                  DEC: Except -- well, you got a little  
20 excited at me one day.

21                  STEVE: I did?

22                  DEC: Yeah.

23                  STEVE: Oh shame on me.

24                  DEC: Just, just short of insulting me but  
25 everything turned out all right.



1 STEVE: Now, when was this?

2 DEC: That was early on.

3 STEVE: Oh, really?

4 DEC: Yeah.

5 STEVE: Okay.

6 DEC: About the second -- sometime in the  
7 second week.

8 STEVE: Oh, yes, on a Saturday, I do recall.

9 DEC: Right, Saturday morning.

10 STEVE: Yes, when I was working so well with  
11 Dolan and all of a sudden it came to an abrupt stop.  
12 I remember.

13 DEC: Yeah. And then they handed the phone  
14 to me, said, here, you take care of it. Right?

15 STEVE: I know. I know. I feel sorry for  
16 you.

17 DEC: Well, listen, Dwayne, unless --

18 STEVE: Yeah.

19 DEC: -- there's something else, will  
20 probably be getting back to you later.

21 STEVE: No, I was just going to tell you, I  
22 didn't -- I wanted to check back on that and see what  
23 was going on just in case there was somebody trying to  
24 communicate because I can't always tell. I'm always  
25 back in a place where I can't always hear real well.

1           DEC: Okay. Well, I was standing over here  
2 in the next room when the phone just -- when you just  
3 called back.

4           STEVE: Are these guys across -- are these  
5 the guys across the street in the house that operate  
6 the speakers? Apparently, they must be. Huh?

7           DEC: Are there?

8           STEVE: Yeah. Is that where they're  
9 located?

10          DEC: I don't know where they're located.

11          STEVE: Probably. I would assume so just  
12 by, you know, the way, some of the things they have  
13 said and what they've been doing.

14          DEC: Yeah. I've been probably a half a  
15 mile away from there so I, I know where the speakers  
16 are but --

17          STEVE: Yeah.

18          DEC: -- I don't know --

19          STEVE: You have, huh? What, in the  
20 Bradleys or --

21          DEC: No, kind of on foot, in a car. And  
22 then I could kind of --

23          STEVE: No, kidding.

24          DEC: -- see from there and then --

25          STEVE: Well, next time we're --

1                   DEC: -- flew over in a chopper here about a  
2 week ago.

3                   STEVE: Did you really?

4                   DEC: Yeah. I didn't see you, though. I  
5 thought you might be looking in the win -- out the  
6 window and I didn't see you.

7                   STEVE: Well, if I had of known that, I  
8 would have waved out the window.

9                   DEC: Oh, we didn't get very close.

10                  STEVE: Oh, okay.

11                  DEC: Somewhat cautious.

12                  STEVE: Some of these guys are trying out  
13 all sorts of things, as you would know, these days.

14                  DEC: Oh.

15                  STEVE: Yeah. Well, it's good talking to  
16 you. Give me a call in a couple of hours or Dwayne or  
17 whatever then.

18                  DEC: Okay.

19                  STEVE: Okay, talk to you later.

20                  DEC: Bye-bye.

21                  STEVE: Bye.

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23                  STEVE: Hello?

24                  DWAYNE: Steve?

25                  STEVE: Yeah.

1                    DWAYNE: Dwayne.  
2                    STEVE: Dwayne.  
3                    DWAYNE: How ya doing?  
4                    STEVE: Okay.  
5                    DWAYNE: Everything okay?  
6                    STEVE: Yeah. What's happening?  
7                    DWAYNE: Okay. Well, I just wanted to check  
8 back with you on the stuff we talked about yesterday.  
9                    STEVE: Okay.  
10                   DWAYNE: We were able to find that there is,  
11 obviously, a CW-16, --  
12                   STEVE: Oh, great.  
13                   DWAYNE: -- the CassioWriter.  
14                   STEVE: Okay.  
15                   DWAYNE: And we have two of the, the little  
16 cassettes. They're obviously little small ones that,  
17 that fit that.  
18                   STEVE: Okay.  
19                   DWAYNE: You guys still interested in, in  
20 having those? Does Judy want them?  
21                   STEVE: Yeah, sure.  
22                   DWAYNE: Okay. What we'll do then is start  
23 sending them up there, you know. From where we are to  
24 send them up there, --  
25                   STEVE: Okay.

1                    DWAYNE:  -- probably take, oh, about an hour  
2 but we'd certainly like to get this done before, you  
3 know, before dark.

4                    STEVE:  Yeah, right, I can understand.

5                    DWAYNE:  Okay.

6                    STEVE:  Okay.  Do you want to give me a call  
7 about that time again?

8                    DWAYNE:  Can.  What -- just to let you know  
9 when they're coming in?

10                   STEVE:  Pardon?

11                   DWAYNE:  Just to let you know when we're  
12 ready --

13                   STEVE:  Yeah.

14                   DWAYNE:  -- to, to deliver?

15                   STEVE:  Just about the time you're ready so  
16 I can have Greg or somebody at the door ready to go  
17 out.

18                   DWAYNE:  Yeah, okay.  Yeah.  Do you think  
19 you'll be sending Greg Sommers out to pick it up?

20                   STEVE:  Probably.

21                   DWAYNE:  Yeah, okay.  We'll have, we'll have  
22 the same understanding, though, about not picking up  
23 anything else and all that kind of stuff.

24                   STEVE:  Right.  Yeah, as long as, you know,  
25 we work it out ahead of time and we know exactly --

1                   DWAYNE: Steve, you're beginning to sound  
2 just like us now but I certainly appreciate it.

3                   STEVE: Well, you know, I mean I, I said  
4 that even to John Cox that time.

5                   DWAYNE: I know. Work it out ahead of time  
6 so there's --

7                   STEVE: Exactly.

8                   DWAYNE: -- no misunderstanding, none of  
9 this, I thought you said this and I said that. Okay.

10                  STEVE: Okay.

11                  DWAYNE: That sounds like a, a loud one  
12 coming in right now, huh?

13                  STEVE: Well, it's all right.

14                  DWAYNE: Yeah.

15                  STEVE: There's worse things in life than  
16 sounds.

17                  DWAYNE: You know, reading through the logs  
18 of some of the other conversations last night, I  
19 thought I saw one that said you had begun editing the  
20 first seal.

21                  STEVE: No, not at all. I don't --

22                  DWAYNE: It's, it's incorrect, okay.

23                  STEVE: Man, if I said that, I must have  
24 been on something.

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1                    DWAYNE: Well, I'm not saying you said, I'm  
2 just saying it was written there and sometimes, you  
3 know, that's --

4                    STEVE: Yeah, you know, I heard someone on  
5 the press, I think it was Ricks, say something like  
6 that and I about fell over 'cause I have never said  
7 anything --

8                    DWAYNE: Yeah. Yeah.

9                    STEVE: -- like that, you know.

10                   DWAYNE: The way I understand it from our  
11 last conversation -- of course, this has been almost  
12 24 hours now -- is that, that David had finished  
13 writing the first seal and yesterday afternoon he was  
14 nearing the end of the second.

15                   STEVE: Yes, he did say that once.

16                   DWAYNE: But you had not yet been given  
17 anything --

18                   STEVE: Exactly.

19                   DWAYNE: -- for editing?

20                   STEVE: Exactly.

21                   DWAYNE: That's still the situation?

22                   STEVE: Right.

23                   DWAYNE: Okay. And Judy said what she was  
24 doing was typing up some biblical passages she felt he  
25 would be using or referring to --

1 STEVE: Right.

2 DWAYNE: -- but she had received nothing  
3 yet?

4 STEVE: Exactly.

5 DWAYNE: Okay. Is that, is that still --

6 STEVE: That's -- you said it correctly.

7 DWAYNE: Okay.

8 STEVE: In fact, I went into his -- ever  
9 since that business out front with the dozer and all  
10 that, he's not, he's not written anything since.

11 DWAYNE: Yeah.

12 STEVE: And he's -- I did stop in there. He  
13 had written this morning earlier and I just came -- in  
14 fact, I was there about 10 minutes ago and he was just  
15 sitting there with his eyes closed up against the  
16 wall. So, --

17 DWAYNE: Just kind of relaxing or --

18 STEVE: I don't know. I really don't know  
19 if he was meditating or just --

20 DWAYNE: Yeah.

21 STEVE: -- sitting there relaxing or what  
22 but -- not certain what he was doing.

23 DWAYNE: Have they finished moving all the  
24 automobiles out from the front?

25 STEVE: I believe they have.



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DWAYNE: Yeah, okay.

STEVE: I believe they have.

DWAYNE: Okay.

STEVE: So, -- I'm a little bit winded. I was just running down the hallway here. I'm out of shape.

DWAYNE: Well, I, I know the feeling. It is tough when you kind of -- indoors --

STEVE: Do you get up -- do you run every day?

DWAYNE: I try to.

STEVE: You do, huh?

DWAYNE: Yeah. In fact, I understand you used to do some long distance running?

STEVE: Well, not -- I wouldn't say long distance. The most I've ever done is about maybe five, six miles.

DWAYNE: Oh, yeah.

STEVE: Yeah.

DWAYNE: Okay. Half (Indiscernible).

STEVE: Some of these guys will like --

DWAYNE: Kincaids and stuff like that?

STEVE: Exactly.

DWAYNE: Yeah.

STEVE: Hawaii, as you know, is big, big on

1 running. Everywhere you go, anytime of the week,  
2 you'll find people running everywhere.

3 DWAYNE: Yeah.

4 STEVE: It's probably one of the biggest --  
5 well, you know, the weather, the climate, --

6 DWAYNE: Well, I know they run the Iron Man  
7 Triathlon there.

8 STEVE: The what

9 DWAYNE: The Iron Man Triathlon.

10 STEVE: Oh, yeah, yeah. I met Dave Scott  
11 years ago. In fact, back in '79 or '80 I think it  
12 was. And the guy after doing the entire thing was  
13 talking like you and I right now. I was, I was  
14 surprised.

15 DWAYNE: Yeah. Humidity must be tough  
16 there, though, isn't it?

17 STEVE: In the summer it come, you know, it  
18 gets kind of strong but other than that, the majority  
19 of the year it's not too bad. There's a lot of trade  
20 wind so it keeps everything kind of cool. And if  
21 you're toward the mountains or more up into the  
22 mountains, it's real nice.

23 DWAYNE: Okay. Okay.

24 STEVE: But, anyway, --

25 DWAYNE: Okay. Is David just sitting there

1 with his eyes closed -- he is not as -- has he calmed  
2 down from his earlier --

3 STEVE: Yeah, he's not really said much but  
4 I -- I don't know what's happening, in honesty, --

5 DWAYNE: Yeah.

6 STEVE: I really don't. I know he doesn't  
7 seem to be happy.

8 DWAYNE: Yeah.

9 STEVE: And it's like every time he is doing  
10 something or trying to accomplish what everybody  
11 wants, it's like there's always things taken place  
12 that counter that.

13 DWAYNE: Yeah. I guess it, it -- I don't  
14 know what -- I don't want to use the word concerns --  
15 that it appears that in 24 hours on the, on the  
16 manuscript there seems to have been little progress?  
17 At least you, you, you haven't been given anything to  
18 edit yet?

19 STEVE: No, I haven't been.

20 DWAYNE: Yeah. 'Cause, you know, as, as we  
21 discussed yesterday in, in trying to get the  
22 manuscript of the first seal out, --

23 STEVE: Uh-huh.

24 DWAYNE: -- I was trying to make it as clear  
25 as I could that we're not trying to push you but

1 saying if, if we could get that out, that would simply  
2 -- it would show our bosses and people out there,  
3 look, here, here's a tangible representation that he  
4 is, in fact, working on the seals.

5 STEVE: Uh-huh.

6 DWAYNE: But, you know, until we get that  
7 what we have is your statements and his statements  
8 that he is. And I think your -- you know there are  
9 some people that are quite skeptical out here.

10 STEVE: Well, you know, they can be.

11 DWAYNE: Yeah.

12 STEVE: If they, they don't think it will  
13 ever happen, they can take measures before or do  
14 whatever they want. You know, we've always said that.  
15 So, --

16 DWAYNE: Well, no one, no one wants that to  
17 happen but that's --

18 STEVE: Well, I don't know that that's so  
19 true. I mean I think the majority are probably that  
20 way. I would probably agree with you. But I think  
21 there's some Rambo types out there that would probably  
22 like to have fireworks.

23 DWAYNE: Well, you know, I, I would  
24 certainly hope not.

25 STEVE: I would, too.

1                   DWAYNE: But I guess, you know, there, there  
2 are some different personalities in every large --

3                   STEVE: Right.

4                   DWAYNE: -- group of people.

5                   STEVE: Right. Just like these guys that  
6 were flying over, some of the women said they were  
7 flipping the finger today quite a bit out of the  
8 choppers and --

9                   DWAYNE: Yeah. I wish I could assure you  
10 that those are not FBI agents but, you know, we, we  
11 have, we have --

12                   STEVE: But I know they're not in the same  
13 category as yourself so --

14                   DWAYNE: That's flattering, I would --

15                   STEVE: I can't imagine -- well, you know, I  
16 can't imagine men like yourselves being involved in  
17 something like that. And I -- in fact, I am sure you  
18 wouldn't be --

19                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

20                   STEVE: -- but I'm -- the other style that  
21 are out doing that kind of work and so forth, I  
22 suppose they see there's some kind of a glory trip and  
23 Rambo is probably as good as a word as any.

24                   DWAYNE: Well, I think you got the point  
25 across. You know, when we were talking the, the first

1 time, --

2 STEVE: Yeah.

3 DWAYNE: -- we were talking about how things  
4 were in Hawaii and so forth. You were -- 'cause I  
5 just heard you say, you know, things are going on, how  
6 we got here.

6 STEVE: Uh-huh.

7 DWAYNE: One thing we had discussed is -- I  
8 had asked you in my usual straightforward way is, you  
9 know, Dave, do you think -- I'm sorry -- Steve, do you  
10 think you're better off now than you were 6-1/2 years  
11 ago? I don't, I don't -- I think you may have  
12 forgotten I asked you that question. You said, yeah,  
13 I'm exhausted but I'll think about it. Do you  
14 remember that at all?

14 STEVE: Really, I don't but I can imagine  
15 you would have asked the question like that. And the  
16 answer is, physically, carnally, I'm not.

17 DWAYNE: Yeah.

18 STEVE: Spiritually, I'm ten -- 1000 times  
19 better.

19 DWAYNE: Yeah. And you'd --

20 STEVE: I, I'd give anything in this world  
21 if I could have under better, different circumstances,  
22 conditions, sat down with you just to talk.

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1                   DWAYNE: Uh-huh.

2                   STEVE: And you could lay out to me your  
3 philosophies of life or what you'd think if, if a man  
4 should just do the best he can, not really worry about  
5 the possibilities of another world or existence or and  
6 how you came about that.

6                   DWAYNE: Yeah.

7                   STEVE: I'm a great listener when it comes  
8 to those topics, something that can benefit you and I,  
9 both. Through the years, though, I've never been one  
10 that has viewed myself, by the way, as a martyr or  
11 anything that is, you know, excited about standing up  
12 for some kind of a principle or issue even though I  
13 have been principled most of my life.

13                   DWAYNE: Uh-huh.

14                   STEVE: But at the same time, you know, the  
15 question you asked, though, am I better off, I am  
16 because I really see what this planet's about, what  
17 mankind has done and how he's -- what he's  
18 accomplished, what he hasn't. I don't think it's a  
19 real good story, you know, but I see a very good  
20 ending. I really do. But --

20                   DWAYNE: You see a -- you do see a very good  
21 ending?

22                   STEVE: Oh, yeah, positively, but not for  
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1 everybody, just as in the days of Noah, you know, not  
2 for everybody. Most people -- those that want this  
3 life, that's all they're going to have.

4 DWAYNE: Uh-huh.

5 STEVE: That's what all the Bible writers  
6 have to say.

7 DWAYNE: Yeah.

8 STEVE: Those that live for this life and --  
9 I mean if you read James 4, First John, 2 and 3,  
10 anybody that loves this world is not of God and it  
11 says, love not this world or the things of this world.

12 And it says don't get into fighting, eating and  
13 drinking and so forth where I come and it takes you  
14 all away. It warns about when they cry for peace and  
15 safety, then utter destruction comes. Warning after  
16 warning but, you know, it's 6000 years later of human  
17 history and here we are. Finally, the seven seals,  
18 the whole -- I have actually seen, Dwayne, the whole  
19 Bible opened up. Whether it's true or false, you  
20 know, I mean that remains to be seen. And there's no  
21 question you're a deep thinker, a thinking person. I,  
22 I'd be curious --

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