

July 25th.

It was smart of the court to not invite me for today's jury selection! Watching the livestream and I am already screaming at potential jurors. The jurors were asked as introduction, by F. Andino Reynal, "Will you talk to me" in a consistent, awkward way. At first, the jurors believed it to be a question born of desire for information, but it quickly became clear that Reynal was using a rhetorical device. The question, why would you use a rhetorical device that by its very nature condescends to the people you are trying to convince that you're a good dude? The answer? Reynal is a bad lawyer.

under my breath in Jordan volume, meaning audible to the adjacent buildings Listen to these fucking assholes! I am already frustrated with the questions towards potential jurors and their potentially section 8-able answers. The amendments to the document they revere and don't read above all others, are misunderstood, criminally.

Someone needs to put the text of the first amendment on the fucking screen. At this point, the only consistent thread is free speech means I can scream to your face that I want everyone I know to attack you with knives and then when they do I have no responsibility for it. Well fuck you. Fuck you in the face.

I don't want to denigrate an entire state based on one jury selection, but unfortunately I have to conclude everyone in Texas is fucking insane. I am convinced that Texans just walk around with guns screaming 1st amendment at each other. In the last hour my rideshare was hit by a truck and I found out weed is illegal even in Austin. So fuck you Texas forever.

A juror just gave an accurate interpretation of "Justice is Blind" and so I am 99% positive they will be struck. Another potential juror just went on a long, rambling, incoherent interpretation and so will be foreperson.

Over/under number of reprimands for the 9000th lawyer in this case: 45 (I forgot this bet, perhaps if you were to keep track of the reprimands through this retelling, we could find out who's in the money).

The defense has taken a strong "I know you are but what am I" stance early. Reynal's line of questioning centered around the idea that if the Mainstream Media lies - at least some times, but actually they lie all the time on purpose is the implication - then why would anyone hold Infowars accountable? This jury shouldn't care about Infowars, they should care about CNN.

The lawyer is no inaccurately describing why car accidents wind up in court. His metaphor is filled, somehow, with inaccurate information regarding why car accidents wind up in court. He confuses the civil and criminal aspect of drunk driving, he insinuates that "it takes two to tango" and so the person who was hit by the car is also responsible. It is some absurd libertarian fantasy take from a lawyer that I just discovered was appointed a federal prosecutor by Eric Holder.

This is mind-boggling, we are now in the desert of the real. HOLY SHIT! The defense is now comparing the victims of Sandy Hook to an “already broken arm” in a metaphorical car accident. Reynal has attempted yet another metaphor involving car accidents, this one, were Americans capable of translating metaphor or had Reynal tried to speak his concept bluntly, amounts to, “Jesse Lewis had already died, so their problem is that, all we did was talk shit, and the Plaintiffs want you to think Alex Jones murdered their son.” He didn’t say that directly, what he said was that if someone was in a car accident, and had the previous day broken their arm, then the driver of the car is responsible only for the car accident and cannot be held accountable for the already broken arm. This is, of course, offensive on its face when applied to the Sandy Hook families, but it is also an incredibly stupid, counter-productive metaphor. For example, if you were in a car accident with an already broken arm, that arm is the most vulnerable part of your body and that being hit by a car is worse because of that. So in essence, he is trying to say that the defense shouldn’t be held accountable for an increased risk of rebreaking or outright destroying the arm. Reynal, though, does not understand metaphors. Also not metaphors.

This potential juror is passionately describing restorative justice and is not long for this trial. Another potential juror is now expressing intense empathy and is also not long for this trial.

Earlier, a juror said that defamation laws shouldn’t exist because they were raised with “sticks and stones can’t break your bones” and this potential juror has completed the “sticks and stones” take continuum by saying words can kill you.

I think the lawyer (Reynal) is now genuinely asking a potential juror to explain to him the difference between compensatory and punitive damages. The lawyer is now asking the potential juror to explain it to everyone else as well.

A potential juror has interjected with a very similar question to the other thousand potential jurors which is, paraphrased, “What are we doing here again?” The reason this question was asked again and again was the unusual nature of this trial. Because the defense had already been found guilty, legally they had abused the justice system, but ultimately they were just so much the assholes they were it is impossible not to conclude they were guilty of their own currently occurring behavior. This trial was to determine the punishment, called damages, that would be expressed in money. The money is to cripple his ability to continue to commit the same crime. When an apology or a promise to stop is not enough, the world decides to punish as a deterrent - whether that makes sense is already decided and the answer is no - and so the money is only a symbol. Another way to cripple his ability to do his show would be to cut his tongue out, for example. That would be an analogous symbol. The jury couldn’t understand their job clearly because it could not be put clearly in a legal context. Their job was not to determine guilt or innocence, but whether Alex should spend 100 days in the stocks or a 1000.

The lawyer was literally hoping to be saved by the beep. A text notification or something from the hall had made a fairly stereotypical beep-that-says-stop. Reynal, having to, having to, know

that his questions are poison, reacts instantly in a way that proves the earlier part of this sentence, asks almost cartoonishly, if that's lunch.

The process is on a little breakie so I have a little time to call @ggreenwald a giant piece of shit. Go fuck yourself Glenn! It's funnier to me if I give absolutely no context for this.

The defense just said, "If the evidence comes out as I think it will, then I am going to come back to you and ask for a judgment of 1 dollar. Does that offend any of you?" This is an astonishing question for me. First off, I literally already know all of the evidence, as does Reynal, and that evidence is the most damning evidence that could exist, so wow, brazen, and Second, in a trial about the defamation of a literal American hero, Jesse Lewis, and the decade-long torture of Jesse's parents, who committed no crime but losing their son in one of the worst mass shootings in history, yes. That does offend me. I don't know how to respond to this with words.

The lawyer just asked the potential jurors to consider what amount they would choose. The plaintiffs objected on the obvious grounds of you can't do that. Without any evidence presented, how about think about what your max amount would be and then I will rank all of you based on that. Don't worry. It's legal.

A potential juror has now revealed she received a million dollar judgment because a hotel was criminally negligent in the death of her father. Everyone is kind of reeling. This is not a factually accurate statement, typing at the speed I was, hell, the sound of my meaty fingers slapping keys like the fellas from Jackass had loaned me their props is so loud I can barely hear her clearly. I tried to best summarize it in an understandable way, she wasn't just barely audible, she was cagey about the details. Interestingly, this she describes as prejudicing her against a defamation judgment. Her reasoning is not instantly clear to everyone, but it is somewhat sound. Her point is essentially, "I got 1 million for my father's death, this is talking". This is a point I believe I could argue, but considering all the arguments there are in the world, I think I'll spend my time on any of them instead.

The lawyer said, "Alex Jones did not murder those children" and then just sat in silence for awhile as if he had to think about whether or not that was true. This is a factual statement of course, Alex didn't murder anyone. This, of course, has no bearing on anything to do with anything. No one has ever argued that. This is not a trial to determine guilt or innocence - and it definitely isn't a murder trial! - this is a trial to figure out how long he should be in the stocks.

After another reprimand {obviously for the reasons stated above}, the lawyer returns to comfortable territory: ridiculous car crash analogies. The potential jurors are now aligning against this inexplicable comparison. A potential juror is getting fed up with this bullshit. A juror asked a very simple, obvious question to Reynal: What are you talking about?

A potential juror who had earlier said Alex should pay every cent he has was just asked by the lawyer as to whether or not she had already made up her mind, she is waffling a bit, but

eventually she says yes, she's very biased. Every now and again I attempted to chronicle much like the rest of the field, ie, not making a joke.

"I'd love to be on that jury, but honestly, I don't think I'm the best person" is a very funny way to get out of jury duty. But the most honest. If you're looking for a juror that isn't familiar with Alex Jones, someone who hates his fucking guts can't be on the jury.

Knowing what we know, the amount of faith the defense lawyer is putting into the evidence in this case leading to positive judgment for Alex is equaled only by, like, Heaven's Gate type cults.

A potential juror has just entered the Piers Morgan interview into the conversation and the defense lawyer could not be more unprepared for that. Years back, Alex went on the Piers Morgan Show and was nigh immediately creating a crater the size of nuclear test in New Mexico.

A potential juror has finally brought up the Jan 6th hearings and the defense lawyer is, like, so, do you think that would give you a negative opinion. It is a testament to the new dawn of nutjobbery that it is entirely possible a juror would want to rule in favor of Alex because he tried to overthrow America. "Would you be able to be fair in this case?" "I don't think so." (subtext, cause he tried to overthrow the country)

The jury pool is now giving out numbers between 1 and 10 representing how much of a leader they are and everyone is saying a number between 3 and 7 in an interesting psychological experiment. Will anyone say 10!?!? We have a class clown/wildcard juror appear. She says 8.5!

The defense lawyer asks the juror pool to finish the day by doing his job and asking themselves questions about why they shouldn't be on the jury.

The judge dispenses with her more wordy exhortations to the potential jurors and says, "just don't talk about anything to do with this case in any way shape or form" and we go to break.

The plaintiff's lawyers circling around and laughing uproariously is not what I would want to see if I were the defense, just sayin

Whoever is operating the 459th district Zoom has a fan in me.

July 26th.

A note: Day 2 I realized what I had started the day prior and I decided to commit to the job of live-tweeting. The character I desired was beginning to take form. I would become Infowars, for good. Like Alex, I would flood the world with content, I would take on any comer, and I would be so fast and so mean there's nothing anyone could do about it. Day 2 was the day I decided to be a gunfighter.

First thing I see when the defense's lawyer enters the courtroom is exactly what I would expect: giant signs and props. Reynal had intended to enter into evidence a giant sign that said of Infowars coverage what amounts to 10 billion hours of content, 0.005% of that was Sandy Hook. No big deal, right?

I'm proud to be the worst dressed person in the court. I am precisely 1/6th as attractive as the TV correspondent. This was a joke. I am gorgeous.

The courthouse is the one place I'm sure there's at least one other person with a hand tattoo in the building. Tattooed on my left hand is a protea, my wife's favorite flower, to represent my wedding ring. It is also gorgeous.

Currently Alex's "bodyguards" are standing next to me, refusing my polite offer to sit in my row, in fact, refusing even to speak to me. Rude. On day 2, in the court, I saw, personally, half of his detail in person. By the end of the trial, there were at least 10 total people swirling around him, playacting Mission Impossible style maneuvers. During this time, I won't lie, my extreme anxiety was flaring up in a way that I could barely handle, I sweated entirely through my shirt (which we will get to later) and the bodyguards standing next to me - in my anxiety addled brain, somehow these bodyguards were allowed into a fucking courtroom with *guns* - gave me some serious paranoia. When they finally sat down in the rows next to me, they began whispering and gesturing in my direction with their heads. The type of gesture that follows someone saying, "it's him over there, no, don't look!".

Alex is in the building today. Was he sick yesterday or did the defense think him being in the room would instantly prejudice everyone against him? This is my first time being in the same room as the asshole who has staunchly pretended I don't exist for several years and I can say that I probably should've sewn my mouth shut.

I'm not a fan of courtrooms and without the my anxiety can get out of control so I'm reminding myself that I am not in trouble and this will not somehow wind up with me in jail.

The judge enters, introductions are made, and the defense is asking to be allowed to interrupt during the plaintiff's opening argument. Overruled for very obvious reasons.

The judge says, in case you don't know, you rise for the jury. I didn't know,. I don't really understand why I have to stand for a bunch of, uh, folks? So I stand.

Like, that guy works at Denny's, what are we doing here?

The judge is reminding everyone that the case is already over because Alex is a legendary asshole, what we're here for is to figure out if the money will be similarly legendary.

Mark's opening statement gets straight to the point: this motherfuckers sells pills to loonies. Mark now connects that to the day Alex chose to call Sandy Hook a false flag. We are about to begin the test of the jury: Mark has to explain what a false flag is.

Mark plays a clip of Alex on the day, Knowledgefight enters the ring! What I meant by this wasn't that we had any involvement with this particular clip - though we had played it in the past, Mark and his lawyers had done their own, excellent, diligence - merely that the idea of Knowledgefight had now been introduced. Watch the man explode.

"Why, why is he doing this" Mark asks. Then his slide changes to a big yellow block with loud text saying "GUNS". Fantastic.

The defense lawyer interrupts like an asshole. He says, "your honor, can I approach the bench?" She says, flatly, No.

Alex attracted extremists to "be as cruel as he needed them to be". Next slide: Wolfgang Halbig. Indeed.

Mark says, "Pay attention, you're going to see something strange" in the understatement of the century. Mark plays the clip Alex has said a million times doesn't exist, Alex saying the parents were faking grief over a tragedy that didn't happen. Mark then points out what Alex said wasn't true, this Sandy Hook story was his 3rd most popular in infowars history.

And now the clip of clips: Alex saying Sandy Hook 100% didn't happen. "The whole thing is a giant hoax".

Mark jumps forward to 2015. "Mr. Jones is saying there were photos of a child from Sandy Hook used to fake a dead child in Pakistan. It's pretty confusing." When you're so in this shit, it's hard to remind yourself that to the real world this is absolutely bonkers nutso.

The next slide "FALSE CLAIMS" the bullet points begin and if you'll recall, yesterday the defense lawyer said he was positive the evidence in the case would lead to Alex's downright exoneration. There are a large amount of bullet points and they keep coming.

It was wild to hear in an actual, real-life courtroom literally Michael Bloomberg sent an email the day before Sandy Hook. This refers to the idea once bandied about on Infowars that Bloomberg and the Democratic Party set this false flag up in order to use the issue for new gun control

legislation and that they had found an email Bloomberg sent one day prior to the tragedy that they needed to be prepared to go on the attack tomorrow.

Jim Fetzer's book "Nobody Died At Sandy Hook" is entered into the record and Mark reads aloud PJdubs email to Alex saying, paraphrased, don't do this shit idiots.

Video of The Kraken, Dan Bidondi, harassing the victims is played. Alex claims that Bidondi didn't work for him. The clip has Bidondi saying he's a reporter for Infowars.

The next slide establishes that a huge number of people warned Infowars not to keep going with the story, Mark tells of the emails sent by Halbig and others that even Infowars said were fucking crazy.

Mark is about to play Alex's "final statement on Sandy hook" and quickly says, "this was not his final statement"

Off the record, Alex is red as a tomato covered in ketchup and blood.

Mark is bringing up a number of deceptively edited clips Infowars created and played in retaliation for Heslin's Megyn Kelly interview. Reminder, the thing Alex hates more than anything else is when people play edited clips of him without context.

A clip of infamous puppet, Owen Shroyer is played and even in a courtroom, you can't help but notice he sucks. Owen I refer to as a puppet because in his deposition, questioning done by Plaintiff's attorney Bill Ogden - The gummy worm chewing Swayze in Road House happily tearing out the throat of his enemy - maneuvered Owen Shroyer into realizing that, if all he is doing is repeating someone else's words, without thinking, then in essence he is their puppet, spewing their information exactly how they want him to. He thought and fought for quite awhile until he said, essentially, touche, and accepted that he was a puppet. He is a puppet. He is Puppet Boy.

Playing a clip of Heslin's interview and hearing his story again is such a reminder of how fucked up this all is. This is high tragedy and Alex has done everything possible to turn it into a circus.

Mark calls Owen a "media star" at Infowars, this is the first time he and I have bitterly disagreed on something.

Mark chokes up pointing out that because Alex, every time Heslin sees a picture of his son, there will always be an asterisk. Truly fucking awful.

The defense objects, receives maybe the fastest "overruled" ever recorded. Usain Bolt lost to it in the 100.

Mark reminds everyone, “defamation is not protected speech” which, like, yea, if it’s a civil crime, you know?

The defense objects, the judge says she’ll allow it, but in a way that suggests she’s not sure as to why the defense is objecting or what they’re really objecting to beyond just saying the word.

We have a slide of Lady Justice with “TWO THINGS” explains they are there for compensatory and punitive damages. I’m not sure if the guy who thought Lady Justice was the Statue of Liberty made it to the jury.

Mark puts up a big 24% onscreen. Says that expert testimony will prove that was the total number of people in the US who believed Sandy Hook was fake. Almost entirely because of Alex. Mark says, “we are not here to receive compensation for the loss of their children” which is obviously what the defense is going to try to argue they want. Mark connects compensatory to the damage done by Alex to the parents’ mental health and to the damage to their reputation when 24% of 330 million people think you’re a lying government agent. Mark goes on to say punitive damages need to make sure that no one ever does this again.

And now the insane clip we played where Alex inexplicably doubled down on Sandy Hook denial in... 2021!

The next slide says that, paraphrased, Alex will do or say anything to keep making money off of this shit and god damn, that shouldn’t be too hard to prove.

Mark asks the jury to keep the number 24% in the forefront of their minds when asking for damages, that number equals 75 million people. Two forms of damages, Marks says that they will for 150 million dollars. He ends his opening argument and we go to break. To clarify slightly, 1, I meant *his*, and 2, the math they are presenting is simple. 24% of Americans thought they were fake. 24% of the American population is 75 million people. Mark is asking for \$1 per person that believes Alex lied, which perhaps he could’ve made clearer. It’s easy to look at the number 150 million and believe that is a huge amount, but if you recontextualize it into actually a tiny, tiny amount, an almost unfair amount, you can change the perception. For instance, I believe every one of those people owe the families of Sandy Hook \$10 per person. That’s a much larger number, but I don’t think it is.

The defense asks for a mistrial because Mr Banks opening statement put before the jury that the Texas code says should not be in the opening arguments. The judge points out, we are not in a trial. This is a damages trial. Motion denied. Cause of course. This is the dominant theme of this trial. The defense - on purpose - was trying to confuse the jury into believing that the matter of whether or not Alex Jones was guilty of defamation was still in doubt. This was, say it with me, not the case, pun so intended as to break hearts. This is, of course, against the rules. One note on “against the rules”, against the rules in basketball is a foul. I feel like “against the rules” in a *courtroom* is honest to God illegal. So before the defense’s opening statement, Reynal had already committed a crime.

So everyone knows, I was not kicked out of the court, but I did receive one warning, and due to extreme anxiety I have nearly sweat through my shirt. I will however be tweeting from the stream for at least awhile as I change into thirty or forty different shirts. I disagree with the warning on a fundamental level. Alex turned this into a circus so I should get to be as much of a fucking clown as I want.

During the break, Alex grandstanded in front of media for tick, I thought it would be fine for me to fuck with it. It was not. Afterwards, the judge reprimanded him. As if he fucking cares, Reprimand me once, shame on me. Reprimand 1000 times, shame on you.

Break over: the defense' opening statement currently consists of two words per minute and a lot of writing on a 2' by 4' notepad.

"What we heard, was a conspiracy of lies" - The defense lawyer thinks the jury will hear that as the defense (editor's note: I meant plaintiffs) told a bunch of lies, but I don't think they will on account of Mark proved that Alex told a bunch of lies about a conspiracy.

We're 100% getting a speech along the lines of "I don't agree with what he said, but I am willing to die for his right to say it."

The defense lawyer is going to argue that because Alex was deplatformed in 2018, nothing he says after that counts. WILD!

Paraphrased, since he was banned from youtube, acquit.

The defense lawyer is now retelling the horrific story of Sandy Hook with the intent of saying that Alex wasn't there. Acquit.

What's clear is that the defense lawyer, most likely in violation of the judge's instructions, is going to try to prove that Alex shouldn't be convicted. This is, again, a damages hearing. You will be seeing these words many times. Try imagining them as emojis or pictures of pets or whatever in the future otherwise your eyes might mirror glaze over.

The defense lawyer, describing Infowars, "Mostly it's a call-in show" I'm now incredibly grateful I left the courtroom. I would've been kicked out after that one. The defense lawyer says you will not hear Alex say he doesn't believe any kids were murdered in Sandy Hook. An hour ago Mark played a clip of Alex saying he doesn't believe any kids were murdered at Sandy Hook.

HOLY FUCKING SHIT! The defense lawyer is now arguing that because millions of dollars went to charities after Sandy Hook, they don't deserve anything from Alex.

"We live in a nation divided" - I got Bingo!

“This is all about Democrats coming after guns” - I GOT DOUBLE TRIPLE BINGO

The defense: CNN made a mistake one time - sue them not us. Fog of war. Let they who have not defamed cast the first stone. I'm rubber, they're glue, what bounces off me sticks to you.

Here we go, the defense is trying the “come on... come on... I mean coooooommmmmmmeeeeee oooooon” gambit.

Now the defense is arguing that Alex was taken in by Halbig, and he was wrong. Reminder: Mark played a clip of him denying Sandy Hook from 2021.

In the side trial of Notepad V. Powerpoint, Notepad is losing by a wide margin.

“He regrets that now, and he apologized for it” REMINDER: CLIP! 2021! STILL!

The plaintiff's have just objected saying the defense lawyer is, as I said, relitigating the case. The judge agrees, she might as well put a banner over her head that says, “this is a damages hearing”

The defense lawyer changes tactics to: Uhhh... it was Hillary's fault! The defense lawyer, paraphrased, “Don't take clips out of context”

“The official story has more holes in it than swiss cheeses, and he still believes that” is not the stirring defense the lawyer believes it to be.

The defense lawyer: Uhhh... it was Megyn Kelly's fault!

In defiance of “the official story has more holes in it than swiss cheese and he still believes that” the defense lawyer now says that Alex said in the Megyn Kelly interview that he believes children died.

The plaintiff's objected, it has already been established that Alex has already lost the trial, the judge explains that Alex has already lost the trial.

Just gonna screenshot this one and post it in regular intervals. At this point, I had taken a screenshot of the tweet above, I turned that into a running bit throughout the day.

“There are four reasons I'm going to come back to you and ask for a 1 dollar judgement” I would also add that there are four ways to learn and he has not availed himself of any. This is in reference to our famous episode about Alex's infamous drunk escapades on air where he claimed there were only four ways to learn, one of which, of course, was “ancestors”.

The plaintiff's (apologies, I was typing on a computer and a phone and everything and at a certain point I was tweeting every 20 to 30 seconds so my grammar and editing were poor,

needs must and I am sorry, but I give this to you warts and all, except for the really bad warts) object again to the lawyer saying things that are demonstrably not true, the judge says he can say it, but that he has to prove it too.

STEVIE P'S FIRST MENTION! 4 STARS GO HOME AND TELL THE LAWYERS YOU'RE BRILLIANT. I refuse to explain this. In order to understand Steve Pieczenik you literally must either listen to our show, he is inexplicable.

The defense is arguing this is literally everybody else's fault but Alex's. The defense is not saying that all mental anguish is Adam Lanza's fault, and Alex has no responsibility.

1 Alex Jones has apologized repeatedly" 2 - Alex Jones has already been punished because of this case Alex has lost all access to the internet" 3 - Alex regrets it, he's been cancelled and he feels the pain every time someone chases him and says he killed the childred.

4. Alex has been cancelled.

The defense lawyer is really trying to hammer Mark as a "Personal Injury Lawyer" claiming that the firm is trying to enrich themselves while silencing a political opponent and that this is about censorship (not supposed to mention that).

The judge is mad people are chewing gum. The judge doesn't want people to talk while she's talking. The judge now declares we can go to break until 1:30 for lunch.

Off the record but on the official feed, Alex shoots finger guns to the camera laughing..

(Here I am referencing a short clip of Dan and I in the background of Alex's earlier grandstanding press conference. I have sweat through my shirt in a way that causes the Wonks to make memes about me being a Sasquatch.)

Roundabout 2:02 you can see in the background on the right side a court office step right next to Dan. He is giving me an official warning. At 3:00 a man points out that I have sweat through my shirt, I explain to him bluntly that I have severe anxiety that I treat with THC and that it's the state of Texas' fault.

(I'm cutting out a section where I have a boring conversation with Anna Merlan and Tim Marchman, two writers I used to respect but who I discovered were condescending and that a doctor had forgotten to remove their heads from their asses)

Dan has taken what may be the most apropos of any picture ever to propos outside the courtroom. (I am referencing a picture Dan took of a large truck outside the courtroom featuring the slogan "Destruction you can trust")

I want to apologize to my parents for this being broadcast on TV and I want to yell at them for the genetics that led to it.

(Here I am cutting out a picture of the guy who mocked my sweatiness. I was quite profane towards him, foreshadowing my upcoming barrage)

KNEEL BEFORE ZOD! Here I QT'd a photoshopped image of Dan with glowing red eyes, a la Zod, staring straight through where Alex's soul could be found, but only with a microscope.

And we're back! The judge says she's going to read a statement from the jury. Paraphrased, Ladies and gentleman, you are to disregard Alex's bullshit about apologizing. Reminder: 2021!

Daria has entered the building as a witness for the plaintiffs. Let it begin.

Daria is not testifying at this time, so she will be forced to wait outside the courtroom until the first witness' testimony has concluded. The first witness is a cop.

Alex is not on the feed. No explanation has been given for why he isn't there. Like me, Alex left after lunch and did not return. Unlike me, he was being sued for defamation.

The officer was the lead officer on the investigation into Sandy Hook, the questioning is being done by another lawyer from Mark's firm. Apologies, but he didn't come on the show so I'm not sure of his name (I am now! Hi Ball!)

The cop is explaining the coordination between the FBI team and his in regards to investigating the mass murder. He says that his office was about 10 minutes away from Sandy Hook, since he was the senior detective there, they put his name on the documents.

"How long were you the lead investigator for the Sandy hook case" The cop says even though he's retired he still believes he's the lead investigator. He continues, that he is part of the community that was affected. The lawyer asks what he's doing after retirement. The cop continues to say that he's created an academy to train cops to react to mass shooters. If I were to editorialize. ACAB.

The cop says that their main focus from the beginning of the case was to support the families. Uh huh. The defense objects and is sustained, the plaintiffs change the thrust, how did you decide what the top priority was?

The cop explains that part of his role was, along with another cop, to be the main contact for all of the families.

The reason he still considers himself lead investigator is because he was personally involved with the families and remains so. The lawyer reminds everyone he flew here from Connecticut and that he is there to support the families as well.

The cop is asked to highlight the main agencies that responded to Sandy Hook, he references the FBI, the local cops, the ATF, and of course, the USPS(?) The cop confirms he was in the room for the opening arguments. The lawyer also expresses confusion as to why Alex isn't there, asks what knowledge the cop has of Alex. The defense objects, the judge allows it.

What's not being asked because it's a courtroom, "You know that guys a piece of shit, tell me a little about how you know he's a giant piece of shit?"

The cop is now expressing what I'd like to call "the sweet summer child" explanation of what everyone was thinking. If they explained to Alex the truth, then he would learn it!

The defense objects again. The judge allows further questioning. It looks like we're going to get an objection after every third sentence from the cop.

OBJECTION! Leading question! The judge says, "it's a little bit of leading." Now we get into the really insane part of a default judgment. Can it be a leading question if the answer has already been established in the ACTUAL GOD DAMN TRIAL. THIS IS DAMAGES!

The judge waffles a bit, says you know, keep going I guess. The lawyer says he'll try to avoid the confusion by asking slightly rephrased versions of the same question (paraphrase).

It appears the entire legal system is confused as to how to introduce evidence already established as true to a jury that hasn't heard it before. One problem with not allowing the defense to relitigate the initial case is that the jury has not experienced the initial litigation so in some ways the plaintiffs have to as well.

The official Connecticut website debunking all of Alex's bullshit is still up and we're looking at it now.

The cop says it is essentially their *complete case file* every single thing they've got, photographs, videos, written statements, literally everything. The lawyer asks, "was this information available to anything?" The cop responds, paraphrase, You're goddam fucking right.

Another objection, a little under the defense lawyer's breath, the judge pauses and, maybe a little out of course, as though the right thing to do is overrule and that overthinking it would be a terrible idea. "Overruled"

The cop says that this is "the largest case file he's ever seen, 20 times bigger than any other in his entire career." This is the plaintiffs really going after Alex's "the official story is swiss cheese" nonsense.

Another objection! Speculation. The judge says something along the lines of reframe what you're saying. The cop basically keeps saying the same stuff, because why not, the defense is objecting on a timer.

"Men were arrested wearing SWAT gear" did that happen? No. Of course not. Was it reasonable to believe that in any way? No. That's just absurd.

"Multiple shooters were chased into the woods?" No. One shooter.

"The school had been closed for years and was not an operating school?" Let's cut to the quick here. We're doing lightning round bullshit questions. "Is the ground made of candy?" "No, the ground is not made of candy."

"Did Alex Jones ask you for any interview of any sort... to clear up any of these manufactured issues?" What do you think the cops said!

The lawyer plays a clip from earlier, Puppet Shroyer saying that it's not possible for Heslin to have held his son, begins asking the cop about the specifics of autopsies and how Heslin most likely held his son at the morgue.

"Why was it important for you to be here?" "To me, it goes back to (long pause) the number one thing... that its our job to support those families in any way possible and it's absolutely horrific the amount of trauma they had to endure in the wake of losing a loved one.

The defense objects to this testimony because the cop isn't a doctor, the judge overrules because, uh, what?

The cop says something that I think we can all agree on. This is the most important thing he's ever done in his career.

The defense is cross-examining with a long pause. Interesting strategy!

The judge overrules an objection but asks the cop to answer just the question asked. I don't know, has anyone ever seen a movie?

We break at 3! Says the judge to the lawyer that does not want to be here on account of how terrible he's doing. The lawyer asks why "only 8 families" sued, the defense objects because how could the witness know that. Sustained because duh.

The judge overrules the plaintiff's objection to questioning continuing regarding "only 8 families" the defense is trying to suggest not all of the families believe Sandy Hook happened, or at least that not all of them were affected.

The defense, boiling down their point. Fog of War! Fog of War! Fog of War!

The defense is now asking if the body is evidence, and that if the body should only be handled by professionals until burial. I think they're suggesting that Heslin not only didn't hold his dead son, but that if he did, he's contaminated the evidence. I mean... uh. Jesus Christ. The cop absolutely does not understand the question because what the fuck is this dude talking about?

I swear to fucking God (I have posted the screenshot of the ...this is a damages hearing tweet)

The defense is now arguing that because no investigation is perfect, it's legitimate for someone to question the narrative. UVALDE IS BROUGHT UP. OBJECTION YOUR HONOR BECAUSE IRRELEVANT SUSTAINED JESUS FUCKINOHJDF:LSKUJFPLWJEF

The defense, paraphrased, listen, who could be bothered to read all of the evidence in the case? They might as well say that Alex is illiterate, acquit.

The cop does not know about Steve Pieczenik. Let it begin.

Paraphrased from the defense, it's unreasonable for Alex to read. But why didn't you watch every video of every other conspiracist and blame them for everything?

Can I reasonably dispense with "paraphrased"? I'm going to shit talk. The end.

Can you prove that the people who harassed the Sandy Hook families were Infowarriors? I suppose not. Counterpoint: Halbig was an infowarrior.

The defense - The media made incorrect statements, too, right? So why don't you sue them for everything? What wasn't said, "Because they made corrections and you said earlier that Alex still believes the official story is swiss cheese.

The defense is now implying that because Megyn Kelly didn't reach out to him for her story, it's totally fine for Alex to go on a years long campaign of harassment. The defense argues that because Halbig didn't work for Infowars, he doesn't count. The plaintiffs object and cross-examine with, what amounts to, Get the fuck out of here with this bullshit.

The defense objects to the sidebar and is sustained, the judge says that the plaintiffs should rephrase the question. Not sure why, the point the plaintiffs are making has already been established when we watch the clip of him in 2021 saying it's fucking fake!

The defense is saying that because the media initially identified Lansa's older brother as the shooter, not him, shouldn't they be equally liable? The plaintiffs object because come on now.

The judge stops everyone. Says to the cop, if you're asked something that you don't know the answer to, say I don't know. The lawyers want you to say literally anything but I don't know.

The lawyer says, nearly, that everyone should be suing Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart.

We are breaking now from 2:56 to 3:30. The judge has two purposes for the break: the jury has the opportunity to present their own questions, they should each ask one, without discussing with each other what their question is, etc. sex ed style, don't put your name on it.

I guess the other purpose is just taking a break. We don't receive a follow up on that. TO BREAK!

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In unrelated news, someone yawned very loudly on the feed and because I miss my dogs, I went, "Awww... who's tired?"

Right now, on the feed, a be-hearing-aided lawyer (as a former hearing aid specialist, if you play anything 8khz, that motherfucker will explode) the lead defense attorney's mentor, is saying some bullshit. Please, no one tell these people that the feed picks them up.

I want to say something about how the jovial nature of the trial, including my own, towards these motherfuckers is disgusting. What else is there to do, though, you know? This is a nightmarish hellscape of monstrosity.

Everyone has risen for the judge, the defense lawyer asks if, before the next witness, he is allowed to approach the judge. What will he say? \$5000 says it's that this should be a mistrial!

With the jury outside, the judge tells the defense lawyer not to bring up the money given to charity, as well as to not bring up that Alex lost millions of dollars for being cancelled. I don't know how telling people after the fact that something isn't true will help. I mean, it's 2022.

"People, this is a courtroom, you don't show up in shorts, you don't chew gum" says the Judge. To which I say, charitably, you wear a black moomoo, whatever. Don't show up in shorts, I wear a big long black robe because I'm a big important judge lady. Not to be too confrontational, but we're on year 5. If you want to think you did a good job as a judge... uh... maybe year 3?

The jury's questions are being presented to the lawyers. The judge is laughing because she didn't know that Don. B stood for, the KRAKEN!

Many of the questions are not understood by the lawyers etc., because again, the trial is over. This. Is. A. Damages. Hearing.

Objection from the defense - improper expert testimony. The judge overrules it out of hand, without thought.

The jury returns and the judge explains that she is going to ask the lawyers the questions they put forth. If they don't hear their specific question, that is because the judge chose to omit that question. You can talk to her after class if you don't like it.

If you don't understand the question says so, is a dangerous precedent to set in this case.

One of the juror's questions is, essentially, what was worse, holding your murdered child or spending a decade being harassed for having a child that was murdered. A macabre question at least.

To answer a question regarding whether or not I should put menstrual pads in my armpits: if Texas doesn't want to see sweat pits, legalize weed dickwads.

The cop is released from testimony. The defense says he shouldn't say anything about anything until the case is over. The judge says, what the fuck, wait, yea, ok, I guess you shouldn't say anything.

in Cake lyrics Daaarrrrriiaaaaa

The judge says to Daria, "Don't speak, I know just what you're thinking. I don't need no reason."

Mark is questioning Daria now, the judge reminds Daria that she is very soft-spoken. SPEAK INTO THE GODDAM MIC!

Mark is establishing that Daria (and in fact all of infowars) does a little bit of everything. The defense objects to... they don't actually know? Overruled says the judge, if you don't know, don't object.

OH SHIT! THE DARIA CORPORATE REP DEPO IS COMING BABY!

Daria is not a cooperative witness for obvious reasons. Mark is not going to let this shit go. We're in for a ride now.

"Partially yes" from Daria should be interpreted as "100% yes, duh, I'm a liar, we're all liars".

Alex may not be in the room for the sole reason that he would intimidate the shit out of Daria on account of, yes, that is absolutely what would happen.

Mark brings up that Alex is doing the show right fucking now. Daria doesn't know for sure, she's in the court. The defense objects because Daria didn't work for infowars in 2012. Mark and the judge point out she was APPOINTED CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVE FOR THIS CASE.

Give up on Infowars ever, ever, ever understanding what a corporate representative is, does, or should do. That ship sailed the moment Dew walked in a deposition years ago.

"I'm not sure where the videos came from" says Daria, the person who talked about the videos extensively in her deposition that we fucking covered, also extensively.

Daria - Wait, wait, wait, so you're saying the things I said before also count now? That literally does. Not. compute.

I'm not 100% sure what Mark's strategy is here beyond trying to get her to keep talking until she admits what everyone knows to be obvious, or lies so obviously it can't be ignored. Otherwise she's just being an asshole and that can't last for long.

AND SHE'S LIED SO OBVIOUSLY IT CAN'T BE IGNORED

This is borderline the Roadrunner absolutely bodying Wil. E.

Mark objects to Daria's response, non-responsible, sustained. She's about to get blasted with a big ole bag of you put a fucking wiki about false flags in a goddam folder. It's been a long time since I've seen an adult act like they were in the principal's office after shitting on their teacher's desk.

To be clear, I haven't, but I would, shit on one or more of my teacher's desks.

Mark says, "the company's social media accounts" the defense objects "Are we talking about the company's social media accounts" Mark says, "I just said we're talking about the company's social media accounts."

Alex's youtube clone is brought up, Mark points out that the internet exists, that if you visit infowars' website, you can see the same fucking content that existed before, proving that alex was not removed *entirely* from the internet.

Defense objects to speculation, the judge isn't entirely sure what is being speculated upon. Overruled.

If the plaintiff's lawyer ever says, "REALLY?" in a very sarcastic tone, it's not going well.

The defense objects to Mark being a little pissed about this bullshit. The judge sustains, but it's also a little pissed about this situation, wasting everyone's time.

Daria appears to be writing and performing a song called "I'm not sure, don't know, haven't learned," and Mark is doing a duet called "WE ALREADY WENT THROUGH THIS. YOU ARE THE CORPORATE REPRESENTATIVE!"

After an excruciating exchange of nonsense, Daria finally admits that advertising provides money. She has yet to acknowledge that the Sun exists, but I'm sure that would be equally difficult.

Now Mark is listing some of the, let's call it, fanciest product: Automatic Gun Parts. Alex sells many products, and many more over the years, one of which is gun *parts* cause you can't sell guns directly.

Mark has now entered what I'd like to call the fuckin' receipts into evidence.

Let's talk about a false flag, bay-bee, let's talk about you and Alex.

Daria is now disagreeing about the definition of False Flag. Let's put the wiki article up.

Mark plays the clip of Alex saying it's just a person on psychiatric drugs, the defense objects saying the clip should be removed. The judge points out the clip HAS ALREADY BEEN ADMITTED. The defense says they should play the entire clip. The judge says, then fucking play it.

Mark - If he's a patsy, "Who was Adam Lanza being used by, do you know?" Daria -
.....

Mark - Infowars published a magazine, right? Who was on the cover? Daria - Mark -
WHO WAS ON THE COVER Daria - Mark - It was Obama.

Daria may have listened to our episode because she clearly thinks that any and every question she answers will look bad and yes, she is absolutely correct. Eventually the judge will almost certainly be moore forceful in asking her to respond.

"Creepy Illuminat message in Batman Movie" has been entered into an actual, real-life courtroom.

Daria's testimony in a nutshell - Well... when you put it that way, it sounds bad.

Judge - "Infowars stands behind that, the Illuminati injected a message into a batman movie?"
The defense objects, it's a longer clip that is taken out of context. The judge points out she literally was arguing that exact point a second ago. Overruled.

The defense, in a stunning move, argues that MARK is being argumentative. The judge, suitably stunned, is thrown off. None of them actually respond to the literal objection because it's so ridiculous, so the lawyers and the judge pretend he objected to something real and THAT is overruled. Another objection from the defense, the judge says if Daria has knowledge of the editorial opinion of Infowars she has to respond. Overruled.

Someone time the distance between objections. I swear it's just a five/ten minute timer.

Daria has the look of someone not named Ohtani on the LA Angels - She's given up.

The definition of "Crisis Actor" is discussed. Daria says they're not necessarily paid for crisis acting. Mark can't help but chuckle because what the fuck, what really, the fuck.

Not sure what else to say other than that the most satisfying thing for me, a person who has had five years of a front row seat to Dan just destroying these motherfuckers on our show, is seeing Mark destroy these motherfuckers in court.

The defense once again objects to evidence that I can't help but assume has already been agreed upon. Judge overrules.

Mark is reading the email Lenny Pozner sent to Infowars. It is another example of something that grounds us in the knowledge that Alex is fuckign with people's lives on purpose, for money, and that it's not fucking funny.

I don't think it's possible for me to treat this with the respect it deserves because it's a clown v. clown situation. The real world shouldn't ever have let it get this far. Clowns should've been fighting in a clown show.

Welp. We're breaking for the day. If the defense continues their bullshit, they are trying to make this trial last longer than the allotted time. Will the judge allow it? Probably. We can all go fuck off. While I suppose I am going to respect the judge when she says that the plaintiffs have spoken for nearly 4 hours, the defense less than 2, but again, I'm not going to say I'm stoked about the American justice system. Mark says this shouldn't last the full two weeks. I wish he had knocked on a million different types of wood before speaking. The lawyers and the judge are convening and having their own conversation.

The conversation is about how Shroyer should appear as a witness tomorrow. God knows.

Bill is getting some words in, in what I can only describe as a Bill-ish manner.

The judge has left the court, we are officially adjourned for today. Plenty of people are still milling around - I'm not sure if everyone knows I can still hear them. I imagine they would be less excited if they did?

What's weird for me is that I know for a fact way too many people closely involved are paying attention to what idiocy I have to say. On the other hand, I'm right about way too much of this bullshit.

With Daria on the stand, it's really wild to think about how someone (not necessarily her) sent an e-mail from her address at infowars asking us if we wanted to have Alex on as a guest. I was not allowed to reply, "fuck you, die" If you didn't know this, I guess you don't care about charity!

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The day begins with an apology from the judge for making everyone wait. I doubt we will see an apology from Alex for fucking everything up for 5 years. The awkward silence as everyone just sits there, fiddling, staring into the middle distance pondering what any of us are **really doing here is palpable.**

Daria is 13 minutes late. She's not going the distance.

She's not going for speed.

Court is back in session, the jury, having walked out roughly 2 minutes ago, walks back in and takes their seats. I may be the grumpiest morning person ever, but this would prejudice me against the defense.

Mark once again has to say, out loud, "Illuminati Message Hidden In Batman Movie".

The defense is 100% going to say that "Why people think Sandy Hook is a hoax" is evidence that they were just asking questions or reporting **other** people's theories. That will not be effective. "Would you agree that Psyop means Psychological Operation?" shouldn't have made me hold my breath as to whether or not Daria would answer honestly.

Daria - "Oftentimes titles are meant to grab attention and then the body of the article says something else, like all mainstream media" I believe her assertion is that clickbait doesn't count.

"You would've done the research..." Stop right there Mark, research ain't happening.

Sandy Hook was definitely not the focus of Why People Believe Sandy Hook is a hoax.

Daria - sure, I said that, but now I'm like, maybe I didn't? And if I did, you know, like, whatever.

Mark now plays a clip of Alex describing Halbig as a TOP EXPERT, as always. For the first time ever, Alex inflating an idiot's credentials has backfired. The best part of any answer an infowars employee gives is when they insist that something wasn't said, or was taken out of context, or was misheard and then Mark plays a clip of Alex saying word-for-word. The faces, my god the faces.

Mark - As an infowars producer you do not believe you have to confirm the evidence pushed by your guests. Daria - long pause, rambling incoherent answer that translates to "That really sounds bad in this courtroom". Daria is really not happy with her deposition and I'll be goddamned if we don't agree on how shitty a job she did. Daria might as well say, "Wait, I was under oath? How does that work. Can't I change my answers now?"

The judge explains what a deposition is to the jury (subtext, Daria also needs an explanation).

"Truth about Sandy Hook revealed" is a bad title in retrospect, much like Harrison Smith's immortal, "The capitol has fallen". Daria insists that Infowars believes what they're saying which should get her 50 days in jail. Daria's brain right now - Why did we name all of these videos so uh, criminally? Shit.

Halbig's 16 simple questions that no one will answer and that, if they did, would suddenly turn into 32 simple questions, are not going to go over well with the jury.

"Totally staged" "clearly it's a drill, LIKE THE BOSTON BOMBING" "Something is rotten here" Were Alex in the courtroom (he isn't) he would be nodding his head like a mad man.

Daria should've been reprimanded by now for being an absolute douchebag of a witness, not that it would do anything. Daria might not be the best person to talk about whether or not the Kraken was an official employee despite the fact that she is the CORPORATE GOD DAMN REPRESENTATIVE.

(Much like the previous day's, we're in a damages hearing, today's theme is, what is your job? How do you not know it? It's your job)

The defense has spent a long time thinking, thinking, thinking... objection! I honestly don't know if anyone even really addressed it beyond Mark just changing tact. I'm about to get a phone call from my friend Johnny Walker blue.

Daria, learning, ok, ok, so putting things in writing is a bad idea. "The FBI says no one died at Sandy Hook" should lead to Daria looking directly at the camera with a record scratch "I bet you're all wondering how we got here".

If the trial had not already ended due to a default judgment, by now, the jury would've stood up as one and screamed, "GUILTY! OFF WITH THEIR HEADS!" We're only on day 2 of testimony.

Daria is attempting the "mumbling doesn't count as perjury" strategy.

(In response to the judge asking Reynal if he had evidence today, Reynal says...) The judge and the courtroom laugh because they just assumed Daria and co. would've "forgotten" to bring the material they were required to.

If I was the defense and there was a clip of Alex saying, "Support Wolfgang" I would've immediately been like, "No, no, He was talking about Odd Future Wolfgang Kill Them All.

Is Mark going to bring up when Daria said that Alex thinking no one died at Sandy Hook is actually very hopeful and compassionate, that no one wants to believe something so awful could happen. (In Daria's deposition, she said one of the most terrifying things I've ever heard. Go listen to Formulaic Objections Part #4).

Mark - Objection, non-responsive Judge with a fucking quickness - Sustained.

Daria's answer to why didn't she do any verification on Salazar's story is, 'Alex lets his writers do whatever they want'. Acquit. Daria looks surprised at what Alex said. Reminder, Infowars has had 5 years to learn a single thing about the case.

Daria says that Alex is not doing a scripted show, that he just says nonsense constantly, and that that's why people tune into the show. Not the strong excuse she might think it is.

"Alex wasn't lying" - Put Daria in jail for perjury now.

The defense attempts to object to an email from an infowars producer and then changes their mind because they have no actual grounds for objection. Rob Dew is a very high ranking producer in the field of sick beats as well.

In the email Mark brings up, it clearly says that Lenny Pozner was the person who put up the copyright claim. This is important because they're supposed to not know or care about him.

Mark's following a line of questioning that, to borrow the defense lawyer's ridiculous propensity for car crashes narratives, suggest that Infowars blew through about 100 stop signs saying stop it with the sandy hook bullshit. "I must warn you, you are traveling down a road that will lead to serious legal consequences" unlike "The capitol has fallen" has aged very well.

Daria - You read the words right, but you're implying the tone sounds sarcastic.
Ummmmmmmmmmmmmmmmmm

Now we learn that Halbig was a ticket enforcer, not a homicide detective, and that he was a cop for less than a year. Not to put to fine a point on it, but Halbig claimed he worked on the Columbine mass murder.

Mark - Mr. Johnson tried to explain why Halbig was wrong, correct? Daria - who can say, do I look like some kind of Corporate Representative?

Mark - Here's a list of things you were supposed to be familiar with Objection from the defense, "How could she know" Mark - CORPORATE FUCKING REP JESUS FUCKING CHRIST

Mark points out that Infowars had documents in the corporate file, since 2014, that Halbig was harassing parents. Daria, unable to answer because, hey, how could she know? Right? How?

Mark brings up the deposition again and Daria is beginning to crack, she reeeeeeeaaalllly regrets agreeing to be the 800th corporate representative in this case.

The defense objects "corporate files, that's vague" The judge says, I'm going to overrule it, if she knows it, she can answer. Daria doesn't answer the question The judge then says "answer the question don't just tell me how you feel. The judge reiterates the question, Daria said she can't answer the question truthfully. The judge is pissed. Answer the question because you're supposed to have prepared for this months ago. The defense objects again to "corporate files" being vague. I think mainly because he himself does not understand what is happening.

Piece of advice, write emails like they'll be read in court.

Sending an email to a grieving parent saying "you disgust me" is bad, saying it in multiple paragraphs is worse, this email Mark is reading right now is one of the most fucked up things anyone has ever written.

Mark - did Infowars know about this. Daria - *Long pause*... not according to... *trails off*.

And we take the morning break. Daria has the body language of someone who just had their leg chewed off by a pack of wolves. I would bet my life that the judge will come back with even less patience than before.

Dan, outside the courthouse right now, reporting that there is no crowd at all beyond a couple that was just married taking photos. What a day for them! Congratulations!

To all the new people following me, after the trial, feel free to un-, I delete most of my tweets because certain governments don't like to hear the TRUTH.

The judge has returned. Everyone rises again. Does anyone else feel like courts are silly pretend we all do? And away we go, Mark is really taking Daria to task now and she's pretty much whispering, pathetically.

Daria - To me this seems as though Wolfgang was very perturbed by the incident and that, in his mind, he was doing the right thing. That is her interpretation of one of the most fucked up emails ever written.

Daria - I don't think he's mocking her, I think he's appalled. Mark - So am I. He lets that linger a second.

Mark plays the clip where Alex insists Osama bin Laden was never killed, then Alex says, it took me about a year to figure it out, but I know for sure that Sandy Hook was a hoax.

Every time Mark says you were supposed to prepare, Daria's brain explodes. What... is... prepare?

Mark asks if she knows about the article "Sandy Hook victim dies again" this article is Wolfgang saying that Noah Pozner died again in a different fake mass shooting, this one in Pakistan. Daria was supposed to have researched the sourcing on all of the evidence. She didn't find the "sourcing" on the claim that Noah Pozner died in Pakistan. Shocking.

This clip Mark is playing now is a good preemptive rebuttal to the defense eventually claiming that it is ok for Alex to claim it was a false flag because false flags have happened in the past.

Mark - in other words when you were preparing for this case... Stop right there. Ha. Hahahahahaha. AHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA

The word research needs to be defined and placed above the judges head.

The defense objects based on a 31.011 that they say means that the damages evidence must be bifurcated. The judge says, "Is that new, my book doesn't have that. I have a 31.10, it stops there." Did the defense make it up?

The judge overrules the objection because Fuck Off. Mark says can we please make sure the defense keeps their objections to one or two words because no one wants to listen to this fuck talk.

The email that claims Bloomberg knew about Sandy Hook 24 hours in advance of the "staged" attack and sent out emails to anti-gun groups. The defense objects "argumentative" because Mark said it's obviously ridiculous, the judge overrules because it's obviously ridiculous.

The defense objects again, citing civil practice number 40. The judge says she'll look at the code, but his objection is the same. She looks it up for maybe a second, "Overruled" the defense insists that a "rolling objection" be in effect. No one cares even a little.

Mark rephrases what we've all known for a long time, Daria did not familiarize herself with any of the many things she was supposed to. Mark plays a clip but before it starts, he says, hilariously, I'm going to assume you're already familiar with this. She isn't.

David Knight is brought into the mix in the clip. I really wish he had gone to the courtroom to watch Alex go down.

The judge reiterates "Listen to the question and then answer it." Not a hard direction, let's see how she does! The defense objects again. Calls for speculation. The judge thinks for a second, overruled. We're going to be hearing overruled quite a bit today.

Daria, trapped in the need to answer a question everyone knows the answer to, tries to not answer the question.

The judge asks the lawyers to approach the bench and they are now whispering to each other. This is apparently about admitting a piece of evidence that the defense does not have on their list. Whether or not this is true remains to be seen. The defense then finds it and we move on.

In this clip, Alex says, in essence, "why won't anyone think of the poor conspiracy theorists and what they have to go through". Alex - "I'm not somebody to mess with." We're going to find out the opposite is true very soon.

Mark points out that in the clip Alex says that the victims' family made a mistake "coming after" him. This establishes both that Alex does have intent to harm and that Alex is a fucking asshole.

OH MY GOD, DARIA YOU FUCKED UP! She called Alex's speech his weapon. In a case specifically about words damaging people, probably don't describe speech as a weapon! After Alex says I'm not someone to mess with, he puts up literal maps of where the victims' families pick up their mail. Daria claims that he was talking about a network of people trying to destroy infowars. This, of course, was Lenny Pozner's HONR Network.

Mark objects to Daria's answer, non-responsive, sustained. Mark demands Daria not assume anything, and that she needs to answer the questions. She's under oath. By my count she's committed perjury at least 4 times.

Mark brings up a video titled "new bombshell information about Sandy Hook" from 2016 - not a good year for them to have Wolfgang on since they've claimed that they broke ties with him before. Wolfgang says the new bombshell information is that subpoenas will be sent out to the families and that he's planning on taking them to court and a FOIA request will prove that the Sandy Hook school was not an operating school. Mark points out that in 2013, all of the evidence needed to prove Wolfgang was a fucking insane nightmare creature was more than available to anyone who looked.

Mark asks Daria to say that she believes the school was not active. She says that's true. He then says, if I put the photos and videos of the inside of the school, do you think the jury will agree. She changes her mind.

Mark - Do you think that's fair to the victims families that you didn't prepare despite being told to a million god damn times? The defense objects, sustained with the qualification that if Daria doesn't answer the questions, shit's gonna get wild.

In the next clip, Mark follows up on Alex saying, "and then they bring in actors" he asks if Daria talked to Alex about that in preparation for the trial. She did not. The defense objects because technically, if Mark wants to rehash her depo, he should play the depo. Sustained.

In the next clip, Wolfgang laments that he's about to lose his family and his wife of nearly 4 decades. Perhaps he should not have harassed anyone. This thought did not occur to him.

Mark asks a question, Did you hear the portion where Halbig praised infowars. Daria, long pause... yes. Here is where Mark will establish that, were it not for Infowars, Halbig's insanity would never have penetrated the culture. Halbig said, "If infowars weren't here, there's no way to get the truth out." Then Halbig says people should donate money to Infowars, as does Alex. Fundraising off of Wolfgang's bullshit looks bad.

Daria says, psychopathically, Alex likes to elevate "the little guy" and that's why he was more than willing to help Wolfgang ruin lives.

Mark - Is it the company's current position that Neil and Scarlett were fakes? The defense objects. Mark rephrases the question to a personal one. Does Daria believe they're fakes? She says that she doesn't, she says they're being used. Daria is fucked. She just said that Mark is lying to the victims and that Mark is trying to put together a conspiracy to make money off of infowars.

Mark points out that Daria didn't talk to Alex at all, then when he says that Daria was told NOT to talk to Alex, the defense objects. The judge, exhausted, just wants them to move on... I'm not stoked about that. Just because you're tired of the defense being an annoying piece of shit doesn't mean you should tell the plaintiffs to fuck off.

Daria insists she doesn't know what anyone's job is, despite the fact that she agreed earlier that Dew is a high ranking producer. In an email to Nico, the writer explains that you can't sue someone if you don't have any standing. He says that something is seriously wrong here. That Halbig's case is completely insane and cannot go anywhere but into the trash can. Nico forwards it to Dew.

Daria doesn't answer the question, but in a lot of words, Mark objects, non-responsive. Sustained. Daria then answers "Yes" like she could've earlier. The defense objects again based on whatever imaginary funhouse law he thinks exists, the judge overrules him again.

In an email, Wolfgang sent the picture of the Super Bowl that he claims was filled with the crisis actors he said were at Sandy Hook. Mark asks if she's familiar with it and she tries to not answer with a lot of words. Objection, sustained, she answers "Yes". The choir of children from Sandy Hook who sang at the Super Bowl Halbig claimed were actually the children who were murdered. Daria, a horrifying monster who exploited what she obviously knew was bullshit, now has to look at the Super Bowl picture.

Mark is now going over the individuals in it and Daria is cowed like a serf in front of a king.

Mark then asks if Daria thinks it was made by a rational human being. She doesn't like the question, avoids it. Now, Mark points out she gave a deposition months ago where she was under oath and what did she have to say? Mark says, I'm going to read it to you, "Will you admit sitting here right now, that this was not created by a rational, sane human being. Or are you

going to tell this jury that this is created by a rational, sane human being? Do you remember what you answered?"

She said she didn't have a personal opinion, now she does, here we go. Loooooong Pause. Her answer "This is just a screenshot that Wolfgang Halbig sent. He sent this picture, he didn't make it, I don't think..." Mark, don't testify of what you don't know about.

Mark reiterates. "Was this photo made by a rational human being? Daria says, like an insane, irrational person, "It may have been made by a partially disturbed person".

Mark now takes it to the Infowars level. Alex claimed that the choir at the Super Bowl was part of a satanic ritual perpetrated by the globalists to demonstrate power over the world. Daria says she doesn't necessarily think that's true.

The defense objects - with no reason. Mark asks if there is a legal reason. The judge is annoyed. The objection is neither sustained or overruled, Mark keeps asking questions. I don't think anyone cares about the defense's dumb objections.

It appears that the defense's strategy is to appeal based on no one listening to their dumb objections. They know for a fact they've lost and are going to lose big, already.

Mark asks Daria if the email Wolfgang sent to Scarlet was harassment. Daria doesn't want to answer, because everyone knows the answer. Daria answers meekly, yes... we break for lunch. The judge asks the lawyers to meet her during the break. I wonder if she'll reprimand the defense for doing the things she's let them do for years. To be clear, the defense is not at all trying to lessen the eventual damages, etc., they're just going to stonewall after the judgment, too. While many people are going to assume that the end of this hearing will be the end, I guess they haven't been paying attention. \$100 says the families are going to wind up having to sue Alex in order for him to actually pay up. While that's going on, he's just going to keep doing what he's doing. This won't end until it eventually becomes a criminal trial. (Foreshadowing!)

Dan with the find of the century: the actual tape Alex covered his mouth with for four seconds until he realized no one cares. Outside of the diner near the courtroom, a piece of tape that Alex had worn over his mouth as a stunt, then quickly abandoned when he discovered he couldn't talk through it, was discovered. Dan sent me a picture to confirm his archaeological find.

Do all of the actual journalists reading these threads wish they could say shit like I do or are they furious that I'm doing their job, shittier? (The correct answer I found out later was yes to both!)

Alex has entered the building. He is, put simply, staring daggers into Daria.

The judge is mad that it's 1:34 and we were supposed to return at 1:30. It would be nice if she were equally mad about, say, a monstrous human being destroying lives and participating in an attempted coup.

Mark begins the questioning from where they left off. Daria is spending most of her time looking down at her shoes, you know, like people with nothing to hide.

Rolling objection that no one cares about. If you recall the Barnes deposition, when he said, "objection, form", well, you'll feel right at home.

Mark has what amounts to an ideas board from 2015 marked important and is reading a long list, eventually, we get to Sandy Hook. The board could have come from any writers' room, but most especially the Big Bang Theory as it was not funny at all.

Mark is now tackling some of the other potential topics. Currently he's asking Daria about chemtrails. 2022 is hell. Infowars was still considering Sandy Hook an important topic in 2015, well after the defense has insisted they stopped talking about it, or at least they only had "debates".

Mark is now reading potential headlines for stories assigned to Dan Bidondi. Daria mumbles, you know, like a person who's stoked to be there.

Mark says, "We'll See" meaning, literally, we will see exactly what he says on a screen very soon, not figuratively as though the situation were in doubt.

I knew it would happen eventually. RELEASE THE KRAKEN!

Daria is now trapped by Mark. She said she thought the Kraken was a good journalist. He asks if she stands by that. She tells a long, nonsense answer, trying her best to avoid telling the very obvious truth. Daria reads her deposition comments "As far as trying to investigate what happened and find the truth, that's what a good reporter is supposed to do." Mark asks if she stands by it. Daria, in defiance of God's Will, stands by her comments. She's now trying to walk them back.

Mark is not shaken by her brazenness, which is solid work on his part.

We're now watching another Kraken clip, one that might as well be a murderer describing exactly how he committed a murder. Bidondi literally said that he knew the people he was asking questions about were afraid of him. Like what someone might call harassment.

Mark is required to rephrase a question. Essentially, y'all knew what he was doing. Stop this. You knew. You did. You're lying.

Alex is now looking at his feet, you know, like someone who's really excited to be hearing his life's work played in court.

Mark is now reading the questionnaire Bidondi had and he's doing so in the sing-song tone of a parent telling their child the brown painting of the sky is beautiful. Mark says this. If you knew this is what the Kraken does, when you asked him to do it again, didn't you think he was going to do what he does again?

RELEASE THE KRAKEN! The words, Release the Kraken were said out loud in a courtroom. It should never have gotten this far. I am disappointed in all of us. I mean this sincerely, Alex is a monster, but the legal system has failed the families as well.

We are now pulling out the background check no one will admit to any knowledge of where it came from. Daria refuses to just reply the same way she did in the deposition. Why? Could be that big red fuck staring at her.

The defense objects to putting that background check in, the judge doesn't even understand what law he's trying to talk about. He objects anyway. Like a patient grandmother, the judge says "overruled".

Alex looks like at any moment he might bust through the wall and scream, "OH YEA!"

In the possession of FSS, is a document that proves Halbig had been warned. Daria says she doesn't know where it came from. Mark says, YOU FUCKING GAVE IT TO ME

Mark is bringing up Dew's uncle, that the uncle was formerly FBI, and that he went *WITH* Halbig. Daria doesn't know... Mark says, no problem, play the clip!

Oh my god. RIP Call Larry Nichols.

Mark had pulled out an email that referenced the now deceased Clinton badgerer, Larry Nichols. On our show, we had called Larry Nichols multiple times because he made his phone number public. What a wild dude.

"The people who did Sandy Hook know where your uncle lives. Who are the people who did Sandy Hook?" She did not say globalists, nor satan, nor Soros, nor Gates. She just said no. Weird, right? Almost like she doesn't really believe it.

The judge calls the lawyers to the bench. Their conversation is whispered but Mark barely avoids laughing as he walks away. It was spectacular. The defense "rolling objection" the judge, yea, we'll get to it tomorrow.

What are the sources? Daria says Alex Jones' research and his mind. The defense objects again, the judge is so fed up she calls a break to clear shit up. Of course. What a surprise, this turned into a fucking clown show.

OH FUCK ME. Earlier today, the judge said that she wasn't necessarily there as the corporate rep, despite my protestations, well guess the fuck what!?!? The defense says their position is if they would like to use her as a corporate rep they should only be allowed to play the tape of the corporate rep.

THE DEFENSE LAWYER! I WAS NOT PREPARED!

At this moment in the trial, Shitball revealed what we've known for half a decade now the defense's strategy was to fail so miserably, to do such a poor job, that the judge would have to declare a mistrial so we could do this all over again in 3 months.

What the everloving fuck did anyone expect to happen. Why in god's name would they be prepared. How are we all still trying to kick the ball when Lucy's holding it?

The judge says, "I don't want to confuse the jury in either direction". If you want to talk about people living in a different reality. What world do you think we're living in that you can make sense of this?

HOLY SHIT The defense - We think that it's a sanction for the plaintiffs to make us look dumb. The judge - Only you can do that.

Shitball attempted to argue that it could be considered *sanctions by the court* when Mark was allowed to use his evidence to deeply embarrass the defense for being, say it with me, unprepared. This is hilarious on its face, but when the judge responded by saying only you can make yourself look dumb, god damn.

The judge - I don't think this is usually a fight, no one's ever done that. So she looked into case law and then she says that, as far as she can understand this has **literally** never happened before. Ultimately, final decision, she's whatever the fuck Mark says she is now.

The jury returns to a very different defense team. This is one of the most pathetic looking things I've ever seen. Except the old dude who absolutely does not give a fuck. I almost respect him for being obvious about just wanting money.

If you're a magic the gathering fan, Daria looks as though she were hit by a psionic blast. Have you ever been in really, really, really big trouble? Daria is talking that softly.

Mark with the absolute dagger. You said that the source was Alex's mind. You were supposed to investigate the sourcing. You didn't talk to Alex. Fatality.

Fuck the tape, this should go in a museum. Legendary argument. Truly.

Because no one can record the video, I really want everyone to know that Mark just committed a First degree murder.

And we get our first cell phone ring, breaking up the energy in the room slightly. Daria somehow rallies because a ring? Is she the manchurian candidate?

Ok, remember when the judge said only FSS can make FSS look dumb, she left out the part where Mark, given free reign to make them look dumb, has elevated to Super Saiyan.

Mark brings Jim Fetzer into the fray. Fetzer is a former professor after he stopped being a professor he went to the island of cuckoo dickwads. Daria somehow says she's unfamiliar with Fetzer's work. Perjury. Mark reads an email to Infowars stating Amazon won't distribute Fetzer's book, but, you'll never guess who, *someone* will. Adan Salazar's email proves that Infowars was promoting Jim Fetzer's book, all the way into 2015. Daria tries not to agree in words, then agrees.

Mark asks to admit 73, the judge prompts, "any objection" the defense, taking the bait says, "rolling objection," the judge, smugly, says ok. Moving on. The judge is full on sublimating all of her rage into sarcasm.

Mark reads PJdubs email from 2015, wherein he says don't keep talking about Sandy Hook, you idiots, if you do, you will <smash cut to 2022> wind up in court.

Mark - if one of your main writers tells the boss something, doesn't the boss by definition have to know it? Like, how can he plausibly not know it. That's unreasonable. Bah. How dare you.

Daria disputes her own testimony. Mark calls her on it. They already knew Fetzer was crazy before PJdubs sent the email. She accidentally admitted it. Oops. Daria is now crying.

I don't care. I don't care. She is a psychopath and she is faking this and that is the truth. Do not feel a second of sympathy for this absolute monster, she would watch you die and smile.

Aaaaaaand she's done crying. Whoa, it's almost like she spends all of her time with a giant red cow that fakes emotions non-stop.

Hey. Just to remind everyone. I find none of this unusual. That's what it means to do KF for 5 years.

Mark plays a clip he's kept in his back pocket of Alex laying out his evidence piece by piece. He's set this up by letting Daria agree with individual shit and when he plays this clip it is, ironically, a smoking gun.

Mark, That's not the school, Daria, yes. Mark, why did you say it was the school, Daria, a bunch of people said that, not just us, Mark, Who? Daria, a;lkdjv ;kf ja;wn

Mark, distilling his line of questioning now to a beam of light, if you wanted to know the truth, you could've found it at any time. Couldn't you? You didn't want to, or you chose not to. Either way, you are guilty of everything and to a great degree. You have to be stopped* *Slight editorializing.

Ok, objections have been exchanged. Mark objects non-responsive, sustained, the defense objects to a sidebar when Mark tries to get her to answer the god damn question, sustained. The judge explains what she means, which is, Answer the god damn questions.

Ahh, the evergreen, Mark, where did you get this video, Daria, I've never seen it before, where did you get it?, Mark, YOU GAVE IT TO ME.

The judge wants to take a break soon, Mark decides now's as good a time as any, we're on break.

Mark, off the record, attempts to break hearts with a stunning grin.

What am I doing? Am I writing correspondence from the worlds' fucking fair?

Off the record, Alex and the old man lawyer who couldn't care less are having a little chat. Now Alex is saying that he's made mistakes but these are organized liars.

Alex is saying they had text messages from you, but they didn't check my phone. (FORESHADOWING!!!!) Is he Jinxing right now? Are we getting Jinxed? What is happening.

We will not get out of this trial until Bill gives a thumbs up to the camera. I will extend the trial myself.

We're back, Mark is playing clip 18C. Alex, uh, quotes Hamlet. Methinks, protest too much. This is the clip where Alex says his heart goes out to all parents that have lost children, then goes on to say, if children WERE lost in Sandy Hook, my heart goes out to each and every one of them, the problem is I've seen actors and I know the difference between fake and real.

If I *had* killed a man, I'd feel bad, but, no one has *ever* died. Eh? How about that?

Mark has now begun to do the real work. Let's talk money. Mark points that at the same exact time an email that Buckley sent, mocking the "sacrifice of crisis actors", Alex is on air saying that the children *were* crisis actors. Obviously infowars knew they were lying. For money.

The defense, with an impotence rivaled only by the long past dead, continues their rolling objection. Alas, to no avail.

Mark is now pointing to an email that was sent to, relatively speaking, Everybody. The email says, "Nick and Laura Phelps did a great job of acting on 12/14/12. I visited their home today..." This is one of the worst things that a human could do.

Every sentence of the email is worse than the last and I can't ever understand or accept a person who says "1st Amendment" to this.

Evergreen: Daria dissembles. Daria - If I had read... Perjury. Daria, trying beyond humanly possible to say that the email she just heard was absolutely acceptable... up until she has to say it was awful. Guess what? Ever hear our deposition episode?

There it is. It really is there. It's stunning to hear it. Every time. Daria said, "It strikes me as an impassioned man that is doing investigations and is trying hard to get to the bottom of things." She says now, my god, she said "I stand by that, he was a disturbed man, but I stand by what I said."

The clip played shows Alex repeating the same Sandy Hook theories in 2017, despite their insistence that's not possible. Alex makes a noise. The defense objects because again, the defense believes that Daria is not the corporate representative. The judge isn't sure if that's what he's talking about, assuming that since she told him that argument was over, it was. Oh when we were so naive.

Now the defense objects trying to argue instead of this being a whatever it was they were objecting to before, now it's speculation. Countdown to giving hearsay a shot.

A clip from 6/13/17 episode titled Media refuses to report on Alex Sandy Hook remarks is played. Alex does what he does, incriminate himself beyond an *unreasonable* doubt. Mark is going to hammer it home. He's putting up the exact list of arguments Alex has towards why Sandy Hook was fake. This is, again, 2017.

Daria, in a feat of pretzellation, tries to argue that Alex was only talking about Zerohedge talking about Alex and so Alex was not actually talking about Alex, see? Daria might as well say that because Alex dreamed it, he was basing his story on that, and that therefore it is true. Because that's *his* truth.

Mark plays a small portion of the clip again, the part where Alex almost goes into Sandy Hook and then pulls out of the tailspin. Daria says that she doesn't think it was the intentional act of a man who was being sued. Mark pulls up a screenshot of when Owen Shroyer used Jim Fetzer's information as a source on. Asks Daria if the company knew at that time that Fetzer was unreliable (they did). Evergreen: Daria dissembles.

I don't think she knows that when Owen is questioned, he's going to throw her under an Evel Knievel number of buses.

Mark plays a clip of Alex insisting Sandy Hook is fake and then follows up with a classic Alex ad pivot, very, very clearly connecting the popularity of Sandy Hook conspiracies and making money. Sometimes, most times even, there are shades of gray, there's nuance, there's some wiggle room. But every now and again, you see an Alex Jones clip and life has an uncommon clarity.

Mark - Let's talk globalists. Daria - Well... just because the entire operation is based on the globalists that doesn't necessarily mean I believe they exist.

The defense objects. Why? No one knows. The judge says, wait to object until you have something to object to.

Daria is refusing to capitulate, by which I mean tell the truth or answer the questions, is it because there won't be any serious consequences if she doesn't. She's lied and successfully avoided several damning questions. Obviously, she's still underground, but still. Daria acts like an asshole one last time, Mark, having sent her through the Earth's core to China, ends his questioning.

The defense is now beginning their line of questioning. Their strategy is simple. Sure, you were appointed corporate representative, but since you didn't work here at the time, you can't possibly be expected to testify truthfully, I mean honestly, wait, knowledgeably. The defense somehow confuses the witness you would expect them to have prepped in some way. Lucy once again pulled the football. The defense takes the tangential approach, asking Daria about her childhood history playing music. It seems that she enjoyed music. Acquit.

Daria is asked to describe the Infowars studio. Unfortunately, the snozberries taste like shit.

The defense, INVALIDATING THEIR OWN ROLLING OBJECTION, asks Daria a question as the CORPORATE GOD DAMN REPRESENTATIVE.

This is going to be played at both the incompetence lawsuit and my birthday party.

The defense abandons The Match Game portion of questioning and is now trying to argue that Alex hardly ever talked about Sandy Hook. Without the props. Heartbreaking all around.

"Does anyone have any idea of what, granularly is going to occur on the show" "No, not really" The defense's own argument is that people like the show because it's made up on the spot. A show they call journalistic. The defense - Is the entire show devoted to mass shootings and tragic events Daria - *giggles* No. Acquit.

The defense enters into the courtroom that Alex has once claimed that the water is turning the frogs gay.

And now the gambit has been sprung. The argument is Alex is too silly to hurt anyone. Infowars isn't just not news, it's a comedy show. Alex Jones has invalidated every single thing he's ever said in ten minutes.

The lawyer is doing the speech equivalent of writing your essay in 40 point type. He's trying to run out the clock without actually quitting.

The plaintiffs object because this is all ridiculous and there's a reason for sure, but on a larger, cosmic scale, this needs to be stopped.

The lawyer for the defense is currently searching for Blue's Clues.

The defense lawyer asks Daria something he should know, which is when she was asked to be the corporate representative. She responds to the question, the answer to which she should know, with, about a year ago? The defense asks Daria to defend why she's unprepared. She says, because it would have been hard. (subtext, so I didn't try)

This is a heroically stupid attempt to recontextualize years of not giving a fuck to actively fighting against the effort into, listen, it would've been too much work. Mark objects to literally the lawyer leading the witness. The judge sustains that. It has just occurred to the lawyer that literally every question he has is leading. Everything is silent now.

In unrelated news, as time goes on, the discipline I have towards overuse of adverbs goes away. I apologize.

Everything is very quiet punctuated by short bursts of sound, signifying nothing. When the lawyer finishes a full sentence I will let you know.

Ahh, the defense has tried an interesting tactic. If you'll recall, Mark pointed out that many emails Daria had no idea where they came from, were sent to him from Infowars. The defense is confirming that Daria doesn't know where they came from, proving incompetence.

This is parody. This is the simulation. The defense lawyer is less sane than Wolfgang Halbig. Currently, the defense is trying to play evidence that wasn't admitted into evidence. Defense officially enters. Mark objects because it's hearsay. The Judge says Jesus Christ. Go Home. And she literally means it. We are going home. The jury, that is. The lawyers and the judge remain.

Evergreen: The judge - We're having a conversation we should've had before. We're on year fucking 5.

Mark is objecting because it's very clear the defense tossed this video in at the last second in order to make Mark do what he's doing right now. A thing he was hoping he didn't have to do, because they agreed beforehand, this wouldn't happen.

Mark is suitably pissed. Wrong. Mark is furious. This is bullshit. Mark is right. The defense lawyer is a fucking lying piece of shit who says, "Mark is not telling the truth".

The defense lawyer is making up words. It's fun that because they sound like human words, we listen, but he might as well be a bird chirping. I would repeat what the defense just said but it was mouth diarrhea.

We are where we knew we'd be. The defense has broken the rules. The defense is trying to argue they should be allowed to. The judge is telling the defense if they wanted to put something in, they should've done it before. So now. Again. The judge is going to delay. Fuck this. This is absolute bullshit.

The defense, "we didn't review their videos either" Unsaid, the defense had the plaintiffs videos, the plaintiffs did not have the defenses videos.

I can't begin to describe how fucking pathetic this is. The judge - Talk to the lying piece of shit defense's lawyer about what the lying piece of shit defense's lawyer wants to talk about. We live in hell. The judge is now indulging the defense in petty name-calling.

The judge is done for the day. For obvious reasons. She's instructing the lawyers to perform impossible feats. This is not going to be an 11 day trial. (Eventually true).

"Everyone is emotional, and I imagine that's never going to happen again" a judge that is wrong.

To sum up the end of the trial; If you're the umpire, you don't ask the batter if they think it's a strike out. You don't ask the pitcher to negotiate with the batter as to what a strikeout is. You ring them up.

Dear Mark Bankston. Despite the fact that the last 5 years have constituted nothing but evidence that the defense is purposefully, maliciously unprepared, I put it upon you to watch 10000 hours of film. I assume the defense will hold up their end of the bargain as well. Judge.

Everyone is doing an excellent job of taking this seriously and giving it the gravitas it deserves, except, obviously infowars. The problem is once you let a clown show into your courtroom, the entire courtroom is a clown show. Only clowns understand clowns. And so people who don't understand clowns try to follow the golden rule, Treat others..., but clowns aren't you. You shouldn't treat clowns the way you want to be treated. We're clowns. We put makeup on and laugh and cry(?) cause we're insane.

July 28th

A brief note on the events that occurred between day 3 and day 4 of the trial. At the end of the day, as the lawyers were walking out, Reynal had become enraged by the judge disallowing a wide chunk of his “evidence” as well as outlawing most of his “questions”. He decided to return his masculinity to its full mulleted strength by getting in Mark’s face and doing his best to either threaten him or insult him. Mark, in response, said in a soft, conciliatory tone the meanest possible thing he could say, “Will you talk to me?” Reynal, aware that not only had he just been spanked by the judge, legally, but now he had also been Def Jammed to the moon and back. He decided that, as a lawyer, he should flip Mark the bird in front of a large number of cameras.

Because they didn’t understand the context, from their point of view, Mark appeared to be this calm, cool badass lawyer who turned his head away from a confrontational ass, instead of a bullfighter toying with a steer more than a bull.

Still funnier, before the bird had been flipped, Mark had turned his head away. He didn’t see Reynal’s bird until long after the fact, so he in essence walked away slowly from a giant explosion. Yea, dope. Before Reynal could escalate further, another of our close lawyer friends, Bill Ogden, stepped between them, ensuring that Mark could not stab Reynal with another black flagged banderilla.

The judge later says that, had she been in the room for this confrontation, Reynal would have received some serious consequences. She wasn’t, so the next morning begins with everyone aware of Reynal’s schoolyard bullying, yet unable to react to it in a meaningful way.

This morning I'd like Texas to think real hard about how a criminal defense lawyer wanted to throw hands because, no exaggeration, he's just too dumb. Getting in the plaintiff's attorneys face like a bully with terrible hair, then impotently flipping him off, probably not good. I'm not saying it's the entire state of Texas' fault, but yes it is. It really is. Fix yourselves, goddamit.

And listen, I don't think Reynal is a piece of shit for representing Alex, necessarily. In this trial, though, he's proven himself to be a giant piece of shit in his own right. I think I can sympathize; put yourself in the mind of cowardly idiot. What else can he do, right? He has no capability to express himself with words - he's proven that - so he must speak with all he knows, besides flopping his hair about, his tiny, pathetic fists.

Anyways, for these reasons, I will be referring to him as... F. Andino Shitball!

Stream is up, parties are seated. Alex is in the room. He has improved his dress, to say the least. He's clearly heard all of your insults.

The judge says, "The next time you have an argument, take it outside." Shitball stands up and says, "Your honor may I speak" The judge says, tersely, "No."

In short, the judge has entered the courtroom with the Eye of the Tiger. This will be an interesting day. The judge is pointing out the most simple and obvious of truths, You can't admit evidence if it is not actually there. This is called the Peek-a-boo law.

They're discussing the number of exhibits that were not admitted, the judge reads a number of exhibits that eclipses the amount a competent lawyer would 'forget'.

Mark speaks, deferentially to the Judge, both aware that she's bringing it today and, so long as he doesn't antagonize her, Shitball will take a beating.

Shitball gives an insincere apology for his attempt at a hockey fight. He then goes on to say that Mark and he agreed to allow every one of the exhibits. Mark has agreed to this because it will be very funny when they are played. Shitball is now arguing that he, I guess, doesn't feel good? The Judge says, pretty much, I don't care.

Shitball is attempting to explain the Plaintiff's case and my god, this is really, really funny. He really, truly does not understand what is happening to him. He's now defending entering his dumb videos. Shitball - "This evidence is not hearsay" It is, because Alex made it up. Do you understand? It's hearsay from people in his fucking *dreams*.

Mark is now reading the receipts. He was called a liar for this, and he expects to receive an apology from Shitball. Good luck!

The bane of the defense's existence is their own words. Normally, they aren't recorded, so they can lie about them easier. Now Mark is reading those words to people who regret saying them.

Shitball says, "Ok, ok, I hear you, now. Here's the problem. We have not tracked those videos down, despite 5 years. So if you want us to track those down, we're going to have to delay for another 7 years."

Mark says that this is being streamed to the whole country and begins the process of pointing out how disrespectful, awful, stupid, monstrous, and moronic the defense is, and that they are obviously trying to cheat even more. Mark says we're going to agree to 28, and only object to 5. Mark has given them the list of 28. The judge says, she has 66. Everything after that 33 is post trial clips, all of which are Alex bloviating about how terrible the judge is. Wow.

Shitball wants a ruling on the 5. The Judge says she has to watch them.

The judge has now explained that she read Daria's testimony and, basically, declared her unfit for talking to other human beings.

Mark gives his reasons the videos should not be allowed. All of which are true. The judge is going to watch them with shitball. Mark says, hilariously, on the record I would like to point there is hearsay *within* hearsay. Inception!

Shitball is demonstrating his poor IT skills. Quit your dayjob!

The judge and shitball are in the back for, at least, 18 minutes. The plaintiff's lawyers are, let's say, quietly jocular. The jocularity is increasing in volume. "Go get em, Mark" says Bill. Oh boy, this is... I mean... surreal at least.

\$100 Side bet: None of the 5 clips will be allowed in court.

I lost this bet. However, there were no takers, so I lose nothing.

Mark, like Will Smith and Zach Morris before him, mugs like hell to the camera.

I hope everyone understands why the mainstream media is incapable of accurately reporting on this trial. The defense does a bunch things that they aren't *allowed* to print. Send in... the clown. Furthermore, if you are reporting on what the defense *said* you are missing the point of what the defense *does*.

Who had, "a lot longer than 18 minutes of waiting" on their card? BRB gonna take a yoga class, should only be another hour before the trial starts again. This is the point. This is the point of what they're doing. This is what they cannot be allowed to do under any circumstances. They no longer get to waste everyone's fucking time. Or they wouldn't if justice existed.

Frankly, the jury should be in the room to watch Shitball fuck himself. Although it would be obscene, I admit.

The judge has returned, the sound was off, the zoom still doesn't work, and the judge overrules Shitball's rolling objection that I'd like to remind you he himself treated Daria as the corporate rep, invalidating his own objection. Videos 4 and 5 are not allowed, objection sustained.

KILL ME. The judge read an interesting story from the internet. Do you see this? Kill Me. The judge is doing bits while we wait for the jury. Did you ever notice that some juries are one way, while other juries are different?

Oh my God. Correction. I didn't realize. The judge read a Far Side comic.

Jury arrives. Alex is staring into Daria's eyes and Daria is avoiding those eyes like they were Homelander's (except Homelander would like her.)

Shitball decides to begin today by clearing up some matters and defining some terms. He returns to the notepad to write something that is illegible and definitely too small for the jury to

read. Long Pause. Will this clear things up? Absolutely not, indeed, he will do his best to confuse even Daria.

Daria is asked to define the difference between a staged event and a no one died event. Daria does poorly. What' the difference between a false flag and saying no one was killed. Daria does poorly.

Shitball is not doing the job he thinks he's doing. If you're trying to split hairs over whether or not a staged event means no one died or a false flag where no one died, you're already admitting that you're insane. The argument, the description, the NEED TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN FALSE FLAG AND STAGED EVENT is in and of itself, before you even try to define them, INSANE.

Shitball's writing is hilarious. I want that notepad when we're done.

I didn't get it.

Objection: wasting everyone's time so you can look like you're actually doing something in front of your employer.

The jury has already forgotten Daria's explanation of a staged event. Why? Because she said it poorly, then it was followed by similar definitions of other insane things.

Here it is: how does Alex come up with the stuff on his show. Daria - Alex brings it from home, stays late (learns from his ancestors) they put some stackies in front of him, she admits that he makes up his opinion as he reads the stack for the first time.

Shitball - What is playing devil's advocate? Me - You're a shitty advocate, let's leave the devil's good name out of this.

Now, I'm just a down home Houston lawyer with a 5th grade education, but if I draw some circles on the board, I think you'll see... acquit.

Shitball asks another leading question, again, all of his questions will be leading because they are written to make Alex feel good and feel right. Mark can object to every question.

And Alex has gone with his bodyguards, he doesn't want to watch his performance on the day of Sandy Hook. He walked out like a big baby. I'm assuming he's going to do his show this afternoon.

This is going to waste everyone's time. In case you were wondering what the defense *does*.

This is in regards to the defense insisting the Plaintiffs play the full, extended version of the evidence, as opposed to just the section that they entered and agreed with the defense to play before the trial.

They're just going to play this for as long as they can get away with. I'm watching a horror movie screaming, "DON'T GO IN THERE!" This will be reported as Alex's defense team "played an extended clip." And not, "the defense, continuing their inimitable assholery, wasted everyone's fucking time."

Here it is. The lawyer is now arguing that he should get to play as much of the video as he wants, guess why? The defense has edited out the parts of the clip where Alex does commercials. I think because, and hear me out, it would look like he was making money exploiting a school shooting on the day it happened.

STOP THIS NOW!!!! YOU'RE BEING USED!!!! None of you understand clowns. We need our own court system.

Everyone's zoned out. Do you understand? No one is even able to pay attention. We do a show about him. I fucking know. Whoops. I zoned out. Only Dan should be listening to this.

Actually, the opposite. Dan has listened to this very video 10,000 times.

The defense - Alex is a monster. Acquit.

I hear everyone asking the question, "does the defense really think this helps Alex?" Instead of the correct question, "does the defense care?"

Now, having read the Adventures Of Tom Sawyer, I want to say that I think Tom Sawyer is an interesting character. What an interesting name. Tom. Tom goes back to the bible. The bible is a book written by another great author. God. I hope everyone enjoyed my book report. Acquit.

Y'all think this has an end, right? You fools. Fairly certain at the end of this video, Shitball is going to turn to the jury and say, "Eh? Right? Acquit. The defense rests."

Dan points out that the caller bringing up St. Rose of Lima is bad on account of how Halbig *was harassing kids there*. The defense, of course, does not know this because they didn't care then and don't care now.

The defense - See? Someone calling in gave all of both their thoughts AND their prayers. Alex, didn't, but he had it on his show, eh? Ehhhhhh?

One of the jurors was writing notes, diligently. He has now put his notepad away.

Everyone is touching their face in some way or another, an ancient homosapien expression of Fuck This Guy.

Daria has descended into the phantom zone I imagine. She hasn't moved for maybe the entire video. The only person riveted by this video is, inexplicably, Shitball. What is happening in that man's brain?

The judge has officially fallen asleep.

If you're listening to the content in this video, you need to stop it. You are wrong. If you think we're getting out of the next week without hearing another full hour long video. Lucy's holding the football. Go for it. I swear, you're gonna kick this time. Promise.

The defense - Your honor, while we know this is a trial, because you read a far side cartoon, we are allowed to say Doom was created by the Pentagon to inspire mass shooters.

The defense - He not only defamed the plaintiffs, he is a racist!

Apparently, the defense is trying the Sirius Cybernetics Corporation gambit - make the superficial issues so fucked up, the jury ignores the fundamental problems.

The judge is doing a good job making no facial expressions that would express the deep, deep regret she has for allowing this and, indeed, ever studying law in the first place.

Uh oh, this may have pierced through to the other side. I'm starting to believe the Pentagon created Doom to get leftists to get our guns so the globalists can kill us and they already told us because of their satanic compact. DUH!

The defense is saying that Alex is doing a call-in show more than he's doing a one-man racist insanity yell loud show.

Daria, "Alex knows that." Not a good thing to say. Either it's incriminating to him, or you're actively lying. Not good.

Leading question, Objection, Sustained, would you describe Alex as anti-war? I don't know, did he at one point or another say we should nuke Iraq, North Korea, China, etc.? You decide!

I know it seems odd for me to say this, after such professional behavior, but if I were the defense lawyer, I would have prepped the questions I would ask *my own witness*.

Daria - Alex owns everything, is responsible for everything the company does and everything he does on the show. That won't ever come back to bite me, right?

Shitball, "what does that mean when someone is a 'writer'." I can't begin to describe how long it is taking her to say, "write stories".

You can't take a picture of Shitball next to his notepad, so I'll try to describe it. What if John Mulaney was trapped in a too large suit and forced to recite Demetri Martin jokes.

David "The Dark" Knight was a writer at Infowars who was fired after getting into a fight with the most insane person, with the biggest swings, on Infowars, Stevie "I killed Aldo Moro" Pieczenik.

Shitball - You described the Kraken as "sort of" an employee of Infowars. Now that you've had a day to be yelled at about that, how would you like to retcon that?

In case you were wondering why these questions are unrelated to each other, and about things we already know, because they were entered into court yesterday, please refer back to my tweet about what the defense *does*.

YEA BABY! PEE-CHIN-ICK!

I haven't written a phonetic pronunciation that also perfectly describes a person before.

Shitball is asking how large the "truther" community was at the time. She can't possibly know, Mark objects, sustained. Even without that, Shitball's line of questioning would actually lead to proving that Alex *enlarged* the community after the fact.

Shitball - Do you remember that 50 minute clip we just watched. Me - Honestly, on my mother's grave, No. Shitball is an idiot. The judge is treating him that way. The judge - If you want to ask questions, you need to establish some knowledge. If she were to enforce that, the defense would be over.

As you can see, we're all successfully distracted by his nonsense bullshit. Owen should be on the stand right now. The only reason he isn't is to waste time. This needs to be stopped.

The judge - You're in charge of how you use your time, for the most part. Shitball - Want to take a break now? The judge - Today we break at noon. The clip begins. In the clip, Alex says he thinks Sandy Hook is a staged event, but Shitball I guess didn't know that? Wow. What a fucking idiot.

Shitball, realizing he fucked up, runs back to his chair and hides in his notes which, I assume, are pieces of paper covered with stickers saying "Grape Job!"

The old guy just passed him a note saying Do you like me, circle one. Yes NO

The defense I guess is using this clip to prove to the jury that actually, Sandy Hook *was* a staged event. Surprise, they still believe that!

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Jury, I'd like to remind you that everything the plaintiffs has said about Alex is 100% true and that you should return with a judgment of 150 million dollars. Wait, oh shit. I forgot which side I was on! My bad, do over, do over!

Daria is grimacing and staring at the lawyer as if she can't believe it. This is... I don't really know? The lawyer is essentially standing on his table, dropping his pants, twisting around, and peeing in his own mouth.

Ah, let's play the clip where Alex says that one of the parents *supposedly* lost their child. Smart. It appears the defense is really enjoying my live-tweeting and wants to give me material.

Alex really wanted Shitball to play this clip because in it, he has hair and his body is not the color of Kool-Aid.

Alex - I believe children died at Sandy Hook... because the government staged a false flag attack on real children, not crisis actors. Shitball - Acquit.

Compared to the 50 minute clip that held Shitball in rapt ecstasy, this clip has given him different body language. The body language of a lawyer who shouted I'm not prepared in a courtroom one day ago.

He is now wandering about. As though if he stood in the right position, the rescue team from Blackhawk Down would bust through the windows and get him out of there.

He's asking questions that have nothing to do with the clip he played. This is exactly, 100% like when Alex starts reading an article that literally disagrees with what he's saying about it so he just pivots and pretends it didn't.

Daria is now explaining the thing we all know: how a generic news show works. Shitball - Did you hear him say he definitely believed children died? Daria - Yes. Me - If you hadn't used the full clip, you wouldn't hear him saying that real children were murdered by the government. You do realize that using the full clip was YOUR CHOICE.

Shitball asks Daria how green screen works, Mark objects - she doesn't know. The judge - sustained. No disagreement from Daria. She does not know how green screen works.

Also, is the defense going to try to prove that the Anderson Cooper clip is really what they say it is?

The stream shut out during the part where we break for lunch, so the judge and jury have left and we're to lunch. Shitball will have at least one of my insulting tweets read to him during lunch. Know this to be true. If I see him outside, he will take a swing at me.

Did a wonk send a card!? Mark showed a card of some sort to the camera. I have a hard time believing it's not a wonk.

Looking like the day will not end. The day ends tomorrow evening, basically. The plan is to, at least eventually, play the deposition of Rob Jacobson, which knowing what we know, is going to be more damning than if your wife looked back at a city and now she's salt or whatever. What was the Bible about?

Shitball has entered the room and this is my first time seeing him in person. I take it all back, his hair is fresh as the pavement, as beautiful as a cinder block. A stunning man.

Remind me to stand when the judge enters and that I do not have to bow.

The judge and jury have returned, earlier reports of an Alex sighting being imminent appear to be mistaken.

During lunch, Shitball has explained to Daria what green screen is, now he would like to ask her questions about it. Mark objects, sustained.

What does synthetic mean, shitball asks Daria. She doesn't answer correctly. She answers, "something manipulative" due to this, she has been docked 15 points.

My god. Shitball wrote Wolfgang Halbig on the notepad. We have, of course, not seen Halbig's name in print any more than 70 times so far in the past three days. Shitball asks Daria a question, "what community did Halbig belong to?" The answer to which of course is the Morris dancing community.

Daria says trusting Halbig was the worst decision the company ever made. The journalists are writing furiously, oh wow, she said the thing! Daria's defense, listen, none of us know what anyone is doing. Leaderless resistance as a business model. You can only blame each individual, apart from each other, never the company, says the corporate representative.

In many ways, Shitball should have recorded Mark describing the exhibits rather than attempt to describe them himself. For he is tragically bad at it.

Did infowars broadcast the picture of the superimposed Super Bowl picture referenced by the plaintiffs Daria - I tried my best to find that out. Perjury. The defense's strategy appears to be that of please grade our performance on a curve. You wouldn't ask a baby to be good at lawyering, right?

The defense - Ahh, see? Howard Stern. Acquit.

The defense is spectacular now. This is amazing. Memes are allowed in court. Daria, if you think this is racist, that's you projecting. Shitball goes quiet, (subtext. Why did you add that part.)

Shitball - As the corporate representative...

Shitball - Rolling objection your honor

Judge - overruled

If you start a question to your witness, the witness you object to being called the corporate representative, with, "as the corporate representative" you are the single worst lawyer in history.

The substitute teacher has brought their projector from home. I believe he thinks this is an upgrade from the notepad and is sorely mistaken. The substitute teacher asks a math question and it requires deep thought.

Alex enters the room as she speaks his name, summoned much like the Betelgeuse meme from earlier. The bodyguard from earlier is now sitting next to me. I'm assuming to either intimidate me or.. just regular date me.

Why did Alex support Trump? In the middle of Daria's answer it's clear she forgot her line for a second, the lawyer gives her time to correct herself.

The defense - it is again, literally everybody else's fault.

Shitball's IT skills are once again taxed beyond their limits. He gives up. Decides to play a different video.

Daria is now talking about why Alex went on Megyn Kelly's show, she points out, well, they lied, which, no argument here. Alex was told she wouldn't talk about Sandy Hook. This is so, very, very relevant to, uh... a different case.

Daria is looking more and more nervous under the lights behind Alex's eyes.

Daria - You can't tell Alex what to do. So, you know, it's definitely everybody else's fault when he does something. Because they can't tell him what to do, see? Defense has admitted a new piece of evidence that they came up with during lunch. Exhibit 67.

This is the clip of Alex where Alex gave his sincere condolences to all mass shooting victims everywhere. He calls for unity and peace and for them to come on his show, allow him to apologize and please don't don't sue me. This was in 2018 of course.

Shitball is now writing a June 2017, Father's Day on his notepad In case we do not remember that there was a year called "2017" not a holiday called "Father's Day".

Daria, has a brief spot of inspiration. She says, I don't the parents ever saw that video as if for a brief moment she thought that that was really the source of all of this trouble. Daria is now

asked what the HONR Network is, in a stunning turnaround, between when she was deposed and now, she learned something.

We are again defining words. What is the meaning of every word in this sentence. What? Is? The?...

Daria is asked to define deplatformed which she does not do. She says that you are completely scrubbed from the internet. This is of course not true.

Shitball - ok, see, so if you're scrubbed from the internet, right, yea, it's super cool that you profit off of tragedy, yea, cause everyone has to get a check, right? Who among us would not profit off the death of children if we needed another boat? Acquit.

Daria, under Alex's state, does an ad pivot. She's now extolling the virtues of infowars' product and how they try to keep everyone happy, except, of course, the families of victims.

Daria - Alex's thoughts are completely his own and can not be influenced. That is why he's not responsible for his actions, see?

Daria doesn't understand the question Shitball asks, he's trying to get her to say that there is no intent to discuss a topic more or less based upon the amount of profit that is made. I.e., Sandy Hook drove more traffic, but that doesn't mean Sandy Hook sold more product.

Mark objects, irrelevance. The judge calls both to the bench. So far Daria has sold more than a bit of product to the gallery. People are passing around Super Male like MDMA.

Shitball is exploiting Daria's ability to say nothing in a lot of words, slowly, so eventually, the heat death of the universe will save him. Daria is really hammering home that Alex is a small business owner. She then says people think Alex did Sandy Hook, they don't, Mark objects. Sustained.

Shitball asks Daria why people think Alex did it. She's trapped. She says that people call Alex the person who did it. Guess what, you have to prove that.

Mark has passed the witness, officially, but they are whispering and Daria is staying in the stand. The whispering is going on longer than necessary unless you've got a Shitball at the stage.

Mark is going to ask Daria a few more questions. Mark - Daria herself said, when people pester you and that it negatively affects you, well, uh, remember you said that about Alex Jones Daria - I didn't say pester.

Mark with another dagger. You understand how hypocritical that is, right? Daria, silent. Shitball, objection (for what, argumentative?/cause you can't murder someone twice) overruled.

Now Mark comes after Daria for her lies about the HONR network. She said there were dozens of employees, now she says she thinks she read that in Elizabeth Williamson's book. She didn't, in case you weren't sure.

Mark, basically, you do realize that everything you said wasn't true. Daria, truly believes that it is wrong for people to harass Alex with "lies" but it's ok for to harass them with "truths". Mark points out we're not in this court for free speech. And Daria agrees. Because she is a terrifying psychopath with an unfeeling heart.

Mark is now pulling Daria's intestines out. Apparently Shitball didn't warn Daria that a problem with asking her so many questions is that it leaves her open to Mark ripping her throat out a la Roadhouse.

Mark now admits the entirety of the Megyn Kelly interview. The defense objects, of course not realizing Mark is just demonstrating that he's an asshole. The judge halfway realizes she's trapped. If she doesn't let Mark do it, she gave preferential treatment to the defense.

But, Jesus fucking Christ, do we really have to watch the whole thing? Daria said the whole thing was about Sandy hook, soooooo... She overrules shitball's objection, for the limited purpose of confirming the entire thing is not, in fact, about Sandy Hook.

Aannnnnd, here's how long we actually have to watch the video... 15 seconds. The first chunk is entirely about the Manchester bombing. The interview is Alex purporting himself professionally, with great dignity - every bit the confederate royalty he says he is - wait... nope. That didn't happen.

If Shitball had honor, he would say to Mark, "touché".

Again, this is over, but we still have to do it because Shitball suuuuuuuuuucks.

I realize now, the past 5 years have been getting every bit of my screaming, laughing and yelling out just so I could sit in this courtroom without a sound.

Daria's face. Nothing has ever made a sourpuss that sour of a puss. Again, officially, this video contains no information that can be treated as factual, the only fact that can be determined is that it is not entirely about Sandy hook. That said, if you were paying attention, Alex doesn't look like the hero Daria is hoping let's her live.

Now we're in inception. Megyn Kelly is exhausted with Alex's bullshit in the clip, we're exhausted with his bullshit in the clip and in the court, I'm exhausted with everything but Non Je Re Regrette Rien.

Everyone has learned one thing from this video: why Megyn Kelly's show was cancelled.

Ooh, now, another fun thing about this video is that it also enters into evidence what wouldn't otherwise be there, that Alex told people to investigate pizzagate and as a direct result some shot a bunch of bullets.

Megyn Kelly treating Alex like a lying toddler is really giving the jury the impression that Alex is the tip of the spear in independent media.

And now a preview of the puppet that hopes Alex will turn him into a real boy someday, Owen Shroyer.

Mercifully, the clip is over so none of us ever have to watch Megyn Kelly ever again.

Daria with a huge gambit! Mark says, about 4 minutes of the 20, was about Sandy Hook. Daria - I disagree! We all just watched the clip together! She is now acting as though her previous response "it's all about Sandy Hook" is now changing, growing, turning into a Cronenberg monster. She's so mad at being caught in the lie, she does exaaaaaaactly what Alex did in the Megyn Kelly interview and now Mark is treating her like a lying toddler. At the very least I hope Alex is proud of molding Daria into the fine lunatic she is today.

Mark is entering a new exhibit as Alex, red in tooth and claw, runs away with a quickness. The thought occurred to him, perhaps, that he's not doing himself any favors. Or he really has to shit. Based on his lifestyle 50/50.

The evidence Mark was admitting was actually already admitted 12000 months ago when the trial started, Mark, reasonably, forgot and were now looking at the financials saying exactly how fucking much money we need to rip from Alex's hands.

Alex returned. I believe he blew chunks.

Now we're taking an afternoon breakie for the jury to think about questions they may have. Daria is instructed to go to the hallway with thinly veiled disgust. The dog pissed on the rug.

Alex's security detail is 10 strong. There are no people, not even media, within, conservatively, 1000 miles.

I've returned to the stream because as I understand it, Owen Shroyer will not be called today and I really just wanted to see if I, as a famous cuck, would be destroyed in his presence.

And I have just received word that I have been cuck destroyed in the ultimate way, Owen will be going up. Shit. No worries, if Daria is any indication, the Puppet will be dancing for days.

GOOD WORK BARNES HAS ENTERED THE BUILDING TOO! FUCK ME!

No matter, I have been good all day and I will say that testing whether or not I could avoid saying Good Work, Barnes might be too much.

To further endear himself to the judge, Shitball is late. Before the old man, or apathy factory as I call him, would've been forced to speak, Shitball sits down.

The jury's questions are indicative of what happens to the brain of a human after this much Infowars. It is not their fault. Not at all.

Whoa. Someone asked a question that was actually a message of what the real question is to the rest of the jury. Were they the juror who made an impassioned plea for empathy on Monday? Did they sneak through?

Shitball has pulled out a giant cartoon hammer, Looney Tunes style, and smashes it into his dick as hard as he possibly can. I mean he tried to discuss something not allowed while Daria was in the room.

The judge has given Daria instructions that she is fundamentally unable to follow and so they are more for our benefit.

Does Alex think they are real vampires or metaphorical? asks one of the jurors. Daria cannot answer that question because the answer is both. She says it's the latter.

Who are the globalists really is the question, isn't it.

WHAT!? 525,000? FIVE HUNDRED AND TWENTY FIVE FUCKING THOUSAND DOLLARS GOES TO DARIA!? STOP THIS WHOLE FUCKING TRIAL.

Oooo. Juicy, how many radio listeners are there - under oath. No answer. How many viewers? ...*softly* millions. There are actually no listeners on short wave radio. What? Daria, fulfilling my prophecy, does not follow the Judge's instructions. Daria is now being asked a rapid fire series of questions that she as a corporate representative is required to know.

To follow this up, in case you were wondering, she does not know the answers to these questions.

Daria, under oath, He's 100% truly himself. Alex, under oath, I'm more of an entertainer. Alex's lawyers, in court, he's a clown Owen Shroyer, when no one is around, is not alive.

How would you compare Alex's anguish to the Families' anguish? This is where Daria is going to say they're either real or fake and that's why it's different. High Drama. Daria's psychopathy is tested to a level I've not seen from anyone with as low a body count.

"It's hard to compare those two" SHE PASSES WITH FLYING COLORS!

Do you believe the trial is staged? Back under the gun, Daria disassembles. The judge cuts her off before she can go further.

Here we are. Yes or No. Silence. Too large to say Yes. What? I believe what she meant to say was Yes, but it was so untrue even to her, she couldn't help but mangle it.

Daria jumps in the air, spins her feet so fast they are a blur, and then is gone from the courtroom. The puppet boy has entered the room and is being sworn in.

One note on Daria after her testimony has been completed. Daria is the most terrifying person at the Infowars operation. She is genuinely frightening. I sat next to dudes with guns today and watching her say "Yes" through the screen was scarier.

The lawyer questioning Shroyer asks what his exact salary is, he says around 120,000. The lawyer asks how many employees, roundabout 80. Now. Think about this, is what he's saying, if you were taken off the internet years ago, why is a schlub like you rich?

Shroyer saw jangling keys and so didn't immediately answer the question asked. They are showing the banned dot video page right now and well, here we go. The lawyer now points out - slower than necessary for you and me, but for Shroyers benefit - that the videos are, in fact, posted on the internet.

Shroyer hilariously says the videos go to banned dot video, emphasizing the banned as though, because the site says banned, it is banned from the internet.

Is this the toothpaste you claimed cured Covid? No, I'm not familiar with that claim. Remember you got that letter from the government? Show me the letter. Jesus Christ, moving on.

Holy Shit. Shroyer is really going for it. He is going to ask if anything ever, actually happened. Is the sun out? What is out? What is the sun? Where is Sun? Who Sun? Sun?

Shroyer - What, I'm supposed to remember what I say? What, like a news show?

Do you know... anything. No. Really? I am going to say that to everything.

Shitball, objection, the tape was from some time! The judge, that's not an objection. Shitball (I AM NOT PREPARED).

The jury was told that Alex wouldn't be at the trial often because of a medical condition, the lawyer says to Owen, what amounts to we just saw him post a video RIGHT NOW, he's not sick. Owen decides to say... I don't know. I don't know if I am down with sickness. Get up. Come on.

Lawyer - Do you consider yourself a journalist? Owen - Sometimes. Now, true believers will remember that Owen said exactly that in his deposition. Can I ask you if you remember where that led to, Geppetto?

People who hate receipts shouldn't buy things, am I crazy for saying that? So now Shroyer is going to attempt to agree to everything, while disagreeing, to agree that he disagrees, with disagreeing the agreement they didn't agree to.

Riddle me this. How long is the statute of limitations on certain things? How long until that length of time might have been reached? Did your employee fuck you?

Owen, in a movie, "Could you rephrase the question?"

Ok, if you are under oath in the deposition and in the court, but your answers are not the same, that is some sort of... like... uh...

softly then crescendo puppet... puppet... puppet, puppet, puppet, Puppet PUPPET! Say it! He's gonna say it. Everybody in the wonkiverse is holding each other together like a team right before the buzzer in the NCAA tournament.

int. courtroom. *a clip of an Infowars plays on the screen, Owen Shroyer on the stand, watching himself. He has a resolute jaw, defiant. In his eyes, though, subtly, one can see that he knows, like the audience, he won't last long. Before he has the chance to speak, he bleeds out.*

Infowars - Sandy Hook! Infowars immediately after - Buy stuff! The connection? Must be impossible to prove.

Shitball, objection, why? no one is sure, The judge thinks for a second, overruled because fuck off.

Shroyer - I really don't think any of your videos prove I have ever spoken out loud. Prove I'm speaking now. You can't. We are in the simulation.

Every time I hear zero hedge, I get excited. He's a puppet of zero hedge, that's what he said. Say it! Please!

Owen doesn't appreciate the lawyer pointing out that his point earlier was that he doesn't have time to research whether or not something is true. And that therefore means, he thinks it justifies hurting people. Owen does not understand words and so disagrees.

Owen, pathetically, answers the question, "did you know the anderson cooper video was longer?" with "I'll take your word for it." Personally, I feel like that's an answer that requires intervention. He fucking knows god damn well.

The lawyer - You don't believe you called Neil Heslin a liar. Owen - Yes. The lawyer - Fine. Let's play a clip. Owen - wordsosdfwoiej;sldfaldfjwiojMegynKellylkjf;alkjf

Lawyer - If you say someone is a crisis actor forgetting their lines, then by definition, you believe they have lines, lines that are not based in truth, lines from a writer. That means they're lying.

Owen - No. Me - He really, truly believes that. Because he's dumb.

Owen has chosen now to commit to refusing reality out of course. Either he's going to be held in contempt or we're going to move in to the court and hopefully emerge by 2030.

Owen - Words don't have meaning unless you say the exact ones, see?

Lawyer - Objection

Judge - No shit.

Owen is giving it all because he believes that Alex will, let's say, remove him from all of the pictures he was in. Alex's face is that of one who wants to take a boat ride with Owen and fit him with lovely, beautiful, heavy shoes.

Owen believes that the higher his chin is, the stronger he appears to other apes. Sometimes he bares his teeth in order to challenge the larger apes. His beard is hideous, even for an ape.

The Lawyer - I'm sorry for your loss is not an apology. Owen - Yea it is. *Lawyer rips hair out, tosses it on the ground, tears his breast, cries to God Himself*.

Lawyer, with grace - Who are the fact-checkers Owen. Dead. - I uh. don.tasdasdfi some wereidfohnaw fugh.

Lawyer - The fact-checker you're referring to is Jim Fetzer.

Owen - Yes.

Me - *orders booze*

The lawyer brings up PJDubbs and reads the smash cut email, you know the one, and the thought occurs, a friend of Alex's would not find this funny. I guarantee PJ does.

Shitball objects because the lawyer misspoke. He is very proud of himself and puts one of the Grape Job stickers on his coat.

The lawyer is now asking, essentially, do you get high on your own supply. Alex is in the room, so Owen is trapped between the Kool-Aid Man and the Law. Tuesdays at 9: Oh Yea and Order.

The lawyer is now pointing out that a chunk of the clip is missing and is asking if Owen knows why (subtext, cause they edited it out) Owen tries to answer with mumble mumble I don't know mumble mumble I didn't have time mumble mumble coulda been anyone.

The Lawyer - If the information was available, you could've found it. Owen - Information is like butterflies, no one understands where they come from or where they go, we just appreciate their majesty in the time we share.

The Lawyer - We do understand where they go.

Owen - That's your opinion.

The Lawyer, on try 300, "Do you realize you hurt people." Owen, on try 300, "I'm sorry *if* they were hurt"

Me, on drink 3000, *theme song from the stars wars cantina* - Man I love The Wailing Jizz.

Owen, and I mean this, I'm not being hyperbolic, is saying again and again, isn't this trial hurting the families, too? Shouldn't we just stop if we don't want to hurt people any more?

Lawyer - If I take a piece of the clip out of it, didn't I alter it.

Owen, Buddhist luminary - Or did you make a new clip?

Before the plaintiffs can enter the transcript of a video no one was able to find, they will need to call the expert who found the transcript and that person is not in the court. The lawyer moves on.

If the lawyer says "Obviously" that is because it is obvious. Owen has a different thought, what if instead nothing is true, everything is permitted...

"What about any of that was funny" sounds a little different in my ears maybe than yours, I've heard that one quite a bit.

Owen admits he does not deserve a Grape Job sticker.

1 more ring or beep or text notification and the judge will be confiscating everyone's phones like we're in an unruly classroom.

Owen doesn't understand the question, tries to feel it out, the defense objects speculation, the judge would've overruled if the lawyer hadn't just rephrased - something he did I assume out of respect to all of us. Watching Owen think is excruciating.

Robin Williams in a room with Matt Damon saying, "It is your fault. It is your fault. It is your fault. It's your fault. You did it. It's your fault."

The lawyer enters exhibit McDuck, that Infowars does a shit ton of Moneybombs.

Lawyer - You know PBS is non-profit, right?

Owen *flabbergasted* - but people get paid, right?

The lawyer *equally flabbergasted by that answer* - No further questions.

Shitball is going the same route he did with Daria, you know it, I know it, Lucy's holding that football. Stop him now. Oh, great. Now he's going to have loved music as a child. What was your favorite ice cream? Was losing your virginity embarrassing? You haven't lost it, have you Owen? Owen, you're under oath. Look at your face. Owen. Tell me.

Origin story of the Joker - horrible accident

Origin story of the Riddler - horrible job

Origin story of The Cuck Destroyer - Never learned to read.

Shitball - How do you go from the sports industry to Infowars? Owen - I started being an asshole in videos and got Alex's attention and then he gave me a show. That's really how it worked. I'm not exaggerating or lying, it was that easy. Alex is a bad talent scout.

Owen is now telling of suing the radio station for not paying him and then instead of getting money, he made them give him 3 hours a night of airtime. Yes. That is what he said.

It's 5, the jury is out for the day. Everyone else sits down and the judge is going to ask Shroyer a few questions.

Judge - Were you talking about the trial outside of the trial?

Owen - I have never heard of trials. The lawyer didn't tell me the rules of trials. What is rules? It's the lawyer's fault.

Owen, fulfilling my earlier prophecy, is fully shook. Finally, what has penetrated Owen's mind is that he is really, truly, *deeply* fucked. The judge, rereading the rules that Owen is required to know, should have already known, and that the lawyer should have told him. These rules are, you don't get to be on air and talk about the trial, Owen. Do it again and you're even more fucked.

The judge speaking to Shitball, fulfilling my earlier prophecy, is being eaten alive by the judge. And it's not pretty, it's not one swallow, it's a lioness ripping chunks of a gazelle.

Shitball, more than any man could ever possibly be, is in tatters. He's broken the Guinness world record for most tattered. The judge is counting the time, the lawyers are discussing the trial tomorrow, and Shitball is watching urine pool in his shoes.

Mark is trying his damndest, and succeeding, to share a grin that eats-shit on a cosmic scale. The stream cuts out. Good night.

Correction, I misheard which is entirely Daria's fault I think we can all agree. It is in fact 125,000. A sum I think is fair for being sacrificed to Mark St. Helens.

July 29th

Between Day 4 and Day 5, Dan and I recorded an episode and I continued tweeting, most of which was about how much I dislike Glenn Greenwald. This is a transcript of the trial tweets, nothing more.

Sorry I'm a little late this morning. Go listen to the episode and remember it was recorded like, a half hour ago. Ok, I'm late, but in my defense, Owen is the single worst liar in the history of Infowars. I regret listening to him speak. This is, on the other hand, the most prepared Infowars witness so far.

Owen - Why does Megyn Kelly spell "Megan" wrong? Shitball - Acquit.

Owen - "The more shocking edit"

Me - The most shocking edit was you drunkenly stomping on a BLM flag you set ablaze. But that's just me.

Shitball is now facing the Herculean task of attempting to make Owen's feelings seem important. "Ah, yes, Cuck Destroyer, please, how did it make you feel to be criticized lightly?"

Shitball - We've lost already. I just learned that. Did we lose on purpose?

Owen - No. We tried so hard. So hard.

Lawyer - You don't see the irony?

Owen - I NEVER LEARNED TO READ

Owen, having had his lunch eaten yesterday, has done the caveman version of learning his lesson. He's going to be even more obstinate and stupid than what he was yesterday, misunderstanding why it is his lunch was eaten. Owen, a super smart person, I bet my performance yesterday was terrible because I wasn't *enough* of an asshole.

I believe Owen is attempting to read an email. Owen has tried to argue this is not an email from Rob Dew, it was *forwarded* from Rob Dew. Sue the ability to forward emails!

Shitball - We have some questions about deplatfo *within a span of 2 seconds*

Lawyer, Objection, Judge, Sustained, Shitball no further questions.

The Cuck Destroyer is standing proudly, thinking about the bloody corpse of Daria he passed in the hall yesterday going, I think I did it. I bet there are no consequences to my actions! He's passed as a witness and he's passed from our view. The Cuck Destroyer is shorter than you'd imagine a tiny penis surrounded by an asshole would be.

Unless Shroyer is called again, my dreams of him saying, "I'm a puppet" in a US court have died.

The Judge and Shitball are talking. If I write those words, it's bad for Shitball. Mark has pulled from his briefcase another grin with malice at its core.

Shitball is still capable of smiling, which I would not be had I had his day yesterday, so once again, I am in awe of the psychopaths. Having the ability to feel shame has really fucked up my life. During the wait, I'd give anything for someone in the gallery to look around at the awkward silence filling the air and say, "It looks like we're getting along better today".

What questions might the jury come back with? In 99% of trials, you could make some educated guesses. But if you were on a jury and had watched more than an hour of Infowars yesterday and then listened to this prick first thing in the morning, the jury might just bark at him.

I don't know why he'd do this, but the HBO documentarian who introduced himself to me yesterday because I misidentified him Tuesday, is now talking to Shitball on the stream as though I will not be furious at him. I understand you're doing a documentary for HBO. Consider doing so with a knife at Shitball's throat.

Just you wait, I have no credibility, I'm gonna misidentify this motherfucker for the rest of my *life*. Shitball is telling one of the hilarious anecdotes you would expect of an unprepared lawyer. The story of him not being able to pronounce Stevie P's name.

Never mind. If the documentarian can get Shitball to say on stream that he was too scared of Daria to ask her how to pronounce Pieczenik, he gets to retain his identity.

It's early, I've had little sleep, and less coffee. Guess who's a grumpy gus?

One of the jury's questions is "Does Infowars ever feel guilty" Oh you beautiful Dodos, come closer, I'm a nice fella. Don't worry, I'm not hungry.

"Are y'all considering it a learning experience" What is "l e a r n i n g?"

Ahhhh, most likely our Juror of The Holy See has asked a question along the lines of, "Do you really believe there should be no consequences for your actions, ever?"

Shroyer is returning to the court now. Will he recognize that answering like a complete dickbag to the *jury* is a bad idea?

The judge is giving Owen the same instructions that Daria was fundamentally incapable of following yesterday. Will he join her in futile despicability?

"How often does Infowars fact check their claims"

Owen - Let's talk about the weather. Sometimes it's nice outside.

Judge - Answer the question

Owen - Sometimes

Me - Perjury.

"Do you take the time to learn if what you talk about on the show is true"

Owen - Yes.

Me - Perjury.

Paraphrase - If you knew there were consequences, would you have done it?

Owen - The worst mistake of my life

Me - The tip of the spear ladies and gentleman. Consequences of any kind are too terrifying.

"Did anyone go to journalism school"

Owen - I went to college. *thinking* No.

So this murder you committed, do you think that because you didn't mean to hurt him, you should be exempt from any consequences?

Owen - My understanding is that there's no defamation if you don't say the exact words.

Do you understand what he's saying? He's denying the existence of synonyms and meaning.

We've got a Smollett Sighting. Owen has given his two small examples of things CNN got wrong, instead of saying "I set a BLM flag on fire the night before my friends invaded America".

For someone who is so obsessed with pronouns, he doesn't understand that if you use one, you are in fact referring to the human being, despite not saying their actual name.

The Plaintiffs are now playing the Rob Jacobson deposition. The judge is giving the jury instructions which amount to, the guy would be law bound to say the same stuff in court, so it's a lot like he were, but he's not. That said, videos are magic that record the souls of the damned.

It shouldn't be this impressive, but Bill's IT skills vastly outpace that of Shitball. He was able to press play and then the video played. Spectacular.

For anyone listening, Rob Jacobson is *actually* apologizing for his actions. Not like Owen did yesterday. "*IF* I hurt you, I'm sorry" is not an apology. "I'm sorry for my actions, I will work to correct them, and I will work to never do them again" is an apology.

Rob Jacobson spoke the words "journalistic ethics" in the Infowars studio and Peewee and Fishburne appeared with a bunch of couches screaming "you said the magic words!"

Rob Jacobson - Try journalism *is eaten alive by the Infowars in-house sharks*

"Do you have any guilt"

Rob - Yes. So much. *is already chum*

The Kraken's deposition is playing now. He is no longer the massive squid-like monster, no, he is fried calamari from a restaurant in fucking Kansas. As an occasionally professional comedian, I have eaten a lot of fried calamari from comedy clubs in the landlocked Midwest.

The Kraken's deposition is interesting because rather than saying, "Yes, I harassed people criminally" he is *demonstrating* that to the lawyers.

Infowars - Never heard of the Kraken

The Kraken - I loved working for Infowars, one of the best jobs of my life. Love those guys to death. Alex and I are close, we hang out. They're just great.

Infowars - We would never ask Bidondi to harass people.

The Kraken - They were like, go fuck em up, bro, go get em, get those motherfuckers, bust em up, do it, do it, bruh.

The Kraken's deposition changes vibe fairly quickly. He is dumb, so it takes him quite awhile to realize that talking a lot to lawyers trying to get him to talk a lot is bad.

The Kraken - Listen you all have heard the incriminating stuff in the depositions already, I don't think I need to answer that.

Lawyers - I can't begin to describe to you what a deposition is, but no. You do need to answer the questions. By law.

Infowars - Listen, we don't want any affiliation with Bidondi

The Kraken - I reached out to Alex and I was like, hang on, why don't you want to be close to me? You called me a good boy!

The expert witness has been sworn in and the judge appears so relieved to not be dealing with an Infowars witness. She's positively giddy explaining the rules to an adult.

Unlike the other witnesses, the retired journalist was allowed to watch the entire trial in the capacity of an expert witness. This, in case you are wondering, will not be good for the witnesses he is experting about.

The expert witness is apparently here to explain to the jury what a journalist is and then describe the difference between what a journalist does and what Infowars does. We are in 6th grade civics.

Bill is not eating gummy worms, the judge, I assume, would not allow it.

Bill - Breaking news before other people is rewarded, right? Does being accurate matter?

Journalist - I can't believe I have to say this, but yes, reporting *actual* events is ultimately the goal, more important than speed.

Journalist - I mean, you can't *break* a news story that didn't happen. Do you understand that? Are we all insane? This is a lost world and we must pray.

Shitball objects with his limp dick in his hands. His rolling objection is renewed and ignored.

It's like being forced to sit in a kindergarten class as an adult. I know it's important not to assume anything, and I know what's being taught is important to the people in the room. BUT I ALREADY KNOW HOW TO COLOR IN THE LINES, GLADYS!

Bill asks a question that can be misunderstood to be, "Do you think Infowars has at all any relationship to journalism" so the witness answers, no, but Bill was trying to ask, are *you* an expert journalist. The witness and he share a laugh and the witness says Yes.

Bill - What's black and white and red all over?

The Witness - Yes, words that exist in print and on the internet both... exist? Again, I'm amazed that I have to establish this.

If Alex were there, he could listen to this explanation and then go back in time to 1997 and change his whole life by betting on baseball.

It's important to do this, but we are listening to an extremely long way of saying, "Journalists have to tell the truth. If they don't know the truth, they are not allowed to make up bullshit to fill the gaps".

Journalist - I can't believe I need to explain this *weeps* I have to write a story that reflects factual information and in order to do that I have to look for the factual information and prove it is factual. *shakes fist at the sky*.

Journalist - There is a difference between yelling "you suck" and proving "you suck".

Bill - Here's where Infowars says that they make up whatever they want on the day. Is that journalism?

Journalist - When I walked in, I tapped the sign that said "Abandon hope all who enter here"

Journalist - When Cronkite reported on JFK's death, we had a fucking video of his head exploding. If Owen were reporting on it, he wouldn't watch the video, and say that the entire car was set on fire by Antifa.

Bill - How long did it take you to fact check

Journalist - My internet was slow at the time, so it took Google maybe 2, 3 seconds to load 10000000 results.

Journalist - Now, back in the day when Hearst was whispering Rosebud and shit, everyone was allowed to make up bullshit, cause money. Since then we've done our best to create a code of ethics. Infowars doesn't come to our meetings.

Shitball - Rolling objection

The Judge - What's up, Bill? Why are you doing this?

Bill - To show this motherfucker is so far from--

The Judge - Yea, yea, I get that. Go for it.

Shitball - *penis goes inside his body*

If Owen were a dead horse, no amount of beating is ever enough.

Journalist - While opinion commentators can say that your mother is so fat she sits around the house, journalistic ethics require me to say she is simply, "of a certain heft".

Journalist - When we are finding sources, it's a bad idea to give them everything they want, it's also a bad idea to set them up by planting cocaine in their car and calling the cops.

Journalist - Some sources have their own agenda and will lie in order to achieve that goal. If you recall George W. Bush...

Ultimately, this is the fundamental line of questioning that needs to be asked of every human being and it boils down to, "Does Objective Reality Exist?".

Now, it's fun to read these journalistic ethics out loud, but unfortunately, regardless of how noble they may sound in front of the jury, like, 1000% of the country thinks the media is made up of dirty liars. And there is a reason for that.

Bill - Let's read the next principle... Confirm your source is real. Did Infowars do that?

Journalist - I mean, the source is the demonspeech of Alex's brain. So, I guess, they kind of do?

Me - Is it good practice for journalists to insist they are fighting the Literal Christian Devil?

Bill - Do you think Alex has a soul? Owen? Daria? Any of them.

Journalist - I can't prove the existence of souls, but I can prove they don't have one.

I'm honestly excited to see how poorly Shitball will do questioning a person with more than a toddler's brain.

Bill - If you make it up, did you make it up?

Journalist - *wonders how this is possible breathes heavily begins to pound his chest with his fists returns to the trees to eternal happiness*

Shitball takes the podium. He unbuttons his jacket with purpose. "Do you think people should be free to choose things?" Acquit. Shitball, with genuine curiosity, "What does it *mean* to be a journalist? No, like, what is it? Really. Please explain it to the jury, obviously I already know, but it will be helpful."

Shitball - Maybe that person is engaging in journalistic commentary, a term I just made up, eh?

Shitball - PUNDINT

Shitball - Do you like Stern? Rogan? Do you think that Stern's Alex Jones impression is good? When will I go through puberty?

Shitball - If Alex says a thing happened. Does he mean it? Or is it an opinion to say a thing happened? Is it both? Describe to me a paradox.

Shitball - Should there be a ticker at the bottom of the... withdrawn
He was trying to say it would be ridiculous for a ticker at the bottom of the screen saying what is true and what is false and he would actually have just proved Alex was lying about everything.

Shitball - There's nothing wrong with lying, right?

Journalist - So long as it doesn't hurt people.

Shitball - OOHHHHHHH, I get it now, *that's* why we're here.

Shitball is trying to argue that hasn't poor lil Alex Jones already suffered enough? Has he not been given 8 million dollars in bitcoin last week enough?! Does he not bleed? Now Shitball is trying to argue that because journalists accurately reported that Alex is a giant piece of shit, isn't that the same thing as defamation? Shitball is the single dumbest person I've ever met in person with terrible hair.

Everyone is indulging this, I think, because no one can believe it. No one in that room can believe that a lawyer, someone who graduated from more than one school, could be dumber than a 4th grader.

Shitball has now crossed his arms as though he was hugging himself tightly, saying, "You're doing great, buddy". Shitball is trying to argue that Alex both is, and is not, a journalist. And because of that, we are ALL both is and is not a journalist and so we are ALL guilty. Acquit.

Oof, we've passed through funny and moved into sad territory. Imagine Shitball looking out of the window in a Zoloff commercial.

Shitball is just trying to argue in so many ways that it should be ok under the first amendment for Alex to lie about and hurt people. If you listen, all he's saying is that Alex should not be held accountable for speech. What do you think he's basing that thought on? It's against the rules for him to bring up the 1st, but like Owen, just because you don't say the name, doesn't mean you're not referring to it.

Objection, relevance. Sustained. This could be said for every question Shitball asked.

The journalist is struggling to answer these questions, but not because they require complicated answers, because the questions are unbelievable. Isn't ok to believe whatever you read on the internet? Is one of the most stunning things I've ever heard.

Shitball is rolling through his stackies, maybe realizing how stupid he is.

Shitball - If you use anonymous sources, how can we believe you, ever? So doesn't that mean it's ok to say that explosives were planted at the bottom of the Twin Towers?

Ok, so, The old guy is Rocky, Shitball is Apollo, and Drago is Shitball's malfunctioning brain.
THROW IN THE TOWEL ROCK!

My lord, Shitball is now arguing that they made a mistake and that's fine because the mainstream media lies and that means it's ok to lie about the families. He's specifically bringing these lies up again. This is malicious, disgusting shit. Fuck. I was having fun but this is horrific.

I don't think people are aware yet, but Shitball appears to be a genuine infowarrior, spouting the company line. Bill objects because Shitball is arguing whether or not Alex even defamed anyone at all. THIS IS A DAMAGES HEARING. THIS MOTHERFUCKER IS ALREADY GUILTY!

He's actually doing it. He's questioning whether or not Sandy Hook happened. I know he's not saying it directly, but these are the words Alex uses to question Sandy Hook "without questioning" Sandy Hook. If you listen to the show, you know that. We're taking a lunch break immediately following Shitball questioning Sandy Hook. I have said how many times, "There is no bottom" and yet, and yet.

Shitball moves for a mistrial because evidence from the compensatory is being used for punitive damages as well. The judge points out that there is no difference between those two. That is not how this works. You are a child you pathetic weak fuck. Motion denied.

This needs to be clear, very, crystal clear. Shitball is questioning Sandy Hook in front of the jury.

The media is comically absent from a trial the defense thinks is all about freedom of speech for the media.

Ok, the stream is back up, Shitball appears to be on the cusp of lateness again. Everyone else is ready. Old Man Hearing Aids is really going for it acting like he's doing something, silent movie performance level.

This man could not give less of a shit and I'm beginning to think he's going to wind this trial up by saying Tubal Cain?

Shitball has arrived with new notebooks. It's 3rd grade all over again because I'm jealous of a trapper keeper.

Shitball can be overheard saying his wife is the smart one and he is a constant disappointment. Despite his best effort to put that in a jokey tone, he was unable to do naught but mean it sincerely.

Like yeast, the court has risen for the jury and the judge.

Shitball is asking how long the witness spent researching for the plaintiffs. He says around 20 hours. Shitball asks how much he's been paid for that work. Shitball is trying to establish that the plaintiffs have paid off the journalist with Soros' money.

Shitball (in a gotcha tone) - Have you prepared for this interview?!

Me - Oh, oh no. Oh no no no no nononono. He thinks that's a bad thing to do.

Shitball is just being a Shitball. He's showing the journalist the journalistic code of ethics website, then says, I shit you not, "Did you check to see if the code was legally binding?" Then he asks, "did you not think that discovering whether or not the document was legally binding was important? He is asking the journalist if he thinks that the code of ethics is a legally binding document all journalists have to sign, I assume in blood, for Bloomberg's drinking.

Bill objects to this, on the count of it's insane and insaner than that. Shitball dissembles, sustained.

Shitball almost asked a question. Then he disappeared into the ether, as if he was never there, so he could go to the substitute teacher's projector and put something unreadable on the screen. Shitball's IT skills are bad no matter how low the "I" in IT.

Shitball is now opening a line of questioning that suggests his point will be that the expert witness did not watch enough Infowars to be an expert. Shitball asks an insane question, "Are you willing to admit today that Infowars is dedicated to giving voice to the voiceless" as though because Infowars put that on their website it is true. Now he's trying to define "voice" in as fucked up a way as possible. He's saying that Infowars actually, has less of a reach than the families. This is absurd.

Shitball thinks that the journalist is saying that the reason Alex is in trouble is because he violated the code of ethics. Shitball is then saying that, Ha Ha!, that's not a legal document!

Someone stop this. It's pure lies. It's allowing Alex to cross examine a witness and it's fucked up. He's just trying to say that Infowars is allowed to do whatever they want, because everyone else is corrupt and wrong and evil. Not just that, he's cross examining a witness about a straw man he is creating. You do not need to answer these questions because they are about A DIFFERENT TRIAL. I know it's technically the lawful thing to do, but you are just letting a lawyer badger someone with Infowars questions EXACTLY LIKE WHAT THEY ARE BEING SUED FOR!!!!!!!

The judge answers an objection with the only honest answer that can be given - I don't know what that is.

I can't stress this enough, if you have listened to our show, this is Alex "putting the court system on trial" and he's trying to argue that Alex's bullshit is *true*. Or at least true *enough*. Which is not a thing that exists within the True/False binary.

Shitball tries to enter something, Bill objects again hearsay, the judge looks at Shitball and says, anything to say? He says it's about impeachment of the witness, not truth. This is another situation where they didn't enter this pretrial. Right now, Shitball is a whiny child that isn't getting his way. If he were capable of shame... he would die.

He's doing to Bill now what he did to Mark right before he tried to fight Mark in the hallway. Again. Does no one remember that many days ago? Sanction them or hold them in contempt or you're going to see it Monday.

The jury is now taking a break after a wonderful meeting between the judge, Shitball and Bill that ended with them exchanging numbers so they can meet up later for tea.

The judge is dealing with the defense's shit with the idea that they have any interest in what she's saying, what they're doing, etc., they're just having fun wasting our time and making everyone mad. Today is truly Infowars in the courtroom. With the other witnesses it wasn't, it was Infowars on trial. Today, Infowars' oppositional defiance is being used as a weapon towards human beings.

Ahhhh, hey, so here's what happened. The defense couldn't argue on the conversation they *were* having so they *changed* the conversation to one they *want*. Have you ever seen anyone do that before?

The judge asks Shitball in an exhausted tone what amounts to, any other shit you want to try to pull today?

The only difference between Shitball and The Kraken right now is style, not substance. Yelling shouldn't make a difference when the substance is equally disgusting. Shitball is committing the very shit he's defending Alex for. Get him the fuck out of here. He should lose his license for today.

The judge is so fucking tired. We are all so fucking tired. Shitball is, just like Alex, an endless font of energetic excrement blasting from the devil's asshole.

Shitball has successfully proved that he doesn't understand the concept of "both sides". He thinks that what he showed was that the plaintiff was lying, that Infowars did show "both sides". But the journalist clearly meant something along the left/right spectrum and not the staged/false flag spectrum, so Shitball sucks once again.

Bill uses a +5 Holy Blast. Rolls a Nat 20.

Shitball is amazed. He's staring off, thinking, wow, Bill is talking so confidently. He's a real lawyerman. Wow. How does he think of these questions off the top of his head!? Fully incapable of the idea that if you prepare, you can memorize things using your memory.

The words "complete disregard for the basics of journalism" were spoken. That should pretty much end things. That's as close as a professional can get to saying what I would in that situation, which is, of course "OFF WITH THEIR DICKS!"

Here's Alex listening to a caller say Sandy Hook was fake. Here's Alex saying the whole thing is a giant hoax. How do you deal with a total hoax? How do you convince the public something is a total hoax? Not by playing this clip! Truly, we've played that clip on our show for years and years and years and I swear, it still takes my breath away every time.

Shitball is toying with a pen the way someone who wants to take a swing at Bill does. What a fucking baby. Shitball stands up to object. Unfortunately, Bill is trapped by the judge misunderstanding what it was Shitball objected to. She blew this one bad.

Those are examples of Alex saying Sandy Hook was a hoax happened AFTER THE LAWSUIT WAS FILED.

Shitball is now trying to learn the definitions of words from a witness instead of looking them up.

Shitball - Have you considered that words can mean whatever you want them to? They're *all* made up, right? Like, *someone* made them up, right? *bong rip*

Shitball - You say journalist and I say journalist but that doesn't mean we're saying the same word. I mean "nuclear waste person" when I say it, and you mean some sort of job.

This is jangling keys. The judge fucked up so bad here. I can't believe I'm saying this, but the judge hasn't watched enough Infowars to catch this shit.

Shitball is now making the dumbest argument he could. Do you understand? He's trying to say that the families are public figures because they had book deals and such. The problem is, if it weren't for Alex, they wouldn't have needed to do so much of that shit. It's his fault.

We break. Shitball goes up to the expert journalist and tries to act like they are equals. Shitball on the record is horrific. Shitball off the record is a worm. It appears that Shitball is typing his daily affirmations into a laptop from 1995. Watching him think of words is fascinating. He has no idea I can see him struggle to find words. This is supposed to be an educated man.

"We are not spending any money to fix it" says the judge, of her courtroom, of America.

The juror asks the question that is not a question, saying to semiotics professor, "Does it look like they're trying to be a news show?"

A juror's question is apparently a statement that Alex is bad and it is said in the form of an analogy.

A juror's question is does Infowars have an internal code of conduct and I blurt laughed.

The defense has succeeded in using the video the way they wanted to. Despite the judge and the lawyers being able to separate the difference between impeachment and factual evidence, it is not something the jury can do.

Oh boy. We've all gone loopy. The judge is reading the juror's question which is the definition of semiotics followed by the prompt to say, Infowars tried to look like a news show. She's laughing because yea, man, yea. They disallow for law reasons, but it doesn't matter, it's not a question. If you listen to the thread of these questions you can see how Infowars' arguments work. The questions the trial is *about* are simple and few. They're now asking questions about semiotics.

What Infowars says doesn't matter, it's that they say enough of it to confuse you just enough to do what we're doing now: giving them every benefit of the doubt possible.

The expert is back and will receive the kickoff.

Old Man Hearing Aids was actually taxidermied during the break.

Jury - What's the difference between me talking shit to my 10 friends on Facebook and Alex harassing the families of Sandy Hook to millions of people?

Unfortunately, that's not the way they phrased the question, so they did not receive a helpful answer.

Jury - How would you have fact-checked the zero hedge article.

The journalist is now going to give several steps, when all he needed to do was give one to do more than zero hedge.

OH boy. Kit Daniels is coming.

Y'all don't even fucking know what's coming. Y'all don't even know.

This is where I must admit that I have failed as not a journalist. I mistook this Kit Daniels clip for the one where he cries. It is frustrating and Dan made me feel suitably ashamed. It was still pretty funny, though.

All the people who aren't wonks, Jesus Christ you're in for a ride. Let me put it this way, this is a mic down clip. It's like the 4th of July. You get a few fireworks up top and then it builds and builds, and then the big, big finale. "Are there any words in particular you don't understand" That's one of the ones that looks like a pokeball. "It was a good practice to do so" That's one of the crackly ones that sparks. "It sounds like you're talking in riddles" That's one of the weeping willow ones. "Are there any words in particular you don't understand" That's one of the ones that looks like a pokeball. "I don't think you could call it important" It's picking up. There's too many now. BOOM.

Kit Daniels is trying to avoid, he's feeling really trapped right now. It's not going well for him. Kit Daniels, in front of the principal, does not like reading his own words. They don't sound good coming back to him.

You'd think the questions are what would bother Kit, but what you don't understand is that he operates on a lag. It's the silences when he discovers what's happening.

I, the editor, don't remember reading the article in question, one of the ones that I should've read when it was posted, and didn't, or at least before this deposition, today.

You've probably never seen the physical expression of a frog boiling in person before.

What I'm seeing in this email is that if you sell more cocaine you will get more money. Does that sound true?

"Oh he did, I guess he did" The trees are on fire now! "Do you know what that means? I don't."
The fireworks are out of control! "I'm totes guilty for realsies"

Judge - DON'T PICK UP THE WRONG WATER GLASS!
The plot of Nope, right?

Becca Lewis is sworn in and is an academic researcher. She continues, she does it all, like in Working Girl. She goes on to explain she's an actual version of what I play on TV. Unlike Alex, Mark has brought an expert who studied at literally the top universities. I wish Alex were here. It would've broken him.

Don't let this be understated, Mark is murdering Alex so totally and completely that despite him not being in the courtroom, I have to assume Alex is smelling toast. This is on purpose, for one purpose, and it is glorious.

If all Mark does is introduce her and allow Shitball to cross-examine it will open a hole into the center of the earth.

Mark is introducing her political beliefs preemptively because Shitball is going to say she's an Antifa lefty plant from George Soros.

She's explaining that misinfo knows no single home but that within the heart in all of us.

Mark - I asked you to prepare, right? You did, right?

Becca - I did!

RIOTOUS APPLAUSE FROM ME

As in some parts of MTV's The Challenge, Becca is asked to look at some part of a puzzle then run half a mile back to see if she can remember it without having to run back.

Mark - You are the living embodiment of being prepared, are you not?

Becca - Yes.

Shitball - Objection your honor rule number poopinmypants.

Judge - Overruled.

Shitball objects based on hearsay and then he calls her unqualified. Because there is no such thing as qualified enough for him. She should be allowed to slap him 6 times. The gall. Zeus should strike him dead. This fucking cowardly bully. This fucking piece of shit. Fuck you all law

boards if you allow this man to practice whatever it he inflicts on people. This motherfucker SCREAMED I AM NOT PREPARED IN A COURTROOM!

THE GALL I SAY!

The jury must really see today as a blue pill/red pill hallucination. The dissonance between the defense's bullshit and the refreshing spring of reality is on an abusive level.

"You have to pay for truth" - Becca, of America.

God. I hope so much that the jury isn't resentful of how fucking smart she is.

No worries, people always treat intelligent, accomplished women fairly.

The truth of the feedback loop is revealed to an unsuspecting jury as if she unveiled a cold fusion generator.

Becca - He's a liar for always and everyone, he's just a liar. He just lies.
She didn't commit to saying he spins his conspiracies *for* Trump, only that he doesn't do them at him.

Mark, literally, has the white papers. We are entering the section of the trial where Mark puts up a picture on the left of a field of corn and a picture on the right of a whale carcass on the beach and asks the jury to spot the differences.

We're taking a 15 minute break, I assume so Shitball can weep in a different room instead of full on in court. Mark is smugly, metaphorically, beating the shit out of Shitball and it is very funny.

Before this trial is over I demand someone say shitball on camera during one of the breaks. If there is a god it will be Shitball himself.

Alas.

There's a notepad sighting before the break is officially over. Shitball is flipping page after page and this is like watching the 3 stooges get ready for a shoot.

We're past 15 minutes late, that's for sure. No judge, no jury, obviously the executioner is in the basement currently . The definition of "milling about" just got a new picture.

The judge bursts in and the "all rise" is barely finished before she's seated. She doesn't look stoked. "Resume, rather" she says with the voice of one who doesn't know when finit will ever come again. Surpised Shitball isn't objecting and asking for a definition of all of the big words.

Words like "Law" and "Review".

What Becca just said was, "Everybody loves lies that makes them feel good way more than truths that make them feel bad", but smart.

A good point is brought up. Youtube fucked all of us. She might as well say that it is a complicated series of math equations that turned your uncle into a fuckface.

Did anyone know who Fetzer was? No. Who did? Infowars. What happened next? Infowars made him famous and he harassed the families at Sandy Hook with legions of fans.
Shitball - See, we're innocent!

A witness capable of using "insofar" correctly is my bright spot.

Odd Future Wolfgang Halbig Them All

This is an experience in adults trying to explain to a bunch of children, very gently, non-confrontationally, with not a hint of meanness, that they should not light their shoes on fire, and here are the reasons why.

Shitball objects with no reason, he just says "I object" Mark pauses waiting for the judge to say her line. She does. We continue unabated.

Shitball asks for more information, the judge and Mark flinch, assuming he's going to be a dick, but it appears he really just needed an explanation.

Judge - Any objection?

Shitball - words words words words

Judge - Umm,

Mark - I'll not admit the evidence, but still ask her about it.

Judge - Works for me.

Now that the evidence has not been admitted Shitball is going to try to object on any tiny little thing he can.

Becca - In rare situations, very rare situations, life gives us total and perfect clarity, our perceptions pushed aside for once and we see a glimpse of something true. Alex being guilty is one of these moments.

Shitball - How much were you paid?

Becca - 3000 dollars for 20 hours of work. I've done more than 20, but that's because I care.

Daria - I'm rolling on my bed in money.

Becca, doing what Shitball thought impossible, answers a question with nuance. We're bringing up Becca's tweets. Wherein she calls the GOP a white nationalist organization. Is it possible that this trial will accidentally make the GOP a legally recognized white nationalist organization.

Shitball - If you tweeted it you really believe it, don't you, and here are some more tweets that I haven't entered into evidence... oh no, the judge has pointed that out. Now the judge is telling the jury to disregard everything and once again, I am an idiot.

Shitball - Do you believe Eisenhower was a white supremacist?

Becca - Well, I don't know, because I didn't know him?

Shitball - objection, non-responsive.

Judge - Overruled. This is now insane.

The plaintiffs object to what Shitball is doing which is naming republicans and asking if they're white supremacists. Sustained obviously. Now Shitball is trying to explain to a misinformation researcher what confirmation bias is. We are in topsy-turvy world.

Shitball - You decided before you ever started your research, right?! Gotcha!

Becca - As explained earlier, I was hired precisely because I *didn't* do that.

Shitball - If you watched Alex Jones, then you already made up your mind! Ha! It's like if someone were to spend hundreds of hours of researching a murder and then was asked to talk about it, isn't it unfair for them to present their results in a courtroom?

Shitball is objecting, non-responsive, because he's asking questions and he doesn't like the answers. The judge is now fully aware Shitball is asking random ass questions about how Republicans are persecuted. Shitball is now saying that if you don't like Ben Shapiro then you are prejudiced against Alex Jones. Shitball brings up Stefan "I am a White Nationalist empirically" Molyneux as an example of someone persecuted.

Shitball - Pointing out we're bad people makes you prejudiced against bad people and thus you are a biased witness.

Shitball (confidently) - After having watched hundreds of hours of Alex Jones, I think I can get you to agree, he is the most persecuted person here and deserves all of our sympathy.

Shitball is now arguing that the plaintiffs are engaging in clickbait by accurately describing a staggering statistic. Give a high school drama student an episode of Law and Order and you will receive this level of legal performance.

Jesus Christ. Staggering. Shitball, do you know who took the poll? I guess not. Shitball, "Then you didn't check your sources did you? BOOM HELL YEA GRAPE JOB STICKERS FOR EVERYBODY".\

Mark, foreshadowing - Lawyers who lie, lose.

We are getting a very concise media literacy course and it is something Shitball didn't know existed. He thought everyone viewed the media like he did, which is to say, like an idiot.

Mark, to Becca - Have you noticed how fucking awesome you are?

Shitball, in regards to telephone polling - If you call someone, you don't see someone, so you don't know what they said. Acquit.

The judge interrupts Shitball with a truly righteous "What Are You Doing" he has tried to read a piece of evidence he himself kept out of court. I don't know how he can still breathe. This man is dead inside. The judge gave him the five finger death punch.

What he is saying is absurd, he's bringing up a different article, he's a moron. Get rid of him somehow. Please. We are saved by the grace of Bob. The jury is exeunt.

The Old man made a disgusting joke that the judge says is not on the record but is on the record forever. Old Man Hearing Aids just said, I was hoping we'd get to see Ms. Kelly on the stand today. The joke is he finds her attractive and wants to have sex with her.

Mark is behaving as though he has finished a long day at work and his 1950s wife has prepared him the largest Christmas Goose she could find. Shitball should be in jail.

The Judge, somehow, still, astonished that they do not have the defense's evidence. The Judge says something that I hope is truer than any firmament. Closing will be Thursday.

The jurors question is: I just invented a conspiracy theory... I poll people on a conspiracy theory that they have never heard of, how many people would agree with it out of hand? A terrifying question.

The Judge somehow, still, astonished - This has never happened before. Someone spelled empirical "impirical".

Hard hitting updates from a man with no sleep.

The jury has lost its mind, collectively.

Juror - Say you're not a lizard person

The Judge (reasonably) unsure - I think that's humor

One juror is just hamming it up and another is trying to be helpful.

One juror's question is exactly what Bill asked in one of the depositions. What's the definition of mainstream media, and by that definition, isn't Infowars mainstream media?

Becca is trying very hard not to laugh at "Can a company ban someone"? Becca is trying to answer who are the leading purveyors of disinformation without having to say FoxNews, Joe Rogan, etc. because putting names down would have made the jury instinctively protective.

Becca, judo master - "Mainstream Media" is a useless term that shouldn't exist.

Becca, explaining America, when someone with a fandom determines an enemy, the fans attack the enemy.

The judge - Dear God, go home

The Judge coming back in, "Don't wear shorts, that's disrespectful. I wear a big black robe. That is respectful. The things that we are doing are not flimsy pretend that hold society together with scotch tape.

If you're talking or writing about the bankruptcy and not the trial I am mad at you. And I am right to be so, because you are doing wrong. I mean it. If you have a choice over your own material and you're writing about the bankruptcy, not the devastating testimony today, then you are choosing to harm your audience.

"What's interesting? What Alex's legal team does outside of court. What's not interesting? Someone being held accountable. Ick!"

August 1st

A note on Saturday and Sunday, over those two days, I ramped up my attack on anyone in my field of vision. This is an account of the time during the trial. I feel no need to reprint any of my varied and literary insults. I still have them, though, and they are glorious.

The stream is up, and the day is about to begin. Shitball is coming in from the weekend with a Garfield-esque look in his eyes. John 14:15 (probably): We is risen for the jury, and the judge.

The next witness is Adan Salazar via deposition. If you'll recall, he followed us on Twitter and then when we called him on it, he, like the rest of the cowards, ran away. Adan is explaining his hiring process, as well as the general hiring process at Infowars. Some fan went, "blurgh, blegh, uggg uggg" in the right tone of voice so Alex gave them 120k per year.

In the deposition, the lawyer has to ask Adon whether or not he feels that abusing the parents of murdered children is bad. This is one of those basic moral questions that is often very up in the air when deposing Infowars.

Lawyer - Sandy Hook, real? Or fake?

Adan - Who's to say?

Lawyer - What?

Adan - I saw the Matrix Revolutions last night.

Adan - I wanted to do my due diligence.

Lawyer - When you call it that, what do you mean?

Adan - I went looking for evidence, which I call screaming at strangers about lies.

Adan, in writing to Halbig, "Thank you for the encouragement!" very polite. Email he responded with that to is something along the lines, "You're the person who explained Sandy Hook was fake and you're great for it!" not good for the organization.

Lawyer - Did you do your due diligence?

Adan - I went to Halbig's website.

Lawyer - *fist bumps air, victory assured, ascends to Valhalla*

Lawyer - What about Halbig made you think he was trustworthy and credible?

Adan - He told me he was the best researcher that lived on Candy mountain, so, duh, I believed him.

Shitball, having clearly gone back to the very beginning and listened to episode 1, has put his hands together because he knows... it's time to pray. Both defense lawyers are staring at the jury, or at least doing everything possible to avoid looking at the plaintiffs, as we all know people who don't look you in the eyes are truthful.

Adan (reading an email from someone with the ability to Google) - "Wolfgang Halbig is an insane liar making up everything about his life and what he's telling you." Adan (in his brain) - Oohhh, I understand what he was saying now. Learning under supervision is fun!

Lawyer - The emailer googled Halbig more than once.

Adan - Whoa, did you need to do more than one? I went to his website and it seemed pretty chill. That said, when I texted my social to that Nigerian Prince...

Lawyer - You didn't let anyone know about how obviously Halbig was fake after reading this email?

Adan - I didn't believe him. There's no way to verify what he said.

Lawyer - He put his sources in the email.

Adan - What? Are? Sources?

Adan - Mr. Jacobson did raise concerns about Halbig. But, let me tell you something, Jacobson... he's got crazy ideas.

Lawyer - *He* has crazy ideas?

Adan - He thinks Michelle Obama is a man.

Lawyer - Touche.

Lawyer - Jacobson said, "try journalism"

Adan - Well what he said was investigate my claims, which I think might be against the law, and I just don't think he knows what journalism really is.

Lawyer - You thought Halbig was soooo right, you made fucking T-shirts!

Adan - And they were *boss*. 3 Wolves in the night on mountains under the stars emblazoned with "Halbig at the moon!"

Lawyer - Did anyone, anywhere, ever, one time, even once, try to verify literally anything they said?

Adan - Whoa whoa whoa, you're gonna have to start over. I don't know what the word "verify" means. Is that French?

Lawyer (talking about something in specific that might as well be everything in general) - So you don't know what you're talking about...?

The next witness is FSS' 1000th Corporate Representative, the downright **overqualified** Britney Paz. Her answers represent the collective intelligence of Infowars which is to say, "We thought, wisely, if we didn't learn anything, we couldn't be responsible for anything." Mark is questioning her with the bemused delight of a lawyer speaking to a lawyer of a caliber so far beneath him he could question her with his tongue cut out.

Mark - I understand what you're saying. Do you? Paz -yeeeeeeessss?

Mark - You're a lawyer, you have to be prepared, you just have to be. We've interviewed everyone as corporate rep, everyone. You have to have tried to prepare right? Paz - Well, they, we, I, ...never learned to read.

Paz - We were BCC'd, not CC'd! How were we supposed to have found that email?!

Paz (in lawyer about some of the most disgusting emails any human has ever sent) - They are problematic.

Mark - Daria said, "These children didn't die, that is a message of hope Alex is bringing to those families" she said that as the corporate rep. That means the company's position is that Alex Jones is providing hope to Sandy Hook families.

Paz - (Daria scares me)

Daria said in a deposition that she thinks Alex was trying to help the families by yelling at them that their murdered children were still alive and under government control.

The judge has given the traditional opening prayer before the witness is introduced. He is now explaining that he is a psychiatrist, etc., his credentials are as impressive as Becca's, he is less charismatic about answering the questions. I would feel so embarrassed and ego-driven if I were to list my accomplishments. On the other hand, the list would be a lot shorter, which could be a potential explanation.

Bill - Have you ever been deemed an expert in court before

Psych - Roughly speaking, all of them. Every single case I am the expert.

Bill - You literally helped 9/11 first responders.

Psych - I care about humans and am good at my job and they needed me.

Scientology - EXTERMINATE!

Bill - You're being paid today, right, cause they're about to say you're doing this for the money, again.

Psych - Yea, I mean capitalism, but you guys honestly didn't pay me half as much as my normal billable hours.

Bill - We have seen a million unprepared people? Are you one?

Psych - No. I am good at what I do. Courtroom *inaudible sigh of intense relief*

Bill - Did you do independent research.

Psych - Well, it's a little complicated...

Courtroom - *buttholes pucker*

Psych - My research is parallel to the experiences that these families have had, and I am going to explain why and how strong they are for getting us to this place.

Psych - It's not breaking the Goldwater rule to say that when a person victimizes constantly, already victimized and grieving people, that person is out of their fucking mind.

Psych - Everyone helping each other come together to heal from tragedy? Good. Abuse? Bad. But I proved it with research, I didn't just say it.

Shitball - (Holy Shit)

Shitball's questioning is going to be debasing for all of us, I don't want to know how he's going to try and explain that the families "already healed" by the time they were being harassed and so it's ok to abuse them.

Pysch - (roundabout) ACAB

Psych - (roundabout) ACAB!!!!!!!!!!!!

Bill - What are the psychological effects of actively punishing a victim for the act of having been victimized and trying to speak out about it?

Psych - Really, really, really, really, really, really, really, really, really, really, really, really, really, really bad.

Bill - Shitball loves definitions, so let's define some words. If we don't, Shitball will get confused and begin to play with his toys.

Psych - Let's do it.

Shitball, hearing the difference between saying "you didn't have dead children" and saying "Let's go fuck those people who don't have children up" writes notes furiously. What was he thinking? Perhaps he just doodled the Metallica logo. Old Man "I want to fuck that witness and I'll say it in court" Hearing Aids is writing notes for the first time in this entire trial. I think what happened is the defense had a little talk and Shitball asked for a lot more backup than he was getting. The defense team has written more notes this morning than they did all last week. The psych is explaining the horror of PTSD and the defense is writing furiously, I don't think it will lead them to doing anything other than victim-blaming.

During this portion of the trial, the psych is talking about Ms. Scarlet's struggles, personal and professional and it is heartbreaking. How could someone *want* to hurt these people? How could someone not want to help? The psych is explaining dissociation and I can say from personal experience it is one of the most terrifying things that can happen *to* a person. Who you are is replaced by whatever is necessary to survive and then, when you wake up, you find out you hurt people. And then, because our society refuses to support people with mental health

issues, you're isolated for not being able to control yourself, as though that's your fault, not the person who hurt you bad enough that your brain has to create this life-saving ability.

Their story is heartbreaking and I don't know how I feel about tweeting out specific details of another person's mental health struggles. It is a difficult task for anyone to share their mental health story, but no one should ever have to be forced to.

It is a constant fight, when your brain is working against you, to be outside and around people without being terrified that at any moment you could break down in public, where you could hurt people.

The psych is now explaining the symptoms necessary to diagnose someone as having PTSD. Bill suspects that Shitball is going to pull out the DSM and start shit.

Old Man "I have a bottle of viagra in my briefcase" Hearing Aids is sitting back with his arms crossed, clearly unhappy he has to pretend to care about human beings. He's leaning to the side with the body language of someone about to do the "wrap it up" sign with his hands.

Shitball, if you've ever been trapped in a conversation where you know someone isn't listening to you because they don't, they're just waiting to give their answer, then you will know what Shitball looks like right now.

Psych - Don't say Ms. Lewis is here for gun control. She will shoot you in the fucking face if you fuck with her.

Bill - Is it worse when you're not just victimized by the people around you, but in fact the entire world?

Psych - REALLY REALLY REALLY REALLY REALLY REALLY REALLY REALLY WORSE

The Judge interrupts, 10:24, this is just a break for 20 minutes, everyone stands, the jury walks out with looks that suggest they were affected by the testimony and that they are humans who care. Mark is a human as well, when kicking the ass of Infowarriors and shitty lawyers, he'll flash a toothy smile. Not after that testimony. Not today.

The psych today testified that someone shot at Neil Heslin. "Sticks and stones..." said plenty of potential jurors.

To everyone who struggles with PTSD, you are loved.

The defense today seems to have traded useless objections with useless note-taking. My suspicion is they're canny enough to know that fucking around with that testimony in front of the jury is a bad move.

The judge has returned, Shitball iiiiiiiis... officially late. The jury has returned. Shitball is not in the building. He may actually be avoiding the testimony of the psych.

The psych is now describing what type of PTSD can be diagnosed. There are constant threats that can lead to PTSD as well as intense emotional experiences, but both lead to what is essentially a non-stop fight or flight response. How can you function if those are your only options?

Shitball is back in his chair. His mullet has not improved during the break.

Bill - In specific, the PTSD we're describing isn't that of the tragic loss of their children, this PTSD is purely the creation of Alex Jones and his bullshit.

Psych - You're god damn fucking right. *Schwarzenegger and Weathers shake hands so hard they make a movie about it*

Bill - Did they think that if they were able to communicate to Alex that he is the source of intense pain, then Alex would understand and stop?

Psych - Yes. Instead. Every 1/4th person in the United States thought they were liars.

Shitball with a hilarious objection. Ha ha, we had the expert on statistics yesterday, how can this psychiatrist possibly know?

Judge (thinking about whether she has ever heard anyone this stupid) - Overruled

Bill - All of the issues that they are experiencing *now* are Alex, correct? Not the event that Alex is lying about?

Psych - Yup. All of it. Every bit of it. Alex. It is personally his fault. Remember when Daria said he does whatever he wants and no one controls him? Well...

Shitball objects to Bill's question, the question was leading so it is sustained by the Judge. That said, the question was a prompt for the psych to say what he's saying now anyways, so Bill can rephrase the question however he wants.

Psych - PTSD forces you to isolate yourself, humans are social animals meaning isolation only increases the pain of PTSD, and it does so exponentially. Only a monster would want to *give* someone PTSD.

Bill asks the psych about whether or not PTSD is actually an evolutionary response, one which cannot be controlled by any of us due to millions of years of change. I don't know why, maybe it's because we live in America, but I almost don't want them to bring up evolution. What if someone on the jury is like, "No, the reason we're afraid of snakes is because the devil was a snake in the garden of eden"

Psych - Damage is not just physical, it can be social and social damage is physically the same as physical damage, so to speak.

Bill attempts to rephrase Psych's answer in a more understandable way, Shitball objects, "leading question" the judge overrules because it was not in fact a question. This is an interesting line of questioning to me because it is absolutely important to establish that PTSD is more than just getting your feelings hurt, it is a violation of every human who has ever tried to help another.

Shitball's objections are hilarious because they do not ever derail the plaintiffs. The reason? They have prepared their witnesses and so even if you object, the witness will continue along. Shitball still doesn't understand this. (I AM NOT PREPARED)

When the Plaintiffs object, Shitball puts his fucking notes *away* and changes the subject.

The psych reiterates, people have shot at Neil Heslin. Fired guns *at* him. Guns. This is interesting to me, because while I understand that it's important to establish where PTSD comes from, if you say to me, "This person sent that person to shoot at that person" I say guilty.

Now the psych adds that there's more than even PTSD, there's the terrible survivor's guilt of a parent who lost their child. Imagine the day, if I had only been there a little earlier or a little later, I could've seen my son today. I'm crying, don't think I'm not. The psych points out that not only have the families had to deal with the trauma from then, and from after then, but now the defense is forcing them to relive it *again* and their symptoms have returned.

The psych says now that Heslin told him he has nightmares about *Alex Jones* not the Adam Lanza, not the loss of his son. A BIG RED COWARDLY FUCK TERRORIZES THIS MAN EVEN WHEN HE SLEEPS!

Shitball is saaaaad. That's a man who's beaten. Old Man Hearing Aids would watch your mother get strangled and ask for a million to help.

Bill - They named Neil, right?

Psych - Yes. By name.

Shitball - (swamp ass)

Pysch - If you bombard someone with false information eventually, no matter how strong you are, you will start to question what is true and what is false. Imagine that happening with regards to your own, murdered child.

Bill - If they could, would Heslin and Lewis have security around them all the time.

Psych - You bet.

Bill - Why?

Psych - They're worried an Alex fan will murder them. That is a real, honest-to-god threat.

Me - I would like to add, I think Alex's security detail is to protect him from Alex's fans also.

The psych is now explaining the process of finding a therapist which everyone knows is maybe the worst thing that anyone ever does.

Bill - Why don't they just take drugs to feel better?

Psych - Will drugs keep people from shooting at them?

Psych - They'd fucking love to just need drugs, but you can't treat someone with emotional damage until they feel safe and not one time in the past years have they felt safe.

Me - GRRAAAHHHHH!!!!!! LET ME FIGHT SOMEONE!

Bill - What could make their pain stop?

Psych - Nothing. Even best case scenario and no one ever harasses them ever again, they're still going to be haunted by this ghost. Forever.

The psych is now dancing around one of the main topics that I don't think anyone really wants to address head on but the people who have this type of PTSD, from these types of events, are more likely to end their own lives than treat it to the point of safety.

Shitball tries to object again to something or other, the Judge overrules without hesitation. The psych is now explaining how empathy works. The parents of Lanza lost a child, too. Scarlett Lewis is dedicated to helping *everyone* who loses a child.

Bill - How does Ms. Lewis make it through the day?

Psych - She works from the moment she wakes up, to the moment she falls asleep, to stop and live in a moment of silence is terrifying to her. That's because of Alex.

Shitball going for the 41.111 or whatever objection and the Judge is pretty fucking sick of that objection. Fuck you Shitball, try maritime law next time.

Bill - Is it healthy to work the way Ms. Lewis does?

Psych - It's healthy to work your ass to save lives. It's not healthy to never see people, to never enjoy a day in the park, to never go to a concert, to never want to do literally anything but work.

Psych (to the jury) - Everything you and I have ever wanted to be, happy, healthy, caring, in love, all of it, all of it has been stolen, taken, and then sold by Alex Jones for millions of dollars.

Psych - The children were specifically asked not to testify as to their or their parents mental health because they should never be treated that way, and it's horrific for them to even be in a situation where they might be.

Shitball objects because the psych testifies to how awful it is to be isolated and miserable, Shitball says that is outside of his scope, and the judge overrules, probably thinking that empathy is outside of Shitball's scope.

Bill - What do we do when Alex and his ilk are doing this to someone?

Psych - We are where we do what we do to hold Alex accountable.

Shitball (objection) Judge (overruled)

Psych - What this is about is all of us, not just the families. What they are doing is trying to stop Alex from doing this to anyone else, ever again.

Bill - Fuck yea. Your witness, Shitball. Good fucking luck.

Shitball - You've testified at a bunch of trials, right? Haha, that means you're a bad witness!

Shitball - Have you ever heard of ethics?

Psych - No joke, I literally wrote the ethics rules.

Shitball - Do you think the ethics board is authoritative?

Psych - I genuinely don't know what you mean by that.

Shitball - Let me show what they think about psychiatrists testifying about what they do!

Bill, objection, hearsay. Judge, I mean, I guess we didn't get an answer to the last question. Bill, reminder, I haven't seen what he's showing the witness and that THAT IS AGAINST THE GOD DAMN RULES! The judge lets him get away with it with a warning. You'll notice that is warning number 67. 7000 more basic violations and she's gonna get really mad!

Shitball is so fucking stupid. He's trying to say that a forensic psychiatrist does court shit, and a treating psychiatrist does treating shit, thus, we must disqualify this expert opinion because he treated the plaintiffs - oops, no he didn't. Shit. Bill objects to Shitball's bullshit, the judge sustains, Shitball objects to the witness, non-responsive. The judge thinks, sustained and overruled, respectively. The judge says that if you let the witness answer the question, then they won't be non-responsive.

Shitball - Hahaha, you're not always correct about things!

Psych - It's the lawyer's job to do everything but what I do, when I made a mistake, I corrected it.

Shitball - Wait, what is correcting a mistake? Don't you just double down? What is happening in this trial!

Shitball is now trying to read his own notes, the notes he was writing earlier, and he is struggling to read for both legibility issues and reading comprehension issues.

Shitball - You're saying people shot at Heslin. Objective statement right? You're saying that Alex sent someone, Objective statement, right? You're saying that Ms. Lewis doesn't go to dinner parties anymore, is it fair to say that you haven't researched whether or not she parties?

Shitball - We can never prove whether or not Ms. Lewis has hosted a dinner party. Acquit.

Shitball is really going after the smallest, most inconsequential details. There's 400 million people in America, right? But several billion on Earth, millions of people is practically nothing. Shitball is trying now to argue that because there are fans of Alex outside of the country the number of American fans that harassed Lewis was slightly less than what the Psych has said before.

We're back to implying that because the psych did pro bono work for Mr. Pozner, that means the psych is a bad person who wants to help people do mean things to the defenseless millionaire.

An important point, Shitball doesn't get to do this if the rules are followed. Why argue that the witness is biased towards conviction if the TRIAL IS ALREADY OVER. THIS IS A DAMAGES HEARING!

A default judgment is really fucking up the legal system. This is a reasonable line of questioning if it had anything to do with what the damages are, but it doesn't. It doesn't even matter if he's biased, honestly. He's just testifying to the damage done.

Psych - ...scientific fact.

Shitball - Objection your honor, facts are not real, real is not real, there is nothing but the void, look into the void and become one with it.

Shitball - You ran for congress as a Democrat in the same Fairfield county as Sandy Hook years ago. So obviously Hillary is paying you. Acquit.

Can't stress enough, Shitball is trying to argue that because Shitball voted against Trump, that this whole thing is a witch hunt. He should be sanctioned for this shit. THIS IS A DAMAGES HEARING!!!!

Shitball - If you win this trial, Hillary is going to make you Speaker of the House right?

Psych - I genuinely think politics is fucking awful and I never want to go back. I mean, listen to you right now? This is awful.

Shitball - We've had evidence.

Perjury. Lawyers are also under oath, right? Are they not? Is that a thing?

Shitball - It was just 5 minutes, right? Come on? Come on. Coooooome oooooon. Sure, it was 5 minutes to millions of people and way more than 5 minutes I listened to this podcast about him where they played a looooooot of clips.

Shitball - If you weren't such a big lying liar, then clearly America wouldn't ever have paid attention to this. Obviously, you are the person at fault here.

Shitball moved to strike some of the witness' testimony from the record. The judge hilariously says, well, it's already there, but sure, the way someone would say, of course you can have this last fry in the bag.

And we go to a lunch break after one of the single least effective cross-examinations outside of the first ten minutes of My Cousin Vinny. Surprisingly, the defense is not using Alex's defense from the Glenn Greenwald interview; it's ok for him to harass the families because he was drunk on air.

Shitball brings up a very good point here by complete accident. No one but Shitball has spoken one word about politics or right wing or left wing anything. Every bit of testimony is emotional or physical and both are devastating to the defense. This is something that truly is above left or right - maybe that's why it's not getting coverage! - and if you are a human, I don't care if you're a right wing lunatic on every other day, today we listen to these stories and remind ourselves we are humans.

The judge is back, everyone is seated. We are resuming Shitball's cross examination. Shitball asks the psych what I think he thinks is a gotcha question which is what did you talk about during the break. Shitball again thinks preparation is cheating. The psych is clarifying some of his earlier remarks regarding the number of people who believed that the sandy hook families were liars *in 2018*.

Shitball is arguing that fewer people knew them back then! Acquit.

The psych is struggling to answer the question, but mainly because he believes that the answer to the question is important. Shitball does not understand any answer, he's asking questions that are accusations and then waiting for the psych to stop talking. The psych is clarifying what the concept of a metaphor is to Shitball. Shitball, believing words to be inconsequential, is trying to say that the metaphor means he is lying.

Shitball has tried to change the question from "How much pain has been caused by Alex" to "Did Alex cause *all* of their pain? What if they scraped their knee? Did Alex do that?"

Shitball - Do you think Alex is guilty of the charges he has been found guilty of? Judge *silence*

Shitball - *Did* you prove anyone has ever watched the Alex Jones show?

Shitball - Can you prove anyone has watched the Alex Jones show?

Shitball - You would concede you did not take the time to corroborate whether or not any followers of Alex harassed the families

Me - Read Elizabeth Williamson's book if you'd like to take the time to corroborate.

Me - *why* are we arguing as to whether or not Alex Jones is guilty of what he's guilty of?

GET THE FUCK OUT OF HERE SHITBALL ON FIRE RIGHT NOW!

Shitball - "Shouldn't they have tried to heal with Alex?"

Shitball - How do you know Alex is a liar who wouldn't apologize? From the videos we watched together? All of us? Yes.

SHITBALL IS NOW QUESTIONING IF THE PSYCH KNOWS FOR A FACT HESLIN HELD HIS CHILD. SHITBALL IS IMPLYING THAT BECAUSE THE PSYCHIATRIST WAS NOT THERE HE DOESN'T KNOW IT HAPPENED.

Shitball is now explaining the crimes Alex was already found guilty of.

Bill - I object!

Judge, before he can say anything further - THERE'S A MILLION THINGS YOU COULD OBJECT TO. ALL SUSTAINED!

Bill has to object again to Shitball's frankly illegal questioning, The Judge is furious now. The judge is fucking furious. Shitball tries to talk back and receives an "Excuse Me" from the judge that cannot be described as anything other than one of the greatest line readings in history.

Shitball (meekly) - Should I move on?

Judge - YOU FUCKING BETTER MOVE ON

Shitball is now constantly entering into the conversation evidence that has not been entered into the courtroom. Bill is objecting. Judge sustains. Shitball now tries to enter evidence into the courtroom.

Shitball is referencing a video from 2015, the title being Alex Jones' Final Statement on Sandy Hook, etc. What's happening is Shitball is trying to say that Alex stopped talking about it in 2016. It was his "Final Statement" NO IT FUCKING WASN'T!

Holy Shit, Bill has objected to relevance and Shitball is the most cooked a goose has ever been. He is charcoal. He is now saying out loud, a lawyer in america, "Sticks and stones". Shitball is now just pretending to have questions. What happened is that literally everything he planned to do today has been essentially wiped out by Bill's three objections and the judge's endless fury.

Shitball is now again, trying to imply the psych is in it for the money and the fame - AND HE IS INCLUDING THE FAMILIES IN THIS IMPLICATION! Meaning he is arguing, obliquely, that this whole trial is a set up. Something he literally cannot do.

Shitball - Someone else said "vendetta" eh? Ever see the Godfather?

Psych - I didn't say it? I don't have to... I mean, what are we doing? Hurting people is bad and would make you angry?

Shitball is now arguing on Daria's behalf. Isn't it psychologically ok to harass someone else because it makes you *feel better* to believe that no one died? The Psych says he doesn't understand the question because he doesn't know, he doesn't know the true horror of Daria.

Shitball - Someone could seek to find meaning in helping kids in school? Someone could also find meaning in destroying Alex Jones?

Psych - They didn't know Alex until he started attacking them? Do you understand? You proved the point. He started it.

Shitball - I pass the witness

Bill is bringing up when Shitball asked the question if the families should've tried to heal with Alex Jones. Now Bill is bringing up the numerous, endless amount of times the families LITERALLY ASKED HIM TO STOP looooooong before we got here. And way before made the offer to "heal with them".

Bill - Explain how awful Alex is for inflicting nonstop pain for money.

Psych - Oh, it's bad.

Bill - One of their most read articles was about Sandy Hook.

Psych - Yea.

Bill - To the point of billion views, Shitball said billion *people*, is that the same thing?

Psych - No, page views, and unique visits are different.

Bill is entering a new exhibit, 127, it is the affidavit of Neil Heslin. He asks if the psych has seen it before, the psych doesn't recall. Shitball objects to hearsay. Can an affidavit be hearsay?

Under 703, an expert can rely on an affidavit considered hearsay, to refresh his memory, he can talk about it, but the judge doesn't want to admit it as an actual document.

Bill wants to put it on the screen, but you can't show it to the jury unless it's admitted. The judge says talk about it to your heart's content. No screentime before bed though.

In the affidavit, Heslin says that prior to 2018, he did his best to avoid getting drawn in to a hoax. Bill, in a feat of logic Shitball only dreams of, says if you are *trying* to avoid something you must therefor *know it exists* as something to try against.

Bill brings up Section 2, which is when Haslin knew about the hoax, and then Bill asks when the hoax began as well. The answer, as we know, was day fucking 1.

Bill, again using logic that Shitball couldn't produce with a gun to his head. How could Haslin agree to go on Megyn Kelly in 2018 about about a conspiracy theory from 2017 without therefore *knowing about the conspiracy*.

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Bill - Do you need to watch Infowars to know that Alex is lying about you? Or is it possible for information to be relayed to a third party in some way?

Bill - In your experience, when you are in cases, do you have other experts that you have to synthesize information with? Are there any here for the defense? Shitball objects because the answer to the question is both "There are no experts on our team" and I AM UNPREPARED!

The jury has left the courtroom. Bill has pointed out to the judge the spectacular number of things she lets the defense get away with and yet holds him to a higher standard. Shitball has asked if he should enter a mistrial again, the judge says "No!... that's a joke. Go ahead." Shitball does. Everyone moves on.

Mark is now going on the most righteous of speeches outside of a 100 million dollar law movie. He is saying what we all know, Shitball is actively trying to force a mistrial with his incompetence and his cheating and his bullshit.

The judge points out all of Shitball's bullshit. Shitball meekly tries to interrupt, she says fuck you, then she starts going into the question of how to deal with Shitball sucking. She says, I know you know the rules and you're cheating. If your bullshit is contempt, we'll see. "Had I been in the room when your fight happened, Shitball would be in contempt."

Shitball - I have an illegal question, judge, could you please help me rewrite the question so it's legal.

Judge - That is literally not my job. It is your job.

Mark is in the beautiful post-rage-coitus state, wherein he is smiling, he is furious, and he is ready to run through the line and absolutely murder a quarterback.

Finally, we're on break. Jesus Christ, this was the most intense twenty minutes I've ever seen in a courtroom.

The moment the judge sustained Bill's last three objections all at once, it cannot be stressed enough, was the end of his entire prepared cross examination. All of it wiped out in one go. Bill saved us a half hour of meandering asshole.

I'm hearing Bill has earned his gummy worms on this one.

We're reading questions and one of the jurors I think asked what boils down to, can we make Alex apologize too?

Did Alex say people should "take up arms" after Sandy hook? Shitball objects mainly because, yes, Alex sure did. The judge decides to disallow it.

Shitball - I don't want the plaintiffs to point out that they're not in it for the money, especially if that money is actually going to go other people. That makes my argument that they're money-hungry haters look very, very stupid. Please, I'm a sad little boy.

Question - If we stop Infowars today, how long will it take from then for the families to heal? The judge allows it because it's going to be a hell of an answer, and won't make Shitball look good.

Question - Why is it more important for a journalist to rigorously reference sources than it is for a forensic psychiatrist?

Mark is now discussing how the psychiatrist has testified before in the Fetzer case (successfully) and about how Mark told him not to discuss that so as not to confuse the jury. However, it appears that Shitball keeps trying to reference it, so Mark is like, fuck it, might as well.

The judge decides it's too confusing for her, let alone the jury, so we're going to try to avoid it going forward. We await the jury, Shitball is an arrogant prick, but a good actor. He doesn't *look* like the judge is keeping his balls in a jar on her desk.

The Psych is reiterating that he has never treated the plaintiffs - Shitball was trying to imply that he had and that that would be a conflict of interest.

The psych in response to the question of what the plaintiffs want to do, "they want to do good for parents, children, people, everyone, everyone affected by these things, probably you, too. That's why we are here. Don't forget it."

Shitball at one point implied that the plaintiffs were "malingering" and so the juror asked if the psychiatrist could recognize the signs of "malingering" as well as if he thought it was possible they were. The psych is explaining that he's got a record of being super fucking knowledgeable and shit, and that he knows damn well that they're not malingering.

In response to "how long will it take to heal", the psych is now explaining restorative justice to a T. Will they ever fully heal? What do you think? What do you really think? Do you think losing your child is something you get over?

The jury asks, "Can anyone be unbiased, and if not, why are we expected to?"

Psych, in opposition to the beliefs of most Americans - Being an expert does not create bias, it creates understanding. Understanding means you can do more than just "prefer" something to be true.

Psych, struggling with the beliefs of most Americans - Eventually objective reality has to exist.

The judge, swearing in another witness "I can't tell if you are also soft-spoken" it appears the courtroom is really wishing I were translating. The witness is Mr. Crouch, not Bartemius. This witness is more relatable to me insofar as he only has two more college degrees than I do, as opposed to the previous, 10000.

Lawyer - Let's get this out of the way. We paid you. Shitball's gonna be a dick about it.

Mr. Crouch is describing an event he worked on from 2011, on Xmas day a house fire with nearly 100 total firefighters and responders. It was awful. Mr. Crouch is talking about how mental health was not supported in the community, how no professionals worked on the weekend, and so Crouch went to help.

Crouch is being an expert witness in trying to be a good dude.

He called his colleagues in to help the firefighters and others and then their collaboration birthed an organization that helped victims of trauma. Mr. Crouch began treating Heslin in 2013, shortly after the event. He still treats him to this day. He saw Ms. Lewis around 10 times, though she no longer goes to him. The lawyer is asking when the first time Crouch saw in his notes that Heslin talked about Sandy Hook truthers. 2013. 2013. 2013. 2013. 2013.

Lawyer - Did it intensify and when?

Crouch - When Mr. Heslin went on Megyn Kelly, Mr. Pozner told him that conspiracy theorists were using his name.

Crouch now says something insane, Mr. Heslin slept better after the murder than he did after Alex began hounding him. Crouch is saying that Alex's attack came literally on the cusp of Heslin finding positive memories of his son, more time for himself, to possibly live an if not happy, happier life.

It should be noted that at one point Shitball stood up almost certainly to make an absurd objection and then, perhaps realizing he will do no favors for himself, sits right back down.

Hey, to all the people who say they want money, Mr. Heslin literally went on TV to ask Alex to stop this before they sued him.

Crouch - ACAB

Crouch, on the verge of full tears, if people are claiming Mr. Heslin is an actor, then his son never lived, and now, now Crouch is telling everyone a true story of heroism. Mr. Heslin's son saved lives on the day of Sandy Hook. When Lanza reloaded, he told his friends to run.

Crouch is telling everyone exactly how awful this is. How awful it is to not just erase your memories of your son, but to erase the memories of your son, a hero. A true hero.

Now, to drive it home, to hammer this shit home all the way. Owen Shroyer now reading the piece de resistance of his career, as well as the end of it, the Zerohedge article.

"You would remember if you held your dead kid, that's not something you would forget" - The words of a soon to be unhoused pariah.

I don't know how many times I've heard this clip, but I will remember it until I die.

Doing the show, though, I get to separate the past and the present. In court today, they are the same moment and it is heartbreaking.

Crouch - I can't imagine how this video made Mr. Heslin feel, because I'm too busy want to fucking fight this guy.

Shitball would have objected last week, he would've objected this morning. Shitball is now sitting there, looking like as bad as his mom's punishment was, when Dad gets home he's going to get the belt.

Crouch - They want Alex to stop. They want Alex to stop. They tried, they tried, they tried, and he just getting richer. So here we are and he needs to pay.

Old Man "I'll take an upskirt picture if I get the chance" Hearing Aids is just dead inside. He doesn't even look bothered by how bad he's losing, let alone the harm he causes.

Lawyer - Why is this case important for Neil and Scarlet. Crouch - They need to know and have the world know... (he's genuinely crying now and so am I) that her son, lived.

Shitball is now given the chance to cross and I don't think I AM UNPREPARED begins to describe what's happening now.

Here we go, this motherfucker is now going to try and get the therapist to say that the families were already taken care of by people who love them, why should this monster who fucked up their lives have to pay? Shitball is a truly, truly reprehensible monster. These questions should amount to a defamation lawsuit for him personally.

Shitball - Obama went there. Acquit.

What's 100% crazy about this cross is that Shitball can't get close enough to his point to actually argue it. He knows that he'll get spanked so basically, I'm telling you the arguments he doesn't get to make, but I know from Infowars.

Shitball - If it's a brain issue, why can't I see it ON YOUR BRAIN? Acquit.

CALLED IT! I knew that motherfucker had a DSM with him.

Crouch is now describing the symptoms of PTSD in regards to the DSM. It does truly appear that Shitball will eventually say that if you don't have ALL of the symptoms, then you DON'T have PTSD.

Shitball - Are you saying that any emotional assault could lead to PTSD? Crouch - I'd say so, sure. Shitball (smugly) - Let me look at the DSM!

What does it mean to be prepared? It means that if you are going to ask a witness a question then follow it up with reading from the DSM, you shouldn't be scrolling on the DSM website for awhile until the plaintiffs object out of boredom.

OH MY GOD. HE PULLED OUT DSM 1! Did everyone else hear that correctly? Oh god no, it's even worse, he's reading a description of PTSD from the APA website. Not the word for word definition FROM THE DSM 5!

SHITBALL DID NOT ACTUALLY HAVE A COPY OF THE DSM5!

This is what it means to be unprepared. He didn't do his fucking homework!

Shitball completely changed line of questioning, no follow up regarding this once Crouch explained that that's not from the DSM5. It's a summary from the APA website.

Shitball - Do you believe Mr. Heslin *can* recover?

Crouch - (subt. I refuse to say recover, I'm a professional) I think he can improve his life in many ways.

Shitball's line of questioning is now implying that because they can *never* heal from the loss of their child, why should Alex *ever* be held responsible? See?

Shitball doesn't even have interest in this anymore. He would've said non-responsive 30 times by now. He's three steps removed from getting the jury to a place where they understand what he's implying. He can't interrupt the witness, so he just badgers him.

Shitball - How often did Alex Jones come up in the notes?

Crouch - He didn't talk about it, he didn't want to dignify it with a response. Shitball (that can't be true, right? Fuck Fuck Fuck).

Shitball - You want Heslin to be healed right, you dirty, dirty doctor. That means you're so biased towards him you'll lie and that you want money from Alex, too! I'm a good thinker!

Shitball - After a session, you don't investigate as to whether or not their claims are true, right? Crouch didn't say, well, you understand that the only way my job works is if people tell me the absolute truth they wouldn't even tell their family?

A fundamental problem with Shitball's line of questioning is, of course, his own bias. He genuinely thinks that things work the way he thinks they do, and so these gotcha questions should result in the answers he wants. They're just not, though, because Shitball's delusional.

Now, because he can't object, when Shitball asks a dumb question, the therapist can just keep bringing it back to the loss and the pain and the ongoing horror of Alex's treatment.

Unless Shitball is going for word count, he should stop. This is only hurting him. He looks like an idiot and an asshole.

Lawyer - Didn't you see that Shitball was trying to imply that they were lying to you? Isn't that ironic?

Crouch - Yea, but liars gonna lie about you.

Shitball is given another opportunity to question but he just read my tweet so he waved at Crouch and sat down. The jury is out, everyone's taking a break. Shitball is devastated. Mark is shaking his head. I guarantee Mark has never seen anyone do that bad of a job before.

If instead of stopping, and opening the door to listen for a train, your bus driver drove on to the tracks at a train yelling "Yee Haw" that's a job done equally as bad as Shitball.

I'm going to try and impress something upon the world: The defense's lawyer, attempting to spring a trap using the word-for-word definition from the DSM5, did not have a copy, and instead read from the APA website. This is Infowars in court.

How is the media not interested in the complete and total embarrassment of a shitty lawyer?

The judge has returned, reading jurors questions right now, these are the questions of a jury not laughing at lizard people, but a jury now aware that we are dealing with real tragedy.

One of the questions directed at Crouch which I'm wondering about as it is directed to Crouch, "Do you know other parents etc., affected by Alex Jones' violence" and the answer is there are plenty. But does Crouch know them personally, is the subtext of the question.

The plaintiff's later witness will probably go much longer than the time we have left, so the plaintiffs have asked to let the jury go home early today and then finish tomorrow. The first phase the plaintiffs assume will end at noon tomorrow. Which after watching Shitball, yea.

Shitball has not decided whether or not they are going to call Alex. If they do. I mean. My god. They couldn't possibly.

They agreed to not answer that because the defense rightly thinks that if the jury knew they were awarding Alex's money to the greater good, well...

Crouch is now explaining coping mechanisms in response to a juror's question. He says that one big coping method is going on Megyn Kelly to stop Alex. Shitball would love to object, that's not what the question is about, but oops, too much of an asshole.

Crouch does indeed know other people who have been harassed by Alex's fans and he says they are all closely watching, which is a gooooooood thing to say in a damages trial.

Shitball brought up PET scans, and so Crouch has to explain that we can't be shooting positrons at people every day. Not the least of which, if you think gas is expensive, wait until you hear about antimatter.

Crouch - If you traumatize someone for years, that is more traumatic than if you do it once.

The principal is letting the class go home early now, but the lawyers have detention. We should know by end of day if Alex will be on the stand.

Mark is clearing up, that the defense is saying, "isn't this trial harming the plaintiffs, too?", has to also mean, that the trial is included as the defense harming the plaintiffs. The trial is their fault. Infowars has, oops, raised the price.

Because again, this is a damages hearing, the defense has lost. If they are arguing **ADDITIONAL DAMAGES**, they are **RESPONSIBLE!**

So Mark is saying, hey, if they want to say that, then we should add that to the charge itself. Shitball is chewing a pen the way a bookie that just lost 2 million dollars chews their hand off. Shitball is now, finally, understanding that the judgment is over. That this. is. a. damages. Hearing.

Shitball now wants to separate the defendants, however, Mark is pointing out - in a feat of irony so astronomical a neutron star just collapsed - that the defendants are, technically, a conspiracy.

The judge is not going to limit closing arguments to any time. Partially out of fairness, but also I think because, in Texas, I guess you want to let the defendant pick out the length of rope they want.

I'm going to say this, again, but, if you are prepared, you do not need to call Alex 15 minutes before the deadline to see if he wants to testify. That's just me though. Welp. Here we go.

On August 2nd, 2022, Alex Jones will finally have his day to be ended in court.

Do I finally get to put BREAKING in front of something?

The sheer number and variety of Mark's shit-eating grins is impressive.

August 2nd

Day 7

Between Day 6 and Day 7 I began to attack everyone viciously. The people I attacked later reached out to inform me they didn't know I attacked them and they weren't bothered at all. To them I'm sorry.

We've begun. The judge has entered and has done so before the jury. She's explaining that today is going to be among the more emotional days. She's essentially saying we're going to be very affected and if Alex starts doing infowars, the stream ends and media will be kicked out.

Shitball has objected already to a video to be played by the Plaintiffs. Essentially the defense says the video will be too effective and the plaintiffs say hell yea it will.

Mr. Heslin has been sworn in and has stepped on the witness stand. Everyone knows what's coming and I will not be able to treat it with the actual respect it deserves because of what I've done through the trial. I think I will be very quiet during this.

At the first break, today belongs to the family. Not to Alex, not to anyone else. If I got your attention earlier, give it to them now. I'm not tweeting today.

The testimony of Neil Heslin and Scarlett Lewis on August 2nd was among the most powerful and emotionally affecting anything I've ever experienced. To be in the courtroom that day was to be a witness to something that can only be lived and cannot be described. I count myself among the lucky few who were there, and I regret that I cannot share that memory with every human on the planet. You can watch the video, thank god, and you can see what she said through a screen, but when her eyes met Alex's, and Alex looked away...

August 3rd

All righty, stream is live and the bailiff who gave me a warning is protecting the courtroom, I assume from me. Shitball arrives with 1 minute to spare! Alex is wearing the same clothes he did yesterday, someone got lucky!

Mark, I tell you now, know this, is my inspiration. If you think I'm going to go half as apeshit today, you better be watching the stream. Bill has his fingers clasped in a Mr. Burnsian expression, glaring through Shitball's empty heart.

Shitball has currently pulled out more actually prepared documents than has been seen from the defense the entire trial. It appears that he has upgraded to pen, as opposed to writing with his 256 crayons. Old Man "I didn't put my hearing aids in during Neil's testimony and no one noticed but Jordan, Jordan who knows why he did it *just* for Neil" Hearing Aids is using his bald spot to reflect light and murder an ant.

They rise, they rise up, they rise up for revolution, for FREEDOM... nope, sorry. Just the judge.

We are approximately 1 second into the trial proper and Alex has already been reprimanded by the judge for not being in the witness stand.

Shitball - What are truthers?

Me - Do you *really* want to know? Cause I'll tell you and it'll be loud.

Alex is growling his words, his incredible, terrible, miserable torn larynx is thankfully not forcing to cough.

Alex - People who question everything are out there. I think they're crazy.
Perjury.

Alex has denied that Pearl Harbor was an attack by the Japanese.

STEVIE P'S DID NOT CREATE JACK RYAN. Jack Ryan is also not based on Stevie P's.

Alex - Stevie P's, an incredible source that was never wrong

Also Alex - Wow, you must be right, Steve, all of the ballots had watermarks on them.

Alex - I didn't read No One Died At Sandy Hook.

Perj- wait. The first truthful thing he has said.

Unfortunately, there's no way to object for the Plaintiffs. If you want to object and say Alex is lying, to prove it, you have to play around 710 episodes. Alex is lying nonstop now. This is astonishing to watch. I don't even know how to describe how surreal it is for him to get away with this in court.

Stevie P's is not Jack Ryan. He is responsible for killing Aldo Moro, though. So there's that.

Shitball is now talking about the wrong fucking day, this will be filled with nothing but reprehensible bullshit.

Alex - lkajdsf;lajerj (all lies)

Alex is now saying that everything is about guns, the only reason he covered Sandy Hook was for attention and guns. Sounds good to a jury!

Shitball would like to move into 2013 and I swear I believe that. His career was going much better back then. Reminder: Alex's lawyer is a high-powered Democrat agent of the Deep State. The defense's new strategy - It's everyone else's fault but ours! Wait... I think that's their old strategy too.

Shitball - Were you taking a *strong* position that it didn't happen? Ehhh? Come onnnn? You weren't like, Oh this is really important and that the government will be coming for your guns at your house and then depopulate the earth.

Shitball (not missing a beat like the psychopath he is) - What's Operation Gladio?
Me - You cannot seriously want this to happen.

Alex (roundabout) - Stevie P's killed Aldo Moro. The jury should really know that.

Mark is going to nail this motherfucker to the wall.

Important note: Alex is directing this questioning. Alex is the one who wrote these questions. He's doing his show by proxy?

Shitball tries to enter handwritten notes into evidence.

Mark objects - WHAT THE FUCK?

The judge - WHAT THE FUCK?

Shitball - ok, whatever.

Shitball and Mark are asked to approach the bench after Mark once again objects to absolute disregard for the court's previous rules. The whispering is hilariously loud. Shitball returns to questioning, that shit ain't getting entered into evidence, Shitball tries the most terrible thing ever. He asks Alex to remember the notes from memory.

Alex - Have you considered it. is. Everyone. ELSE'S FAULT!

Alex - I was going through a divorce...

Mark, objection, Judge, sustained. You can't make the jury think you're a weak pile of excrement instead of reminding them you're insane.

Shitball - Do you understand now?

Alex - Yes.

Perjury.

Alex is accidentally making the most important point in history, No. You can't take it back. The media won't let you take it back because you can't take the pain you caused back.

Dan - Objection: whining.

Shitball - Infowars stopped covering Sandy Hook (didn't) after a couple years, why?

Alex - I stopped drinking.

That is not editorializing. He literally said that.

Alex - The Kraken? We're a COMEDY SHOW!!!!

Alex - The Kraken, I mean, yea I seen him, but he's more of a Bababooney than a mean person.

Shitball - How do you feel now about the impending consequences you're going to receive?

Alex - I do regret what I've done... but only because I am going to receive consequences that I don't think I deserve because everyone else deserves them Democratf;lkjeasdfsdf

Shitball - Was that an election year? Acquit.

Alex - (lies but a lot and for awhile)

Alex - I *was* above the Left/right paradigm (not true) and then liking Trump made Hillary trick the family into suing me and that's why the lawyers that work for them are Personal Injury lawyers and my lawyer is a former Democrat federal prosecutor.

Mark objects to, I mean, why even try to use laws anymore. The judge is like, yea, duh.

Alex - The media was talking about me--

Mark - You can't speculate on what the media *might* be doing. Especially not if you're in court.

Judge - I just don't know how many times I can instruct you.

Alex (compulsively) - There was a 20 adbuy-

Judge - FUCK ME GOD DAMN IT

Alex - Obviously I'm the victim. I deserve 150 million in damages.

This is his show. He's talking about how people on the straight are coming up to him telling him to stop talking about Sandy Hook and he may be telling the truth but he may also be referring to the blue ducks that yell at him in his head.

Alex - I'm obviously not guilty. GODDAM IT DAMAJG:LEFPEES HEARARINGRSLGKS:FKWE

Alex - I've been railroaded by the people who asked me to stop because they picked out a tiny little piece of my life where I attacked them for not being "real".

Shitball - How about 2016? Did you talk about Sandy Hook then? Alex - No. Shitball - I might be the greatest lawyer in history.

Dan - This is straight up insane. Alex is lying about almost everything he's saying. I'd like to add, that is not the type of hyperbole I engage in, that is fact.

Alex - In 2017, they cut out the times I apologized and only played the times I called them liars who's hero child was a plant from the deep state. I don't know why they won't accept that if I do both I am not responsible for my actions.

Alex is doing a Lefontaine and it's eventually objected to by Mark because you cannot shoot movie promos in court. Wild.

Shitball - I'm going to play the evidence we *didn't* provide, because, duh, then I get to do even less work.

I just don't know how many times I can say that Shitball cannot use technology, he can't get the volume right, he can't get the clip to play right, and goddam it, it's not his clip. It's a clip the plaintiffs put into evidence. I am interested in this strategy of *also* making the Plaintiff's point that Alex is an asshole who is guilty.

Alex's special report is filled with deep, huge gasps of breath, the type that absolutely no one abusing amphetamines would have.

Alex - If you don't watch every episode of my show across my entire career, you have taken all of it out context.

Alex does actually believe that the media distorts his words, but that is because he doesn't ever remember what he said, and he can't read quotes.

Alex - I didn't appreciate that they made it sound like I said Sandy Hook didn't happen. *I* wanted to make it sound like I said Sandy Hook didn't happen.

Fun thing about this clip, ironically, is that if Shitball tried to get Alex to say on this on the stand Mark would object with a fucking landslide.

Alex - I'm awesome. I invent words.

Dan - Bold move to play a clip of Alex lying in the past to defend him lying in the present.

Alex - I'm rubber, you're glue, what bounces off me is the bee's knees and in for a penny and what are these idioms again?

Alex (repetitive). Alex is looking up and into the middle distance and I swear to you, this is the look of a man about to say, See? I was right about everything? I was right that the government is building us up by telling people about Sandy Hook.

Alex - Because of Sandy Hook we have more viewers, we have more followers, we have more money!

Mark - This is pretty much why *WE* PUT THIS INTO EVIDENCE!

Alex - See? The government thinks *you're* stupid for thinking Sandy Hook didn't happen. Let's bring up the zero hedge article.

Alex - Let's call the article at the heart of the issue that we are here for the best, smartest most awesome article.

Dan - Oh my god. They just made a giant fuck up. That Megyn Kelly article that Alex cited was written Zero Point Now and I Bank Coin and said he needed to hire that person. That is the same byline on the article that Owen read defaming Heslin. That alone almost certainly undoes any effect Alex hoped to get from that.

Bill reacted with I don't know how to describe a silent man screaming and laughing and I don't know, I guess a barn falls on him but he's standing at the exact right spot.

Alex - I believe that people died... because it was a false flag exactly like Syria and the Arab Spring.

Alex - Why am I the most victim? Why is everyone attacking me? Why am I not allowed to scream at people without them ever screaming at me? I am a literal baby. A hideous baby in a bassinet in a landfill.

Alex has not changed expression. He loves hearing himself talk. He just does. I don't think he loves guns anywhere near as much he loves listening to himself tell himself he's the greatest.

Dan - Uh oh. This is gonna backfire.

Me - It's not backfire. It's the Plaintiff's evidence. It's shooting yourself in the dick.

Shitball - Alex, now that you've shot yourself in the dick, please tell us about where you'll be shooting yourself next? Your foot? Your mouth? Can't go for the brain, Mark gets to finish you off like a Taranfuckingtino movie.

Alex - I shot the Father's Day report because I am a good Father. Ignoring my children to talk directly to a fictional version of the media is just... well. I'm a great father.

Dan - Alex realized that video hurt him more than helped, so his larynx is acting up. I find it difficult to text back and type tweets because my right hand is not good at picking out the keys. Obviously, my left hand is amazing at typing on the phone. When I watch po-

Shitball - Did you know Owen was going to fuck you worse than any human has been fucked before?

Alex - Not only is it everybody else's fault, it's also the fault of Owen - an employee of Infowars, Infowars I am responsible for, my company, the company I own. Why should I be held accountable?

Alex - The hosts do not do any, any, any, any research or make any effort to know what they're talking about. They get stackies and then "cover" them. If you'll recall we've said we're not journalists.

Alex - Oh, oh no. I'm beginning to realize that that video I played was not out of context, therefore removing literally the only thing I'm saying from any semblance of reality. *Pause* That video was played out of context obviously.

Alex, winningly - Now, any mass shooting... I was going to cover Uvalde cause of the lies... I don't do mass shootings anymore. Not because of this trial exactly, but because I am *too* moral.

Alex, smartly - If you're in prison, you're still on Earth.
Oh my God. He just said that the social score of China is being applied here, it's admitted.

Alex - People talk shit on twitter and you can't respond.

Me - Motherfucker I'm talking shit on Twitter and they don't have the guts to respond.

Alex - with the self-awareness of a Neutrino - Everyone can attack you, but you can't defend yourself.

Me - Now, let me tell you about how having a radio show with millions of listeners, methinks perhaps you could defend yourself there?

Alex - What the families have done to me is identity theft.

Shitball - Acquit.

Shitball - Even I have to repeat questions and instructions to you Alex, don't you think that's a problem?

Mark is objecting *before* Alex is about to get to hearsay. The Judge sustains the objection. Literally everyone is fine with this because what is inevitable in the future is in the present. The judge makes Alex wash his mouth out with soap.

Shitball says they're going to wrap it up pretty soon because he knows all of his questions are prompts for Alex to do his show, which is what he wants to do, because it's just that time of day. Now, I would argue, the defense has wrapped already and this is the prosecution.

Alex - Iraq. Epstein. Acquit.

Absurd shit, Alex is now complimenting himself in front of the jury in a defamation trial where he has already been found guilty and arguing that he's actually great.

Alex is now going to try to lie about what happened with Neil and Scarlett and Mark cannot believe what he's hearing because Alex is just lying about it on the stand. This is unbelievable. Dan - Oh God.

Mark objects and Shitball goes against his Infoworders and passes the witness. Mark is now pulling out several different torture devices. He's setting up the rack. He's got the Iron Maiden cleaned this morning. Mark is asking Alex questions. Alex is not answering. The judge is explaining to a garbage patch kid how the court works. Alex is now saying that he's been given a court order to say he's not innocent.

Mark - You want the world to think this is a rigged trial.

Alex (in many, many words) - No... yes.

The judge to Mark - do you have the ability to play the clip out in the hall before we play in front the jury. Shitball's performance has turned many of us into Luddites.

Dan - I can't imagine how Alex or his lawyer wouldn't think that he is the easiest witness in human history to impeach. Amazing.

Judge - I don't know if you any other impeachment evidence? (Jury's on a break) Mark - Ha. Haha. HAHAAH AHAHAHAHAHAHAH!!!!!!

Shitball, lying to the court with the psychopathic glee of a high powered Democrat lawyer, - I won't talk to Alex about anything I'm not supposed to. Alex is leaving *to go to the bathroom* The judge literally says roundabout I can't believe I have to do this, but you can't leave. You have to come back after you go to the bathroom. We are now playing extra evidence. GOOD WORK, BARNES!!!!!!!!!!

Barnes is onscreen violently talking about the judge *the day before*

Judge - Free Speech Systems, I mean, honestly, I don't know how to explain this, is also on trial. Meaning *anything* that happens on your show is also Alex's responsibility. Shitball - Diapers please.

That Barnes came after me and then is now, well, ensuring Alex's judgment will be six times as high, I am only typing with my left hand...

The Judge is giving what I'd like to call a front-handed compliment that is a Massive Slap to Shitball and Co. We're on break. Anyone got an idea of my word count in an hour and eighteen minutes? Anyone want to compete with it? Mark and the lawyers are watching a deluge of clips outside of the court. They are not taking a break, these are frantic sharks glorying in their impending kill.

There is, I think, a 100% chance Alex will be kicked out of the courtroom during cross-examination.

All right, we're back and Shitball is attempting to object to evidence with whatever legal reason he's... he doesn't want to say... he really doesn't... he does! Overruled entered into evidence. Mark is now asking Alex about how he thinks that high profile people are pedophile demons. Alex, excited to answer truthfully, says yes.

Mark is now pointing out that if you follow how words work. Alex said the judge works with CPS and he called the CPS people who work with pedophiles, therefore, if you can read...

Alex - I didn't say that.

Mark - We're going to be doing this a lot. Let's go to the tape.

Old Man "I'm going to say something for the first time" Hearing Aids gives Shitball an inspiration. They object, Ah, see, what if it's like, I don't know, bad for us? The judge: overruled.

Alex is tying the rope, making a detailed noose, handing it to Mark.

Alex - How long's the clip

Mark - You don't get to ask questions.

Alex, sarcastically - I thought I was allowed to do whatever I want.

Judge - I can't believe this shit.

Alex - The judge should be lit on fire... politically.

Shitball objects to Mark giving Alex a noose. The judge, not wanting to see that kind of execution sustains.

Mark - We're going to do this. A lot. Mark (asks question about thing Alex said) Alex (I never said that) Mark - LET'S GO TO THE TAPE BABY!!!!

Alex no longer likes listening to himself talk.

Old Man "I could watch my son get his face ripped by a chimpanzee" Hearing Aids tries the same we object based on roundaboutness and it doesn't go well.

Alex, really enjoying his time, begins to tie up more nooses. Alex's tone of voice during the part of his testimony where he did the show was VEEEEERRRRRYYYY different than now.

Shitball - Your honor, why should Mark be allowed to point out that Alex is lying about his health? Cause it's bad to point out we're lying.

Judge - That's not a legal objection but I guess HIPAA? Whatever.

Mark - Weren't coughing in court were ya Alex.

Alex - Coughdrops heal Torn Larynx'

Alex, confidently - You weren't watching my show

Mark, righteously - Yea, I fuckin have

Shitball is going to object to every bit of evidence and every question about Alex's bullshit because all of the evidence is so damning WE'RE ALREADY IN A DAMAGES HEARING. Why is this complicated?

Mark is now rapid-firing a series of Alex's conspiracies and I'm proud to say that KF has the receipts should they be challenged.

Alex - (lying)

Mark - Let's talk about Parkland, a school shooting, a school shooting like the one we're talking about, a similar school shooting, one where you said similar things, do you see what's happening?

Alex - (lying)

Mark - Objection.

Judge - The most sustained objection in history.

Shitball - I object to Mark beating a dead horse so hard it died *again*.

Alex - (lying)

Mark - Objection, come on answer the question.

Judge - Yea, fuck yea, come on now. Answer it!

Mark, creating a word that in any other context might be considered grammatically inappropriate but I'll be goddamned if it's not the only word that makes sense - Provocateurized

We're watching *the* clip. Alex saying this whole thing is staged.

Mark - This court will finally make you eat your words with a slice of hubris pie drizzled with go fuck yourself icing.

Mark - Alex testified to earlier-

Shitball - Objection!

Alex (not waiting for a response to the objection) - I'd love to answer this question.

Mark - Do you know about your own business? Literally asking you. I'm not saying this an insult. Although, like "synthetic" it can be both.

Mark - Nonresponsive Judge, hoping for the sweet release of death, yet bravely soldiering on - Sustained.

Mark - Remember when you said this?

Alex - Yes.

Mark - Did you say it?

Alex - No.

Mark - You did this.

Alex - Did not.

Mark - No, I'm telling you, this *happened*

Alex - Nuh uh

Alex, in response to a question - Never heard of anything in history, I don't speak English, I've never seen this courtroom. I'm having a stroke!

Mark - PJDubs gave you a warning in this email.

Alex - That's not a warning.

Mark - It has the words WARNING in all caps.

Alex - Ok, ok, but have you considered it's all of my employees fault? Sue them.

Mark - WE ARE!

Mark - Were you here for the Kraken's testimony?

Alex - No.

Mark - He said you hired him and you loved him. He's lying?

Alex - I think he's mistaken... me for someone who tells the truth!

Mark - Remember what you said in your "Final Statement"

Alex - Ah ha, it wasn't my final statement!

Me - Yea. Yea man. You realize that's why we're here right?

Mark is now straight up performing the Egyptian ritual of mummification. He's put the blade in Alex's nose spun it around and let his brains slowly drop into a jar so he can be dumb in the afterlife, too.

Mark - You said it

Alex, learning - Ok, ok. I won't say I didn't, but I will say I don't remember.

Mark - You know. You know.

Alex - I can't read.

Mark - What the ever-living fuck are you going for here?

Alex - Halbig wasn't the only one saying, there were others.

Mark objects because it's not the answer to his question, but it would've been fun to watch Alex try and point out other Sandy Hook deniers and fail.

Alex - That was my memory

Mark - That isn't true

Alex - In my memory it was.

Mark - You stopped talking about Sandy Hook because of us, right here.

Alex - No. Mark (asks question that makes Alex realize he can't possibly think that's true)

Alex (sweating).

I don't remember my astronomy very well, but I think our sun will explode into a Red Giant in around 5 billion years or already has and is on the stand right now.

Mark - Let's go, you tried to lie to the jury.

Alex - In a certain time frame.

Mark - What the ever living fuck?

Alex - You're taking that out of context

Alex - I don't remember all of the crimes I've been crimin'. Acquit.

Mark - One of the things you said yesterday was that you complied with the discovery?

I know what's coming! SQUUEEEEEEEEE!

Mark - You said you didn't have any text messages to give during discovery.

Mark - We have your texts.

The time is 11:11 and Alex Jones has officially died. What a wish!

I'll give you a secret, too. Know why they do? Cause Shitball, say it with me, is the dumbest motherfucker alive and he DID NOT PREPARE! Alex's Torn Larynx, having suddenly received the news that it's human's texts are in Mark's hands, tries to escape.

Mark - So you're saying your phone didn't save the texts? WOOOOOOOOWW

Alex - I have literally never seen a phone before

Mark - Is this your phone number?

Alex - Yes.

Alex, realizing that he's fucked beyond all reason, "You said you didn't get my texts but you did, haha, good trick."

Mark - Shitball earned that nickname and then ate a giant ball of shit.

Alex, only realizing he's fucked because this is the moment in a movie where the defendant is fucked - You're having your Perry Mason moment.

Judge - Alex, you can't just answer. Mr. Bankston, I've let you spank this child with an aluminum baseball bat. Try to just ask questions.

Mark - You said, under oath I looked through my phone for the phrase Sandy Hook and there weren't any.

Alex - No. See, I didn't?

Mark - We don't even need to go to the tape any more.

Mark - You said, all the emails you sent to us in discovery were from 2 people, right?

Alex - Yea.

Mark - Was that true?

Alex, on opposite day - Yea.

Mark - You know you have to give us all of those emails, right?

Alex, worried he committed a crime then remembering he definitely committed a crime - No.

If the gag order hadn't lasted for 10 days on those text messages, we could've done this part on day 1 and then we could've gone home.

Alex (mumbling) - Mumbling.

Mark, now Ultron - Did you send this email? You know, emails the thing you said didn't ever send? Can you say to me that you use email?

Alex - If I dictate it to my assistant, then *they* wrote the email. Acquit.

Alex - That's my personal email.

Mark - You said you didn't use email or have an email address to the jury yesterday.

Alex - You've taken my eyes, you've taken my ears, what left have you to take?

Mark.- I mean, you did an ad pivot in the court.

Alex - Did not.

Mark - you sold 10 pounds of storable food to that guy over there.

Dan - Oh nelly.

Shitball - Objection your honor, I didn't know one human could spurt out this much blood. I am covered in it. This is a biological hazard.

Judge - I mean. The case is over now. It's kind of like, you know, do whatever you want, but seriously, I'm uninterested now.

Mark - Bates number = Evidence. No Bates number means you didn't give it us.

Alex - LDKfw-

Judge - I swear to God herself answer the motherfucking question.

Mark - Despite having many specials that claim you're selling with no markup, this says you pull 7k in pure profit.

Alex - I mean, it's great storable food...

Mark - I think it's clear that you only get 20 or 40% profit isn't true.

Alex - Well I could bring those numbers to you.

Mark - THAT'S WHAT HAPPENS IN DISCOVERY YOU HAD YOUR FUCKING CHANCE!

Alex, cleverly - ah hah, that was a good year for us. Can't hold that against me.

Shitball - Objection, I don't really have a reason (I AM UNPREPARED)

Judge - I guess you were going for relevance but I mean, he's already answered the question?

Dan, of Alex - God, what a worm.

Mark - You made a million a day.

Alex - You took those numbers out of context.

Mark - You remember how you said deplatforming is being scrubbed from the internet?

Alex - It is.

Mark - Then why did you make more money after you were deplatformed.

Alex, financial guru - Those are gross figures.

Me, uneducated - You're gross figures.

Mark - Remember when we said 150 million. You made around twice that per year - *gross*
Guess how much you're going to be fucked over by now?

Mark, pulls out a dollar and attaches Alex to a rocket and fires him through the Kuiper belt.

Mark - Why should I ask questions any more? I'm done. He's done. WE'RE ALL DONE.

Shitball - I'm not, super done, I guess. I'll give it a shot!

Oh my god. Shitball is defending himself.

Shitball - Alex, you trusted us to turn over everything right (subtext, sue your other lawyers for incompetence)?

What Shitball just did was try to lessen the sanctions for *him* being a pile of large intestines baking on a sidewalk. Old Man "I accidentally gave all of my clients text messages that we hid purposely because they are so damning to a Kryptonian nightmare beats" Hearing Aids, goes up to Mark, I assume to ask for forgiveness and beg for a reprieve... like Nineveh

Full disclosure, I knew this moment was coming and to see it happen was still astonishing. Mark and Co. have all been taking salsa lessons so as to make the part where they dance on Alex's grave a more exciting affair for the courtroom.

I would not be surprised if one of the juror's questions is "Will Alex go to jail".

Juror - Knowing what we know about January 6th, will Trump go to jail?

What amount of laughing at the most incompetent defense in the history of civil, criminal, *and* kangaroo court is the correct amount?

Before anyone gets too excited about what will happen when those texts go to law enforcement, let's remember Alex Jones Was Right might as well be synonymous with Blue Lives Matter. The judge is back and Alex is in the hallway, the judge makes a point of assuming Alex would have a glass on the door trying to hear the questions.

Juror's question - You say everyone else is reckless and should be held accountable, we saw you do worse, why should we let you go?

The judge, to the court - THIS IS A CIVIL TRIAL

Juror - Christopher Hitchens Me - Don't fucking care.

There's a free speaker on the jury and that concerns me.

Juror - Why do you think Sandy Hook is a conspiracy?

Me - MMMMMMMMOOOOOOOOOOONNNNNNNNNNNNEEEEEEEEEEEYYYYYYYY

Juror - If you are genuinely sorry...

Me - Stop right there, buddy

Juror - If we let you keep doing your show, will you keep doing what you just did in the courtroom *while being sued*?

Juror - What is your definition of Blue Collar and why do you think we're all Blue Collar?

Alex had the previous day made the strange assertion that the jury was made up of simple blue collar folk that vote which none of them took personally at all

Dan - These questions are way too heady for Alex. He's not going to be able to follow them. I've pretty much broken my space bar, so these may be all one word soon. Remember when Sean Connery said "Punch the keys, damn it" in Finding Forrester? A typewriter could maaaaybe handle this, but a laptop sure as fuck can't.

Mark - Christopher Hitchens?

Judge - I concur with Jordan, fuck that dude.

Who thinks Alex is going to promote Choose Love?

Judge - I try to think of these questions in two ways, if you, a lawyer Mark, or you, a Shitball, Shitball, asked this question, I would not allow it.

Shitball - So far, putting Alex on the stand is a great idea for us, can we do that?

Mark - Who cares, we're going to call him.

Judge, literally - Oh god.

Shitball didn't even try for a mistrial this time. Mark has torn out his larynx and put it on the desk. I think the Judge is very concerned that Alex and the jury will cross paths, usually something you would be concerned about for rules-based reasons not, I guess, the risk the defendant will shit more of the bed. Alex's security detail has Weekend at Bernie's'd the defendant to the stand.

Judge, giving instructions with a level of pointed distrust, will attempt to ask Alex questions that he will answer. Alex, upon hearing people should be held accountable - Ok, ok, I mean, yea, you know, like, I mean, whatcha gonna do?

Alex - No one should receive consequences now that it has been made clear that they *can* happen to me.

Alex - I'm going to do my best to change and I will go on my show tomorrow and tell people Nancy Pelosi works for China while she's trying to become President due to Biden's retirement.

Alex - I knew I was innocent, in retrospect, I am not.

Alex - (lying)

Judge - I object! Sustained!

Alex, of crimes - people are somewhat culpable.

Alex - I don't understand the question that if I answer will, truthfully or not, look really bad. Read it again.

Judge - (does)

Alex - I NEVER LEARNED TO READ

Alex - I'm also violent.

Alex - What I really want is to leave, I don't want to do this anymore...

I'll be better tomorrow

Alex - I'm going to invite the people I've traumatized on my show so everyone can see that while I sell dick pills.

Alex - My definition of blue collar is the working man and woman who keep their head down and keep the world running and don't pay attention to politics so they buy my food.

Me - Not the same definition as yesterday, eh?

Judge - Alex, you are literally too incapable of reading comprehension to answer this question.

Judge - What compensation do you think is appropriate.

Alex - There was a run on storable food...

Judge - Answer.

Alex - Any compensation above 2 million will shut us down

Judge - NOOOO YOU CANNOT DO THIS!

Alex - Infowars made about 60 or 70 million last year (quickly) but that's a good year.

Alex - I have been found guilty by the Judge...

Judge - This IS NOT A FUCKING CRIMINAL TRIAL AM I INSANE? AM I HALLUCINATING?

Alex, to the jury - I don't think you're plants from the government and are real people (subt. I am not going to tell you what I *do* think)

Alex, after having time to dissemble, stumbled upon a good answer. "Whatever the jury decides" Credit where credit is due.

Shitball - Let's do closing, because god damn, please. Let's do closing.

All right. We break for lunch after one of the most devastating surprise evidence reveals that I can hardly believe it, and I knew it was coming! "Your honor, a new piece of evidence has been entered into the case, though the case has taken years and years, we now have a video that shows the defendant murdering the guy in 1080p with Dolby Surround Sound".

This is all epilogue for Mark. I mean, god damn he's relaxed.

Describing the speed and style of Alex exiting the court, would require an olympic ice skating expert, but I'll do my best: he was going for the triple and then somehow stabbed himself in the foot with the skate he's wearing.

Judge, after both lawyers don't object - Well that's great, let's put *that* in the record.

Judge - (continuing)

Shitball, apparently a fan of conservative self owns - (interrupts)

Judge - Let me finish talking. I can't even get you idiots to stop chewing gum. God damn it.

Alex is just pacing around the room. He's talking to HBO guy because the HBO guy is the only person who's both happy that Alex gave him a literal HBO moment and doesn't really care about what happens, so he will still be nice.

All righty. I have to race to the airport now so hopefully I can get through security and start back up.

I didn't return to cover the closing arguments, because past that, there isn't much to translate. The closing arguments were impassioned (on the plaintiff's side) speeches and watching them will do you better than reading about them. Unlike the rest of this trial, they were relatively simple and direct. In the same way that there's nothing *for me* to write about when Neil and Scarlett share their story, there's nothing *for me* to write about during closing. I translated what I could and what I needed to.

August 4th

Day of Reckoning

An emergency hearing was called to discuss Mark's bombshell regarding the texts.

The stream lives, Mark casually stalks Shitball's nightmares like Jason X: In Space. Shitball is reading and rereading the same five words on a piece of paper, they are "I wish I was big".

The judge enters, as an addition to a shine, we rise. The judge begins the day with an "All right..." that has a significant amount of go fuck yourself Shitball in it.

Mark says that government agencies are watching and that they think my tweets are hilarious.

Shitball - Mark Bankston knew that I had fucked up, and that he didn't help me, even though he did, but he didn't, even though he did, he should be arrested! *crying,whining,peeingpants*

I think Shitball is attempting whatever his version of a righteous speech is but he completely forgot the first five letters of the word.

Shitball - HIPAA!!!!!!!

Shitball, and I'm going to summarize what he said, and a lot of people will try to report it correctly which is wrong. His words are empty and meaningless. What he said was, "DO OVER!"

Mark is now capitalizing the first five letters of "righteous" and italicizing them and they're in bold type and holy shit I can't see... too bright!

Mark is explaining in legal terms my point last night as to the texts being unusable for 10 days. In sports terms, if you commit an own goal, you can't ask the referee to take it out and reset the score.

Shitball is gently massaging his lack of a chin with the lusty hope of an 1800s pirate and he's going to have scurvy when Mark is done.

Mark, exasperated - Get the fuck out of here with these fucking guys.

Mark is explaining the rules the specifics of which will never be relevant to you again, and will almost certainly be changed soon *due to how bad a job Shitball is doing*

Mark - We do good, we're prepared. WE ARE PREPARED!!!!!!!

Shitball's mullet grew since yesterday, or his shoulders have shrunk, or it's a fucking wig.

Mark - What part of the last couple weeks suggests it's a good idea to get in my fucking way?

Shitball - Everyone is watching me suck.

Shitball - I would prefer the stream were off. I suck.

Shitball - I used to think I didn't suck, I guess having money makes people forget they don't have talent?

Judge - Shitball, you're asking me to argue you can do whatever you want. Mark is asking me to do what the rules say. How about this, how about think about this, what if you had been cool to me this whole trial instead of a Shitball? Think we'd be here?

Judge - Obviously it's not a mistrial if your lawyer just sucks.

Shitball - Can I... let me pitch this to you... go back in time 10 days.

Judge - I can't believe I have to say this to you, but remember the last 5 years? You could've said, please don't read the text messages that I hid from you, lied about, and that the government is asking for right now FOR 5 YEARS!

Mark, slyly - I promise to comply with the January 6th committee...

The Judge, happily - Hahaha, who the fuck is going to stop them now?

I'm amazed at the meaninglessness of words. Shitball is just asking for a do-over with more words, citations, and lies. Why have these words if they can't eventually be turned into an actionable meaning?

Judge - Fuck You, Shitball.

I would like everyone to correctly report that the lawyer for Alex Jones tried to ask for a Do Over and then asked if the court could go back in time 10 days and pretend he had done his job right. Anyone - *ANYONE* - who says he has a legal reason for doing what he did, and not, he mixed a word salad to hide that he was just asking for a do-over, is doing the world a disservice.

Sooner than maybe expected, or maybe later than expected, but definitely not at precisely the time it would be expected, the jury returned with a verdict on compensatory damages, or the damages specifically awarded to redress physical, mental, reputational, etc. damages. Punitive damages are, as one might expect, about punishment.

A brief note about the damages and my thoughts on them. The punitive damages sent a message. A message that says you're going to spend a 1000 days in the stocks. In Texas, maybe they'll lower the punishment, maybe all Alex will do is spend 100 days in the stocks, but the message was sent and I have been told that Neil and Scarlett couldn't be happier to send that message, but most importantly, the message that Neil and Scarlett told the world, that they can never deny ever again,

**Jesse Lewis Lived A Hero.
Jesse Lewis Died A Hero.**

I am grateful to have shared this planet with all 3 of them, and so should we all be.