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AB: Describes Richard Dolan as “the hottest thing in UFOlogy right now.” RD has been “researching UFOs for twenty (20) years” and “believes they constitute the greatest mystery of our time.”

RD administers his own Richard Dolan Press book publishing company.

This is AB’s and RD’s first time talk.

AB: How do you feel about aliens – are they all “good guys” as Grant Cameron seems to feel?

RD: GC is a friend and an author of RD’s. That said, RD “respectfully disagree[s] with [GC’s] fundamental perspective on this.” ... “I don’t feel that I have enough information one way or the other to know definitively what the motives of these ‘others’ as I will call them [are] – I don’t know that they’re extraterrestrial. Also, I don’t know that they’re ‘black budget terrestrial.’ I don’t know that they’re inter-dimensional ... I think they operate on a very different level than what we do.”

AB: “That’s a really good answer. That’s a really good answer. How can we possibly know?”

RD: The longer that I’m in this field, “the more I realize that we’re dealing with some very, very difficult mysteries.” The “intelligence behind this phenomenon ... has eluded us.”

“I go further and further down the road and I think that I learn more and more things about it. ... The thing is the journey is the reward and I do think I’ve learned quite a bit.”

RD believes “there were innumerable violations of sensitive airspace back in the 1940s, back in the ‘50s by objects, that quite frankly, Art, were just not supposed to exist”

RD: “One is the so-called Twining memo of 1947.” Memo by General Nathan Twining to General Charles Schulgen about the so-called flying discs of 1947.

1952 memo to the CIA Director by the CIA Chief of Scientific Intelligence re: the phenomenon and refers to them as ‘unexplained.’

“What more do you want?”

AB: Then one would conclude this was a potential or real threat to U.S. national security ...

RD: “That’s exactly, that’s the conclusion that I think that they came to. And I think that’s why there has been high levels of secrecy on this subject right from the beginning. ... And so I’ve been working for the last couple of decades trying to put this whole story altogether. ... Try to mainstream the whole UFO story.”

Per a classified FBI document from (circa) 1949, the matter of UFOs was considered Top Secret.

Recent UFO sightings of interest include: a) 2008 Stevensville, Texas sighting; b) 2002 near Washington, DC; and also c) 2006 O’Hare Airport [Chicago].

AB: What about photographic evidence of UFOs? How can they be verified in this age of CGI?

RD: “I have a really hard time with photographs these days. I would almost say that I don’t consider them as evidence anymore – which is a shame!”

“The ability to fake is so good now, but I would qualify – everything in context”

“I’m disinclined to throw out photographic or video evidence out of hand, but we do have to be very, very, very cautious in dealing with it, for sure.”

“I feel that we’re developing new means of electronic detection all the time,” e.g., infrared

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AB: “‘Do you tell the public?’ is a really, really BIG QUESTION. ... I have thought about this for years and I used to say the answer is ‘Probably not.’ ...

Well, Brookings [Institution’s famous report] might have had it right ... So how do you come down on all this?”

RD: “It’s very easy to see the motivation that the military would have, the national security agencies would have, in wanting to keep this secret. Obviously they have their reasons. But I would maintain their reasons are not the sum total of the reasons we have to be considering.”

RD believes “the secrecy related to UFOs has had a very negative effect on our society.” ... “As a society we need to ask: Is this really what we want? Being spoonfed lies.” ... We are living a fake reality!

RD maintains a faith in the value of truth, and this is the side he comes down upon. “I don’t want to be treated like a child.”

AB: “How do we get to it?”

RD: “That’s the question. ... We’re living in very revolutionary times. ... At some point there’s going to be a sighting that hits the ‘sweet spot’ [and it] “will be impossible to explain away. That’s a matter of faith, I will grant you, but I think it’s likely.”

“Something’s going to happen that’s going to open this up unexpectedly.” Although “I think they’re going to keep the lid on this as long as possible. But they can’t do it forever – there are just too many factors involved.”

RD also believes “this is a very profitable secret, so I don’t think there’s a lot of incentive [for disclosure]. ... Part of the UFO secret involves acquired technology.”

AB: “Who knows what we have now that may have come from elsewhere.”

RD: “I think we got a boost. ... I think that acquired technology through retrievals has probably sped things up a bit.”

AB: “So you think that we could take the truth? Do you think it would upset existing institutions?”

RD: “I don’t think we’re ever going to be ready for the truth, ever – never! ... But who’s ever ready for their first kid – no one, but you have it anyway.”

Believes [UFO disclosure] “will be a ‘political nightmare’ for the powers that be. ... People are going to realize that they’ve been lied to fundamentally for generations. A lot of people will be very unhappy and some heads will roll, politically.” ...

“Will we have Occupy Area 51 or Occupy Wright-Patterson Air Force Base?”

Aud: Please address the whole controversy around the Roswell Slides.

RD: “You gotta be kidding me ... I played a peripheral role in this – peripheral at best ... but I was involved for the great unveiling, as it were, in Mexico

City.” ... Mexican physiologists (“experts”) said the body in the slides was not human.

After conversations with UFO researchers Don Schmitt and Tony Braglia, RD agreed to participate. “They were both deeply impressed by the slides, and I went sight unseen – so I didn’t see the slides.” RD did not see the slides until he went to Mexico City.

(A Canadian physiologist also authenticated the slides as not human). But then others deciphered the placard on the slides that this was a two-year-old child mummy, and that definitively settled it.

“This turned into a ... UFO Armageddon in the minds of some people, which I really don’t think it was – it was a mistake.” ... “And life goes on.”

AB: “Life goes on.”

“There’s gonna be these kind of mistakes, and there’s gonna be more of ‘em.”

RD: “Yes, I have no doubt – none of us are infallible. All we can do is our best – you make missteps along the way.” ... “The [UFO] subject is intrinsically difficult. ... I think we are dealing with the worst difficult mystery of our time ... and there is government obfuscation surrounding it”

AB: “Can you characterize UFO secrecy itself? There must be a large manipulation of information ... how’s it work?”

RD: “The phenomenon required ... the necessity for maintaining absolute secrecy.” Included “control over academia, media, and science.” ...

“Those institutions are very much in bed with national security and financial institutions.”

“You have the creation of ‘black budgets’ – this is very important! ... what we would call ‘secret spending’ is an integral part of the system.” Programs that “there’s no oversight for.”

RD believes the black budgets are partially funded from narco-trafficking, securities and banking fraud, and money laundering by the intelligence community.

AB: “You really think narco-money is going into black budgets?”

RD: “Yeah, I do.”

AB: “Wow!”

RD: “Narcotics trafficking is probably one of the top five (5) industries in the world.”

AB: “Absolutely!”

RD: “And just because it’s illegal – technically – doesn’t mean no one wants it. Everyone wants it!”

AB: “Is there a way to punch through all of that?”

RD: I do my research to show that the truth matters – “I’m here to say: ‘Truth does matter!’”

“I think the way to punch through is with diligent, careful research and fearless exposition of the truth.”

AB: Have you ever been approached to modify what you’re saying?

RD: “I have never been approached, I have never been threatened, or asked to modulate anything that I’ve said – not one time. Not a single time.”

“As a UFO researcher, I’m still relatively a small player, and maybe that’s why ...”

AB: “Do you think the collective “we” that talk about these things are useful to them in some way?”

RD: “Yeah, I think that we can be. ... You know there’s a long history in intelligence operations whose groups are infiltrated by operatives to be guided in a certain direction.” RD believes “that [infiltration] does include the UFO community.”

“‘What do Presidents know about UFOs?’ Short answer: Some know more than others.”

“How could we as a species, as a civilization, relate to [alien beings] when their very presence kind of disrupts our ‘field,’ disrupts our mind ...”

“Whitley Strieber is one of the deep thinkers in this [UFO] field.”

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AB: “We live in this world of the twenty-four (24) hour news cycle.”

RD: “It’s the 24 hour news *propaganda* cycle – it’s really I think designed to pacify most of us. That’s my opinion.”

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RD: “I’m a believer in [Bob] Lazar’s fundamental story. I’ll just state that for the record.”

AB: “Good. So am I.”

RD: “Yes, I thought [Bob Lazar] was credible to me.” I think most people who listen to him believe him.

“For many years Stanton Friedman ... has been ... unhappy with me because I do credit Lazar’s story, but what can I say – I do.” ... “I feel that [Lazar’s] not a liar.”

AB: “There’s one measure that I use – you know, I’ve been interviewing for years, forever it seems like – and I’ve noticed that people who tend to not tell the truth” tend to add additional details to each telling of their story. “The thing about Bob Lazar is – he always tells the same story.”

RD: “Exactly, and he’s never cared to speculate beyond what he experienced.”

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This is part of the really important element of the UFO mystery, which is the secret technology program ... “And I really think what they’re trying to do among other things is to weaponize that technology. ... There’s electromagnetic weapons ... high-powered microwaves, propulsion technologies ... even mind control is one of the kinds of technologies they’re trying to weaponize ... I think all those are part of it.”

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RD: The real problem any of these nations have in giving up the UFO secret is ‘OIL.’ One of the first questions about UFOs is “‘What’s their source of energy?’ – it’s obviously not high-octane petroleum!”

Whatever the answer, it includes “a post-petroleum civilization and that involves such a massive transformation”

The UFO mystery “affects our politics, our science, who we are existentially, ... the nature of space-time reality itself” ... “There are just so many issues it touches upon.”

I think it’s possible that Bob Lazar was intentionally given some information that may not have been true [*i.e.*, disinformation].

Aud: Is RD familiar with [Zecharia] Sitchin?

RD: "I'm of mixed feelings about Sitchin." Cites to Michael Heiser.

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Aud: "Is MJ-12 legitimate?"

RD: "My take on the MJ-12 documents is that they are probably a form of disinformation." That is not to say that they're all lies. "Disinformation can't work if it's all lies ..."

AB: "That's right!"

RD: "It has to be credible, it has to be believable." ... "So there's got to be things in there that are legitimate."

"My take on MJ-12 is that it was part of a way to disable the threat that the UFO community was posing at that moment."

"I feel that these [MJ-12 documents] have been derived from real and existing documents modified in ways to make them not believable, or maybe just created out of whole cloth."

AB: "Bottomline ..."

RD: "The Majestic documents [of the 1990s and researched by the Woods] I'm *not* as inclined to dismiss – I think some of these are probably legit."

AB: "So ... bottomline – Disinformation."

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RD: "I'm of the opinion that there's a substantial, highly classified, ... 'Breakaway Civilization' – that is a classified civilization that's so advanced that they're basically different from our own – and they're using radical technology (including black triangles).

RD believes there was a landing at Holloman AFB in April 1964 – one day after Lonnie Zamora's sighting of a landed craft in Socorro, NM. "There's been some speculation that there may be a connection between these two."

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RD: "We are in an era of transnational corporate control over our reality." Does not believe there's a simple solution to all the world's problems.

RD denies he has any connection to the de Serpo documents and Project Camelot.

Re: the 'Philadelphia Experiment' – it's very hard to know how true or not a story with such lore is. "It's legend – I don't know if it's true or not." Same with the Montawk Project.

AB: "I love people who say 'I don't know' when they don't know."

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RD: "I'm working on a history of what is known as 'false flag operations.' This is a very big thing ... I think we live in an era of 'false flags' actually and what I'm trying to do is set out why we live in such an era. I try to have an analytical approach so that we can identify them when they come down the road."

AB: "How about doing another show on 'false flags'?"

RD: "Oh, I'd be very happy to do that!"

AB: "It's been an honor. It really has! You're a bright guy."

RD: "Thank you very much."

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