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Richard Verrone: This is Dr. Richard Verrone, I'm conducting a video-oral history with Mr. Joseph Galloway. Today is November 10th, 2005. We are in Washington, D.C., at the Crystal City Hilton for the 40th anniversary reunion of the Ia Drang-Pleiku Battles and the 1st Cav Division reunion. Joe, let me start with you. I want to know about you as a person and what got you into your field. I know you have been asked this probably many, many times before. But besides war correspondent, how did you get interested in writing, in journalism and reporting in general?

Joseph Galloway: I think I was born one. I was voracious reader as a kid at the time, from my first year in school. I cleaned out the library in the schools, I cleaned out the town library, and by reading I learned to recognize good writing and I learned how to write, and by the time I was in high school, I was working on the school paper, the school annual. I loved it. Somewhere in there I read the collected works of Ernie Pyle. I thought, you know, if I ever become a journalist and my generation has a war, I want to cover it, and I would like to cover as much like Mr. Pyle did his generation's war as possible. I graduated high school and I helped start an opposition weekly newspaper in my hometown, which put the established Weekly out of business and is still printing today.

RV: Really? What year was this?

1 JG: This was 1959. Then I was—I made the mistake of going off to community
2 college, basically living at home and commuting forty miles each way.

3 RV: Why do you say a mistake?

4 JG: Well it was a mistake, I was accepted at Texas A&M, I would have graduated
5 in '64 I might have been killed in Vietnam. Certainly, that's where I would end up and
6 probably as a helicopter pilot or something. But I decided to do this thing and stay closer
7 to home and it was a mistake. I had an 8:00 AM class in the German language, taught by
8 a portly lady with poorly fitted dentures and she would walk in and say, "Guten Tag" and
9 spray the first three rows. You know, I drank a bit of beer in those days and I felt bad
10 already, and to be spit on by your German teacher was more than I could stand. Six
11 weeks later, I said, "That's it, I'm done with college. I'm joining the army." I'd just
12 turned seventeen. I needed my mother's signature and I browbeat her until she agreed.
13 We were driving to the recruiting office and literally two blocks away from the
14 courthouse in Victoria, Texas, we pasted the daily newspaper. I had been their campus
15 stringer for my six weeks in college and my mother, in a last desperate attempt foiled my
16 plans and said, "What about your journalism?" I said, "Good call mom, stop the car." I
17 got out, I walked in. Went up to the managing editor, Mr. Jim Wreck and said, "You
18 wouldn't happen to have an opening for a reporter?" He said, "Actually I do." And he
19 hired me on the spot. Thirty-five bucks a week and a free subscription to the paper. And
20 that was it!

21 RV: That's incredible. It worked out.

22 JG: It worked out.

23 RV: Your mother's influence here and her stopping.

24 JG: Oh yeah! My lord, if we would've gone another direction, it wouldn't have
25 worked. I don't know where I would've ended up or what I would've been.

26 RV: She encouraged you before this in a reading and—

27 JG: Oh yeah, absolutely.

28 RV: What about your father?

29 JG: My father was, you know, I got my voracious reading habits from him. He
30 was a very quiet man, and he read four, five, six books a week. He was a fine man. He
31 and six of his brothers wore the uniform in World War II, and four of my mother's

1 brothers. I did not meet him until I was right at five years old because he went off to
2 service and I was born three weeks before Pearl Harbor. Pre-War, more steel in the
3 models back then. My first memories are growing up—we lived my mother and I between
4 her mother's house and his mother's house, like all the other wives and kids did. They
5 were just starting out, nobody owned a house, and suddenly all the men have either
6 joined up or been drafted and they're gone. So I grew up and my first memories are living
7 in houses full of frightened women, looking at the window for the telegraph boy. I just
8 remember my grandmother, there's seven of her sons all over the world. Navy, Air
9 Corps, Army, you name it. When I remembered V-J Day, my grandmother who raised all
10 these kids, she had twelve kids. Her husband died right after the youngest one was born,
11 so she raised all of those kids. She didn't weigh 90 pounds dripping wet but a fierce lady.

12 RV: Obviously. Did they make it home?

13 JG: All but one. She threw a V-J Day party in the little town of Franklin, Texas.
14 All the ladies brought their big black washpots and made Irish stew, and there were
15 probably twenty hand-cranked ice cream freezers. Each with a little boy sitting on top of
16 it packing the ice down and I was one of those little boys. That was the most joyous
17 occasion that I can remember of my childhood.

18 RV: It's got to make a huge impression on you. You had this huge military
19 influence and experience at such a young age. This ties in very well later.

20 JG: My family, bunch of Scots Irish Ridgerunners. They came out of Virginia to
21 Western North Carolina in the 1780s and from there in 1820 into Tennessee, and from
22 1840 to Texas. They—you know, when you can see another cabin's smoke, it was time to
23 move. Place was getting crowded. They fought, as far as I can tell, in every war that this
24 country has ever had.

25 RV: That's mentioned in the book and the movie.

26 JG: The movie? Yeah, people always say, "That story about your great
27 grandfathers can't be true." Well, it certainly is. Great-grandfather James Reed, 2nd
28 Louisiana Infantry, was captured by the Yankees at Cold Harbor. They kept him for a
29 while, and they paroled him to go home and he went straight back to his outfit. They
30 rewarded him by making him the color bearer on the eve of the Battle of the Wilderness.
31 He lasted about three minutes, lost his right leg and use of his right arm. Two inches of

1 bone taken out, so he just had this useless arm. At the end of the war, after they got him
2 patched up, they put him on a hospital steamer. Went down the coast, clapped out old
3 thing they thought it was going to sink at any moment, packed with wounded and the
4 doctors were doing what they do. They were sawing the limbs off and throwing them off
5 the back of the boat. By the time they got around Key West, they had about a thousand
6 sharks following this boat and these guys are laying down below joking about it, saying
7 you know, “They’ve had the hors d’oeuvres, they’re waiting for the main course.” He
8 gets back to New Orleans and after the war is over, moves to Texas and buys the farm
9 next to Sergeant James Aisha Galloway, sheriff of Robertson County, Texas, now. One-
10 legged sheriff. He was in the 4th Texas Infantry, Hood’s Brigade. And lost his left leg
11 charging the guns of the New York’s Swavs at 2nd Manassas. These guys would go to
12 town once a year together to buy one pair of boots and split them up and walk out the
13 door laughing over how they’d screwed the shopkeeper. You can’t make a story like that
14 up!

15 RV: Of course, and in the movie, I presumed this happened at X-Ray. Did you tell
16 Moore the story at X-Ray?

17 JG: No, I didn’t. That’s Hollywood, but it’s a true story. Third great-grandfather
18 was in 5th Texas Infantry, Hood’s Brigade. Fought throughout the war, from the
19 beginning to the surrender at Appomattox. A company of a hundred and forty-five men
20 on the day they enlisted. He was a private and at the end, I had this while I was writing
21 the *Soldiers* book. I would get where I was drowning in Vietnam and I would turn away
22 and read a little Civil War, clear my pallet. Read the history of the 29th Regiment Joshua
23 Lawrence Chamberlain. I found of a reprint of a rare book about called *Hood’s Brigade*.
24 Appendix A is every company’s roaster on the day of the enlisted. I go to company’s C
25 and there’s great-grandfather Allison, John Thomas Allison. Appendix B was the roaster
26 of those who were present and accounted for at the surrender at Appomattox. So I to that
27 Charlie company. Only one name left, his. The hair stood up on the back of my neck.

28 RV: That’s a hell of a—

29 JG: He lived to be two months shy of a hundred years old. I only missed meeting
30 him by four years. I got all his stories from my grandmother. My other grandmother told

1 me the stories of her husband's father and her father. You know, the Civil War still lives
2 in the south.

3 RV: Absolutely does.

4 JG: You can get an arousing good fist fight over it.

5 RV: I've done that.

6 (Both laugh)

7 RV: I'm from North Carolina, so I encountered some of these Yankees when I
8 went to school. Well, you mentioned reading a lot and recognizing good writing. What do
9 you remember? What is good writing to you? What books were really influential?

10 JG: Boy, you're going back to a lot of books, but certainly Mark Twain. You
11 know, I didn't get serious until later, when I got to reading history. Was influenced by a
12 mentor of mine. I worked on that newspaper in Texas for a year and a half and applied
13 for a job with United Press International in Houston. They hired me but they sent me to
14 Kansas City, and they hired somebody up north and sent him to Houston. I think it was
15 the army principle, "Never send a guy to basic training close to his home, he'll run
16 away." So I'd never been in north of Dallas, Texas, in my life and suddenly I'm in Kansas
17 City, and I'm the new guy and they say, "You will inevitably get a message, you're going
18 to work the night and the overnight shifts. You know, eleven to seven in the morning.
19 Inevitably you'll get messages from New York asking you to call Harry Truman and get
20 an answer on a question." They went to the Rolodex and said, "Here's his home number."

21 RV: Wow.

22 JG: It wasn't two weeks until I had one of those messages and I'm just a kid, you
23 know, I'd just turned nineteen. With trembling hands, I dialed that number and Harry
24 Truman answered his own phone. I apologized and said what it was about, and he had
25 some really pungent opinions about our editors in New York and I apologized again, and
26 he said, "Not you son, hell you're a reporter. You work for a living. It's those pinheaded
27 bastards, the editors." He said, "If they had read my memoirs, they'd know the answer to
28 their questions was Volume 2, page 193. But here it is again because they probably can't
29 read." Before we hung up, he said, "Come by and see me at the library." So I did and I
30 did fairly often. I would later cover him when he was speaking in the area, in Kansas or

1 Missouri. Doing political talks for the Democrats or whatever he was doing. He was
2 really a mentor.

3 RV: That's incredible, I did not know Harry Truman was that kind of a man

4 JG: I had, you know, after nine months in Kansas City, they put me in Topeka as
5 the State House Bureau chief. Youngest Bureau chief UPI (United Press International)
6 ever had; I was still nineteen. There, another mentor was Alf Landon. Nancy Landon
7 Kassebaum's father, Governor of Kansas during the worst of the Dust Bowl days and the
8 1936 candidate of the Republican party against Roosevelt. He was really happy to see
9 McGovern come along and become the worst defeated candidate in history because
10 previously he had held the record. After his election defeat, they turned the "As Maine
11 goes, so goes the nation." Into "As Maine goes, so goes Vermont." Those were the two
12 states he carried. But I had lunch with him once a week. He was the fount of knowledge
13 of any issue on the Republican party politics. Truman on Democratic politics, people say,
14 "Where is your degree from?" I say, "Well I have a PhD in political science from
15 Trumanland and University."

16 RV: Very true. So this is setting you up to go obviously to bigger and better
17 places. Describe what made a good mentor for you then? Did you know what you were
18 looking for?

19 JG: I by then had—by 1963, I was reading the dispatches of Neil Sheehan on the
20 UPI wire, I was reading David Halberstam's reports, Malcom Brown of the AP
21 (Associated Press) out of this place called Vietnam. The way I read it, we were going to
22 get involved in this war. It was going to become America's war, my generation's war. I
23 figured, forty years later it would be a lot easier to explain why I went than why I didn't.

24 RV: You felt that then?

25 JG: At '63 I started writing a letter a week to my bosses at UPI in New York.
26 Begging, pleading, cajoling for a transfer from Topeka, Kansas to Saigon. I didn't quite
27 make it. But the week after the '64 presidential election, I get a call, I was on vacation my
28 home in Texas. My boss in Dallas said, "You own a trench coat?" I didn't know what he
29 was talking about. I said, "No, not really." He said, "Well, you better buy one, you've
30 been transferred to Tokyo." Which was the UPI Asia headquarters. That's good enough

1 for me, It's closer. So I spend one week in New York and I was on my way. Very
2 quickly.

3 RV: And from Tokyo you made your way to Saigon?

4 JG: '64 I landed in Tokyo, I go to the boss there and say, "I like to go on to
5 Saigon." "Oh!" He said, "Son," This is November of '64. He said, "I just sent a second
6 man to Saigon we'll never need more than that." So I just went about my business and of
7 course in March of '65 the 1st battalion of Marines landed, and about three weeks after
8 they landed, so did I. I was the buildup. But two days in Saigon and then flew straight to
9 Da Nang and started going on Marine operations.

10 RV: Where did your drive come from? I mean you were pretty bold for a young
11 guy.

12 JG: I thought I was the best writer in the world. I was cocky. You know, if I could
13 do this stuff when I'm nineteen, I got to figure there's no way but up. There's not much
14 that scares me.

15 RV: You're asking for, "Let me into this war." It's not a "war" war according to
16 the public then, but we know now there was all kinds of stuff happening. When you get
17 there in '65 after the Marines, this is not covering the tea party somewhere in the United
18 States.

19 JG: No, no, no. This is the real deal.

20 RV: How did you function in this environment? I mean it was the first time
21 you've been in this sort of—

22 JG: Right off the bat, you know, I was OJT (On-the Job Training), all I knew
23 about war was from reading books and watching John Wayne movies. I thought I had to
24 be in a hurry because it might end quickly. I got up there and almost immediately, I
25 landed at the airport and I was carrying a Samsonite suitcase, wearing chinos and loafers.
26 I hadn't even had a chance to get a set of fatigues. This excited little half-French, half-
27 Vietnamese guy, terrific individual named Henri Huet came running up to me, "You're
28 Mr. Galloway!" "Yeah" "Oh, I'm Henri Huet from UPI, I'm photographer. There's big
29 battle south of here, you come with me." I said, "What about my suitcase?" He said,
30 "Fuck your suitcase!" He threw it in the 8th Aerial Transport Squadron hooch and

1 dragged me onto a C130 which was spinning up on the ramp. We just barely get up and
2 we go down, and we land on this little strip in a dirty little town called Quang Ninh City.

3 RV: Baptism by fire.

4 JG: Oh yeah, and we get off and I don't know where I am, but this place looks
5 like somebody stuck a stick in an ant hill. It was boiling with people and planes, and
6 panic and everything else. I still can't hear anything, there's noise everywhere and Huet
7 runs off. There's a H34 helicopter Marine spinning up on the ram over there and he says
8 something to the crew chief and waves at me, and we get on this thing and we're out over
9 the rice paddies. We circled a kind of a bald hill, maybe three, four-hundred feet high out
10 in the middle this circle by rice paddies. I can see out the door that there's a lot of people
11 in kind of rings of fox holes, not even fox holes, just little fighting holes like this. We
12 drop in there like a rock and then they shut her down, and then there's silence. I realize
13 it's total silence. We get out, and I realize all those people in those holes are dead. There
14 was an ARVN (Army of the Republic of Vietnam) battalion and they'd been over run and
15 killed to the last man. There were two American advisors with them, and they brought us
16 along because they thought that they'd needed help finding and bringing their bodies to
17 the helicopter.

18 RV: It was your first time being with the units?

19 JG: Yeah, yeah, yeah. We went from hole to hole and we found these two guys,
20 and we carried them to the chopper. I'm sitting there and I'm thinking, "John Wayne
21 didn't show anything like this." I'm thinking, war may not be what I thought it was going
22 to be. This is serious stuff. And all the time, you sit there and you don't want to look at
23 the man's face, but you look at his boots. You think about how this morning or yesterday
24 in this case, he sat on the edge of a bunk somewhere laced those boots up and he'll never
25 do that again. Somewhere there's a woman and children who are going to be destroyed
26 by this. So for a guy who just turned twenty-three, that's a hard thing to look upon. We
27 get back to Quang Ninh and Huet, you know, who fought with the French against the
28 Viet men, incredible veteran of all of this stuff, he says "You know the Americans all
29 leave here as soon as it starts to get dark and go back to Da Nang. They fly out and then
30 they'll come back first light in the morning. It's too dangerous they say, to stay here."
31 Because the Vietnamese, the VC were trying to cut the country in half right there. There

1 wasn't much of it left and Quang Ninh City sat in the middle of it. He said, "But we will
2 outsmart the Associated Press. You and I will stay here tonight, and we can get started
3 earlier." "Oh, if you say so." We go off to the MAAG (Military Assistance Advisory
4 Group) compound, the Assistance Advisory Group. And there's this captain, tall, thin
5 ranger captain. He looks like forty miles of bad road. His face lit up and he said, "Boy am
6 I glad to see you! We've been going 24/7 here for about a week. We're happy to feed you
7 and put you up, but you stand at your own guard tonight."

8 RV: This is—

9 JG: This is my third night in country, and he proceeds to give us a M2 grease gun,
10 and a little short lesson on how to operate it, thank god it's simple.

11 RV: Have you ever handle weapons before?

12 JG: Oh, I was a hunter by the time I was seven years old.

13 RV: Figured you probably were, down in Texas.

14 JG: Yeah, yeah. This is a different thing. I listened very carefully and thank god
15 it's a simple weapon. I'm laying in this bunk, Henri is going to do the midnight to 3:00
16 AM and I'm going to do 3:00 AM to six, and I'm laying there and there's no way I'm
17 going to sleep. I'm just laying there looking at that ceiling. My turn comes and I go out
18 there, and it is the darkest thing in the world. The bunker is right up against a high-fence,
19 barbed-wire, razor-wire on the top and a little road and across there is the ARVN
20 compound. Well, they satchel bomb the ARVN compound on my tour, so my nerves
21 were stretched real fine. Just as there was a little bit of light, in the longest night of my
22 life, I see a guy in a bicycle. Coming down that little road with a big package on the front
23 of it. I flip the safety and I say to myself, "If he makes one move towards that package,
24 I'm going to blow him away." About then, that captain hits me on the shoulder and says,
25 "Son, don't shoot that man, he's the cook. If you kill him, you're going to be fixing
26 breakfast."

27 (Both laugh)

28 JG: Ah mercy. So that was my introduction, and I rethought the whole thing right
29 then.

30 RV: I bet you did.

1 JG: And I said, “This is not going to be fast; it’s not going to be easy and we ain’t
2 got near enough folks here to do anything about it. As I went on deeper into the thing, I
3 really began to realize that it was no matter how much I love these troops, there weren’t
4 enough of them and there wasn’t enough will in America to win this thing. It just wasn’t
5 going to work.

6 RV: Let me ask you, after those first three days, four days, what did you do with
7 those boots in your mind? What did you do with them in your mind? Did you check it out
8 going forward or do you have to process and write about it?

9 JG: At that point I did write about it, I sent my pictures in. I wrote about it.
10 There’s a picture that Henri shot of me at the front of that helicopter with my camera, and
11 the look of astonishment and shock on my face. You can read it. I have a copy of that in
12 my file somewhere. Looked at it not too long ago.

13 RV: Who do you see there, in that picture?

14 JG: You know, I guess we all change some. But Vietnam was a defining moment
15 in my life. Very much so and what I know is no one who went there was the same when
16 he left, it changed you all, it changed all of us. Some for the better, some for the worst.
17 Some can live with the memory, some can’t. Some deal with it by keeping busy and
18 moving ahead, working hard. Some take to alcohol, drugs or whatever. But nobody left
19 there with a free pass. You carry those memories all your life.

20 RV: Question is, what did you do with those memories? You just skipped ahead
21 over a lot of years

22 JG: Lot of years.

23 RV: But what have you done with them? Or what are you doing with them?

24 JG: Well I have to go back and quote to you the words of a late friend of mine.
25 Captain BT Collins, who was an artillery LNO (Liaison Officer) with Hal Moore’s
26 brigade right after the Ia Drang starting in December of ’65. He did a tour of that and
27 interestingly his—I think his commander was a fine captain named Sam Bird who was
28 the escort of honor at the funeral of Jack Kennedy and was himself blown up. Suffered a
29 terrible brain injury. You know, existed with great difficulty after the war. Finally, when
30 he died, it was ruled that he died of wounds suffered in Vietnam, which was quite true.
31 They put his name on the wall. But BT Collins did his tour and then came back again as a

1 special forces captain, and ended up down in the delta and in a firefight, a grenade took
2 his leg and his right arm. When the book came out, he came to see me. Just turned up at
3 my office in Washington. Comes in, stumping on this wooden leg—plastic leg with iron
4 hook arm and sits down, tells me that he loved this book and that he could tell the truth of
5 it in every line, and his connection to Hal Moore. He was a force to reckon with,
6 incredible man. He spent a year at Walter Reed, I think. When they finally turned him
7 loose with his new plastic leg and his hook and his crutches, he went straight to the
8 Pentagon to the infantry officer assignment branch. He walked in, stumped in on his
9 crutches and there were about six Majors behind the counter. Not a single combat
10 infantry badge on any of them chest. This guy steps up there and they say, “Well, what
11 can we do for you, captain?” he says, “I’d like to volunteer to go to Vietnam.” And their
12 mouths all fell open. The guy says, “That’s not possible, you can’t go back. You’ve
13 already been there, and you’ve suffered these terrible wounds. You’re not capable of
14 combat.” He said, “Oh, I know that. I don’t expect that I can go to combat like I am, but I
15 can go hold down a desk job and free up some other man to go to combat in my place.”
16 They all looked, and their faces fell, they couldn’t look him in the eye anymore. That’s
17 what he wanted to say and do. He turned around and walked out of there. Hundred
18 percent disabled, half bone way. Went out to California and went to law school. Ended up
19 as chief of staff to Governor Jerry Brown. Two more disparate individuals, you couldn’t
20 imagine. Hell raiser. Spark plug who built the California Vietnam Veterans’ Memorial.
21 Took on jobs like cleaning up and reorganizing the juvenile detention system in
22 California. Always very strong on women’s issues and taking care of women. He used to
23 go around and when he talked to veterans, he would say these words, “No whining, no
24 crying. We’re the fortunate ones. We survived, when so many men all around us gave
25 their precious lives so that we could live. We owe them a sacred obligation to live every
26 day to its fullest potential, trying to make this world a better place for our having lived
27 and their having died. No whining, no crying.”

28 RV: You take that with you now?

29 JG: Every day, every day. I’m sixty-four years old! I don’t know where the years
30 went. But it’s payback time. You know, I don’t know how any Vietnam veteran, anyone
31 who spent time there, can really rest on his laurels as long there is one homeless veteran

1 out there. As long as our VA is not taken care of. There are a thousand issues that we
2 need to be engaged on and I am engaged on. I worked four full time jobs and I ought to
3 be slowing down, but I don't know how.

4 RV: Well, obviously you are still driven today like you were when you nineteen.

5 JG: Absolutely and I can write better now!

6 RV: It's been forty years since X-Ray and Albany and were here at this reunion
7 this weekend to kind of commemorate that 40th anniversary. Can you reflect on those
8 days? I know you can, and I know there's a lot there.

9 JG: There's a lot there.

10 RV: But people know you through the movie or Barry Pepper, people know you
11 through—people who read the book and a lot have, they know you through that book.
12 But what about Joe Galloway the person? I know you're in this book but—

13 JG: I tried not to be very much in that book. It was a story of a battle and we
14 wanted to tell that. It had to be told in General Moore's words, so a lot of Joe Galloway
15 isn't in there and it shouldn't be. It was—people asked, "If you knew what was at the
16 other end, would you have gotten on that helicopter?" Of course I would! My job! I
17 fought to get on that helicopter. I outsmarted Peter Arnett of AP. Foxed him out of his
18 drawers, five other reporters who were in that LZ (Landing Zone) Falcon, five miles
19 away from that battlefield. I got to ride into the pages of history, and they got bubkes.

20 RV: And you talked Matt Dillion into this?

21 JG: Yeah, well no. Hal Moore had the call!

22 RV: Right, Dillion called Moore and Moore said, "If you're crazy enough, bring
23 him on."

24 JG: Absolutely! Bring him in. But none of this would've happened if I hadn't
25 gone in and spent a miserable two days and a night marching with Hal's battalion. Three
26 four days before the battle. You know, I knew there was something cooking in the
27 Highlands. From August of '65 I had been down to Saigon for a short stop and was flying
28 back to Da Nang on the Air Force C123 Milk Run, we called it. Stopped everywhere, all
29 the way up to get back to Da Nang, you spent the whole day flying. It stopped in Pleiku
30 and they dropped the tailgate and they're going throw a couple mailbags off. I look out
31 the back and they're heeding bodies off of couple of helicopters, and they got a pretty

1 stack out of them. I just grabbed my pack and bailed off the tailgate and found that there
2 was a huge fight going on around Duc Co Special Forces Camp. I hooked up with 173rd
3 Airborne. They were going out to bring in an ARVN paratrooper battalion and its
4 advisors who had fought there and lost a lot of men. The roads had all been mined and
5 the bridges blown, and they were coming over really a dirt track. Twenty miles of so
6 through bad country. So we took some tanks and a couple platoons of paratroopers and
7 we went out that road to hook up with them. Somewhere midway. There's a picture in the
8 book and of course their advisor was a brand new Major named H. Norman Schwarzkopf.
9 We kind of got aquatinted a little bit on that trip. It would pay dividend some years later.

10 RV: I bet so; Joe let's take a break for a moment.

11 JG: Yeah.

12 (End of interview)