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Group 1: Transcript Registered Voters - English - Nevada Monday, July 25, 2022, 5:30 pm

G1: RS (00:00:00): [inaudible 00:00:00]

Speaker 1 (00:00:11): Ladies and gentlemen, let's have fun.

Moderator (00:00:12): And it's gonna be so much fun.

G1: A (00:00:13): Thanks.

Speaker 2 (00:00:13): Yeah.

G1: A (00:00:14): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (00:00:19):

All righty, uh, good evening everybody. My name is XXX and I am moderator for today's, uh, focus group. Thanks everyone for joining us. Um, my role as a moderator is to make sure that we cover all the information that the researchers are interested in learning about, so we'll go through them. I don't know if you all have participated in focused groups before, but they're a lot of fun. Uh, and what I love about focus groups the most is that, uh, they're not a test, yay.

G1: A (00:00:43):

(laughs)

Moderator (00:00:44):

No right or wrong answer, it's just how you feel, your experiences and, um, I look forward to hearing from all of you. And it's my job to make sure that we all speak. Um, and so I'll be going around the room, maybe calling on you and asking you to share your experiences. And we're pretty diverse group, so I expect that maybe some our different... Our, our experiences might be a little different. And that's okay. So if you... Someone says something and you feel a little differently, please speak up. We're not gonna hear... We're not here for "pleito" as they say, but-

G1: F (00:01:10): Yeah.

Moderator (00:01:10):

... just to share, just to share, um, uh, y'alls feelings and experiences. And before we get on, go over a couple rules. Uh, one, we are videotaping as you can tell. The reason we do that is so I don't have to sit and take notes so I can really pay attention to the conversation, and we go back and listen to it. But, uh, two important things about that, number one, you're not gonna be a TikTok sensation.

G1: J (00:01:30): (laughs)

Moderator (00:01:31):

Uh, yeah, so this, this, we don't use this for anything other than research purposes. So we don't share it on the internet or anything like that. It's just for the purpose of the research and when we write the report, we will never refer to you by name. We always say participant one, or we refer to your first, the first letter of your name. And, and the reason I say this is 'cause I want you to be as open and honest as possible for everything that we talk about. Um, yes.

G1: T (00:01:54):

I apologize, I left my phone out there, can I [inaudible 00:01:54].

Moderator (00:01:55):

Yeah, go grab it, for sure, that's important. We don't wG1: A forget your phone. Uh, so... And which reminds me, turn yourselves off, or on silent, (laughs), uh, 'cause we're gonna speak for about a- an hour and a half, and we're not gonna take any breaks. Um, and, oh, we are recording, which means I need you to speak in a voice as loud as mine, so we can be sure that, uh, it gets recorded on the camera. And believe it or not, um, the conversation gets pretty interesting. And we all gonna wG1: A talk at the same time, so I'm gonna ask that we just try to speak, uh, as I like to say, [Foreign Language 00:02:27], or one at a time. So that way, um, we can understand what everybody's saying, and I ca- and I can... Once somebody finishes, you can hop right in.

And, and that's important to, to know that this is supposed to be a conversation. So if somebody says something and you wG1: A speak up, just speak up, like you don't have to wait on me to call on you, and... But I might call on you. But, um, you just don't feel like you have to wait on me, just go ahead and, and get the conversation going.

And finally, um, I have nothing to do with any of the things people associate with anything that we're talking about today. Again, I hope you'll speak honestly and freely. That the reason I say that is, um, just so you know that I, I have no association what we're doing, I'm an independent moderator, and they're hired me do this. So, okay. Uh, and then, can I see your paper before I can say your name? G1: RS, you're upside down too.

G1: RS (00:03:12): [inaudible 00:03:12], sorry.

Moderator (00:03:12):

(laughs), there we go-

G1: T (00:03:12): (laughs)

Moderator (00:03:16):

... there we go. Um, so we're gonna get started. Uh, I do G1: A, this first time, just go around the room and just kind of introduce ourselves and say a little bit about ourselves. Uh, maybe our... Your name, how long have you lived here, a little bit about your family life. So I will start first. Uh, my name is Launa. I don't live in Las Vegas. I love to come here. I get to come here a lot to visit. But I actually from San Antonio, I live in San Antonio. Uh, I'm married and I am... I have two fur babies, no human babies, two furbies. I have a, a dog and a cat. So that's who I am. So, uh, we'll start here with G1: T. So-

G1: T (00:03:50):

Moderator (00:03:55): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:03:56): Originally from Chicago.

Moderator (00:03:58): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:03:58): Uh, I am not married. I do have children. I was married.

Moderator (00:04:01): Mm-hmm, okay. G1: T (00:04:01):

Um, my son just went to college last year for the first time.

Moderator (00:04:05): Oh, [inaudible 00:04:06].

G1: T (00:04:06): But he got a full ride for football, so I'm happy.

Moderator (00:04:08): Nice. G1: T (00:04:08): Saving me 85 grand a year, um, Nothing... I just... I'm here.

Moderator (00:04:13): Great, wonderful. Thank you for being here G1: T. Next we have...

G1: A (00:04:16): I am G1: A.

Moderator (00:04:18):

[inaudible 00:04:18]

G1: A (00:04:18): I've lived here for 30 years. I am not married, don't have any kids.

Moderator (00:04:29): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:04:29): Uh, that's it.

Moderator (00:04:29): That's it, okay.

G1: A (00:04:29): (laughs)

Moderator (00:04:29): No worries. Next.

G1: V (00:04:29): Uh, my name is G1: V. Uh, I'm a local. Been here my whole life, 30 years.

Moderator (00:04:32): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:04:32): Uh, I have a five year old. She just turned five last week, and I work in the casinos. I'm a cook.

Moderator (00:04:40): You're a what?

G1: V (00:04:40):

A cook.

Moderator (00:04:44): Oh, yummy, (laughs).

G1: V (00:04:44): I worked Wonderful. Thank you G1: V.

G1: A (00:04:44): (laughs)

Moderator (00:04:44): Wonderful, well, thank you G1: V.

G1: J (00:04:46): Uh, my name is G1: J. I've been here since '88 to build the Mirage. And I've got six kids, and they're all probably old like most of you guys.

Moderator (00:04:53): (laughs)

G1: A (00:04:53): (laughs)

G1: J (00:04:57): And [inaudible 00:04:57] Great, well, thank you G1: J. Looking forward to retiring.

G1: A (00:05:00): Okay.

G1: F (00:05:00): Yeah.

Moderator (00:05:00): Okay, excellent. And we all are.

G1: F (00:05:03): (laughs)

Moderator (00:05:04): Next.

G1: D (00:05:05): I'm, uh, G1: D, I've been... Lived here for 45 years. And I'm single, and have one cat. Moderator (00:05:11): One cat, that lets you live with them, right?

G1: D (00:05:13): Yeah.

Moderator (00:05:14): That's what I say about my cat, that it lets me live me with them.

G1: D (00:05:15): And it's paying bills, yeah, (laughs).

Moderator (00:05:18): Great, great, well thanks G1: D. Thanks for being here.

G1: D (00:05:18): Thanks.

Moderator (00:05:19): Next.

G1: F (00:05:20): My name is G1: F, I've lived here most of my life and I have two girls.

Moderator (00:05:23): Mm-hmm. Where are you from originally G1: F?

G1: F (00:05:25): Chihuahua.

Moderator (00:05:25): Mexico?

G1: F (00:05:25): Sure is.

Moderator (00:05:25): Good, good, well, thank you for coming.

G1: F (00:05:26): Mm-hmm, cool.

G1: RC (00:05:32):

My name is G1: RC, I have been in Vegas for 22 years. Moderator (00:05:36): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:05:36): Been in the United States for 42 years, so, altogether.

Moderator (00:05:40): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:05:41): I have, uh, a wife, a daughter and a granddaughter. So [inaudible 00:05:45].

Moderator (00:05:46): Well, thank you for being here. And last but not least, we have...

G1: RS (00:05:49):

G1: RS, my name is G1: RS. I'm from Vegas, I was raised here, not born though. Um, I also have a son that just went to college for the first time, so-

Moderator (00:05:58): Yay.

G1: RS (00:05:58): ... that's me, (laughs).

Moderator (00:06:00):

Wonderful. Uh, I don't know how the temperature is in here, if it feels a little warm. Does it feel a little warm, or are we okay? If feels a little warm right? Or is it just me? Are we okay?

G1: F (00:06:07): Warm.

G1: A (00:06:07): It's okay.

Moderator (00:06:07):

Just a little a warm? Okay, um, uh, I'll... Uh, while y'all are doing this thing, this exercise, I'll see about doing the print. So you all have a piece of paper in front of you, do me a favor, p- just put your first name, uh, on there, and, and I want you to turn to the first page, [inaudible 00:06:27], and there is a list of issues. What I want you to do is for each one, on a scale from 0 to 10, tell me how important this issue is to you. How important is this? If it's not important at all, circle the zero. If it's really important to you, circle the 10, and any number in between. And I want you to go... And you're gonna continue... It's f- it's two pages long, okay. So just go through circle... And then when you finish, here's the clincher, I want you to put a star over the one that's the most important to you of all the... Of the two pages, okay? So I'm gonna work on the temperature here. Oh yeah, it's, it's [inaudible 00:07:16]. That's just two pages long, so just go through that, and we're gonna about your answers.

G1: T (00:07:52): I'm gonna give one star [inaudible 00:07:53].

Moderator (00:07:59): (laughs), yeah, just one star next to the one that is most important to you out of the two pages.

G1: RC (00:08:21): This is not fair.

Moderator (00:08:21): (laughs)

G1: RC (00:08:23): [inaudible 00:08:23]

G1: T (00:08:24): [inaudible 00:08:24]

Moderator (00:08:25): Yeah, I know it's hard, right? But it's not a test. You're not gonna get graded, so it's okay.

G1: RC (00:08:29): I know.

Moderator (00:08:29): It's okay. Just take about one more second here, couple more seconds, pick that star.

G1: RS (00:08:47): Don't worry about the other two pages, right?

Moderator (00:08:49):

Yeah, don't worry about the other pages, just do those first two, that's it, yeah. Okay, everybody done? You pick your stars? Okay, I wa- I was just gonna go around the room and see, uh, what, what y'all put as a star. G1: T, what... Which one did you star?

G1: T (00:09:05): I, um... The economy.

Moderator (00:09:10):

The economy?

G1: T (00:09:10): Yeah.

Moderator (00:09:12): Okay. G1: A, what did you star?

G1: A (00:09:12): Inflation and rising costs.

Moderator (00:09:14): Okay. G1: V, what did you star?

G1: V (00:09:18): Climate change.

Moderator (00:09:19): Okay, climate? Okay, that was on the next page, okay. G1: J, what did you star?

G1: J (00:09:24): Crime and public safety.

Moderator (00:09:25): Crime and public safety, okay. Diana?

G1: D (00:09:26): Um, inflation and rising costs.

Moderator (00:09:28): Inflation and rising cost. G1: F?

G1: F (00:09:30): Immigration.

Moderator (00:09:31): Immigration. Okay, G1: RC?

G1: RC (00:09:33): Border security.

Moderator (00:09:34): Border security. G1: F (00:09:36): That would've been my next one.

Moderator (00:09:36): Your next one. And G1: RS?

G1: RS (00:09:38): The economy.

Moderator (00:09:39):

The economy, okay. Uh, I do wG1: A just talk a little bit about what, you know, what makes... Obviously, there is a lot of issues and it's difficult to the mo- one that's the most important. Um, but I just wG1: A talk about what makes that particular issue important to you. So we'll start off with the folks that said economy, which was G1: T and G1: RS. Um, what, what makes that imissue important to you right now?

G1: RS (00:10:03):

I feel like the other subjects are said [inaudible 00:10:05] subjects. Um, they can be fixed on their own after we start working on the economy.

Moderator (00:10:11): Okay, okay. And, and when I... When we say the word economy, what does that mean to you?

G1: RS (00:10:16):

Uh, it means, uh, just in a whole, uh, jobs, money, building, um, I, I feel like things that go to employment crimes, uh, and, uh, public safety...

Moderator (00:10:25): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:10:25):

... are things that may be fixed if, um, more people were working and the economy was better for them, but [inaudible 00:10:31].

Moderator (00:10:33): Okay, okay. What about you G1: T. Why is that important to you?

G1: T (00:10:39):

Um, a lot of the same, um, the fact that you have landlords, uh, who can just insanely raising rents to what people can't afford.

Moderator (00:10:49): Mm-hmm. G1: T (00:10:50):

And nobody is doing anything about it. You have a housing market that was over inflated, and that's my [inaudible 00:10:55] background. I was in mortgage business for-

Moderator (00:10:57): Okay.

G1: T (00:10:58):

... almost 30 years. Um, with these insane prices, and now the interest rates go up, they think the market's gonna crash, but what's gonna happen is, you have a little property, [inaudible 00:11:06] gonna have a higher interest rate that's [inaudible 00:11:08] high. Payments are actually gonna be the same. But those people, who couldn't buy a house before can't afford.

Moderator (00:11:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:11:14): The rental issue is an issue. It's in the [inaudible 00:11:17]-

Moderator (00:11:16): So the re- renting and housing you say is in an issue with... I don't know if that was listed as well, [inaudible 00:11:21].

G1: T (00:11:20): It's not li- listed, but it has to do with the housing and the economy-

Moderator (00:11:20): Mm-hmm, cos- rising costs, yeah.

G1: T (00:11:20): ... because, because people are getting kicked out of their homes.

Moderator (00:11:28): Okay. So, when, when we say... You say economy, what does that mean to you, the, the-

G1: T (00:11:31): Oh, housing is the part of the economy-

Moderator (00:11:33): Uh-huh.

G1: T (00:11:33):

... because, it was lot to do with the risk and inflation, and if with have another market crash, everything is going to crash again.

Moderator (00:11:40): Others on the economy, what were some of the numbers you, and, and what does economy mean to you? How do you define it?

G1: F (00:11:51): I put eight in rising costs.

Moderator (00:11:52): Eight in rising costs? G1: F (00:11:54): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (00:11:54): Okay. So you see the economy is, is inflation? Or what do you see?

G1: F (00:11:59): Yeah.

Moderator (00:11:59): I don't wG1: A put words in your mouth.

G1: F (00:12:00): Well, not infla- Well, yeah, pretty much.

Moderator (00:12:01): Okay.

G1: F (00:12:02): The economy, everything, the prices that's on everything that are going up high, and wages are not.

Moderator (00:12:06): Wages are not going up, okay.

G1: F (00:12:08): Wages are not going up, but everything else is.

Moderator (00:12:10): Okay. G1: RC.

G1: RC (00:12:10): You know, for me, the, the economy obviously was actually but very important too. [inaudible 00:12:15]. Moderator (00:12:14): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:12:16):

... but, obviously, the economy, right? The movement of goods and services, and supply and demand, right? I mean, we seen the constraint of supply right now, which has actually have made the prices of everything that we have, 'cause it's inflation. So I, I am in the supply chain.

Moderator (00:12:30): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:12:30): I'm a commodity manager, and I see this right now-

Moderator (00:12:33): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:12:33):

... with everything. I mean, not only do we have a very constrained su- su- supply chain because of the fact that we had the Coronavirus and all those sto- the stoppage that the Coronavirus have cost on all the supply chain, is now reverberating to the top.

Moderator (00:12:48): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:12:49):

Okay, we're seeing that. I see that, I see that on, on a daily basis. I mean, things that will cost a \$3, the component, the chip, okay. Now there's none available and they are out there. There are some available, but they're costing \$200, \$300 per component, right? That has actually made the cost of the, uh, (laughs), the, the inflation, right?

Moderator (00:13:10): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:13:10):

The cost of everything that we're seeing right now, go up. But, again, some of the things that actually exacerbated this economy situation that we have is the fact that we decided to stop the energy production in this country at the very beginning of what is it? 2021, right?

Moderator (00:13:26): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:13:26):

We decided that we are no longer going to be producing our own energy. And if you think about it, everything that we have nowadays requires energy.

Moderator (00:13:35): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:13:36):

I mean, we require energy for our hou- for our heating, or air conditioning. Everything requires that. Even for the water that we get from the heat, okay? All those wires that require pumps, which require electricity, everything.

Moderator (00:13:49): Right, right, okay.

G1: RC (00:13:49): So anyway so I wG1: A give somebody else a chance to speak.

Moderator (00:13:52): Thank you, yeah, yeah. So, uh, Raphael mentioned the water, what, what's the situation with the water here in Las Vegas? Any one?

G1: A (00:13:59): It's drying up.

Moderator (00:14:00): It's drying up?

G1: A (00:14:01): Badly.

Moderator (00:14:03): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:14:03): And I believe that most of the reason why it is, is this construction is continuing.

Moderator (00:14:08): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:14:08):

And they waste so much water building, and building, and eventually it's gonna dry out, and what are we gonna do then?

Moderator (00:14:14):

Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:14:16): You know, I moved here in 2001. Lately, the overflow was still-

Moderator (00:14:23): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:14:23):

... was still working I 2021. I just happened to see the report today. You know, some images from NASA, and how much the lake has shrank. You know, and they say, (laughs), uh, o- on, on the, on the article that I was reading, they said, it is due to climate change. And I said, "Wait a minute. When I moved here in 2021, we had a very hot summer in Vegas and it's always been s- hot for the past 20 years, so having climate change? Does it get any hotter?" No, it continues to be the same. We just had 114 last week. Okay.

Moderator (00:14:51):

Right, and I'm gonna stop you there, G1: RC, because you, you brought up climate change which was G1: V's most important issue. So G1: V, talk to me about climate change and why is that so important to you.

G1: V (00:15:00):

Um, I just feel that it's pretty important because, I mean, you see the numbers, they go up and down, but, um, I don't remember the na- [inaudible 00:15:09] consistent. So... And it's hard, um, just to... Like, if it rains, it rains for a little bit, there's only... You know, it's not going to fill up the lake.

Moderator (00:15:17): Mm-hmm, mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:15:22): Um, you know, stuff like that.

Moderator (00:15:22):

Ho- what, what are some of the numbers other people gave for, uh, what that, [inaudible 00:15:27] G1: V, the climate change? What are some of the numbers that you all gave? Just curious.

G1: RS (00:15:30): I gave it an eight.

Moderator (00:15:31): An eight? G1: RS (00:15:31): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (00:15:32): G1: J gave it three, no, a zero.

G1: J (00:15:35): I gave, I gave it a zero.

Moderator (00:15:35): You gave it a zero. You gave it zero.

G1: J (00:15:36): Yeah, I gave it a zero.

G1: RS (00:15:36): Wow.

Moderator (00:15:36): Okay, the other one of you?

G1: D (00:15:36): I gave it a 10.

Moderator (00:15:37): A 10?

G1: F (00:15:40): I gave it a 5.

Moderator (00:15:40): A 5. G1: T?

G1: T (00:15:41): 7.

Moderator (00:15:42): 7.

G1: A (00:15:42): 10.

Moderator (00:15:44): 10. Uh, G1: J, talk to me about your 0. You're not concerned about... It's not important to you? G1: J (00:15:46):

Well, because, I mean, you know, facts show us that, our planet was hotter 5000 years ago than it is now. This is the cycle for us to possibly even think that there's some way we can control the climate by throwing money at it, is...

Moderator (00:16:02): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:16:03):

So is part of why... Well, Lake Mead so low, is the corruption from the top, why are we still selling water to Arizona and California out of Lake Mead, and we are in this desperate situation.

Moderator (00:16:16): Right.

G1: RS (00:16:17): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:16:17): Why have we been selling water and all... And-

Moderator (00:16:19): You said corruption from the top? Who... What is that? Can you explain that?

G1: J (00:16:22): Oh, governor.

Moderator (00:16:24): Okay.

G1: J (00:16:24): And, and the governor's and, and the governs seat, all the way down.

Moderator (00:16:29): Okay.

G1: J (00:16:30): This is... The is just, you know-

Moderator (00:16:30): It's a state issue, okay.

G1: J (00:16:30):

Yeah, it sure is. Just look at the... Look at since this guy has been in office, I mean, look at Reno, look at Neva- look at Las Vegas, rising costs, and just property.... We're turning into San Francisco. That's what's happening.

Moderator (00:16:44):

Mm-hmm. You know, when, when people talk about the economy, um, is it, is it just inflation or is the economy something more than that, or what is the economy? Anybody can answer that.

G1: RS (00:16:53): It's more than that.

Moderator (00:16:54):

G1: D, G1: F, what do you think? What is the economy? Is it, is it more than inflation, or is it just inflation? What do you think it is?

G1: D (00:17:00):

Well, no, I mean, I don't believe we have affordable housing for everybody. You know, you make whatever you make, let's say \$10, \$15 an hour, how are you supposed to afford a \$1500 apartment?

Moderator (00:17:11): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:17:12): And they keep [inaudible 00:17:13], keep insurance and everything like that.

Moderator (00:17:14): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:17:15): So... I mean, this town is full of money, but it's not trickling down to the, the people.

Moderator (00:17:20): Mm-hmm. G1: F, you were gonna say?

G1: F (00:17:24): No, it's, it's the same thing that [inaudible 00:17:24] said earlier, just the jobs, they're not there, they're paying enough and everything else is going up.

Moderator (00:17:28): Mm-hmm, mm-hmm. G1: A, and, um, I guess, who is it that did put rising costs, inflation and rising costs, G1: A and G1: D, yeah.

G1: J (00:17:37):

I have that at nine.

Moderator (00:17:37): You have that one at 9 as well?

G1: J (00:17:38): That was my second, that was my second highest.

Moderator (00:17:41): Uh-huh. And why is that important to you G1: A, and then G1: J, you can follow. G1: A, what-

G1: A (00:17:44): Just like everyone else said-

Moderator (00:17:46): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:17:47): ... everything is going up. The gas-

Moderator (00:17:49): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:17:49): ... you need gas to put in your car to get to work.

Moderator (00:17:52): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:17:53): And the, the raise at work is not going up. Or if you lost your job, you have to get a new one. And they're not even hiring full time. They want to hire you on call or you're [inaudible 00:18:03]-

G1: D (00:18:02): No benefits.

G1: A (00:18:03): ... yeah, no benefits, only, only the few days out of the week.

Moderator (00:18:06): Mmh.

G1: A (00:18:07): And you got all these bills that don't stop, everything's going up. Moderator (00:18:10): Would you say the economy is going good? Or is it going bad?

G1: A (00:18:14): I think it's going bad, everything going that bad.

Moderator (00:18:17): G1: D, what about you? You think the economy-

G1: D (00:18:18): Yeah, I think it's bad.

Moderator (00:18:19): [inaudible 00:18:19]

G1: D (00:18:19): Like, I have to keep a quarter tank of gas in my car just to wait in line for gas at Costco, you know what I mean? Stuff like that. You, you can't drive around and show people Vegas, you know, and-

G1: A (00:18:30): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:18:30): ... just be frivolous with your gas because it's so expensive.

Moderator (00:18:34): Mm-hmm, G1: J, you give it a nine, can you talk a little about-

G1: J (00:18:37):

Well, we produce, we produce nothing in this country right now. We've... Everything we have we buy from somebody else. They've been pushing us for a while.

Moderator (00:18:47): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:18:47): They've changed the numbers, the math-

Moderator (00:18:49): And who are, who are they that do so.

G1: J (00:18:51):

The government has changed the numbers, the math for GDP for what we produce. So that it shows we're producing something we're not. But they change the math, why would you change the math on what, what our gross national product is, how we, how we do the math?

Moderator (00:19:08): And is that at the federal level or the state level?

G1: J (00:19:10): Yeah, at the, at the national level.

Moderator (00:19:12): Oh, federal level, okay.

G1: J (00:19:12): They changed the math.

Moderator (00:19:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:19:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:19:13):

The fed changed the math, so it, it's this fantasy that we're producing something, and we're not. And that's keeping us out of the recession. If we were using the old math, math, we'd deep in a recession right now. But they've changed the math, and now we're... You know, to keep so, uh, people think-

G1: D (00:19:31): Yeah, that's [inaudible 00:19:31].

G1: RS (00:19:31): Yeah.

G1: J (00:19:31): ... yeah, the s- and the money that's in the system right now, it's all fake money.

G1: RS (00:19:35): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:19:35):

This was given to people, this money was given, peo- I know people that made \$35,000 on unemployment last year.

G1: F (00:19:42): Hello.

G1: RS (00:19:43): Yeah.

G1: F (00:19:43): Oh yeah.

G1: RS (00:19:44): Yeah

G1: J (00:19:44): And they are, and they are running around spending it.

G1: RS (00:19:45): Yeah.

G1: J (00:19:46): That's what this economy is... That's what-

G1: F (00:19:48): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:19:48): ... what's driving this fake economy that people think there's money, and that's why the price-

G1: RS (00:19:52):Mm-hmm.G1: J (00:19:52):... of property is going through the roof because people have all this money, and their buying new cars, they are-

G1: F (00:19:58): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:19:59): ... they are, they are buying homes with it. That money is gonna run out, but-

Moderator (00:20:02):

So we, we were asking people, sort of like, what, what is the biggest or most important issue or problem going on right now, and a lot of people talk about poverty. Um, I guess, which kind of resulting from rising costs and housing, and all the things. And I just wondered, do you agree with that, and do you think that is, like, a systemic issue here in Nevada, or is that just

something short term that's been caused by the economy recently? What are your thoughts on that?

G1: T (00:20:29): That's an on going thing.

Moderator (00:20:31): G1: T, you're... It's an on going thing? It's been on going for a while?

G1: T (00:20:33):

It's on go- go- yeah, I mean, it's... You, you know, there's, there's... The, the one thing I like within Nevada, and I... Throughout the business dealings, I've worked with the city of Las Vegas, and Clark County, um, and I had the CHAP program. And I just, I... And-

Moderator (00:20:45): What's that? The CHAP.

G1: T (00:20:47): CHAPs is, um, like, electric bills, utility bills, housing pretty much.

G1: RS (00:20:52): It's a housing program.

G1: F (00:20:52): Free money, free money.

Moderator (00:20:52): Oh, it's a housing program? oh, okay.

G1: T (00:20:53):

But the thing is, is that most people don't do it because they don't know how to, or they don't know where to go for it. Or they don't know where to go for it. And they suffer, and they lose their place when they had, uh... that money has run out, it's COVID money. And I know we all talk about the government printing money, and they all talk about government doing it, but if it's going to people who... Because of Coronavirus or whatever, got booted out of work, and they couldn't go to work, that's what we should use on. We shouldn't use it on another war, we should deal with that. So there are lot of people who couldn't do that. So I helped the City of Las Vegas develop groups of people that would go to community centers, and-

Moderator (00:21:24): Help people [inaudible 00:21:26].

G1: T (00:21:25): ... fill these... Fill the paper work out. G1: RS (00:21:26): And you know what CHAPs... Oh, I'm sorry to interrupt.

Moderator (00:21:28): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:21:29):

But, like, I know somebody who just been, been using that program, and, um, I mean, it... They supplied [inaudible 00:21:35] two bedroom apartment on Dona Street and Kerry. Which is not best neighborhood, but I mean, and they're total cost to moving \$4,000. I mean, people live on the edge of Summerlin, just even pay that for a one month. Um, and so I feel like they are taking advantage. The CHAPs themselves is taking advantage of their own program. And who pays \$4,000 to live in North Las Vegas in the ghetto, when... I mean, I, when I-

Moderator (00:22:01): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:22:01):

... When I, I, I moved out of that place, and I didn't even pay \$4,000 while moving out. It's not... I feel like they are wasting that money, they're being very wasteful with that.

Moderator (00:22:09):

Yeah, G1: V, what do you think? You think poverty is, is a systemic issue, or you think it's short term caused by what's going on in the economy?

G1: V (00:22:15): Well-

Moderator (00:22:16): Well, first, do you think the economy is going well right now?

G1: V (00:22:21): I mean, some people that are working t- there's jobs out there.

Moderator (00:22:24): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:22:24):

Um, maybe people just don't wG1: A work. They don't, like, feel comfortable working those jobs. Uh, I've been working in the casinos for quite a while, I mean, that's what I do. Uh, when the Coronavirus hit, I was working Amazon, uh, 10 hours, graveyard, I didn't like it, but, I mean, it's something that I had to do.

Moderator (00:22:45): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:22:46): Uh, I wouldn't trust being an Uber driver because people are sketchy, (laughs).

Moderator (00:22:49): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:22:51):

Especially out here in Vegas. I mean, people get robbed from, you know, just people being sketchy. And, uh, I don't know, maybe the casino, people may spend their money, um, like he was saying, you know, they were given out so much money.

Moderator (00:23:04): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:23:05): People were buying, you know, clothes-

Moderator (00:23:07): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:23:07): ... guns, all that stuff.

Moderator (00:23:10): So you kind of talk about crime, which, G1: J, you listed as the most important problem, you wG1: A tell me what, what makes you feel that way?

G1: J (00:23:15):

Oh, we basically, we basically given free pass to one group of people. And, uh, it's, you know, it's, it's... They are, they are... The peo- the group of people, and, um, you know, I know it's gonna sound racist, but the group of people were the ones that are committing all the crime in this country before we start giving them a pass.

Moderator (00:23:34): Who's that?

G1: J (00:23:35): Black people.

Moderator (00:23:36): Mm-hmm. G1: F (00:23:37): I concur.

Moderator (00:23:38): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:23:39):

And, and we're giving 'em a free pass, and they can do basically anything they want. And these are the people that are driving the defund the police push, you know, and without police officers. We are in chaos, plain and simple.

Moderator (00:23:55): Mm-hmm. Have you seen crime rise in here in Nevada lately? Is that what [inaudible 00:23:56]?

G1: J (00:23:55): Oh, like crazy.

Moderator (00:23:55): Yeah?

G1: J (00:23:55): The hit and runs are, the hit and runs right now, are out of control.

G1: RS (00:23:59): Yeah.

G1: F (00:24:00): Yeah, they are.

G1: J (00:24:00): People are getting hit and ran daily, daily-

Moderator (00:24:02): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:24:02): ... getting hit and ran. People just bam-

G1: RS (00:24:04): Kids, [inaudible 00:24:04].

G1: J (00:24:04):

... they hit 'em, and they, they look right at them, and they take off. They don't even stop. It's it's...

G1: F (00:24:09): And [inaudible 00:24:10]-

G1: J (00:24:09): Yeah, yeah, yeah.

G1: F (00:24:12): ... have of them don't even come out on the news.

G1: J (00:24:13): Yeah.

Moderator (00:24:13): Yeah.

G1: F (00:24:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:24:17): It's, it's just said because I work with a digital media in New York.

G1: F (00:24:21): Media.

G1: T (00:24:21):

And, um, I went to a couple of bosses I know, and people at like, Elegion, you know. So we have camera system that would detect guns. With the last shooting at the school, that was bad, where the kid killed his grandma, he wouldn't have never got in the school because the e- facial recognition. I mean, like, the amount of [inaudible 00:24:43] it does for any security [inaudible 00:24:44] out there.

Moderator (00:24:45): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:24:45):

Finally, in New York, they put it in the Barclays Center, which is bigger than te- Well, well, I mean, it's, it's like Madison Square Garden.

Moderator (00:24:51): Mm-hmm. G1: T (00:24:51):

So now we're getting phone calls. But even on Free Mont street, it detects temperatures, it detects, you know, uh, if somebody is a wanted criminal, and it's directly tied to police, FBI. Moderator (00:25:02): Interesting.

G1: T (00:25:03): And the security. And it's directly tied to police, FBI-

Moderator (00:25:02): Mm. Interesting.

G1: T (00:25:03): ... and security.

Moderator (00:25:04): Uh, I wG1: A talk with. about - G1: F and G1: RC because y'all mentioned, uh, I think it was border and immigrations.

G1: F (00:25:10): I had immigration.

Moderator (00:25:10): Yeah, so talk to me a little bit. What, why is that important to you?

G1: F (00:25:13): Because half my family are beaners and they don't have papers. That's why.

Moderator (00:25:15): Okay.

G1: RC (00:25:15): (laughs)

Moderator (00:25:16): No tienen papeles.

Speaker 3 (00:25:16): No tienen.

Moderator (00:25:16): Okay.

G1: J (00:25:15):

I think we all, I think we all have... (laughing) Don't we all have some illegals in our family? (laughing)

Frances (00:25:29): Yeah, everybody is, like, yeah. I have way too many though.

Moderator (00:25:32): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:25:32): I, I-

G1: F (00:25:32): Way too many.

G1: J (00:25:32): I have nieces, I have nieces that have, I have so many nieces that have kids by illegals, it's just-

Moderator (00:25:38): Uh-huh.

G1: J (00:25:38): ... five, six kids.

Moderator (00:25:40): Yeah.

G1: J (00:25:40): And they're all illegals.

Moderator (00:25:41): Uh-huh. So, G1: F, what, what's the, what's the issue for you? I mean, is there-

G1: F (00:25:45): One of them had a, one of them, for example, had a 10 year punishment, and we didn't have any proof that he was in Mexico for 10 years, so they won't give him papers.

Moderator (00:25:53): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (00:25:54): The other one is, mm, uh, there's so many-

Moderator (00:25:56):

Mm-hmm.

G1: F (00:25:56):

... that the 10-year punishment, I had two with 10-year punishments. The other ones, because they came across illegally, now they're not, um, they're not approving the, the, the visas to come into work because they had at one time come into the United States illegal.

Moderator (00:26:09): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (00:26:10): The other one got a DUI.

Moderator (00:26:12): Okay.

G1: F (00:26:12): They won't fix the scrapers anymore. They took them away.

Moderator (00:26:14): But that's important to you because you have family members that are dealing with it.

G1: F (00:26:17): Exactly, yeah.

Moderator (00:26:17): Okay. Okay.

G1: F (00:26:18): That's why it's important to me, yes.

Moderator (00:26:20): Okay. G1: RC, you said the border security. Talk to me a little bit about-

G1: RC (00:26:23): Border security, right?

Moderator (00:26:23): Yeah.

G1: RC (00:26:26):

So I mean, think about, you have a home, right? You lock your home at night, right? Would you allow anybody just to come into your home, right?

Moderator (00:26:33): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:26:34): Just basically walking inside your house and do whatever. Would you allow that to happen?

Moderator (00:26:38): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:26:38): No, the United States is our home. And I [inaudible 00:26:40], I wG1: A go back a little bit more. I mean, I know-

Moderator (00:26:42): Yeah. That's fine.

G1: RC (00:26:42): I'll, I'll, I'll run it 'cause like-

Moderator (00:26:42): Yeah, you can come back.

G1: RC (00:26:47): But, but as we go back and, back in, in, in time, right? As to, I am, I'm a, I'm, I'm the product of a broken family. My parents got divorced.

G1: J (00:26:56): Me too.

G1: RC (00:26:56):

But now we know that there is a lot of, there's a lot more divorce, Okay? And there's single parents, okay, raising children, raising the new generation, which is the one that we're seeing right now, okay? Along with the destruction of the social fabric, or the, basically, the social foundation of our society, which is a family of two parents. Okay? The mom is staying at home, cooking, doing whatever, taking care of the kids, and the father working out there and with one salary, making it, so they can have a home and everything.

We went away completely from that, okay? Our politicians going all the way up to what I consider the first offender, which was Richard Nixon, which gave favor status to China, okay? And then comes Bill Clinton, okay, which brings China into the world recognition and becomes a trade partner with them. And then after that, all of our manufacturing went away, okay?

G1: J (00:27:47): Mm-hmm. G1: RC (00:27:48):

And all of our corporate, all of our CEOs and all of our boards, executive boards, all they care is about the profit. They couldn't care less.

G1: J (00:27:57): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:27:57): We don't longer make anything. You see that, right? Okay?

G1: J (00:27:59): No, I know.

G1: RC (00:28:00):

There used to be a time when I was, before I, when I was in Mexico, when I was 14 years old. To own a pair of Levi's that were made in the United States, oh man, that was the greatest thing, right?

G1: J (00:28:10): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:28:10): Now, you can't find any garment that is made in the-

Moderator (00:28:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:28:14): ... state, the United States that is worth a [inaudible 00:28:16].

Moderator (00:28:15): Mm-hmm. Right.

G1: RC (00:28:17): Okay? When [inaudible 00:28:18] this-

Moderator (00:28:18): And I'm gonna try... Try to wind it up, 'cause I wG1: A move on, but go ahead, [inaudible 00:28:21].

G1: RC (00:28:21): But again, we see that, okay? We see that, all, poverty. V

But again, we see that, okay? We see that, all, poverty. We have enough money in this country so nobody could go hungry, no children will go hungry, and everybody could have a home.

Why? Think about the [inaudible 00:28:35], the wealthiest people in the world, they're all Americans, right? And when in their lifetime are they going to spend all that money?

G1: J (00:28:42): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:28:42): How much homes could they build with the billions and billions of dollars that they have? So-

G1: J (00:28:46): Yeah. 30 million, 30 million for crack pipes. Really?

G1: RC (00:28:50): Well, and tha- and that's [inaudible 00:28:51]. And this is the thing, okay? So listen-

G1: J (00:28:53): [inaudible 00:28:53].

Moderator (00:28:54): I wG1: A, I'm, I'm gonna stop you there G1: RC because I-

G1: RC (00:28:56): [inaudible 00:28:56].

Moderator (00:28:55): ... I wG1: A, I wG1: A talk about-

G1: RC (00:28:57): Yeah.

Moderator (00:28:57):

... another issue real quick that's been on the news lately and that's, ar- abortion. What are some of the numbers that you gave on abortion? Can we just hear real quick the numbers that you gave?

G1: RC (00:29:05): Five.

G1: RS (00:29:06): Eight.

Speaker 3 (00:29:06): Eight. G1: V (00:29:08): Zero.

Moderator (00:29:08): Zero.

G1: D (00:29:08): 10.

G1: J (00:29:09): Mee too, I gave a [inaudible 00:29:09].

Moderator (00:29:09): 10. Zero.

G1: V (00:29:10): Gave a four.

G1: A (00:29:12): Eight.

G1: T (00:29:12): Eight.

Moderator (00:29:13): Eight. G1: V?

G1: V (00:29:14): Four.

Moderator (00:29:14): Four. Okay.

G1: RC (00:29:15): I'm a four.

Moderator (00:29:15): Uh-

G1: RS (00:29:18): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (00:29:19):

I guess you've done it, tell me a little bit about sort of your number, and you gave it a eight, you said?

G1: A (00:29:22): Yeah-

Moderator (00:29:22): Yeah.

G1: A (00:29:22): ... I gave it an eight.

Moderator (00:29:25): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:29:25): I feel that it's wrong for the government to tell a woman what to do with her body.

Moderator (00:29:28): Okay.

G1: A (00:29:29):

We're the ones that have to go through it, carry the child, and if it was a rape, for example, I don't think that the woman should be, she already went through enough, and I don't feel that she should be forced to go through even more of, have, giving birth to a child that she doesn't want.

G1: RS (00:29:45): And giving it away, emotional distress for the rest of your life.

G1: A (00:29:49):

And I feel that this is just the beginning. I think that it's going to lead into the taking the birth control, and they're going to try to control and get rid of that [inaudible 00:29:57].

G1: RS (00:29:57): Yeah.

G1: A (00:29:58): And it won't be provided anymore-

Moderator (00:29:59): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:30:00):

... which is gonna make women go to a different extreme to handle the situation 'cause her government turned their, their back on her.

Moderator (00:30:06): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:30:07):

A government that was, that were placed because of our choice, voting for them, and they're taking away our choices. I work for a healthcare industry. Then they're trying to make Plan B illegal, which is birth control.

Moderator (00:30:17): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:30:17): What about incest or rape, you know?

Moderator (00:30:19): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:30:19):

Like you said, or I'm religious. I don't have to live for the rest of my life with the, you know, that on my mind if that were to happen to me. Or the baby, what if I was the product of that, my mom didn't want me all my life, depression, you know?

Moderator (00:30:33): Right.

G1: RS (00:30:33): I feel like it's a give away-

Moderator (00:30:33): What, what number did you give it again?

G1: RS (00:30:33): I gave an eighth.

Moderator (00:30:33): An eight? Okay. And DeG1: A, you gave it a [inaudible 00:30:37]-

G1: D (00:30:37): I gave it a 10.

Moderator (00:30:38):

Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:30:39): Just the fact, what she said, you sh- a woman should have a choice to do with her body as she wishes. And I feel that this was a law that was made 50 years ago, you know?

Moderator (00:30:49): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:30:49):

I'm Catholic, church doesn't believe in abortion, but I believe that everybody has the right to choose. I don't think, like, that little girl, supposedly 10 years old, got raped and then they couldn't afford to take her to get an abortion because they had to go to a different county. People don't have transportation, that type of thing. But I just think it's a medical procedure. That's kind of, like, taking away the right to have the defibrillator or a pacemaker or something like that, you know?

Moderator (00:31:14): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:31:14): It's the right to choose if I have one or not. I mean, I don't think that, that that's right.

Moderator (00:31:18):

We, we've talked a lot about a lot of issues here and y'all have, you, you've mentioned this case of a 10 year old. So I just wonder where, where do you go to learn more about these issues and concerns that you've expressed? Where, where you going and learning about all this stuff?

Speaker 3 (00:31:32): Siri.

Moderator (00:31:32): G1: V, I'll start, I'll start with s- G1: V, sorry. G1: V, where, where do you go to learn about, um, all these issues and things that we've been talking about?

G1: V (00:31:40): Um, well, honestly, it's, it's, you know, we live in a world where you can just go on your phone.

Moderator (00:31:45): Mm.

G1: V (00:31:45): And just kind of type it in. Moderator (00:31:47): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:31:47): Uh, you know, Google or Siri.

Speaker 3 (00:31:50): Siri, yeah. (laughs)

G1: V (00:31:51): It's, it's all right there, and [inaudible 00:31:54]-

Moderator (00:31:53): So would you say that the, the main source of, of news and information for you is your cell phone? Would you say that?

G1: V (00:32:00): Yeah, 'cause I mean, I turn on TV, you know? I mean, it's there too, but honestly, I just rather not watch TV because-

Moderator (00:32:05): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:32:05): ... it's always negative stuff.

G1: RC (00:32:07): (laughs)

G1: V (00:32:07):

I'd rather just enjoy whatever time I have with my daughter and just make the most of it. Just work, come home, try to educate her. I mean, whatever's happening around, it's going to happen whether, you know, I'm doing good or bad.

Moderator (00:32:22): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:32:22): I mean, I can be driving and get hit by someone, or, you know, just stuff like that.

Moderator (00:32:26):

S- so G1: V when you, you say via your cell phone, what are some of the things that you're looking at?

G1: V (00:32:29): Um-

G1: RS (00:32:29): TikTok?

G1: V (00:32:32): Just, like, random stuff probably.

Moderator (00:32:33): Sports.

G1: V (00:32:34):

Just, you know, yeah, sports, uh, you know, sometimes you get ads for whatever I'm having a conversation with my friends and it'll show up, which is kind of-

G1: A (00:32:42): Mm-hmm. Chirpy.

G1: V (00:32:43): ... kind of, kind of weird. Yeah-

Moderator (00:32:44): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:32:45): [inaudible 00:32:45] we're, we're talking about, you know, sports. And then-

Moderator (00:32:47): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:32:47): ... on my phone it's going to show, uh-

G1: A (00:32:48): Tickets.

G1: V (00:32:49): ... you know, the Raiders [inaudible 00:32:49]. Moderator (00:32:49): (laughs)

G1: V (00:32:49): Yeah, exactly. Moderator (00:32:49): Yeah.

G1: V (00:32:49): So that's kind of-

Moderator (00:32:54): So your, the phone is a little more, uh, t- more timely w- than, say, the television news and watching on the news 'cause you're getting it more immediate. Is that what you're saying?

G1: V (00:33:03): Yeah, it's more, more faster.

Moderator (00:33:03): Well, would you say that, is the phone [inaudible 00:33:04] news less negative or is the TV news more negative? Or what would you, how would you even-

G1: V (00:33:10): Mm. I think on the internet it's probably less negative. On TV, they kind of sell it like more. It's more-

Moderator (00:33:16): Mm-hmm.

Speaker 4 (00:33:16): ... chaotic or whatever.

Moderator (00:33:20): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

Speaker 4 (00:33:20): On the phone it's not as much.

Moderator (00:33:20): Mm-hmm. [inaudible 00:33:21].

G1: T (00:33:20):

S- so you have, you have what's known as SEOs. They're called search engine, engine optimizations, and so when you go to search, say you search, you wG1: A search the Raiders, somebody on the backend of an article or a advertisement, or someone who's selling stuff will increase their traffic by search engine optimization. So when you start getting ads, they're literally hearing. And I have a guy I work with who's out of New York and Florida. He was in for Black Hat Conference, which is the hacker's convention here in Vegas.

Moderator (00:33:53): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:33:53):

And it's like one of the biggest ones. And it was just like, "Pick somebody." And I'm like, "Guy in the gray suit just staring at his phone." And he's, like, sitting there [inaudible 00:34:01]. He's looking at his phone. [inaudible 00:34:02] says... He's got this guy's camera activated on his phone. I'm just, like...

Moderator (00:34:09): Yeah. That's where his cell phone is [inaudible 00:34:12].

Speaker 4 (00:34:12): Like, seconds, not minutes, seconds.

Moderator (00:34:13):

So what about others? What, uh, G1: J, what about you? What, where do you go to learn about news and information? Uh-

G1: J (00:34:20): There's a lot of places.

Moderator (00:34:20): Okay.

G1: J (00:34:20): Not, not Google

Moderator (00:34:23): Not Google. Okay.

G1: A (00:34:23): Mm.

Moderator (00:34:23): Okay.

G1: J (00:34:23): Yeah. Google is, Google is biased.

Moderator (00:34:27): Google itself is biased.

G1: J (00:34:28):

Yes.

Moderator (00:34:29): Okay.

G1: J (00:34:29): Yeah.

Moderator (00:34:29): And what, what makes you say that? Like-

G1: J (00:34:31):

Oh, it's absolutely biased. I mean, the woman that, the woman that is one of the people on the board of the Black Lives Matter that set off the bomb in the, in, in the congressional building back in 19, I think it was '92 or something like that-

Moderator (00:34:48): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:34:49):

... who was in prison. And, and, uh, she got pardoned out of prison. You can look it up and say, "Is she a terrorist?" And Google tells you what is the definition of terrorist.

Moderator (00:35:00): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:35:00): You know?

Moderator (00:35:04): Mm-hmm. So, okay. So, [inaudible 00:35:05] yeah.

G1: J (00:35:04): Yet, yet, yet type in "January 6," and they're calling the people that were-

Moderator (00:35:08): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:35:09): ... protesting in the capital terrorists.

Moderator (00:35:11): Mm-hmm. G1: J (00:35:11): So [inaudible 00:35:12].

Moderator (00:35:13): So, where do you, where do you go to get your information, though? Where do you go?

G1: J (00:35:16): I go, d- I use a, I use a, an app called DuckDuckGo-

Moderator (00:35:19): Uh-huh.

G1: J (00:35:19): ... that, that gives me the actual-

Moderator (00:35:23): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:35:23): ... uh, whatever was originally-

G1: D (00:35:25): The, the story.

G1: J (00:35:25): ... put into the news at the time without the bias-

G1: D (00:35:28): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:35:28): ... without the-

G1: RS (00:35:29): No opinion.

G1: J (00:35:29): ... the marketing.

G1: RS (00:35:30): Mm.

Moderator (00:35:30):

So what about just the news though? Like, how do you consume the news, like, political news? Where do you go?

G1: J (00:35:35):

I, I consume it, usually, uh, I'll, I'll go on different websites that are, that are, are more information-based rather than, uh, corporate brand, companies, you know? Like, I don't go with ABC or CBS.

Moderator (00:35:50): Mm-hmm. Well, what about news sources?

G1: RS (00:35:50): Right.

Moderator (00:35:50): Like, what news sources do you go to?

G1: J (00:35:55): Um, there's a coup- There's quite a few of them, like, uh, uh, American, uh, it's American Patriot, Freedom Fighters.

Moderator (00:36:05): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:36:06): There's a, there's a lot of them out there that, that will tell you exactly what's going on, you know-

Moderator (00:36:12): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:36:13): ... long before you even hear anything about it on the, on the TV or on the news.

Moderator (00:36:17): Uh, is there any TV that you trust or that you, either TV TV news that you trust?

G1: J (00:36:22): Yeah. No, I mean, there's, there's not a lot of it. I'll be honest with you, you know?

Moderator (00:36:25): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:36:25):

I like watching the Little League World Series.

Moderator (00:36:28): Yeah. (laughs) What about newspapers? Are there any newspapers that you read or that... No?

G1: J (00:36:35): No. Nah. No, they're, they're all pretty much [inaudible 00:36:35].

Moderator (00:36:35): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:36:35): They're taking the money, so...

Moderator (00:36:40): Okay. And what about this side of the room? G1: D, what, what kind of news do you consume? What do you, where do you get your news from?

G1: D (00:36:46): Um, the big outlets. You know, I watch my morning local news.

Moderator (00:36:51): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:36:52): And then I watch, you know, Channel 8 and then whatever that show is that they have.

Moderator (00:36:55): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:36:56): And I get the stories from there.

Moderator (00:36:58): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:36:58): [inaudible 00:36:58].

Moderator (00:36:58): And you actually watch it on TV versus your phone?

G1: D (00:37:00): I watch it on TV. Moderator (00:37:01): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:37:01): And then just being online on my phone, things pop up all the time.

Moderator (00:37:06): Okay. Do you actually have like the local news app on your phone or is it popping up on Facebook?

G1: D (00:37:09): Yeah, I watch, I watch it. Oh yeah, I've got the app on my phone, yeah.

Moderator (00:37:12): Of the local news station?

G1: D (00:37:13): Yeah.

Moderator (00:37:13): Okay. [inaudible 00:37:14]. And so are, are you reading the news or are you watching the news?

G1: D (00:37:17): I watch the video clips.

Moderator (00:37:18): You watch the video clips?

G1: D (00:37:19): Yeah.

Moderator (00:37:19): Okay. Okay. And do you prefer to watch video clips or read?

G1: D (00:37:24): Both.

Moderator (00:37:25): Yeah.

G1: D (00:37:25): I'll watch it and then I'll read it. Moderator (00:37:26): Uh-huh.

G1: D (00:37:26): And then make my own [inaudible 00:37:28].

Moderator (00:37:28): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. What about social media? Which social media do you, do you, do you do any social media?

G1: D (00:37:36): Facebook. Facebook-

Moderator (00:37:37): You do Facebook?

G1: D (00:37:39):

... and, um, Instagram. But mainly to stay, uh, stay in touch with my family and friends, you know? I don't go on, you know, recipe, stuff like that, but I don't, like, let G1: J Blow give an article on something-

Moderator (00:37:53): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:37:53): ... and be like, "Yeah, I'm all behind you." You know?

Moderator (00:37:55): Yeah. Okay. Uh, anybody else? Where do you all, where do you get your news from? DiG1: A?

G1: A (00:38:01): On the TV.

Moderator (00:38:03): Yeah.

G1: A (00:38:03): I watch the news, CNN. The local news channels.

Moderator (00:38:07): Uh-huh.

G1: A (00:38:08): [inaudible 00:38:08]. If some article just pop up about, um, something that happened, I'll read it. Moderator (00:38:14):

Okay. And how does it pop up on your phone? Is it like, you subscribe to a news station? Is it just part of the phone that gives you the news? How does that work?

G1: A (00:38:21): It's just when I'm on Google.

Moderator (00:38:22): Ah.

G1: A (00:38:23): And I'm scrolling through articles or stuff-

Moderator (00:38:25): Uh-huh.

G1: A (00:38:25): ... about celebrities or something like that.

Moderator (00:38:27): Oh, okay. It'll just pop up.

G1: A (00:38:29): And something will just pop up.

Moderator (00:38:31): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. Um, what about this side? I haven't heard from G1: RC or G1: F. What, what do you all [inaudible 00:38:36]?

Speaker 3 (00:38:35): Univision and Telemundo, that's what I watch.

Moderator (00:38:40): Which one?

Speaker 3 (00:38:40): Univision and Telemundo.

Moderator (00:38:40): Univision and Telemundo? Okay. So you, you watch it in Espaniol?

Speaker 3 (00:38:41): Yeah. Moderator (00:38:41): [foreign language 00:38:41]. Okay.

Speaker 3 (00:38:43): [foreign language 00:38:43], yeah.

Moderator (00:38:44): Okay. Okay. And do you trust the, what makes you choose Spanish over English?

Speaker 3 (00:38:48): 'Cause I like it better.

Moderator (00:38:49): Because?

Speaker 3 (00:38:50): I speak it better, understand it better.

Moderator (00:38:52): Okay. So it's, you feel more comfortable, at home-

Speaker 3 (00:38:54): Yeah.

Moderator (00:38:54): ... watching those. Okay.

G1: RC (00:38:56): I like the [inaudible 00:38:56]. Just kidding (laughing)

Moderator (00:39:01): Uh, G1: RC, what about you? [inaudible 00:39:01], what do you, um, what do you watch?

G1: RC (00:39:01): I'm Sorry.

Moderator (00:39:01): That's Okay.

Speaker 3 (00:39:05): Well, I'm told I speak English pretty good.

Moderator (00:39:07):

Uh-huh.

G1: RC (00:39:08): Yeah. But, I know but you, you've seen some of the weather, uh-

Moderator (00:39:11): Uh-huh.

G1: RC (00:39:11): ... on the Spanish, the Spanish television. I mean, it's fantastic, isn't it? (laughing) It's very high grade. (laughing) So, no, mostly, I, I do-

Moderator (00:39:19): Uh-huh.

G1: RC (00:39:20): ... get my news from Breitbart.

Moderator (00:39:22): From Breitbart?

G1: RC (00:39:28): Breitbart.

Moderator (00:39:29): Okay. All right.

G1: RC (00:39:29): So that's where-

Moderator (00:39:29): Is that you, you reading that online?

G1: RC (00:39:29): Online.

Moderator (00:39:29): Okay.

Speaker 3 (00:39:29): What is it, Breitbart?

G1: RC (00:39:29): Breitbart, yeah. It's an app. Speaker 3 (00:39:29): Oh.

G1: RC (00:39:31): It was, it's actually a website.

Moderator (00:39:32): Mm.

G1: RC (00:39:32): It was founded by, uh, it's a news website founded by Andrew Breitbart-

Speaker 3 (00:39:35): Hmm.

G1: RC (00:39:35): Who, uh, at some point in time was considered a, a right winger.

Speaker 3 (00:39:42): Hmm.

G1: RC (00:39:42): So if you want to put it that way, right?

Moderator (00:39:45): Mm. But what do you like about Breitbart?

G1: RC (00:39:47): I like that they're very objective. They, they, they give you more spin, Okay?

Moderator (00:39:51): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:39:51): I, I'll give you, for example, some of, some of the, [inaudible 00:39:53], something that happened very recently, right, with the, the Congress person, Ocasio Cortez.

Moderator (00:40:01): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:40:02): She went inside the or outside the Supreme Court buildingModerator (00:40:06): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:40:07):

... and she's pretending like she's handcuffed, right? So she's like that. She's walking. And in the mainstream media news, actually some idiots [inaudible 00:40:20] that she was being harassed [inaudible 00:40:22].

G1: J (00:40:22): Yeah, she was arrested. Yeah.

G1: RC (00:40:24):

Okay, so it's like, are you guys not... I mean, you're, so you're telling me that I cannot believe my own eyes which I see that she doesn't have handcuffs. She's not being arrested, but you hear mainstream media are putting that she's been arrested.

G1: J (00:40:38): Mm.

G1: RC (00:40:38):

You know, and it's like, so you're just playing with us. I mean, the mainstream media, I feel like they're just playing with me. They're too-

Moderator (00:40:47):

Do you, do you take it? Do you watch any social media? Do you Facebook, Instagram, anything like that?

G1: RC (00:40:54): Oh, absolutely not.

Moderator (00:40:54): No.

G1: RC (00:40:54): Absolutely not, you know I-

Moderator (00:40:54): And you never have?

G1: RC (00:40:54): I used to have an account on Twitter. Okay?

Moderator (00:40:56): Okay. G1: RC (00:40:57):

And I, it was just something that it was so... It was 'cause of the stress. By reading that [inaudible 00:41:00]. I'm not, okay.

G1: J (00:41:00): Yeah, they call it doomscrolling now.

G1: RC (00:41:00): Yeah, it's like forget it.

Moderator (00:41:05): Doom scrolling, what does that mean, G1: J?

G1: J (00:41:09): Doomscrolling. That's what they call it, social media scrolling.

G1: RC (00:41:12): Yeah. I, I don't have a Facebook. I don't have anything, any of the social media apps. That's it. I mean, I try to limit my consumption of news because it is actually detrimental to someone's mental health.

Moderator (00:41:29): Mm-hmm. So on Breitbart are you... Is it... Are you reading the news? Do they have videos? What's [inaudible 00:41:30]?

G1: RC (00:41:30): Um, I'm reading most of it. I, I, I read most of it.

Moderator (00:41:31): It's mainly reading. Okay.

G1: RC (00:41:32): Yes, absolutely.

Moderator (00:41:33): So it's not, you don't, not many videos.

G1: RC (00:41:36): They have videos. They have links, for example, to-

Moderator (00:41:37): Interviewer:Mm-hmm. G1: RC (00:41:37):

... for example to the tweet or they have links to the mainstream media that put in the article. But then, they give you the unfiltered version.

Moderator (00:41:46):

Ho- how much news do you all say that you get from your social media versus, uh, regular use, or like regular TV, or other platforms? Side from G1: RC 'cause G1: RC just shared he doesn't get any from social media. But others, how much news do you get from your social media versus, um, you know, what?

Speaker 3 (00:42:04): I don't.

Moderator (00:42:05): Mainstream. You don't get any from social media?

Speaker 3 (00:42:07): [inaudible 00:42:07].

G1: RS (00:42:07): What I do... I haven't heard anybody here say. As I do watch-

Speaker 3 (00:42:11): Mm.

G1: RS (00:42:11): ... a lot of, like, local YouTube, like, independent videos.

Speaker 3 (00:42:14): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:42:14): Um, and I know you can't, you can't really trust all of them, but I do s- Um, like, I do have a lot of local forums, um-

Moderator (00:42:22): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:42:22):

... that do things that you don't see on the news. Like, here in Vegas, there's a lot of protests, um, versus that [inaudible 00:42:28]. A lot of them were, you know, video recorded or discussed on different forums and YouTubes that you don't see on the local news. Um, and a lot of them are taken down after a day or two.

Moderator (00:42:40): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:42:40):

So if you don't download them or record them yourself, you probably wouldn't even know that they existed. Um, I noticed, uh, years ago a lot of, like, uh, reports like in Mount Charleston or things like that of people boiling water, years ago already couldn't use water, that were taken down on YouTube that were placed, uh, from people that were living there, that, that posted it, recorded it. [inaudible 00:43:00] so.

Moderator (00:43:01): And what makes you trust those videos? Because...

G1: RS (00:43:04): I can see those people. I can see the...

Moderator (00:43:05): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:43:05): I can actually see the IP address if I wanted to. I can look them up-

Moderator (00:43:08): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:43:09): ... if I need. I could, I could see who the publisher was. I could see that they're not there anymore.

Moderator (00:43:14): [inaudible 00:43:14]. For those that do use social media, say that this side of the room uses social media. Maybe G1: D you do. Which platforms do you think are more credible? Er, or, or is one more credible than the other? Are they all credible, none of them credible? I mean, how would you... What would you say, G1: V? Or do you think one is more credible than the other?

G1: V (00:43:33): No, I think they're about the same, that the competition, it's, it's out there.

Moderator (00:43:45): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:43:45): Well, it's just a matter of [inaudible 00:43:45]- Moderator (00:43:45): Do you trust one more than the other?

G1: V (00:43:45): Hmm. I wouldn't say trust, but I mean, um, they're resourceful. So...

Moderator (00:43:48): Okay, which one is, is more resourceful than others then?

G1: V (00:43:51): Um, well, yeah, I mean I'm on Facebook for family and stuff, [inaudible 00:43:56], you know, that's-

Moderator (00:43:55): Okay.... where I get my stuff. Do you... Tho- those of you who use social media, do you use it to share political content? Do you share content? Do you engage in content at all that's political?

G1: A (00:44:07): Mm-mm.

Moderator (00:44:07): G1: D says no. G1: A, you don't engage-

G1: D (00:44:09): No.

Speaker 3 (00:44:09): Mm-mm.

Moderator (00:44:09): ... in political content. What about you, G1: T?

G1: T (00:44:12): G1: TNo.

Moderator (00:44:12): Do you engage?

G1: T (00:44:14): G1: TNo. [inaudible 00:44:14].

Moderator (00:44:14): No? G1: RS (00:44:14): Mm-mm.

Moderator (00:44:14): Nobody?

G1: J (00:44:15): That's how you get the doomscrolling.

Moderator (00:44:18): Okay. (laughing) Do you-

G1: J (00:44:18): When you start, when you start arguing with somebody-

G1: A (00:44:21): Yes.

G1: J (00:44:21): ... on a subject, your, your algorithm will now start producing-

G1: A (00:44:26): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:44:27):

... arguments and feeds that will make you angry, and you will start seeing it more, and more, and more. And they're trying to entice you to, to argue some more, and that's how... That's where they come up with the doomscrolling [inaudible 00:19:431] because that's what starts showing up. The algorithm finds out what you're engaging in.

Moderator (00:44:45):

Mm. Have you all seen any, um, news on Instagram or TikTok? Do you get anything on... Like, the ones that use Instagram and TikTok, is there news that's being fed through those perhaps?

G1: T (00:45:06): Mm. [inaudible 00:45:06].

G1: V (00:45:06): Instagram sometimes.

Moderator (00:45:06): Instagram sometimes?

G1: J (00:45:06):

Listen, I though TikTok was, like, little girls.

Moderator (00:45:06): No, TikTok-

Speaker 3 (00:45:06): I don't use it.

Moderator (00:45:06): Go ahead, G1: A.

G1: A (00:45:06): TikTok, yeah, [inaudible 00:45:06].

Moderator (00:45:06): Hang on, guys.

G1: J (00:45:06): [inaudible 00:45:06]. I thought it was little girls dancing.

G1: RS (00:45:10): It used to be.

Moderator (00:45:11): G1: A's, G1: A's speaking [inaudible 00:45:11].

G1: A (00:45:11): Yeah, on TikTok, there is.

Moderator (00:45:12): There's news?

G1: A (00:45:13): There's news, and there's a lot of people that like to express how they feel. Hmm.

Moderator (00:45:18): Mm-hmm. Do you, do you engage in that? Do you [inaudible 00:45:21]?

G1: A (00:45:21): No.

Moderator (00:45:21): No. G1: A (00:45:22): Uh, I just watch, and I'll read the comments.

Moderator (00:45:23): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:45:23): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:45:25): But no, I don't engage in it.

Moderator (00:45:27): Mm-hmm. Okay. Okay. Um, what about the newspaper? We haven't really talked much about newspaper. Does anybody subscribe to the newspaper? No?

Speaker 3 (00:45:40): No.

Moderator (00:45:41): Did you ever subscribe to it one time and then stopped?

G1: T (00:45:43): [inaudible 00:45:43] I did.

Moderator (00:45:44): You did? Uh-huh.

G1: T (00:45:44): I'd get it in my office because I would always wG1: A, always wG1: A read it. [inaudible 00:45:49] they had the computer. I was gonna read the business section or-

Moderator (00:45:52): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:45:52): ... you know, look at properties for sale or some angry wife selling her husband Porsche for, like, 5,000.

Moderator (00:45:58):

Mm-hmm. For me, and like that's what I read it for. And they've been... Even now, sometimes I'll still grab a Wall Street Journal, but I don't... Like, getting [inaudible 00:46:04] it's just, like, piling up.

G1: A (00:46:06): Yeah. That's, like, no need for it anymore, when you... Why pay for it when you can get it for free on your phone?

Moderator (00:46:11): [inaudible 00:46:11]. So now you get, you get, you can get the news for free on your phone?

G1: A (00:46:14): Yeah. For many sources, you're, it's free.

Moderator (00:46:16): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:46:16): So why pay-

Moderator (00:46:19): Have you ever tried to access like a newspaper on your phone and you can't access it?

G1: A (00:46:22): Yeah. They want you to subscribe.

Moderator (00:46:23): So what do you do?

G1: A (00:46:24): So I just go somewhere else and get the story.

Moderator (00:46:26): And get the story, yeah.

G1: J (00:46:27): Yeah, three bucks for a story from reading a journal. (laughing) That's what they want.

G1: A (00:46:28): (laughs) Yeah.

Moderator (00:46:32): And you don't, yeah.

G1: A (00:46:32): No.

Moderator (00:46:33):

So actually, I wG1: A go back to, you know, what you said about the TikTok and that there's some... You get, like, some news stories. Do, do you find that informative? Is it informative to you? [inaudible 00:46:42].

G1: A (00:46:42): Um, not really.

Moderator (00:46:43): No?

G1: A (00:46:45): No. It's just people causing problems pretty much.

Moderator (00:46:48):

Does anybody follow political parties, or political figures, or candidates, or anything on social media right now? Is anybody? Raquel says yes. What do you... Who do you follow? [inaudible 00:46:59].

G1: RS (00:46:58):

I don't follow specific, um, party or your politician, but I do... Um, I guess not on social media, um, I, I follow... Mostly, I mean, I watch on the news or TV, and then I do watch or go into certain forums a- afterwards [inaudible 00:47:21].

Moderator (00:47:21): [inaudible 00:47:21].

G1: RS (00:47:21): But I do... It's not really useful all the time, as she said. It's supposed to be people... I find a lot of people recording, giving their opinions, or what's it called?

Moderator (00:47:28): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:47:29):

Their, their, their own opinions and their own outcomes, and they're really just speaking, and people are ending up-

Moderator (00:47:33): Is it... Are these people you know or just strangers?

G1: RS (00:47:35): Just strangers, random people videos.

Moderator (00:47:37):

And what... Is that TikTok or...

G1: RS (00:47:39):

It is TikTok, a lot of YouTube, TikTok, uh, and sometimes Facebook. And after a minute if it's not really something that I find is factual, I, I just really don't watch it because it's not even...

Moderator (00:47:49): Okay.

G1: RS (00:47:50):

But I do like certain, um... Like the supreme courts, um, I try to watch that or subscribe to things like that, but it is not very often that you find a certain politician on social media.

Moderator (00:48:00):

Okay, I'm going to move to the next section. But before I do, is there anything that, that, that you want to say about social media or news that I didn't get to before I move on? Anything? Okay, uh, I wG1: A move on to, um, the word or the, the idea of good citizen. I want you to describe what is a good citizen? What does it mean to be a good citizen? And I don't mean in the legal sense of the word, but more like what are the duties and obligations that you, that you have as a member of the society?

Speaker 3 (00:48:34): Report crime.

Moderator (00:48:35): To report crime, okay? What else?

G1: D (00:48:39): Pay your taxes.

Moderator (00:48:40): Pay your taxes?

Speaker 3 (00:48:41): Yeah.

Moderator (00:48:41): Okay, good citizen pays their taxes. What else do they do?

G1: RS (00:48:44):

How about stop and help somebody change your tire when you see them on the side of the road? [inaudible 00:48:48] money and, like, taxes and all that. When you see a person in need, just do your due diligence.

G1: T (00:48:53):

Or a guy, there was a guy who his daughter took his car. She broke it, so she taped it. And I pulled up the gas station. He's like this. He's, he's older. [inaudible 00:49:02] he was 87 years old. And I'm like, "Are you okay?" And he goes, "No. Look at my car." And I'm like, I go, "It's fixable." I'm like, "I have bungee cords at my house. I don't live too far. I'll go get 'em. I got jumper cables. We'll take care of this." And he's like, he's like, "I've been sitting on here for like 40 minutes." I'm like, like he's at a gas station. People are stopping, and nobody is helping him.

G1: RS (00:49:27): Yeah.

G1: T (00:49:27):

It took me 15 minutes to get home, 15 to come back. It took me 10 minutes to fix this car. And then he's like, "Do you want money?" And I'm like, "I don't want money. I didn't do it for money."

Moderator (00:49:36): So helping others is important.

G1: T (00:49:37): Yeah, helping others.

Moderator (00:49:37): Yeah, G1: V?

G1: V (00:49:38): Yeah, like he said, helping others-

Moderator (00:49:39): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:49:39): Just common courtesy, uh, giving people their space. That's the thing-

Moderator (00:49:44): Yeah.

G1: V (00:49:45):

... about corona. Like, they give people space. Before that people were, were in line, and, like, you were like right next to each other.

Moderator (00:49:51): Yeah.

G1: V (00:49:51):

At the grocery stores, it was kind of annoying.

Moderator (00:49:53): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (00:49:54): Um, that was the only good thing that that brought.

Moderator (00:49:57): (laughs)

G1: V (00:49:58):

... how people were more, you know, careful with washing after themselves, you know, and stuff like that. You know, careful with washing after themselves, you know, stuff like that.

G1: A (00:50:06):

Mm-hmm. Be a good human, a good citizen. For example, if I own a bunch of property, houses, don't take advantage of the situation and rack up the rent \$600. You know, take people's situation into consideration. Be respectful.

Moderator (00:50:18): Be respectful. Okay.

G1: RS (00:50:20):

I thought about that a lot with the casinos during Corona, to be honest. Like, they have all these rooms that were just empty and people were, you know, homeless in the streets. And then what did the city of Las Vegas do? Make it illegal for people to be homeless within city limits. Why not open some of these rooms and let people...I mean, I saw a mom on the corner with two kids on their lap. One on each lap. And I never seen that before, even through the homeless community. And I rented her a room for the weekend because she had two kids. It's like, it's either super cold in Vegas or super hot. And I feel like that would've been something that would've helped our community.

G1: A (00:50:52): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:50:53): Because we had floors and floors of empty rooms that were not being occupied.

Moderator (00:50:57):

G1: D, what about you? What, what does a good citizen do? What do they do? What's their obligation.

G1: D (00:51:01):

I just feel like a lot of people, now, just don't wG1: A get involved. You know what I mean? You see a lot of stuff, you just don't want to get involved.

Moderator (00:51:07): Why is that?

G1: D (00:51:08): I just think that it becomes a hassle or a liability sometimes. You know?

G1: V (00:51:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (00:51:13):

You know? Like the old man, you know, needed help, and that was nice that she stopped, but I wouldn't probably stop. And ask for help, you know, and asked him for help because what can I really do for it. You know? But I think a sense of community is just doing the right thing when nobody else is looking.

Moderator (00:51:30): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. Lafayette, what about you? What are the duties and obligations?

G1: RC (00:51:33): Well I guess we can go back to the beginning, right?

G1: RS (00:51:39): Mm-hmm

Moderator (00:51:39): Speak up so I can hear you.

G1: RC (00:51:39): So I think you can go to, back to the beginning. The golden rule, you know. Treat other people the way you want to be treated-

G1: RS (00:51:44): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:51:44):

Right. Be kind, be compassionate. I mean, you know, that's. I mean, if we all think that, uh, we were made in the image of someone, I mean, that's, that's someone. That's what it taught us, right. To be compassionate. To have, you know, compassion for your fellow human. But we have deviated from that so much. Because I think as a society, again, I, I... I bring it down to the, the solution of our foundation-

Moderator (00:52:10): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:52:10): Of the society, which is the family.

Moderator (00:52:11): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:52:11):

The two parent family, right. We don't longer have that. So the people who have, now, now who are my generation. Or, the generation now, right, who have raising these kids, the kids are being raised by YouTube, by media, social media. They're being raised by, by their phone. I mean, you know, they, they no longer engage. The, the parents are no longer there teaching them the values of what it is to, to be a good citizen. Right. Even as simple as, "Don't litter." Okay. Don't litter, leave everything the way you want to... I mean, treat, treat your elders with respect. You know, open the door for the elder.

Moderator (00:52:50): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:52:50):

I mean, how many times have we seen that nowadays? They don't care. Nobody cares anymore.

Moderator (00:52:55): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (00:52:56):

I mean I think that in, in a way, we have evolved so much as humans, right? With the advent of this thing that we all have in our pockets. The smartphone, okay. Well, the smartphone has made us more stupid.

Moderator (00:53:08): Okay. G1: J, what about you? What are the obligations or duties to be a good citizen?

G1: J (00:53:13):

We all, we all know what right and wrong is. We all do. Whether you say you don't or not, or. We all know: this is right, this is wrong. You know it, when you do it, you know. Do what's right. Don't, you know. Protect the young and the old and, you know, don't prey on the young and the old. Protect them. When you see somebody preying on them, say something!

G1: F (00:53:34):

Report it! And that's what I mean by crying [inaudible 00:53:36]. G1: J (00:53:38):

Grow a pair, grow a pair. Open your mouth. Say something when something's wrong.

G1: F (00:53:41): Yep.

G1: J (00:53:41):

You know, that's... I've been a Democrat. I've been a Democrat for 37 years. I'm no longer. I'm so sick to listen to what these people got to say. Everything they say is wrong. It's wrong. I know what a man is. I know what a woman is, okay.

G1: T (00:53:54): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:53:54): I don't want my kids around. I don't want my kids around some guy that wants to dress up like a woman. I'm sorry. Somebody gets their feelings hurt, I'm sorry.

G1: RS (00:54:06): Or do it in the privacy of your own home.

G1: J (00:54:06): Yeah.

G1: RS (00:54:06): They don't have to forces to deal with it.

G1: J (00:54:06): Yeah. I don't care. I just felt, I don't want my kids seeing that. Okay.

G1: RS (00:54:08): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:54:08): I mean, they don't need to see their messed up mentality.

G1: RS (00:54:11): Yeah.

G1: J (00:54:11): And what they think a man and a woman is. G1: RS (00:54:12): You know-

G1: J (00:54:12): I know what a man and a woman is.

G1: RS (00:54:12): Yeah.

G1: J (00:54:12): I know what's right. I know what's wrong.

Moderator (00:54:12):

And, and G1: J, real quick, before you get through [inaudible 00:54:18]. Would you say that, you know, cause you said you were a Democrat and then you stopped. When did that change happen?

G1: J (00:54:23):

That, I'll tell you exactly when it changed. It changed when, in St. Louis, when the kid pulled out a gun and that crowd. And the cops shot him. And then, two days later, Obama came on TV and said that this police officer shot a kid with a book in his hand. And they had film of it. CNN had the film of the guy who pulled the gun out, and he sat there and tried to turn the whole country against this police officer who did nothing wrong. [crosstalk 00:54:51] Who did nothing wrong with his job. And he knew darn well. Obama knew darn well, that. And I had voted for this guy. He knew darn well the guy shot, had a gun and pulled it out, and pointed it at the guy and he got shot.

G1: RS (00:55:02): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (00:55:03):

You know, and Obama tried to turn America against the police department. And I said, "My God, what is, what's happened to my party? What has happened to my party?"

Moderator (00:55:11):

Okay. Rachelle, you were gonna say something and I-

G1: RS (00:55:12):

I was just agreeing with, you know, with that. I mean, um, when my son was in elementary school, they sent out, um, you know, questionnaires. And they wanted to make all male classes and all female classes for distraction reasons. And I'm like... I didn't, you know, I was in this classroom that was boys and girls. And we all graduated and didn't graduate. And we all learned and we didn't learn. It had nothing to do with, you know, um, other, the other sex. It didn't, you know. And I just really feel like it's promoted a lot in, um, in public.

G1: A (00:55:42): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (00:55:43):

And also, like he said, a lot... Still to this day, you see videos of, you know, cops, uh, shooting a 17 year old black, you know, whatever. Hispanic kid, it doesn't matter. White kid, it doesn't matter. If you're coming outta your car in a ski mask, and you're running from the police, and your back is turned. You can expect, in my generation at least, I was raised. You can expect to get shot.

G1: J (00:56:01): (laughs)

G1: RS (00:56:03):

Especially when you're, you know, withholding your identity and you're running form a, a warrant because you stole a piece of gum, or whatever it was. If you know that you... You know, the consequences of your actions, basically.

Moderator (00:56:17):

Okay. I wG1: A go back to what are, you know, the duties and, and obligations of a good citizen. What about, um, jury duty or voting? What do you think about that, G1: F?

G1: F (00:56:27): I think every citizen should have to do it.

Moderator (00:56:29): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (00:56:30): Every citizen should have to be, do jury duty and-

Moderator (00:56:34): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (00:56:35): vote.

Moderator (00:56:35): Mm-hmm. G1: T. What, what are your thoughts? You've expressed a, a verbal, "Ugh."

G1: T (00:56:40):

I, I skated on jury duty. So I, I lived in Chicago. Um, my pops that raised me and that's the long story, but he was Italian and we might have had very close Italian family members in the outfit.

Moderator (00:56:55): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (00:56:55):

So I would just go like to jury during, and I'd be like, "My uncle's [inaudible 00:56:59] home." and just like, go.

G1: RC (00:56:59): Okay. You're excused.

G1: T (00:57:02):

And so like, I went back the third time and I said, "You guys will never let me serve. He's still alive." And the guy's like, "Why?" I go, And I told him and he goes, "Come with me." And like, literally, had the lady take my name out of the thing that picks people to do jury duty..

Moderator (00:57:17): Because I'm sorry, because?

G1: T (00:57:19): [inaudible 00:57:19] my Uncle gotta [inaudible 00:57:20].

Moderator (00:57:20):

Oh, okay. Thank you. Sorry.

(laughs)

[inaudible 00:51:21] I that to be a about [inaudible 00:57:25]. Okay. So, but, but do you... Aside from your personal story, do you think, um, that is an obligation of a good citizen?

G1: T (00:57:31):

I, I, I think it is. I think it is. I mean, I've done folks groups. I've done mock juries. I went to school to go to law school. I mean, it's, I believe in the legal system. I, I believe that, that, the jury is the most important because I've sat in like focus groups like this and just had one person who doesn't think it's right or want. Like, whatever you're applying for or whatever. She just wants to be against the group. And she's like, I don't care. You'll never change my idea. We're gonna stay here and they're gonna pay me more money. And I'm like, they're not gonna pay any more money. Like, you know, so I think you have to have, it's a checks and balance system.

Moderator (00:58:06): Mm-hmm. What are you gonna say, G1: A? Were you gonna say something?

G1: A (00:58:08):

Um, I don't believe that everybody should have to do jury duty if you don't want to. Yeah. I just don't understand why they just don't make it a job and hire people to do that. That wG1: A do it. Mm-hmm <a firmative> and leave the ones that don't wG1: A do it alone.

Moderator (00:58:23): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (00:58:23):

What about the voting though? You think everybody should vote too? Everybody shouldn't have to vote.

G1: A (00:58:27): Um, I really don't care about the voting either.

Moderator (00:58:31): (laughs) Why don't you care?

G1: A (00:58:34): Cause it, I, I feel there's a waste of time. I've done it.

Moderator (00:58:38): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:58:39):

And, they'll tell you. They'll promise you all these things when they're running. And then when they're in there, they don't do not even half of what they told you that they were gonna do.

Moderator (00:58:48): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:58:49): And I think it's, they, they... They're gonna do whatever they wG1: A do. We have no control. I think they just lead us on, "Oh, go vote, go vote." But it doesn't-

Moderator (00:58:58): Does it happen at the national state and local levels? All levels, one or the other?

G1: A (00:59:01): I think it's all levels.

Moderator (00:59:03): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (00:59:03): I really do. Moderator (00:59:04): G1: V, you're nodding your head. What do you say?

G1: V (00:59:07):

Um, no, just for the jury duty. I mean, I think it's... I mean, I, I didn't go neither. I was selected but, you know, for a job or whatever, like, I didn't go but I mean, it's, it's nice to have someone's neutral opinion of whatever situation's going on to, just to determine maybe, you know-

Moderator (00:59:26):

Do you agree with what G1: A said about voting and that the, the... About what she said about politicians, that they just say but they just do whatever they wG1: A do. Do you agree with her or you feel a little different

G1: V (00:59:34): I mean, I've voted. I voted.

Moderator (00:59:34): It's Okay.

G1: V (00:59:36):

But, you know, I mean, if you vote and something doesn't come out the way you want it to. I mean, you're gonna be complaining. If you don't vote, you really can't complain. It's just, um, really don't

Moderator (00:59:49): Mm-hmm. G1: D, you gonna say something? Just-

G1: D (00:59:52): What was the question? I'm sorry.

Moderator (00:59:54): Well just, do you agree with G1: A? 'cause she was saying that...

G1: D (00:59:56): I think jury duty is a hassle.

Moderator (00:59:58): Okay.

G1: D (00:59:58):

'cause one, I'm gonna lose pay. And, two, I'm going to be backed up on work the next day. And you know, I've never gotten picked before. It just think it's stupid and it's a hassle.

Moderator (01:00:09):

Mm-hmm.

G1: D (01:00:10): To go downtown, pay for parking and all that, and then sit there all day and you don't, you know.

Moderator (01:00:15): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (01:00:15):

Anyway, there's that. But I think, as far as the, the right to vote, everybody should have the right to vote. Whether you want to use it or not, that's on you.

Moderator (01:00:23): Mm-hmm.

G1: D (01:00:23):

But I think that voting is important. I think that this whole electoral college and the way that it's done is, just, doesn't make sense to me.

Moderator (01:00:33): Okay.

G1: D (01:00:33): Um, but I think everybody should have the right to vote. Woman fought for it, so.

Moderator (01:00:38): The, this electoral college, it doesn't make sense. Does somebody agree with G1: D on that? Or maybe you disagree?

G1: J (01:00:43):

I disagree a hundred percent. That would be... If we don't have electoral college, California and New York would decide who the president was every year.

G1: RS (01:00:52): Yep.

G1: J (01:00:53):

And that we can't have that happening 'cause we already, we see what those two states produce. We would have, well, we, we got it.

G1: F (01:01:00): (laughs)

G1: J (01:01:00):

We got it.

G1: RS (01:01:06):

I think if more people exercised their right to vote, a lot of people are like, "Oh, it doesn't make a difference." It doesn't make a difference anymore because so many people feel that way. And so they don't. And I feel like you're right. A local, as far as local voting, um, and you know, national, um, I try to do both, um. Because, only 'cause I grew up here, I know a lot of people here. Um, my family was always involved in politics here.

Moderator (01:01:28): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (01:01:28):

Um, but it's... But I don't always vote, you know, because I feel like sometimes it did. I mean like I, a couple years ago I have a lot of friends that are neighbors and you know, we didn't mail ballots. Those were already, they were done. They were already selected and chosen and signed and they got 'em afterwards and it's like, that didn't work. Um, so how do you make a difference in that case?

Moderator (01:01:47): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (01:01:48):

Then it's a whole system to check, to go through, just to go through the system of voting. So it has to be undone and then redone and, you know, sometimes it's... It is a hassle sometimes.

Moderator (01:01:57): Mm-hmm. Um, G1: F. You know, you talked about voting is important. Um, what about protests? Do you think good citizens participate in protests? Is that something that's-

G1: F (01:02:10): I don't, I don't like protests. Yeah. I think protests are wrong.

Moderator (01:02:12): Okay.

G1: F (01:02:12):

I think it doesn't matter what the topic is, I think it's wrong. 'cause most of the protests turn into violence. The majority of them do.

Moderator (01:02:18): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (01:02:19):

They turn into violence, so I don't. Yeah, I'm against protesting.

Moderator (01:02:21): Okay.

G1: RC (01:02:21): Especially in the weekdays, right.

G1: F (01:02:24): [crosstalk 01:02:24] 24/7, 365 [crosstalk 01:02:27].

G1: RC (01:02:24):

Those people don't have anything to do, I mean, if you're protesting...

Moderator (01:02:28): Does anybody disagree with G1: F? 'cause, it's okay, 'cause we have different of opinions. Okay? Right.

G1: RS (01:02:33):

Yeah. Um, I would protest. Um, if my voice was not gonna be heard, I would do what I had to do for what I thought was right.

Moderator (01:02:39): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (01:02:39):

I'm all about that. My parents grew up in the seventies and uh, a lot of people that I know, um, you know. Sometimes that's what you have to go through to be heard, you have to...

Moderator (01:02:49):

Going back Rachel, Rachelle, you said something about that. You voted in some elections. What, what elections have you voted in and which ones have you not voted in? Can you?

G1: RS (01:02:55):

Um, Obama was an important one that I, I, I voted for Obama, but I feel like a lot of things have changed since then. Um, and I became more of an independent party type of a person, uh, since then. I did not vote in this last election but I will be voting in the next election. Um, you know, whether I do or don't, I, I always participate in watching.

Moderator (01:03:17):

What changed, what changed from when you... So you say you didn't vote last time, but you're gonna vote this time. What's changed? Why, why now and not then?

G1: RS (01:03:24):

Not then, because I felt like, um, neither party was worth voting for.

Moderator (01:03:30): (laughs)

G1: RS (01:03:31):

To be honest with you. I didn't feel like it. It didn't really, didn't make a difference. I feel like a, and a, and I've watched on TV. A lot of people hold campaigning like Oprah. Like, who is she?

G1: J (01:03:41): (laughs)

G1: RS (01:03:41):

I'm sorry but a lot of people are, um, throwing their weight in there and it's like that wasn't discussed on TV. It wasn't a pro I, you know, it wasn't, it wasn't about that. Um, and a lot of people. I mean, I've read a lot in articles how people can pay for voters now. I mean, there was like a big, um, you know, people can, they can pay for people to, um, you know, go on TV for them and look like they're protesting for them or vote for them. I don't know what the truth is to that. But I mean, if that's the case, then you know, everybody's doing it. I don't wG1: A vote for either one of you guys. I really don't wG1: A even be involved. Or, um, like I said, a lot of balance were already marked, uh, in the last election. And so I kind of dropped my interest down to more local.

Moderator (01:04:19): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (01:04:20): Um, it's not to say that that's right but that's just my personal, you know, opinion as to why.

Moderator (01:04:25):

Um, I wG1: A just, real quickly, it is gonna be hard 'cause I'm sure we'll have very interesting stories. I just wG1: A learn. If you could tell me real quick, how you registered to vote. If you can remember, how was it that you registered, that you originally became registered to vote? And why, what sort of compelled you to register? Do you remember, G1: T?

G1: T (01:04:42): Out here, I had to get, um, an ID. Like, got my driver's license.

Moderator (01:04:47): Uh-huh.

G1: T (01:04:47): Um, but I could only get my ID at time 'cause I had, I had him to get a doctor's [inaudible 01:04:52]. Moderator (01:04:51): Yeah.

G1: T (01:04:52):

And um, I, I, um, got all the paperwork. Like, the case worker at the hospital brought it to me and she's like, "Do you wG1: A be, wG1: A vote?" And I was just like, "Yeah." She's like, "We'll just fill this out for you." And then she's like, "Just sign." And I filled it out of the hospital, but they always have those people in front of the DMV who are like,

Moderator (01:05:08): Same thing?

G1: T (01:05:09): "You wG1: A register?"

Moderator (01:05:10): G1: A, how did you register to vote? Do you remember?

G1: A (01:05:11): I [inaudible 01:05:12].

Moderator (01:05:12): You don't remember?

G1: A (01:05:13): No, no. Yeah.

Moderator (01:05:14): It was a long time ago. G1: V?

G1: V (01:05:14): Um, I think it was at school. At the school's-

Moderator (01:05:17): At high school, or college?

G1: A (01:05:21): It might have been, yeah.

G1: V (01:05:21): [crosstalk 01:05:21] Yeah.

G1: A (01:05:21):

Yeah, I think it was high school.

Moderator (01:05:21): High school, okay. G1: J, do you remember?

G1: J (01:05:23): DMV.

Moderator (01:05:23): The DMV, okay. G1: D?

G1: D (01:05:24): At the DMV.

Moderator (01:05:25): The DMV. G1: F?

G1: F (01:05:29): The DMV convinced me because of their gun... They're voting on guns, whether they're legal or not.

Moderator (01:05:34): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (01:05:34): It was because of the DMV that I-

Moderator (01:05:34): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (01:05:36): registered to vote.

Moderator (01:05:37): And you actually went there. You didn't go there for the, the license. You went to go register to vote there.

G1: F (01:05:41): No, no, no. I went there for something and there was somebody signing people up-

G1: J (01:05:43): Yeah.

G1: F (01:05:44):

to register to vote.

Moderator (01:05:45): Oh, I see. Okay.

G1: F (01:05:45): It was about a gun law, though. I remember, "Okay, well you wG1: A register to vote if you wG1: A vote for the gun law?" I'm like, "Sure. I'll register."

Moderator (01:05:50): Okay. G1: RC? Do you remember?

G1: RC (01:05:52): Yeah. When, uh, when I became a citizen.

Moderator (01:05:54): Mm-hmm. Was it right there at the?

G1: RC (01:05:58): Right there-

Moderator (01:05:59): Right there in the-

G1: RC (01:05:59): They were having the tables right there, you know. It was like, yeah, come here.

Moderator (01:05:59): And you didn't hesitate.

G1: RC (01:05:59): (laughs) Yeah, "Here, please. And put D in there." I was like, "No, thank you." I, I put an I. So...

Moderator (01:06:06): Mm-hmm. Okay.

G1: RC (01:06:06): Yeah.

Moderator (01:06:06): Okay. And Rachelle?

G1: RS (01:06:06): DMV. Moderator (01:06:10): DMV also. When you were getting your license?

G1: RS (01:06:12): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (01:06:14):

Okay. Uh, and thinking back on past elections, when you voted, um, just very quickly, maybe a couple of you tell me, you know, what made you vote in that election? Was it an issue, a candidate, something else? What, what was the reason that led you to vote? G1: J? I think you have your hand up, but maybe you don't. (laughing) This might be your hand up, but, but what, what compelled you to vote?

G1: J (01:06:39): My, my parents, my parents, uh, always kind of encouraged me to when I, when I turned 18 to express my opinion-

Moderator (01:06:51): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:06:52): by voting. So I was encouraged by my parents to vote every year, so I would.

Moderator (01:06:58):

Okay. Okay. What others and elections that you voted in? What compelled you? Um, anything specific that you can remember?

G1: RC (01:07:07):

Growing up in Mexico, I was always very interested in the politics. My mom used to read magazines, political magazines. Right. And she would vote. And then when I came to this country, okay. For many years, I wasn't a citizen, so I couldn't vote.

Moderator (01:07:21): Right.

G1: RC (01:07:21):

And I wasn't going back to Mexico. So when I had the opportunity to vote here, for me, it was a great deal of pride. You know, to be part of the system. Right. Civic duty. That's how I, I considered myself. Right.

Moderator (01:07:33): Mm-hmm. G1: RC (01:07:33): So I can't vote in Mexico, I'm gonna vote here. And I, I have voted in every single election and every time.

Moderator (01:07:39): Mm-hmm. At local and national?

G1: RC (01:07:40): Local, local, uh, state and federal.

Moderator (01:07:43):

Okay. What about people who aren't like G1: RC who, like, have missed some elections? Can you tell me what was it that made you feel like you shouldn't vote, or you didn't vote? Can you, can you let me know? G1: V, do you remember? Or yeah, G1: T.

G1: T (01:07:55): I was in a coma.

Moderator (01:07:57): You were in a coma. Yeah, that would be a good reason. Medical's-

G1: T (01:08:00): [crosstalk 01:08:00], yeah.

Moderator (01:07:59): Yeah.

G1: T (01:08:01):

Yeah. It was real early. [inaudible 01:08:02] reason. And, and, and then I almost missed the last one because I was in the hospital.

Moderator (01:08:07): Okay.

G1: T (01:08:08): And I got [inaudible 01:08:08] to sometimes.

Moderator (01:08:09): Okay.

G1: T (01:08:09): So.

Moderator (01:08:10):

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What about, uh, G1: A, G1: V? What was your-

G1: A (01:08:11): I never missed one.

Moderator (01:08:12): You never missed one?

G1: A (01:08:13): No, my mom's always pushed me. Take advantage.

Moderator (01:08:16): So your mom does?

G1: A (01:08:18): Yeah. She's like, "Go do it." I'm like, "I don't want-" She's like "Go do it." So.

Moderator (01:08:19): Okay.

G1: A (01:08:19): I've always done it because of her.

Moderator (01:08:21): Because of her?

G1: A (01:08:22): Yeah.

Moderator (01:08:22): Okay. G1: V?

G1: V (01:08:24): Uh, what was it like for the Obama one?

Moderator (01:08:30): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (01:08:30):

Uh, you know, I just, that's why when I kind of started getting more into the politics and stuff and I just felt like, uh, yeah. You know, like, uh, let's just be heard and uh, let's have a different president, you know.

Moderator (01:08:40):

G1: V, I'm just curious, are you, are you a member of the union as part of the work that you do, or no?

G1: V (01:08:44): Uh, yeah.

Moderator (01:08:46): Okay. Um, did... Let me see here, I think that's everything on that section. Did I, did anybody want to comment on, uh, anything? Uh...

G1: RC (01:08:58): I just got one comment.

Moderator (01:08:59): Yeah, go ahead.

G1: RC (01:08:59): And I think that this is something that we should actually learn from other countries.

Moderator (01:09:03): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:09:03):

Maybe what we call a shit-hole countries, or third world countries, right. Which is, some people when they vote, or actually when they go, they go vote in person and not... They do not put in a box or anything. They actually get their tongue and to ink and that's it. And that's how they can prove that they're voting. You know? So nothing of those ballots that are already printed and everything, right. So, you know, voting for. I mean, the 80 million-

Moderator (01:09:28): Yeah.

G1: RC (01:09:28): people who voted for the current occupier. Right.

G1: RS (01:09:31): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:09:31):

So I mean, that's what we should do. I mean, make it in person. Make it a national holiday. With federal, make it a national holiday. Give everybody a day off so that they can go vote in person.

G1: F (01:09:41): Mm-hmm, mm-hmm. Moderator (01:09:43):

Has anything in the news, lately, made you feel more motivated or less motivated to, to vote in November, this coming November?

G1: J (01:09:49): Not in the news. Moderator (01:09:58): Uh-huh.

G1: J (01:09:58): On the gas pumps. Moderator (01:09:58): Okay.

G1: RS (01:09:58): (laughs)

G1: J (01:09:58): That's what's motivating [crosstalk 01:09:58]

Moderator (01:09:58):

The gas pumps [crosstalk 01:09:58] motivating you. Anybody else? Anything about the Supreme court decisions or anything that have, lately have come out that have motivated you to go? Might make you go?

G1: RC (01:10:05):

The Supreme court decisions that we have seen, not late. I mean, you know, for example, in the abortion. All they did was just pass that all over to the states.

Moderator (01:10:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:10:13):

I mean, the states that are having their big fits about, New York, California, or even here in Nevada. You know, abortion is legal so nothing changed. I mean, you know, nothing changed for us. So, I mean... Now, when it comes to the second amendment, I am a performing of the second amendment. You know why shouldn't, should not be able to, to defend your homestead? Absolutely. To the end of your life with.

Moderator (01:10:35):

All right. I wG1: A move on to the next exercise here on your sheet. So if you'd turn to next page. Uh, and I want you to take a moment to fill out, um. I want you to, on the top part, just write, uh, down the first thing that comes to mind when you think of the Democratic party. It

could be anything. It could be a word, a phrase, whatever you like. Any... The first that comes to mind in the Democratic party. Then on the bottom, the first thing that comes to mind when you think of the Republican party. So just take a moment and then we'll discuss your answers. It doesn't have to be a long paragraph or sentence. Just, could just be a few words. But if you could put at least two or three things for each, that would be great. Okay. Let's discuss, um, take a minute more. I know G1: A, you're still. You need to fill out the bottom part, sorry. I'll, I'll give you a second more. Okay. Okay. Um, what are some of the things that you, that everybody wrote down on a Democrat? We'll just go around the room real quickly. G1: T, what did you write for Democrat?

G1: T (01:13:01): Uh, I wrote that they really messed up and...

Moderator (01:13:04): And what, how did they mess up?

G1: T (01:13:07):

Many things they did with coronavirus, man. Uh, [inaudible 01:13:10] gas. With food, with, you know, the economy and then. You know, it was bad leadership.

Moderator (01:13:19): Okay. Okay. Uh, G1: A, what about you?

G1: A (01:13:19): Um, I wrote that the Democratic party has really disappointed me with this recent president.

Moderator (01:13:25): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (01:13:26): With all, every... Just like you said, everything that's gone on, the price has going up.

Moderator (01:13:30): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (01:13:30): And the way they handled the virus.

Moderator (01:13:32): Does that make you more or less likely to wG1: A vote in November?

G1: A (01:13:35): It makes me less. Less likely? G1: A (01:13:37): Yes. Moderator (01:13:37): Mm-hmm, okay. G1: V, what did you write down? G1: V (01:13:42): Uh, just rights, like different kind of rights that we have. Moderator (01:13:45): Okay. G1: V (01:13:46): Um, you know, speech, uh, you know, the abortion thing going on, just... Moderator (01:13:51): Mm-hmm. G1: V (01:13:52): You know, the rights. Moderator (01:13:53): The abortion rights. Okay. Okay. Uh, G1: J, what did you write down? G1: J (01:13:57): Corruption. Moderator (01:13:59): Mm-hmm. G1: J (01:13:59): Millionaires from nothing. Moderator (01:14:01): Okay. G1: J (01:14:02): And they're not held accountable. Moderator (01:14:04):

Millionaires from nothing? Okay, that means... Can you explain that a little bit to me?

Moderator (01:13:36):

G1: J (01:14:08): Well, you know, they come into office and they have nothing.

Moderator (01:14:12): Oh, I see. Okay.

G1: J (01:14:13): And twenty years later they're worth \$140 million. I mean...

Moderator (01:14:19): Okay.

G1: J (01:14:22): And they only make \$500,000 a year. Math don't add up there.

Moderator (01:14:25): Okay. All right. G1: D, what did you put?

G1: D (01:14:28): Uh, Democratic party. And I put common people and then Republicans, rich people.

Moderator (01:14:34): Okay. We'll get to Republicans in a minute. But thanks for sharing.

G1: D (01:14:36): Oh, I'm sorry.

Moderator (01:14:36): That's okay. It's okay. G1: F, uh, Democratic.

G1: F (01:14:38): I just put Obama fighting for what's right.

Moderator (01:14:40): Fighting for what's right? Okay. Can you think of some things that they fight for that's right?

G1: F (01:14:45): No.

Moderator (01:14:45): No. (laughs) I mean, does... You put it's fighting for what's right, so what, what are some things that are right for you that you think they're fighting for? G1: F (01:14:52): I don't know. Obama just seems to be more of a, a fair president. I don't know.

Moderator (01:14:56): Mm-hmm.

G1: F (01:14:57): Versus the others. I can't tell you specifically [inaudible 01:14:59]

Moderator (01:14:59): That's alright.

G1: F (01:15:00): It doesn't come to mind, but...

Moderator (01:15:02): But you liked Obama?

G1: F (01:15:03): Mm-hmm.

Speaker 5 (01:15:00): That doesn't come to mind, but-

Moderator (01:15:02): But you liked Obama.

Speaker 5 (01:15:03): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (01:15:04): What was it about him that you liked?

Speaker 5 (01:15:06): I don't know. 'Cause he seemed to be defending different things that... I don't know. I just liked Obama.

Moderator (01:15:11): Okay.

Speaker 5 (01:15:11): I can't even think of anything [inaudible 01:15:13]. Moderator (01:15:14): That's okay. That's okay. Raba, what did you write under Democrat?

G1: RC (01:15:15):

Corrupt pandering group of a special interest serving people.

Moderator (01:15:19):

Okay. Wow. Okay. Special interests. Uh, and, h- how would you describe those special interests as-

G1: RC (01:15:25):

Special interests as well, we have many, right? I mean, we have, I mean the housing, for example, the, the building blocks, I mean the, the big, special groups and how many special groups do we have out there too many to count. Right? I mean, even going from the hedge fund-

Moderator (01:15:40): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:15:41):

... managers, which, I mean, at some point in time, I guess that's what they used to say the Republicans were serving, but now it's more of the Democrats who serve those-

Moderator (01:15:48): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:15:48): ... groups. I mean, they're each one of the special groups they go out there and they carve their own little niche. They have a group of lobbyists.

Moderator (01:15:58): Mm-hmm. G1: RC (01:15:58): Okay? That are basically just, I mean, they're being served by this, by the Democrats. I mean the Democrats go out there and then they create legislation.

Moderator (01:16:07): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:16:07): Okay. Which they pass.

Moderator (01:16:09): Mm-hmm. G1: RC (01:16:09): I mean, sometimes on the, uh-

Moderator (01:16:10): Uh, can, I'm gonna just interrupt you-

G1: RC (01:16:12): Yeah, okay.

Moderator (01:16:12): .. real quick, but do, do you think that happens on both sides of the [inaudible 01:16:15]?

G1: RC (01:16:15): Absolutely.

Moderator (01:16:16): Okay.

G1: RC (01:16:16): Absolutely. And we'll go there in a minute.

Moderator (01:16:18): Okay. Very and we'll go. Rachael, what did you put on Democrat?

G1: RS (01:16:21): Minorities.

Moderator (01:16:22): Minorities. Okay. Uh, let's go around the room and do, um, Republicans. Um, Rachael we'll start with you.

G1: RS (01:16:29): Taxes.

Moderator (01:16:30): Taxes in what way? Bad or good?

G1: RS (01:16:32):

Um, good. I mean, a lot of people, um, a lot of people push back and give the Republicans a bad name, but I mean, if you really think about it, a lot of these minorities could think the Republicans for their child credit taxes. Moderator (01:16:47): Okay. G1: RS (01:16:47): (laughs). And they don't think about things like that, so.

Moderator (01:16:50): Okay. Raba, what did you put under-

G1: RC (01:16:52): I said more of the above, meaning the same as the-

Moderator (01:16:55): Yeah.

G1: RC (01:16:55):

... Democrats just disguise as someone who cares for the people now. I mean, you know, that we have switch where the Democrats way back in the 60s, they used to be all for the people-

Moderator (01:17:05): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:17:05):

... and the Republicans were used for the special interest. We have switched now, but they're still they're the uni party as a, as a m- as, as an example of that is just the very current legislation that they passed to help Ukraine with billions of dollars sending the billions of our dollars with Ukraine. I mean, I'm sorry that there is a war out there, but we need the money here in the United States. How many homeschool we have, could we have built, how many people could we, could we have help if we kept this money here in the United States?

Moderator (01:17:37): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:17:38):

No, we sending it to Ukraine. One, we know that Ukraine is just a corrupt country and we see, obviously we see the, uh-

Moderator (01:17:43): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:17:44):

... the president's son, you know, having deals with them. And we see the Republicans go along with the Democrats to send that absolute-

Moderator (01:17:54): Mm-hmm. G1: RC (01:17:54): ... amount of money.

Moderator (01:17:54): So Raba, in, in light of what you said, do you align yourself with one or identify with one party more than the other or [inaudible 01:18:01]?

G1: RC (01:18:01): No, I don't. You know, and that is the tough-

Moderator (01:18:02): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:18:03):

... that is, that is, that is the conundrum that I find myself in. That is the, the, the dilemma that I have is like neither one of the parties that we have right now are fit for what we have for our country. They're both have contributed to our decline.

Moderator (01:18:16): Okay.

G1: RC (01:18:16): You know?

Moderator (01:18:17): Okay.

G1: RC (01:18:18):

And yes, I mean, there is someone who I, I said there is a movement out there, you know, of people who really care about what we are about our values and about our people-

Moderator (01:18:27): Mm-hmm. G1: RC (01:18:27): ... you know? I mean, yeah. Make America great. Well, yes. W- why don't we make America great. Right? Why don't we just have another party and take on the two established parties? Because-

Moderator (01:18:36): Okay.

G1: RC (01:18:36): ... both of them are corrupt. Moderator (01:18:38): Okay. G1: F, what did you put for Republican?

Speaker 6 (01:18:40): I put George Bush defending our country and Trump making a fool of himself.

Moderator (01:18:43): Okay. Okay.

Speaker 6 (01:18:44): (laughs).

Moderator (01:18:44): Uh, G1: D, what did you put?

Speaker 7 (01:18:47): Rich people.

Moderator (01:18:48): Rich people. Yeah. That's right. You said that. G1: J, what did you put on your Republican?

G1: J (01:18:51): Sheep.

Moderator (01:18:52): G1: J, say that again? I can hear you.

G1: J (01:18:53): Sheep, cowards and Randalls.

Moderator (01:18:56): Mm-hmm. So I'm gonna ask the same question to you seems, um, whi- which of the two parties do you feel like you-

G1: J (01:19:04): I told you I'm a Democrat.

Moderator (01:19:04): Yeah. Okay.

G1: J (01:19:04): I'm a Democrat, but I don't vote. I vote the issues, soModerator (01:19:09): Okay.

G1: J (01:19:10): ... if I have to vote for a Republican, I vote for a Republican.

Moderator (01:19:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:19:13): If I have to vote for a Democrat, I vote for Democrat.

Moderator (01:19:15): And the issues that kind of really pull you right now are, are, is crime-

G1: J (01:19:20): Our count- crime-

Moderator (01:19:21): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:19:21): ... our country, our country's safety. I mean our military.

Moderator (01:19:26): Okay.

G1: J (01:19:26): You know, it's being turned into, you know, we're, we're in bed with China and Russia and everybody else right now.

Moderator (01:19:34): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:19:34):

It's just, you know, we're we have no food. We're getting ready to s- we're getting ready to have a huge food crisis. Something that can't be fixed in a couple of months. This is gonna be devastating.

Moderator (01:19:46): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:19:47): People don't even know what's coming down the pipeline right now. Moderator (01:19:49): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:19:50): We're about to run out diesel fuel. We're about to run out diesel fuel, less than six weeks left. We're gonna run out a diesel fuel. What's-

Moderator (01:19:56): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:19:56): ... gonna happen then?

Moderator (01:19:58): W- where did you learn about that? The diesel fuel thing?

G1: J (01:20:00): Oh, it's been, it's-

Moderator (01:20:00): Is it just something you read on the, on newspaper-

G1: J (01:20:03): Yes.

Moderator (01:20:04): ... or like online or something?

G1: J (01:20:04): It's been going for a while now that they've-

Moderator (01:20:06): Okay.

G1: J (01:20:06): ... been discussing the chemicals to, to process-

Moderator (01:20:08): To process.

G1: J (01:20:10): ... the oil, to make the diesel fuel. We can't get it because China won't give it to us.

Moderator (01:20:14): Okay. G1: V?

G1: V (01:20:15): Uh-

Moderator (01:20:15): Uh-

G1: V (01:20:17): Put control.

Moderator (01:20:18): Control. Like, what do you mean?

G1: V (01:20:21): Uh, well, like keep saying, you know, uh, China doesn't want to render up, uh, you know-

Moderator (01:20:24): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (01:20:25): ... the sources and stuff like that.

Moderator (01:20:26): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (01:20:27): We don't make stuff our own. We have to get it from some other people.

Moderator (01:20:32): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. G1: A, what did you put down for Republican?

G1: A (01:20:34): Uh, uh, first thing that comes to mind is all the craziness that happened during Trump's turn. Moderator (01:20:40): What, and what are some of the craziest things can you think of?

G1: A (01:20:42): Because him telling people to inject bleach into their veins for the coronavirus and how he was-

Moderator (01:20:50): Mm-hmm. G1: A (01:20:50):

... best friends with Putin, and if he was still in term, what would be a Ukraine right now?

Moderator (01:20:57): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G1: A (01:20:58): And stuff like that.

Moderator (01:21:00): Okay. Uh, and G1: T, what did you put down under Republican?

G1: T (01:21:02): I just gotta edit hurts really quick. The best about-

Moderator (01:21:04): Yeah.

G1: T (01:21:05): And I, I know that man personally.

Moderator (01:21:07): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (01:21:07): My friend was the first apprentice. I sat in a room with him. He's an idiot.

Moderator (01:21:11): (laughs).

G1: T (01:21:11): But when he went to go to Puerto Rico for the hurricane and he's like, "I can't wait to meet your president." I was just like, like, "You kidding me?"

Moderator (01:21:21): (laughs).

G1: T (01:21:21): "You can't write that."

Moderator (01:21:22): (laughs). Mm-hmm.

G1: T (01:21:24): Oh, I just think they went about a lot of things the wrong way. And I also-

Moderator (01:21:27): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (01:21:27): ... think that they, um, you know, they need to leave the people alone.

Moderator (01:21:30): Mm-hmm.

G1: T (01:21:30): Let, let the country be a country.

Moderator (01:21:32):

Let the country be a country. Um, what does, uh, conservative and liberal mean to you and, and what kind of policies do they represent? So what does conservative mean? What does liberal mean? Uh, G1: J, I'll start with you on this question. What does conservative mean or liberal mean to you?

G1: J (01:21:50): Conservative means common sense.

Moderator (01:21:54): Okay.

G1: J (01:21:55): Liberal means mentally unstable.

Moderator (01:21:58): Okay. Okay.

G1: J (01:21:59): I mean-

G1: RS (01:22:02): You're [inaudible 01:22:02], that's good.

G1: J (01:22:02): Basically-

G1: RS (01:22:05):

I like that.

Moderator (01:22:05): (laughs).

G1: J (01:22:07): You want me to-

Moderator (01:22:07): Yeah. Keep going. Keep going. No, keep going.

G1: J (01:22:11):

Okay. Well, liberals can't seem to choose what they want. They, they don't know which side their butters, their bread is buttered on.

Moderator (01:22:19): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:22:19): You know? The conservative people kind of use common sense. They say, "I work, I do taxes. These taxes should pay for something-

Moderator (01:22:28): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:22:29): ... that's important. Not something that you decide is important."

Moderator (01:22:33): So do you think Democrats or Republicans represent these two labels or you think it's something?

G1: J (01:22:37): No, not all.

Moderator (01:22:38): What do you think?

G1: J (01:22:38):

There's liberal, there's liberal Republicans and there's liberal Democrats. There's conservative Democrats and there's conservative Republicans.

Moderator (01:22:46): Mm-hmm. G1: J (01:22:47): You know, it's just they've most of them have been in office way too long-

Moderator (01:22:52): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:22:52):

... way too long. We need to, we need to flush the toilet, we need to get rid of these people that are, that are making our laws and get some new blood in there.

Moderator (01:23:03): Thank you, Dian.

G1: J (01:23:03): Because these, these people are all being raised.

Moderator (01:23:05):

And Dian... Okay. Dian, what about you? What do you think conservative means or, or, or liberal mean? What does that mean to you? And, and what policies do they represent? Do you think of a conservative policy or liberal policy? What do you think that makes? Speaker 7 (01:23:19):

I think like a conservative policy would be one that that's just etched in stone. Won't wave left or right at all.

Moderator (01:23:25): Okay.

Speaker 7 (01:23:26): Um, liberals are just known to be like, not eaters and butterfly chasers.

Moderator (01:23:35): (laughs).

Speaker 7 (01:23:36): That kind of [inaudible 01:23:36] kind of thing, you know.

Moderator (01:23:39):

Mm-hmm. Do you think the Republican Party and the Democratic Party are represent these? Or do you feel like G1: J, that there's within the parties are these types of-

Speaker 7 (01:23:48): I think there's bad apples in, in all, in both sides. Moderator (01:23:50): Mm-hmm. And you would you describe liberals as bad apples or you just saying that-

Speaker 7 (01:23:55): There's some bad apple liberal and there's some-

Moderator (01:23:57): Okay.

Speaker 7 (01:23:57): ... bad apples.

Moderator (01:24:01): Okay. Um, G1: F, what about you? What do you think of conservative and liberal? What does that mean to you?

Speaker 6 (01:24:09): Doesn't really mean neither, neither one. I have an opinion. Neither one of those conservative or liberals.

Moderator (01:24:13): Mm-hmm.

Speaker 6 (01:24:13): 'Cause I don't know much about it too.

Moderator (01:24:15): Well, looking back at the handout, like we looked about the issues, which party do you align with more on part issues.

Speaker 6 (01:24:27): Say that again?

Moderator (01:24:27): Like which party do you align with on any particular issues?

Speaker 6 (01:24:31): Obama.

Moderator (01:24:32): Obama.

Speaker 6 (01:24:33): Mm-hmm. Moderator (01:24:33): Uh-huh.

Speaker 6 (01:24:34): The Democratic Party.

Moderator (01:24:35): You align more with the Democratic Party.

Speaker 6 (01:24:36): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (01:24:36): Any specific issue that you feel like you align more with them?

Speaker 6 (01:24:40): The demos.

Moderator (01:24:40): Demos.

Speaker 6 (01:24:40): That's one I know the most that's one that interests me. So-

Moderator (01:24:46): Okay.

Speaker 6 (01:24:47): The rest of it, I really don't vote.

Moderator (01:24:48): Okay. All right. Um, what about you Rachael? What does liberalism, conservatism mean to you?

G1: RS (01:24:53): Basically the same is what you know, everybody else is saying.

Moderator (01:24:56): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (01:24:56): Um, and I believe that, um, it's shifty, there's some on every, you know, there's, there's, there's, there's both on every, both ends. Moderator (01:25:06): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (01:25:06): So it's, um, I don't believe that one party is specifically liberal and one-

Moderator (01:25:11):

Do you think of... Uh, when you thinking about the two major political parties, do you think they're welcoming and inviting to Latinos or Hispanics or do you think they just ignore Latinos? Do you think they're hostile to us? Do you think they're inviting to us? H- how would you describe the way political parties, um, are towards?

G1: RS (01:25:28): I think they go, they, they go for whatever's trending.

Moderator (01:25:31): (laughs).

G1: RS (01:25:32):

To be honest with you in a lot of like, um, these days, it's, it's really, I believe that the Democratic Party may have taken more advantage of minorities in general. Um, just kind of like by this whole, like, you know, vote for me because you know, this, this specific person is voting or they tend to, you know, look for the minority vote more because they live, there are more minorities, but they don't really care about us. They really don't.

Moderator (01:26:00): Mm-hmm.

G1: RS (01:26:00): They care about what's trending. What, what subject is trending in the media?

Moderator (01:26:05): Mm-hmm. [inaudible 01:26:05]. I'm sorry, go ahead Raba.

G1: RC (01:26:06): They want us to vote for the Democrats because we're as unique as [inaudible 01:26:10]. But anyway-G1: J (01:26:11): (laughing).

G1: RC (01:26:11): ... talk about, I, I know you didn't ask me about what's conservative and what's.

Moderator (01:26:16):

Oh, yeah. And you can speak to that if you like.

G1: RC (01:26:18): Yeah.

Moderator (01:26:18): Go ahead.

G1: RC (01:26:20): So I mean, liberal, right? I think it comes from the word liberty, right? To let everyone live their life if they want. So I said, as a conservative, I'm against the marriage of gay people, right? I am as a conservative.

G1: RS (01:26:35): Me too.

G1: RC (01:26:35): But as a liberal, I said-

G1: RS (01:26:37): Right.

G1: RC (01:26:37): ... "You live your life. Okay. I really don't care. It doesn't-

Moderator (01:26:40): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:26:40): ... it doesn't matter to me." So, you know, that's how I put it. That's how I put-

Moderator (01:26:44): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:26:45): ... in, in, in-

Moderator (01:26:45): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:26:45):

... my opinion. Right? I mean, yeah, you can have conservative values, but you can also deliver certain social issues where if it doesn't really affect you, why should you be imposing your conservative values on other people, right?

Moderator (01:27:00): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:27:00):

And that is, I think, where we have gone wrong. Do we really need to legislate marriage? Okay? Do we need to legislate abortion? Do we need to legislature certain things? No, I think it would be very if we just to stay out of those issues, you know-

Moderator (01:27:12): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:27:12): ... and let the people decide, let them live.

G1: J (01:27:14): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:27:14): ... so.

Moderator (01:27:14):

Well, what do you think about the, the parties? Do you think they've done like reached out to Latinos? Do you think they're inviting to Latinos? What do you think about the two parties?

G1: RC (01:27:22):

Well, again, you know, I think that the Democratic Party actually has taken the Latino population for granted for many years. What have they done really for the Latino population? Moderator (01:27:34): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:27:34):

I mean, you know, other than perhaps named a few buildings. Okay. After a Latino figure Cesar Chavez, right? Na- named several of the, the highways in California or streets in California, Cesar Chavez. But Cesar Chavez was a very conservative person who actually fought for the rise of the farm workers, the ones that were here legally, and he encouraged legal immigration to this country. Right? And they have them as, so like, "Well, he's our hero." Well, not really. I mean, I bet you that if Cesar Chavez was alive right now, he would not align with the Democratic Party. Yes. They have taken us for granted. They think that we are born to be their property. Just like the Democrats, they think that all the blacks are the property, property or all the minorities are the property. Right? We are a diverse group of people with a lot of different things. We are self work. We always working. Okay. We work a lot. Although they say that that might be a bad stereotype. Not all the Mexicans are hard workers.

G1: J (01:28:33): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:28:33): I don't like to work hard, but again-

Moderator (01:28:34): (laughs).

G1: RC (01:28:36):

... but, but no, we are, we are. I think, a- and I think we align more with the Republicans. You talk about taxes, right? You talk about them giving us the break. Listen, if we were to live in a d-in a socialist country, such as Denmark or Norway, okay where you pay almost 53 to 60% of your income and taxes, but you get free healthcare, you get free education-

Moderator (01:28:59): Education.

G1: RC (01:29:00):

... you get a lot of things. Then you will say, "I don't mind doing that." But here we are paying taxes for everything. And why do we see? We see nothing. Okay. We see poverty. I just got my p- my, uh, my tax breakdown of what I pay. Right? It says, I paid so much taxes for police. I pay so much taxes for assistance for indigent people, which in-

Moderator (01:29:23): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:29:23): ... the homeless. Right? And it's like, why we have so many homeless-

Moderator (01:29:26): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:29:26): ... where's all this money going.

Moderator (01:29:27): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:29:27):

Right? If we only see that our taxes are being put to work towards what they were earmarked for, then I have no problem paying 51% of my salary or my income to taxes. But I want to see that, but-

Moderator (01:29:39): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:29:39):

... we don't see it. Why? Because we send it to Ukraine. We send it to all these corrupt countries out there.

Moderator (01:29:44): Mm-hmm.

G1: RC (01:29:45):

You know, we give it to special interest groups. I mean, we give it to the small smell fish out of the, uh, Sacramento Delta. So that way they can send all the water down into the ocean instead of sending it down to the central valley. So where we actually cool debate, you know, and our people actually have the jobs out there, but now they don't. Why? Because we're sending the politicians, the federal politicians decided to send all these water powder-

Moderator (01:30:09): Okay.

G1: RC (01:30:09): ... into the ocean. Anyway, go ahead.

Moderator (01:30:12):

Yeah. I'm gonna stop you there. Does anybody wG1: A comment on that? G1: V do you wG1: A comment on that? You've been a little quiet. So I wG1: A pick-

G1: RS (01:30:16): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (01:30:16): ... on you for-

G1: V (01:30:16): Uh-

Moderator (01:30:16): ... a little bit. (laughs).

G1: V (01:30:20): Not really. [inaudible 01:30:20].

Moderator (01:30:20): What?

G1: V (01:30:20): Not really.

Moderator (01:30:23): No. You don't wG1: A comment on... Yeah, go ahead, G1: J.

G1: J (01:30:24):

[inaudible 01:30:24]. The, the, y- y- as a people, we're the hardest work... There's absolutely no doubt, we're the hardest working group of people in the world. We're family oriented. We're, we're, we're mostly all have faith. Uh, we're, we're you can go into our neighborhoods and you don't have to worry about your kids getting snatched up by some pervert because we handle our business. But history shows us that it's the Democrats that have tried to keep us down. History shows us the voting. They, the Democrats are the ones that have tried to keep minorities down in this country.

Moderator (01:31:02): Mm-hmm. But yet you still, but you still call yourself a Democrat.

G1: J (01:31:05):

I know. And, and because I wasn't aware of these things until just recently. I wasn't aware of it. I, I was believing what ABC and NBC-

Moderator (01:31:13): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:31:15): ... and CBS was telling me.

Moderator (01:31:16): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:31:16): I didn't go... There was no internet before, you know-G1: RC (01:31:20):

Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:31:20):

... all of a sudden now there's internet. I can check things out. I can find out things. I don't have to go to a library and open 45 books to find out that G1: J Biden voted against every single equal rights bill he ever voted on in his career. Okay? And that he was one of the most racist senators on the planet. I don't have to go to the library. I can find that out on the internet now. And that's what I found out. And I'm starting to realize that this had been just a big sham.

G1: RC (01:31:48): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:31:48):

It's a big sham there. And, and the only thing that they got, the only thing that they got that they use and they use in our soft spark spot is our, our people coming across the border. That's the only thing they use against us. And they blame it all on the-

Moderator (01:32:04): Right.

G1: J (01:32:05):

... on the Republicans. They blame all the bad things on the Republicans at the border and all the immigration problems. These immigration laws have been in existence for... Moderator (01:32:14): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:32:14): I mean, Obama was doing the exact same thing that, that-Moderator (01:32:17): Mm-hmm.

G1: J (01:32:17):
... Trump was doing. He's the one that built the cages down there.
Moderator (01:32:20):
Mm-hmm. So G1: V, how do you feel? Do you feel like the Democrats have wet Latinos down or do you feel like pretty happy with what they done? It's okay that you might disagree with other people.

G1: V (01:32:30): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (01:32:30): We don't expect people to feel the same.

G1: V (01:32:38): When we were just growing up, you know, uh, I thought they were like the, um, the good guys.

Moderator (01:32:38): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (01:32:38): You know, that's what I thought growing up, but, uh, you know, it doesn't seem to be that way. Moderator (01:32:41): What makes you feel like it's not that way? Did something happened or not happened?

G1: V (01:32:46): Um, just, I guess if you look into it more with the resources that we have-

Moderator (01:32:50): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (01:32:51): ... you know, like you said, there's a lot more that you could look into.

Moderator (01:32:55):

Mm-hmm. But what, what would you say is, like you said, they used to be the good guy, but not so much anymore.

G1: V (01:33:04): They made it seem like that on TV.

Moderator (01:33:04): Mm-hmm. But what, what did they done that-

G1: V (01:33:04): They show you like the good side of the news or whatever they want you to believe.

Moderator (01:33:09): Mm-hmm. But is there something that they've done or not done that makes you feel like they're not the good guy anymore? Is there a position they've taken or a politician or something that's happened that makes you feel like the Democrats aren't the good guys anymore?

G1: V (01:33:29): Mmh, not. I mean, every try to stay away from, you know, just watching the news and stuff like that.

Moderator (01:33:29): Mm-hmm.

G1: V (01:33:29): So, I mean, I'm sure there is.

Moderator (01:33:29):

Well, when you, when I say Democratic Party, who do you think of? Like, what, what comes to mind when I say Democratic Party? What does that, what does the Democratic Party represent? Who does it represent or?

G1: V (01:33:39): Uh, just the common citizens.

Moderator (01:33:43):

Mm-hmm. Common citizens. Okay. Okay. Uh, what about, uh, about you? Um, we were talking earlier about, um, the Democratic Party and whether or not they've let Latinos down. Do you, do you think the parties let you down or you, or what about the Republican Party? Do you think the Republican parties let you down?

G1: A (01:34:04): I think they both have the way they have been treating the people at the border.

Moderator (01:34:09): Okay.

G1: A (01:34:10): And they just give 'em, for example, the asylum. I said, what's called?

Moderator (01:34:15): Yeah.

G1: A (01:34:16):

They get asylum. And it's like three, four, five years from now. And they're hanging in limbo and then they get a job. They start their life. They're, they're living respectfully, not breaking any laws. And then all of a sudden, boom, "Here comes your court date." And they just throw 'em back. And they just built the life out here. It's like, "Give 'em a chance, you know, they're, they're, they're, they're not breaking any laws. They're working hard. They're just trying to better their life and raise their family." And they don't wG1: A do anything for them. Or like the-

Moderator (01:34:50): Who's the, the Democrats and the Republicans or just-

G1: A (01:34:51): Yeah, both of them.

Moderator (01:34:53): Uh-huh.

G1: A (01:34:53):

And those kids that I forgot what that thing is called when those kids that aren't born here. But they-

G1: RC (01:35:00): [inaudible 01:35:00].

G1: RS (01:34:59): The dreamer.

G1: A (01:34:59): Yeah.

Moderator (01:34:59): The dreamer?

G1: A (01:35:01):

Yeah, the dreamer. They've been here all their life. And I don't understand why they just don't give them their citizenship. Why put them through all that stress and their hustle.

Moderator (01:35:09): Or get stressed.

Speaker 6 (01:35:12): [inaudible 01:35:12], the language.

G1: A (01:35:13): It's not right what they're doing to these kids. That's, those are our future.

Moderator (01:35:17): Mm-hmm. G1: A (01:35:17):

But they look, what, why are they less than the ones that are born here? Just because they weren't born on the land. And, and I don't think it's right. I think that they need to do more for them.

Moderator (01:35:26): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (01:35:26): Especially after they've been here pretty much their whole life. They don't know nothing.

Speaker 6 (01:35:30): They've been in Mexico. They don'tG1: A (01:35:31): This, this is their country. This is their life here.

Moderator (01:35:34): Mm-hmm.

G1: A (01:35:34): So I feel like they both let them down.

Moderator (01:35:39): Well, p- p- particularly when it comes to immigration.

G1: A (01:35:41): Yeah.

Speaker 6 (01:35:41): Yeah.

G1: A (01:35:42): Okay. G1: F, you're agreeing.

Speaker 6 (01:35:43): I am agreeing. Of course I'm agreeing with her. Yeah. I'm telling you about my being a family. Yeah.

Moderator (01:35:48): Mm-hmm.

Speaker 6 (01:35:48): All of them. I have some there with the DACA program and everything. Yeah.

Moderator (01:35:51): Mm-hmm.

Speaker 6 (01:35:51): And my family's huge.

Moderator (01:35:53): Right.

Speaker 6 (01:35:53): Huge. Yeah. I agree with what she's saying. G1: J (01:35:56): Yeah. There's-

Speaker 6 (01:35:57): You should give 'em a chance.

G1: J (01:35:58): There's no huge Mexican families in here.

Speaker 7 (01:36:00): (laughing).

Speaker 6 (01:36:01): No. Yeah. Keep mines exaggerating. Huge though.

Moderator (01:36:06):

(laughs). But we've got just a PMH left and before we get to the last exercise, um, is there anything, I kind of cut some folks off and I'm sorry, I was just trying to stay on time and get you out of here-

G1: J (01:36:14): Yeah, [inaudible 01:36:15] over time, right?

Moderator (01:36:15): (laughs).

G1: J (01:36:17): [inaudible 01:36:17] 7:00.

Moderator (01:36:18): [inaudible 01:36:18] 7:00 until 7:15. Well-

G1: J (01:36:18): (laughing).

Moderator (01:36:24):

... it is 7:15. Let's just take a minute here and, and fill out the last page. Uh, I want you to pretend, you're trying to convince someone who is Latino to register to vote. So write down what you would tell them. Uh, and then on the second part, uh, i- it- it's like, you wG1: A convince them to vote. They seem a little similar, but I think there could be some distinction. What would you tell someone to register to vote? And then what would you say to get them to actually vote? Just take a moment and write those two things down. You know what your right file is supposed to be done at 7:00?

G1: J (01:37:06): Yeah.

Moderator (01:37:07): Sorry guys.

G1: J (01:37:07): Yeah.

Moderator (01:37:08):

Thanks for sticking in here with me. Uh, and then when you're done, you can just leave your stuff on the table and make your way out and, uh, make sure you see the receptionist on your way out.

G1: J (01:37:27): There [inaudible 01:37:28].

Moderator (01:37:28): They're coming in.

G1: J (01:37:29): [inaudible 01:37:29].

Moderator (01:37:30): Yeah. You can just, you can just leave your, uh, your page for there on the table and, uh, follow Andrew out the door. (laughs).

G1: A (01:37:38): Leave it here?

Moderator (01:37:38): Yeah, you can leave everything here.

Speaker 8 (01:37:39): You're done on the recording?

Moderator (01:37:39):

Yeah, we're done on the recording. Thank you. [inaudible 01:37:43]. Nice to you too Rachael. Thank you. Leave [inaudible 01:37:46] everything here. Take a step and head on and make sure you... Thank you all very much for your time tonight. Appreciate it.

G1: T (01:37:52): Thank you. Safe travel back San Antonio. Moderator (01:37:55): Thank you. I appreciate it.

SESSION ENDS

Group 2: Transcript - Non-Registered Citizens - English - Nevada Tuesday, July 26, 2022, 6:00 pm

Moderator (00:00):

... paper that's in front of you, will you put your first name on the front, and then go to page one and two, and, uh, there's some issues here, I want you to indicate how important each of these issues are to you, okay? So, on a scale from zero to 10, zero is not important at all, and 10 is real important. So, go through it, and mark each of these, and then when you get done with the two pages, put a star next to the one that's the most important to you, okay? And, rest of the team, we'll just let them catch up for a second, and then that way, and then we'll get really, we'll really get moving and shaking, okay? Good. And it could be any, honestly, any number between zero and 10, right, that you want to select. Yeah, it's just two pages, so... And G2: MJ, it seems like you've finished, tell us, uh, we already, I'm MODERATOR, pleased to meet you.

G2: MJ (01:44): Okay, a- nice to meet you.

Moderator (01:44):

Um, we, we already kinda went around the room, and introduced ourselves, but can you just tell us how long you've lived here, and maybe a little bit about your family life, married, kids, that-

G2: MJ (01:51): Sure, yeah. Um, I lived in Vegas going on a three years now.

Moderator (01:54): Uh-huh.

G2: MJ (01:54): Um, came from California. I have three children that are adults now.

Moderator (01:59): Okay.

G2: MJ (01:59): Um, I have one that's, well, he's now 19, but he's an adult [inaudible 00:02:04] (laughs).

Moderator (02:06): (laughs) Great.

G2: MJ (02:07): And, um, and my parents, I don't really know their parents' background.

Moderator (02:10):

Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (02:10): My father, actually, my father's parents come from Chihuahua, Mexico. Moderator (02:14): Yeah.

G2: MJ (02:15): Um, my mother's parents, I don't really know too much about them.

Moderator (02:17): No problem. [inaudible 00:02:17]-

G2: MJ (02:17): Um, yeah, and a- me, myself, I was born in California-

Moderator (02:22): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (02:22): ... um, Upland, California.

Moderator (02:24): Yeah.

G2: MJ (02:24): And-

Moderator (02:24): Great.

G2: MJ (02:25): Yeah. So-

Moderator (02:25): Well, thank you, thank you, G2: MJ.

G2: MJ (02:26): You're welcome.

Moderator (02:27): And G2: T, what about you, how long have you lived in Vegas?

G2: T (02:29):

Uh, I've been here since 99.

Moderator (02:30): Yeah, yeah. G2: T (02:31): Um, I'm married. I've got two, I've got three sons, and then I've got two daughters.

Moderator (02:36): Okay, great. Thank you. And then, I'm gonna say it wrong, je- Jenay?

G2: GC (02:40): G2: GC.

Moderator (02:40): G2: GC (laughs).

G2: MJ (02:40): (laughs).

Moderator (02:40): Why's, why is it so hard? Okay, G2: GC-

G2: GC (02:46): It's G2: GC, yeah.

Moderator (02:47): Okay. So, the, I think they just have a typo on your name there. So, I will make sure to say G2: GC. Um, so G2: GC, how long have you lived in, uh-

G2: GC (02:54): I've been here since I was 15 years old.

Moderator (02:56): Uh-huh.

G2: GC (02:56): Like, so it's, like, 27 years I've lived here.

Moderator (02:56): Yeah, yeah.

G2: GC (03:00): My mom got remarried, so we moved up here when we were kids. Moderator (03:02): Okay. You married, single, what's your-

G2: GC (03:04): No. Single.

Moderator (03:04): Single. Okay. No kids?

G2: GC (03:06): I have two older kids.

Moderator (03:08): Uh-huh.

G2: GC (03:09): They're now, one's in the army.

Moderator (03:10):

Oh, okay. Good, good. Well, I just wanna, so, like, uh, I hope you all put a star next to the one that's the most important to you, and I just wanna go around the room, and very quickly find out, um, what your star d- what you put down as a star. And as we go through the conversation, for the three of you that just joined us, you don't have to wait on me to call on you, just if you've got, wanna say something, just speak up, 'cause it's kinda like a conversation, like we're in somebody's living room. So, but just real quickly, if we could see, if you could just tell me what did you put your star next to. G2: MH, what did you star?

G2: MH (03:37): I starred healthcare.

Moderator (03:41): Healthcare?

G2: MH (03:41): Healthcare, yeah.

Moderator (03:41): Healthcare, okay. G2: I, what did you star?

G2: I (03:42):

I'm sorry, I got it wrong, 'cause I thought we were supposed to put, like, a star every, like, how we felt about each topic.

Moderator (03:48):

Yes, you were.

G2: I (03:48): Oh, we were?

Moderator (03:50): You were supposed to do a, a, a number from, a zero to 10.

G2: I (03:52): Oh okay.

Moderator (03:53): [inaudible 00:03:53]-

G2: I (03:53): And then it would be, like, a star on the one we-

Moderator (03:55): The one that's the most important to you. So, which is the one that's the most important to you, of all the ones that you read?

G2: I (04:00): I would say abortion.

Moderator (04:01): Okay. And G2: MB, what, which one would you, is the most important for you?

G2: MB (04:05): I'm gonna say, um, housing costs.

Moderator (04:07): Housing costs. G2: T?

G2: T (04:08): Healthcare.

Moderator (04:08): Healthcare. G2: GC?

G2: GC (04:11): The coronavirus.

Moderator (04:12): Coronavirus. G2: MB? G2: MB (04:13): Healthcare.

Moderator (04:14): Healthcare. G2: K?

G2: K (04:15): Uh, the economy.

Moderator (04:16): The economy. And then G2: GA?

G2: GA (04:18): Abortion.

Moderator (04:18):

Abortion as well. Okay. Let's talk a little bit about healthcare, 'cause several of you all kinda put healthcare. So, G2: MH, tell me what is it about healthcare that's important to you? What is, why is that really strike you as being important right now?

G2: MH (04:29):

Um, I believe everyone deserves access to, to decent healthcare, everyone deserves that right to take of themselves.

Moderator (04:35): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (04:37):

Sometimes things always arise that you don't, you don't expect, you also, when you have k- I mean, I don't have kids myself, but I'm sure you wanna make sure that they have access to everything that they need to, at an affordable rate. Um, even the elderly, just everyone, every single [inaudible 00:04:54]-

Moderator (04:50): Do you have healthcare right now?

G2: MH (04:50): Yes.

Moderator (04:50): You do? And you get it through your job, or you get it through-

G2: MH (04:50):

Yes, through my job.

Moderator (05:00): Yeah, okay. Okay. Um, and G2: MB, you said healthcare as well? G2: MB (05:02): Yes.

Moderator (05:02): Can you-

G2: MB (05:03):

Yeah, pretty much what G2: MH said. And for me, it was shocking to meet people, my husband included, when I met him, his credit score was all over the place, because he had pending medical bills, because he didn't have, uh, health insurance by that time, so-

Moderator (05:19): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (05:19): ... that's why it's so important that everyone has access to healthcare.

Moderator (05:24): Okay. And then G2: T, you said healthcare as well, right?

G2: T (05:26): I did say healthcare. I have Medicaid-

Moderator (05:29): Uh-huh.

G2: T (05:29):

... but I had to go in for a back surgery that I've been waiting for since 2012, they put 10 rods in my back.

Moderator (05:37): Uh-huh.

G2: T (05:37):

And I got an infection, and they were gonna send me home because my insurance denied something, which really made me upset I had an infection in my bones.

Moderator (05:44): Right. G2: T (05:45):

The infection got in my bones, I was in there for five days, and then they sent me home with a PICC line for 45 days of antibiotic. They weren't gonna send me home with the PICC line, they were just gonna-

Moderator (05:54): Right.

G2: T (05:55): ... release me and let me go. So, they, everybody needs the opportunity to have healthcare, even for your children-

Moderator (06:03): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (06:03): ... your husband, I mean, everybody does.

Moderator (06:04): Right.

G2: T (06:04): It's just ridiculous out there, you know?

Moderator (06:07): Thank you, thank you. Uh, G2: K, you said the economy?

G2: K (06:09): Yeah, um, it as between the economy, and, like, inflation and rising costs.

Moderator (06:13): Uh-huh.

G2: K (06:13): Just 'cause I feel like, uh, a- every one of these subjects could go, could, like, trace back to the economy.

Moderator (06:18): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (06:18): Um, yeah, just, like, rising costs affect, um, pretty much everything here. Um-

Moderator (06:24):

What, what's been really, like, affecting you in terms of rising costs right now? What's been-

G2: K (06:28): Um, mostly, like, uh, making decis- decision to buy a home or a rental property.

Moderator (06:34): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (06:34): Um, yeah, looking for, like, property to, uh, um, yeah, pretty much just, like, kickstart, um-

Moderator (06:44): Yeah, so you've been wanting to-

G2: K (06:45): ... the business.

Moderator (06:45): ... you've been wanting to buy a home for a while-

G2: K (06:47): Yeah.

Moderator (06:47): ... and you just weren't able to.

G2: K (06:48): Yeah, it's kinda, like, just frustrating.

Moderator (06:49): Which goes to, like, G2: MJ, you talked about housing, so w- wa- why's that so important to you right now?

G2: MJ (06:52): Ki- kinda like the same thing. Like, okay, so single, single mother, and finally get, you know, enough money, well, a little bit of money, good down payment, so I thought. Or I even enough to maybe get a mobile home or something, but all of a sudden, you know, all the prices go up on everything, and-

Moderator (07:09): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (07:09): ... now, it's, like, not even enough for anything. Then your rent's like \$1000 or more-

G2: K (07:14): Yeah.

G2: MJ (07:14):

... to pay someone else's mortgage, to just have to move out if you have to, if they want their place back.

Moderator (07:19): Yeah.

G2: K (07:19): Yeah.

G2: MJ (07:19): I just think it's unfair. I just wish that things were not so expensive, right?

Moderator (07:24): Has, has it always been like that, or is that something that's just kinda happened recently?

G2: MJ (07:27):

Well, from my opinion, I, I don't think rent was that high before, and even the cost of homes were not that high. Like, you can get something decent, you know, maybe, like, I'm just thinking, like, maybe a mobile home or something, like, 30000 [inaudible 00:07:40]-

Moderator (07:40): When, when did it change?

G2: K (07:45): Coronavirus.

G2: MJ (07:45): You know, I think it's since the corona-

G2: K (07:45): Yeah.

G2: MJ (07:45): ... I wanna say since the coronavirus, but I don't know if I'm right guys. But-

Moderator (07:47): Yes.

G2: MJ (07:47):

... I'm gonna say since coronavirus, even milk, I mean, even the, the cost of food is so high. I don't know if anyone else has a problem, but (laughs)-

Moderator (07:54): Yeah.

G2: MJ (07:55): ... speaking for me.

Moderator (07:56): So, and G2: GC, you actually said coronavirus-

G2: MJ (07:58): Sorry (laughs).

Moderator (07:58): No, you're good. Tell me a little bit about why corona's so important to you right now?

G2: GC (08:06): 'Cause, um, before, like, uh, no one took it very serious, and I had, uh, like, three family members that passed away from it.

Moderator (08:10): You had three who?

G2: GC (08:10): Family members that passed away.

Moderator (08:10): Family members?

G2: GC (08:10): Yeah.

Moderator (08:11): Okay. Yeah, sorry. I have a little trouble hearing you. Yeah. Uh-huh. Three family members that passed away?

G2: GC (08:14): Yes.

Moderator (08:15): I'm so sorry. Um, so it's, it's affected you prettyG2: GC (08:18): Yeah.

Moderator (08:19):

... deep. Yeah, okay. And do you think that, do you think coronavirus is still a major issue right now, or just say-

G2: GC (08:24): I think so, because now there's another one out there too.

Moderator (08:27): Mm-hmm.

G2: GC (08:27): A lot of people are not taking it serious, Just like, "Yes, whatever, just-

G2: MJ (08:30): Yeah.

G2: GC (08:30): ... getting sick, then you get over it."

G2: MB (08:30): And this one is different.

G2: GC (08:34): But it's really serious.

G2: MB (08:34): Yeah. Moderator (08:35): What did you say, G2: MB?

G2: MB (08:35): This one's different, first time I got it, it was easy breezy, but as I said, three months ago, I didn't have to go to the hospital or anything, but it's been- It's scary... really hard.

Moderator (08:45): How many times have you had it?

G2: MB (08:47): Two, twice.

Moderator (08:47):

Okay. Have you ever got, have you gotten gene- G2: GC?

G2: GC (08:49): Yeah, I had it once.

Moderator (08:50): You had once. Okay. Um, Isabelle, and G2: GA both said, uh, abortion. Isabelle, you wanna, G2: I, you wanna tell me a little bit about why that's so important to you right now?

G2: I (08:58): Yeah, I also wanna make a comment about why I feel like the economy has gotten bad.

Moderator (09:03): Yes.

G2: I (09:03):

Also because, yes, because of COVID, but we have, like, my thought process is, um, they, this, you know, like, the United States has printed a lot of money for the stimulus, so I feel like we had it coming for us.

Moderator (09:19): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (09:19):

Like, it was, like, they were giving, like, 1200, and then, I don't know, 600, and it's like, our money, our dollars, lost value. So, it means that everything just went up.

Moderator (09:29): Who do you think's responsible for that? Who, who did that?

G2: I (09:32): Um, I, I feel like there's just so much bad to it. You know?

Moderator (09:37): Yeah, I mean, but who actually did, like, who made the decision to print the money or do the stimulus? Who do you, who do you attribute that to?

G2: I (09:43): The government.

Moderator (09:44): Which, but which government? It, like, the-

G2: I (09:47):

I don't have, like, a re- I haven't really, like, thought it through-

Moderator (09:49): Yeah.

G2: I (09:49): ... to be like-

Moderator (09:51): Well but, and, and I guess what I'm try- is it, like, the Biden administration, or Trump, or what do, who do you think-

G2: I (09:55): Um, obviously-

Moderator (09:55): Democrats, Republicans, who do you think-

G2: I (09:58): ... Trump, he, he, his, I feel like his intention was really, like, to help us out-

Moderator (10:03): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (10:04):

... and then with everything, I feel like with inflation, it was, it just, like, has gone up a lot. I feel like he just did things the wrong way, but his intention was good, you know?

Moderator (10:14): Okay.

G2: I (10:15): And I'm not saying, like, "Oh, I vote for him," but it's just like, I feel like things, like, you know, you get what I mean?

Moderator (10:19): Yeah, yeah, yeah.

G2: I (10:20):

Like, he, his intention was, like, "I'm gonna help you guys out, I'm gonna give you guys money because you guys stopped working, you guys are sick, this, this and that," you know, taxes-

Moderator (10:29): Mm-hmm. G2: I (10:30):

... giving a lot of taxes for kids, um, but I feel like that's why our economy has gotten, you know, inflation had gone bad, bad, like, food is expensive-

G2: GA (10:41): Yes.

G2: I (10:41): ... \$100 for, like, this little bit, because of how much-

Moderator (10:44): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (10:44): ... our money-

Moderator (10:45): Mm-hmm (affirmative).

G2: I (10:45): Like, they printed so much money to give thousands of people in the United States.

Moderator (10:50): Right.

G2: T (10:51): [inaudible 00:10:51].

G2: MJ (10:51): I never thought of it like that.

G2: GA (10:52): Yes.

G2: MJ (10:52): I s- yeah.

Moderator (10:54): Hang on, hang on, I wanna hear what y'all have to say. What did you say, G2: T?

G2: T (10:56): Sorry, they're doing it again. Moderator (10:57): Who's doing it?

G2: T (10:58): There's a pot. Uh, there's a pot of money that's been given-

Moderator (11:02): Who-

G2: T (11:02): ... and so they're, they're giving out more money again.

Moderator (11:04): And who's they, G2: T? Is it-

G2: T (11:06): The, whoever sends out the stimulus check, and, you know-

Moderator (11:08): Okay, so okay.

G2: T (11:11): I mean, I read about it on Google, I see it all the time.

Moderator (11:12): You see it on Google?

G2: T (11:12): Yeah. The only state that's never on there is Vegas.

Moderator (11:15): All right. And I want you-

G2: T (11:16): (laughs).

Moderator (11:17):

... to hold that thought, 'cause I wanna talk about Google in a second. But I, I wanna go back to abortion real quick. G2: I, why is that so important to you right now?

G2: I (11:23):

Oh yeah, my thing on abortion is because it's been a, a big topic right now, because of a lot of states are making it a law to not be legal.

Moderator (11:33): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (11:33):

So, my tho- thought on that is back to economy. A lot of people, you know, can't, don't have the money to raise kids. They don't have everything that it takes to m- to raise kids. They're not mentally stable to raise kids. And, yet, the government, or whoever it is, wants to force them to have these kids, when in reality they know they can't have 'em, and that's why they go get abortions. If they can't get abortions, we're just gonna have foster homes filled with kids that are not wanted, come with mental problems-

Moderator (12:06): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (12:06): ... come with trauma, because their parents didn't give 'em the attention they needed.

Moderator (12:10): Okay. Thank you, G2: I for sharing that. G2: GA, you also put abortion as your main concern, do you wanna tell me-

G2: GA (12:16):

Yeah, the, the same thing that, uh, she says, and, uh, I think it's very important because, like she says, there's a lot of them that can't afford 'em-

Moderator (12:22): Mm-hmm.

G2: GA (12:22): ... but also, um-

Moderator (12:24): Why is it important to you? I mean, you're a, a guy. Why is that important to you?

G2: MJ (12:28): (laughs).

G2: GA (12:31):

Well, because I mean, um, it's, it's my first daughter, you know? And I wanna give her the best that, that I could give her, what my mom never could have gave me, you know? And I, I want her to have a, a good future, you know? If I could give her a great future, fine. But I just wanna give her a good future, something where, you know, where she could rely on, where, where she, where she'd be like, "Well, you know, um, everything, you know, is gonna be all right."

Moderator (12:55):

So, when y'all were reading this, did you think, "Oh man, Lauda was missing this one thing, like, why isn't this on here?" Was there anything that you thought was missing, maybe, from the list, that's, like, kinda been on your mind lately? Anything that you think of? G2: I (13:11): Gas prices.

Moderator (13:12): Gas prices, okay.

G2: GA (13:13): Gas prices.

G2: MB (13:14): Yeah (laughs).

Moderator (13:15): Maybe under the rising costs.

G2: GA (13:18): Yeah.

Moderator (13:18): Yeah.

G2: GA (13:20): Yeah, gas prices. Yeah.

Moderator (13:21): Gas prices are a big deal.

G2: GC (13:21): Jobs.

Moderator (13:22): What did you say, G2: GC?

G2: GC (13:22): Jobs.

Moderator (13:23): Jobs. What about jobs?

G2: GC (13:27):

For, like, the ex felons and stuff like that.

Moderator (13:29): What, what was that?

G2: GC (13:30): For ex felons, that they don't have, like, any [inaudible 00:13:30]-

Moderator (13:30): Oh, ex felons don't have opportunities-

G2: GC (13:32): Yes.

Moderator (13:32): ... like, yeah, to, to get employed-

G2: GC (13:34): Yeah.

Moderator (13:34): ... once they get out. Yeah, there's no opportunity.

G2: GC (13:36):

No. They, like, they tell you that there is, but then we you go up there, you're there for months, and then all of a sudden, they tell you you gotta go.

Moderator (13:42):

So, maybe that's kinda like, like, justice, reform, like, criminal justice kinda issues. Is that kinda what you're thinking of when you say that? So, like, giving, like, people opportunities-

G2: GC (13:55): Second chance.

G2: MJ (13:56): [inaudible 00:13:56].

Moderator (13:56): Second chance.

G2: MJ (13:56): Second chances.

Moderator (13:56):

Okay, okay. Well, uh, G2: T talked about Google, and I wanna talk a little bit about, you know, here you get your news from. What would you say the main source of your news is from right now? What, what's the main source, anybody?

G2: MJ (14:09): Google.

Moderator (14:09): Google.

G2: MJ (14:10): Siri, Siri (laughs).

Moderator (14:10): Siri, Google.

G2: K (14:13): Independent research.

Moderator (14:14): Independent research, what does that mean?

G2: K (14:15): Um, just looking pretty much, uh, looking at anyone on, either, like, YouTube, or online-

Moderator (14:22): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (14:22):

... that has a presence online, that you could actually, um, assess something, that backs it up with facts. It's not just saying, like, a blank statement, um, that actually, that they have facts with the statement.

Moderator (14:34): So, explain the YouTube thing to me, I'm having a hard time-

G2: K (14:37): Um, there's a few YouTubers, um, that haven't been censored yet-

Moderator (14:40): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (14:40): ... um, that pretty much give you, like, the real deal. UmModerator (14:45): Can you think of a name of one of them, I'm just curious, no?

G2: K (14:47): Yeah, there's a few. Like, there's some called the Hodgetwins, um, they're, like, conserconservative-

Moderator (14:51): Uh-huh.

G2: K (14:52): ... um, they just moved here to, uh, Vegas recently too.

Moderator (14:55): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (14:55): Um, there's a few, there's a few, there's a good amount.

Moderator (15:01): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (15:01): Um, some have been censored, some haven't. Um-

Moderator (15:05): And what does it mean if they get censored, to you?

G2: K (15:07): Uh, they pretty much, like, censorship is another topic that probably should be on here too.

Moderator (15:14): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (15:15): Um, it's a pretty big deal. Um, but-

Moderator (15:16): But if somebody gets censored from YouTube, what does that mean?

G2: K (15:18):

Like, they're not part of the, they're not following the agenda that, um, these big corporations have. Like, if someone says, um, coronavirus is, like, say, manmade, or say it was like a, um, just something other than, like, uh, what the regular media says on TV-

Moderator (15:34): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G2: K (15:35): ... um, then it goes, it goes against their agenda, um, so they, they try to censor them.

Moderator (15:39): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (15:40): Even though it could potentially, uh, most likely be right.

Moderator (15:46): Yeah.

G2: K (15:46): Um, yeah, just like someone saying that coronavirus was made to control people, um, and someone saying that it wasn't, um-

Moderator (15:52): Okay. So, G2: MH, where do you get your news from?

G2: MH (15:58): Uh, I like Twitter a lot.

Moderator (15:59): Oh, you do.

G2: MH (15:59): Personally, yeah.

Moderator (16:00): Uh-huh. Uh-huh.

G2: MH (16:01): Not, not necessarily, like, um, individual tweets made by actual people, but many times, something happens, where-

Moderator (16:07): Mm-hmm. G2: MH (16:07): ... you can pretty much, like, customize what you wanna see there.

Moderator (16:09): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (16:10): And then from there just do your own digging and fact-checking.

Moderator (16:13): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (16:14): It's a good source.

Moderator (16:15): Mm-hmm. Um, do you ever look, uh, do, would you say on Twitter that you're reading Tweets, or your watching videos, what would you say that you're doing?

G2: MH (16:24): So, there's a, um, there's, like, a, a news portion, or, like a what's going on.

Moderator (16:28): Oh.

G2: MH (16:28): Like, the trending portion, I guess.

Moderator (16:29): Yeah, yeah, yeah.

G2: MH (16:30): But from there, you can filter what results you wanna see.

Moderator (16:32): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (16:32): Um, and that could be whatever.

Moderator (16:33): Mm-hmm. G2: MH (16:36): Whatever news is happening daily, weekly.

Moderator (16:37): But do you get, like, notifications to go there-

G2: MH (16:41): No, I just, like, more browsing.

Moderator (16:43): You do it on, like-

G2: MH (16:43): Yeah.

Moderator (16:43): ... just whatever you wanna do?

G2: MH (16:44): Exactly.

Moderator (16:45): Mm-hmm. Anybody else, where, where do you get your news from? G2: MB?

G2: MB (16:47): I have one interesting, aside from Google, that I read it, during the day.

Moderator (16:53): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (16:53):

Uh, if something interesting happens, you know, from the Supreme Court in Washington, we like to watch the night, uh, TV shows, you know-

Moderator (17:02): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (17:02):

... uh, Jimmy Kimmel, Jimmy Fallon, Stephen Colbert, 'cause they give, like, a different perspective, and explain, you know, in friendly words-

Moderator (17:13): Mm-hmm. G2: MB (17:13):

... what just happened, benefits or consequences, um, and it's a fun way to find out what's-

Moderator (17:21): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (17:21): ... going on.

Moderator (17:22): What about local news? I mean, that, 'cause that, they kinda touch on national stuff right? What about local news, what do y'all-

G2: MB (17:28): I don't have cable anymore. So-

Moderator (17:29): Oh you don't have cable anymore.

G2: MJ (17:30): I only got Netflix (laughs).

G2: T (17:30): (laughs).

Moderator (17:33): You only have Netflix. So where are you gonna get your news, G2: MJ?

G2: MJ (17:34): I have internet.

Moderator (17:35): The internet.

G2: MJ (17:35): I'm on the phone all the time (laughing).

Moderator (17:38):

You're on the phone all the time. Now, when you're on your phone, do you h- like, like, an app of the news station, or you're just going through, like, [inaudible 00:17:44] news.

G2: MJ (17:45):

I just scroll through, I just scroll. Like, sometimes [inaudible 00:17:47] I don't even know how to use my new phone yet. So, my kids me a iPhone, okay, so I'm still learning (laughing). But my, my kids, I lers- I learn more from the kids, 'cause-

Moderator (17:54): E- is it, like, Facebook, Instagram, what are you looking at?

G2: MJ (17:56): Um, y- yeah, m- more like, uh, Instagram, or, uh, I don't know, just Google whatever it is I wanna know about, like, coronavirus, I'll type it in.

Moderator (18:03): Okay, so, when you say you're scrolling, you're scrolling-

G2: MJ (18:05): Whatever pops up.

Moderator (18:06): ... your, Google, or you're scrolling Facebook, or Instagram?

G2: MJ (18:08): Yeah, just Google.

Moderator (18:09): Google, okay.

G2: MJ (18:10): Google. Yeah.

Moderator (18:10): So, you're scrolling through Google. Yeah.

G2: MJ (18:11): I'll, I'll put the topic of whatever I wanna know about-

Moderator (18:13): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (18:13): ... and then just see what, what, uh, what people have to say, see what, what's being said.

Moderator (18:18): Mm-hmm. G2: MJ (18:18):

Some, I mean, I understand some things, some things I don't, so I'll go to what I do understand. And if I don't understand it, I'll call my kids, and they'll break it down real quick.

Moderator (18:26):

Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (18:26): But they're the ones that really a- you know-

Moderator (18:28): Do you ever do Google news, or you just looking at Google, and-

G2: MJ (18:31):

I just put the topic, like I said, I really don't know how to use my iPhone yet, but I um, put the topic in there. I have two phones, but I carry my android with me, 'cause I don't know my, my iPhone yet.

Moderator (18:40): So, you said you're on Instagram too?

G2: MJ (18:42): Um, yeah, I on Instagram too.

Moderator (18:44): What are you, what are you, kinda things do you see on Instagram, are you seeing news on there?

G2: MJ (18:46): Well, I'll just, I'll just, um, I'll just type in the, the topic, and just see what, what's going on, and-

Moderator (18:51): Oh.

G2: MJ (18:51): ... what's, what has to be said, you know?

G2: MJ (18:53): So you can do that on Instagram too?

G2: MJ (18:54): Yeah. Moderator (18:54): You can type a topic.

G2: MJ (18:55): Yeah. I, yeah.

Moderator (18:55): Okay. G2: MJ (18:56): Yeah, that's the same thing.

Moderator (18:58): Okay. Um, Isabelle, what about you, what are you, what, what's the main source of news that you get?

G2: I (19:02): Um, I'll see Facebook.

Moderator (19:03): Yeah.

G2: I (19:04): 'Cause they share, like, a lot of, like, if something happens in Vegas, they'll share it-

Moderator (19:08): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (19:09): ... and there'll just be, like, a lot of shares, or if something happens, like, with the government, or a change, gas prices-

Moderator (19:13): And are you, is that, like, people that your friends and family, or is it stuff that's getting f- like, people that you're following, or is it, like, [inaudible 00:19:21]-

G2: I (19:21): Yeah, it's like friends and family, they'll share, like, "Oh this is going on." Or, "This-

Moderator (19:25): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (19:25): ... drunk driver did this, and you know, here in Vegas." Um, also I follow Fox 5 News-

Moderator (19:31): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (19:31): ... so I can see their, like-

Moderator (19:33): And you follow them on Facebook?

G2: I (19:34): Yeah.

Moderator (19:35):

Now, when you, when you get on that Fox 5 News, do you, like, watch the videos, or are you, like, reading the stories? What, what do you prefer to do? Do you r- look at the videos, or are you reading the stories?

G2: I (19:44): Yeah, I look at the videos.

Moderator (19:45): Uh-huh.

G2: I (19:45): It's just easier for me to just know all the T-

Moderator (19:48): Okay.

G2: I (19:48): ... so I can hear all the details.

G2: MJ (19:50): Yeah.

Moderator (19:53): Okay.

G2: I (19:53): (laughs).

G2: MJ (19:53): For reals. Moderator (19:53): But what makes, um, one news source more trustworthy than another?

G2: MJ (19:59): That's why it's best to go to all of them.

Moderator (20:00): Yeah.

G2: MJ (20:01): I, for me, I, I'm serious, I, just to go to what I understand, you know, and get a little bit from them all-

Moderator (20:06): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (20:06): ... and then call the kids to confirm it (laughs). For me.

Moderator (20:09): G2: GC what, what about you?

G2: GC (20:11): [inaudible 00:20:11] um, the phones that I have, it just pops up on a notification. Like, if I'm on the phone, and something happens in Vegas-

G2: MJ (20:18): Yeah.

Moderator (20:19): Uh-huh.

G2: GC (20:19): ... if something really serious happens, then I'll click on it.

Moderator (20:19): And is that, like, part of your Apple phone?

G2: GC (20:20): Yeah.

Moderator (20:21): So, it's like Apple News. G2: GC (20:23): [inaudible 00:20:23] part of the phone.

Moderator (20:23): Uh-huh.

G2: GC (20:23): It comes with the phone.

Moderator (20:24): It comes with the phone.

G2: GC (20:25): Just a notification will pop up-

Moderator (20:26): Mm-hmm.

G2: GC (20:26): ... if something bad happens, or-

Moderator (20:28): That's how you keep up with it, through your phone. Do you watch TV at all?

G2: GC (20:32): Sometimes.

Moderator (20:33): Yeah, what about local news? Do you watch local news?

G2: GC (20:35): I used to.

Moderator (20:36): Yeah. Not anymore?

G2: GC (20:37): No.

Moderator (20:37): What happened?

G2: GC (20:39): Don't have a TV right now (laughs). Moderator (20:40): Oh, you don't have a TV right now. Okay, okay. Um, anybody else, what's your main source of news? G2: GA?

G2: GA (20:46): Um, also, um, Facebook.

Moderator (20:49): Facebook as well?

G2: GA (20:50): Facebook, yeah. And then especially there's, um, it's kinda funny because, uh, when I had, when I was, like I told you, I'm getting my, custody over my daughter-

Moderator (21:01): Uh-huh.

G2: GA (21:02): ... and, um, I was looking for the baby formula.

Moderator (21:04): Oh yeah.

G2: GA (21:05): Because they were about and everything, and, uh, and everything, and, um-

G2: MJ (21:08): Oh yeah, it was a big thing-

G2: GA (21:09): ... and somebody was telling me, like, where to look, and everything.

Moderator (21:12): So, you would use that-

G2: GA (21:13): So, so, um-

Moderator (21:13): Uh-huh.

G2: GA (21:14): ... there's a place called, um, Baby Formula LocatorModerator (21:18): Uh-huh.

G2: GA (21:18):

... and every time, whatever happens, just they take pictures wherever they see.

Moderator (21:22):

Yeah. So, so, some of y'all mentioned Facebook, I'm just curious, how much of, of the news do you think you get from social media, like, Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, Instagram, um, versus, like, TV? Like, would you say you get most of it from social media?

G2: MJ (21:39): Yes.

Moderator (21:39): Yeah.

G2: K (21:39): Y- 80%.

Moderator (21:41): 80%, says G2: K.

G2: GA (21:42): Mm.

G2: K (21:42): Maybe 90%, yeah.

Moderator (21:42): And, and where, where are you getting the, what social media apps are you using, G2: K?

G2: K (21:45): Um, mostly Twitter, um-

Moderator (21:47): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (21:48):

... Twitter you get, like, la- real live updates from people. Um, from actual people, um, maybe type in a topic in the search bar-

Moderator (21:57):

Mm-hmm.

G2: K (21:57): ... um, you could see the actual, uh, tweets from actual people around the world.

Moderator (22:03): Do you all feel that the news you get from social media is, like, true and you can trust it?

G2: K (22:07): Um-

G2: MJ (22:07): I don't.

G2: MH (22:07): Well, it's up to you.

G2: GC (22:07): Yeah, I don't.

G2: K (22:10): I trust it more than-

Moderator (22:10): What do you mean it's up to you, G2: MH? H- how would you, what would you to do to s- to say, "Oh, I could trust this or not trust this?" What do you, how do you discern?

G2: MH (22:18): I feel like it's maybe, um, subjective.

Moderator (22:22): Okay.

G2: MH (22:24): And well, you get to decide what you wanna believe-

Moderator (22:26): Okay.

G2: MH (22:27): ... and do fact-checking.

Moderator (22:29): Mm-hmm. You do fact-checking? WhatG2: K (22:32): Yeah, each news has their own agenda. [inaudible 00:22:34]-

Moderator (22:34): Each what?

G2: K (22:34): Each news outlet has their own agenda that they try to push.

Moderator (22:37): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (22:37): Um, and that's the thing with censorship is you don't really know what's real or what's not.

Moderator (22:42): And who's driving that agenda? G2: K, you say the news, and I've heard that a lot in some of the groups that we've been doing. But, um, what makes you think that?

G2: K (22:53): What makes me think what?

Moderator (22:54): That the news is driving a certain agenda?

G2: K (22:56): Uh, because they want you to not panic, they want you to believe a certain thing-

Moderator (22:59): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (23:00): ... um, they wanna give it you, like, the nice way, or they want you to believe something-

Moderator (23:04): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (23:04): ... other than what's really going on.

Moderator (23:06): Yeah, G2: T, what did you say? G2: T (23:07):

I said they want you to, like he said, they wanna give you, like, not, they don't wanna give you facts. Okay, they, they don't wanna give you full details. You gotta have facts behind everything, okay?

Moderator (23:18): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (23:18): So, I don't, I don't like social media stuff, with Facebook, and all that.

Moderator (23:22): You don't, do you use it at all?

G2: T (23:24): No.

Moderator (23:24): Where do you get your news from?

G2: T (23:26): Uh, my news, I look through, I'll go to Google, or I have a news on my phone where I can-

Moderator (23:30): The news.

G2: T (23:30): Yeah. Breaking news.

Moderator (23:31): And you have a Apple phone, or a Google phone?

G2: T (23:32): Mines a android.

Moderator (23:33): An android, okay.

G2: T (23:34): Yes, and it has the news, I have the app for the news.

Moderator (23:37): Okay. G2: T (23:37): And I get notifications from that.

Moderator (23:39): Okay.

G2: T (23:39): The only ch- I'm not I take that back, Channel 8 News, I like them.

Moderator (23:43): And you watch that on TV?

G2: T (23:44): I watch them on TV, or I can go to YouTube, and I can put in Channel 8 News-

Moderator (23:48): Okay. And that's how you do it?

G2: T (23:49): ... and I can see them. Yes.

Moderator (23:50): Okay.

G2: T (23:50): They're real good. I like Channel 8.

Moderator (23:52): Okay. Uh, do, going back to some of the folks that are on Twitter and Facebook, do y'all follow any political candidates, or anything political at all? Or do y'all follow anything? No.

G2: K (24:03): Yeah, a few.

Moderator (24:04): A few. What, okay, so G2: MH says no, Isabelle, do you follow any political stuff?

G2: I (24:08): Yeah, I try to keep up with Biden.

Moderator (24:10): You do? Why's that important to you?

G2: I (24:14):

Just because I feel like, ever since he got in office, a lot of things have been bad.

Moderator (24:20): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (24:21):

Um, I feel like he doesn't really have control over anything. He kinda just lets everybody control him around. You know, like, people around him control.

Moderator (24:32): Okay.

G2: I (24:32): Um, so I feel like he doesn't really put his foot down.

Moderator (24:34): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (24:35): And that really does affect all of us, because of gas, of inflation-

Moderator (24:40): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (24:41):

... everything going up, like, the market is super high right now, it's not gonna crash any time soon. So it's just things like that, that I wanna do in the future, like, I wanna buy a house in the future.

Moderator (24:55): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (24:55): I know that in two years, the market's not gonna crash.

Moderator (24:58): All right.

G2: I (24:59): It's just gonna keep going up.

Moderator (25:00): Okay. Uh, G2: K, you said you follow some folks, could you share who you follow? Do you know who, I mean, like, what, what folksG2: K (25:16):

Yeah, like, there's a few, like, um, there's a few who are, like, uh, um, it's 'cause I don't know the f- like, there's like a, there's one dude called Sneako, there's one dude called, uh, Alex Jones. And you gotta take everything with, like, a grain of salt, like, it's, it's gonna be kinda n- non bias, and like take, kinda take [inaudible 00:25:30] but not take it-

Moderator (25:30): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (25:30): ... um, as a fact.

Moderator (25:30): Okay.

G2: K (25:30): Kinda-

Moderator (25:34): Okay, I, I'm gonna change the subject and move on, 'cause I, I wanna-

G2: K (25:36): Yeah.

Moderator (25:36):

... be mindful of the time. We got a lot to cover, and we kinda have a shorter amount of time. But I wanna talk about what it means to be a good citizen. But not in the, the legal sense of being a citizen, a US citizen. I mean, just, like, what does it mean to be a good citizen? What are your obligations and duties, uh, to live in a society? What do you think those are? Anybody.

G2: MJ (25:58): I, I wanna say maybe just helping if you can.

Moderator (26:01): Okay.

G2: MJ (26:02):

Just caring enough to help, I, I think. I mean, although there's probably some people that are not, uh, like, how do I say it? Maybe not appreciated, but I think knowing that you can maybe ask somebody, or just if you see somebody in need-

Moderator (26:19): Mm-hmm. So helG2: MJ (26:19): ... stopping and helping.

Moderator (26:20): ... helping someone.

G2: MJ (26:20): Yeah.

Moderator (26:21): Okay.

G2: MJ (26:21): I, I feel that that can-

Moderator (26:22): Okay.

G2: MJ (26:23): ... can ha- yeah.

Moderator (26:24): Good citizen, anybody else? What is it? No right or wrong answer, not a test here.

G2: MJ (26:28): Right.

G2: K (26:28): (laughs).

Moderator (26:29): Anybody else? G2: GA?

G2: K (26:31): Just follow the golden rule.

Moderator (26:32): Follow the golden rule.

G2: K (26:35): Just treat everyone else like you would like to be treated.

Moderator (26:38):

Okay.

G2: T (26:39): [inaudible 00:26:39].

Moderator (26:38):

G2: GA what about you, what do you think? What is a, what is a good citizen, what do they do, what do they not do?

G2: GA (26:43): Um, I agree with what both of the, think like, helping-

Moderator (26:47): Mm-hmm.

G2: GA (26:49): ... you know, helping, helping a lot, because there's a lot of people that need help, you know?

Moderator (26:53): That need help.

G2: GA (26:54): But sometimes we try to help them, and, um, they take it for granted.

G2: MJ (27:03): There you go, take it for granted.

Moderator (27:04): Mm-hmm.

G2: GA (27:04):

You know, they take it for granted, and a lot of politician, like, um, for example, I mean, there's, like, I mean, I don't have no disrespect for the people that, that are asking for money or whatever, but when they say that they wanna eat, and you I've them something to eat, and they don't want it, you're just like, "You know what, I, I just gave you part, and I did it with my heart."

G2: MJ (27:25): That's right, yeah.

Moderator (27:26): Mm-hmm.

G2: GA (27:26):

You know? Like, and you do... But there's some that are honest, they're like, "I just want it for beer." Like, okay.

Moderator (27:32): Yeah (laughs). Okay.

G2: GA (27:32): You know (laughing), so-

Moderator (27:32): Okay.

G2: GA (27:35): ... but you know, I mean there's, there's a lot.

Moderator (27:37): Mm-hmm.

G2: GA (27:37): Like I say, I think it's like helping a lot.

Moderator (27:40): G2: T, what, what is a good citizen do? What are their obligations or duties in our society?

G2: T (27:46): Um-

Moderator (27:48): What do they do, what do they not do?

G2: T (27:52): That's a tough one for me to answer.

Moderator (27:52): It can be anything. Just, you know-

G2: T (27:57): [inaudible 00:27:57], I just, I don't know.

Moderator (27:57): (laughs).

G2: T (28:01): I know helping others out is good. Moderator (28:03): Helping others, okay.

G2: T (28:04): But to me, there are a lot of people who do it to get-

G2: MJ (28:08): Take advantage. G2: T (28:09): ... satisfaction for themselves.

Moderator (28:11): Okay.

G2: T (28:11): You wanna do it out of the kindness of your heart.

G2: GA (28:14): Yeah, yeah.

Moderator (28:14): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (28:14): And you want to make sure that that person truly, truly is appreciative-

Moderator (28:21): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (28:21): ... towards what you are doing for them.

Moderator (28:23): Mm-hmm. Um, G2: MB, what does a good citizen do, or not do, asides from helping? We've talked about helping, but what does a good citizen do, or not do?

G2: MB (28:31): For me, it's very important a good citizen should respect other people's rights. There you go.

Moderator (28:35): Okay. G2: MB (28:37):

Very important. Be a good driver, that's being a good citizen. Um, do not drive if you're drinking, that's a good citizen.

Moderator (28:44): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (28:46): That's good, that's good.

Moderator (28:47): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. Um, G2: MH, what do you think?

G2: MH (28:50):

Uh, it's not my direct opinion, but it kind of is, I guess voting. 'Cause I know a lot of people would believe that-

Moderator (29:01): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (29:05): ... caring about, 'cause being a citizen is just contributing to your direct so-

Moderator (29:07): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (29:07): ... society.

Moderator (29:08): You just said it's not yours, though, why isn't it yours?

G2: MH (29:11): Um, I don't know how much faith I have in it. So, that's why.

Moderator (29:17): And what, what i- have you lost faith, or you've never had faith?

G2: MH (29:19): It's just the, the unknowing, like, the never, the d- the direct confirmation that you will never get from voting.

Moderator (29:29): What do you mean? G2: K (29:29): If they count or not?

G2: MH (29:29):

Like, you don't know how much power your, your vote actually has, you don't know how much that-

G2: MJ (29:33): Wow.

G2: MH (29:33): ... is affecting whatever.

Moderator (29:35): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (29:36):

Like, yes, there's, like, a, a poll, and [inaudible 00:29:39] like, what wins out of the whatever, but you never know how much your direct vote actually mattered, or changed.

Moderator (29:46):

Do you think, so obviously you don't vote, do you, you just don't think that your vote matters, is that why?

G2: MH (29:52): Uh, I just don't know. I don't think that it does or it doesn't. I just don't know.

Moderator (29:58): Mm-hmm. G2: MJ, I heard you say something, what do you think about that?

G2: MJ (30:00):

I, I, as he spoke, I see that his [inaudible 00:30:03] (laughing) just, you know, um, I, I wonder that a lot too, does it even matter? I mean, is it gonna be what it's gonna be because they say it's gonna be that way, or, or do, does our vote matter?

Moderator (30:14): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (30:14): I, I, I wonder. You know? Um-

Moderator (30:18): Mm-hmm. G2: MJ (30:18):

... I, I wanna hope that, you know, we could maybe, you know, if everybody a- our I wanna hope our vote does matter, but I, I wonder, I don't know. Maybe it's a f-

Moderator (30:27): G2: GC what do you think?

G2: GC (30:31): Or if they have, like, their vote in already, that they know who's gonna win already.

Moderator (30:32): So, you think it's already-

G2: GC (30:34): Already decided.

Moderator (30:35): ... decided before?

G2: MJ (30:36): Yeah, yeah.

Moderator (30:36): That's the way you feel?

G2: MJ (30:36): Mm-hmm.

G2: GC (30:36): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (30:40): You feel like, so you feel like, "Why bother voting if it's already been decided?" Is that how you feel?

G2: GC (30:42): Yeah.

Moderator (30:43): I don't wanna put words in your mouth, I just wanna-

G2: GC (30:44):

Uh, yeah, it does, 'cause I just feel like it's already done and [inaudible 00:30:47] that they already have their, the who's gonna be the President, and the-

Moderator (30:52): And who's they, who, who are they that are making these decisions?

G2: GC (30:57): I don't know, that's why [inaudible 00:30:57]-

Moderator (30:57): You don't know? But you just know that there's some-

G2: GC (31:02): I just think, I just feel like there's already done [inaudible 00:31:02] that our votes do- doesn't even matter.

Moderator (31:02): Mm-hmm. G2: T, what do you think?

G2: T (31:05): Um, same. I mean, I don't, uh, Trump didn't win that by- he, he didn't win that by himself. Hilary Clinton should've been that President.

G2: K (31:13): (laughs).

G2: T (31:13): I, I'm sorry, that's just the way I feel.

Moderator (31:15): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (31:16): It's called money, okay. So, Hilary won that, that vote.

Moderator (31:21): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (31:24): By far [inaudible 00:31:24], to me I, you just can't trust 'em.

Moderator (31:26): Mm-hmm. G2: T (31:27): You know, I mean your vote should count, and you shouldn't feel that it doesn't. You know?

Moderator (31:33): Do you trust elections? No, you don't trust elections.

G2: T (31:36): I think it's, something, something's up with that.

Moderator (31:38): Okay, G2: I, what about you?

G2: I (31:40):

Yeah, I second that. I feel like there's definitely the administrative court, or the Supreme Court, I feel like it's a lot behind who wins and who doesn't.

Moderator (31:50): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (31:51): It's not about what we want, and what's best for us.

G2: MJ (31:54): What's best for us. Yeah.

Moderator (31:55): Mm-hmm. Is that why you don't vote, because you feel like it's-

G2: I (31:58):

Yeah, I just feel like all of us on the United States put together, if we all voted, it would be probably, like, a five percent difference, which is nothing. And I feel like they are the ones who sit in a room like this, and they're like, "What do you guys think? What's gonna make us more money? How can we take more money away from our people?"

G2: MJ (32:16): There you go.

G2: I (32:19): And that's what I feel like. That's why I don't vote.

Moderator (32:19): Yeah, and who are they?

G2: I (32:21):

The, I feel like the Supreme Court, like, the people that sit with Biden and Trump and they have meetings like this, and, you know, supposedly go versus each other, I feel like that's all lies.

Moderator (32:35): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. G2: GA, what do you think?

G2: GA (32:42):

Um, the same, uh, I feel like they already, they already made their decision. They already made their decision and-

Moderator (32:47): Your vote doesn't matter.

G2: GA (32:48): Yeah.

Moderator (32:49): What about you, G2: K, does your vote matter?

G2: K (32:51):

Um, personally, I don't really think so. I feel like it's just, like, a little game they give us to kinda, like, entertain us, and the decision's already been made. Um, and that's part of, like, the whole censorship, and the gena- agenda, um, that I was talking about, is that we've pretty much, like, all lost hope, and we don't know what to believe, and what not, what to believe and what not to believe, um, because they tell us one thing, and then it's not, it's not that. Like, firstly, like, how many times have they changed, when they told us that the vaccine was gonna help us, and the [inaudible 00:33:21]-

Moderator (33:21): Yeah, you keep saying they, who, who is they? 'Cause Isabelle's they is some-

G2: K (33:25): Yeah.

Moderator (33:25): Who is your they? When you say they-

G2: K (33:27):

Um, my they is, is pretty much people who are in control of the, um, pretty much of, like, like, there's a whole people who above, um, like, the President, and, like, uh, a lot of these government officials, um, there's people on top that pretty much, like, control them, um-

Moderator (33:49): Mm-hmm. G2: K (33:49): ... and they're just, like, puppets.

Moderator (33:50): Have you always felt this way, or is this something that-

G2: K (33:52): Yeah.

Moderator (33:52): Yeah. G2: K (33:54):

Yeah. But now it's, it's more certain now, with, with how much, like, social media has grown, um, and with how much, like, just lies we've been told. Um-

Moderator (34:04): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (34:04): ... and definitely now, it's like a, it's, it's like, uh, it's definitely official now (laughs).

Moderator (34:08): Mm-hmm. G2: MB, what about you?

G2: MB (34:12): Well, um, I have two thoughts in my mind. The first one, uh, as they were saying, um, they get involved in the result of the elections. For me, they, from what I heard, I don't know about the last election, but, uh, you know, with Hilary and Trump, they said, and they kinda showed proof, that Russia had somehow been involved in that.

G2: K (34:36): Yeah.

G2: MB (34:36):

I don't know. But that not the reason why I don't vote. Um, I don't wanna sound ignorant, I don't know id it's true or not, but, um, I was told, and I have seen it with my in-laws, that when you register to vote, it's like they use the same pool of names, and then you get called for jury duty. And that's, I, I don't, I don't wanna be called for jury duty.

Moderator (35:03): Mm-hmm. G2: K (35:03): (laughs). G2: MB (35:03): (laughs). 'Cause I have, yeah, I have a six year old [inaudible 00:35:07], yeah, and who's gonna take care of him-Yeah. ... while I'm there? Moderator (35:11): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. G2: MB (35:11): Yeah. Moderator (35:12): Mm-hmm. G2: MB (35:13): And I've never been called to jury duty, 'cause I'm not, I'm not registered. Yeah. Moderator (35:17): Okay. Um, do you think it's an obligation as a good citizen though, to do jury duty? G2: MB (35:23): Yes. Moderator (35:23): Okay. G2: MB (35:24): But I have a six year old, without his [inaudible 00:35:27] who's gonna take care of him? Moderator (35:28): Mm-hmm. If jury, e- just say if on jury duty, if you had a notice and it said, "We want you to serve jury duty, and guess what, we're gonna provide childcare," would that change your mind? G2: MB (35:42): No. Because I'm not leaving him with someone that he doesn't know very, or is not prepared to take good care of him. Interesting. Moderator (35:45):

Okay.

G2: MB (35:47):

If they would, were to say, uh, "You're being called to jury duty, and we're gonna pay your husband so that he can miss his day at work, and he can stay home taking care of your kid," then definitely. Yeah, 'cause I know he's gonna be with my husband.

Moderator (36:00):

Mm-hmm. Ha- uh, so I know some of y'all may have been registered, or, or not, or, but everyone in this group that's not registered to vote right now, have you ever been asked to register to vote, and when, and when you have and you've said no, what, what did you say, and w- I mean, where, tell me about that experience? Mi- G2: MH, hae you ever been asked to register to vote?

G2: MH (36:20): Yeah. I just said I'm not interested.

Moderator (36:21): You just say you're not interested.

G2: MH (36:22): I don't have to tell them. [inaudible 00:36:24]-

Moderator (36:24): Where do they, what do they approach you?

G2: MH (36:26): Uh, like, outside of colleges-

Moderator (36:28): Uh-huh.

G2: MH (36:29): ... just always.

Moderator (36:30): And so you're, you're not interested, G2: MH, tell me more about that. Say more.

G2: MH (36:36): Um, like I said, earlier, I just it's the unknowing of what's gonna happen. So, how can I be interested in something that I, I don't know what the result would be?

Moderator (36:48): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm. Do you trust elections to be true and accurate? Do you trust that they will, that they're don't fair? G2: MH (36:51): I mean, that's just that's just the thing, like, it all goes back to just not knowing. I, I don't know.

Moderator (36:58): Okay.

G2: MH (36:59): I can't say that do trust it or I don't.

Moderator (37:03): Okay. Okay. Um, G2: GC what about you? Have you ever been asked to register to vote?

G2: GC (37:07): I have.

Moderator (37:08): And what did you say?

G2: GC (37:11): I just told them I couldn't.

Moderator (37:11): You couldn't.

G2: GC (37:11): Yeah.

Moderator (37:11): Mm-hmm.

G2: GC (37:12): 'Cause of my background.

Moderator (37:13): Uh-huh.

G2: GC (37:14): That would, yeah, don't think it's, 'cause what's happened to me, I don't think it was fair.

Moderator (37:17): Okay.

G2: GC (37:18):

But the [inaudible 00:37:19]-

Moderator (37:19) Mm-hmm.

G2: GC (37:20): I just don't.

Moderator (37:22): And now that, that I guess, I guess it's a, fair to say that you got that right taken away from you.

G2: GC (37:28): Yeah, a long time ago.

Moderator (37:28): Do you want it back?

G2: GC (37:30): Um, like, now I just feel like doesn't, sometimes it doesn't even matter.

Moderator (37:35): What do you mean it doesn't matter?

G2: GC (37:36): 'Cause, uh, politics, I just fee- feel like it's, um, it's their decision [inaudible 00:37:42].

Moderator (37:42): Is there anything that could make you feel like you would wanna register to vote? Is there anything that could change, or you just feel like you just [inaudible 00:37:51]-

G2: GC (37:50): Yeah, I feel like there's not enough, like, help out there for people that get out of prison, or-

Moderator (37:55): Mm-hmm.

G2: GC (37:56):

... [inaudible 00:37:56] that second chance, they just push 'em away, and that's why they keep repeating what they do [inaudible 00:38:01].

Moderator (38:01): Mm-hmm. You don't feel like you could change that with your vote, though? No?

G2: GC (38:06):

Um, sometimes.

Moderator (38:07): Mm-hmm. Okay.

G2: GC (38:10): But it's like they look at you as a different person because you've been in prison, or you have that background-

Moderator (38:15): Mm-hmm.

G2: GC (38:16): ... they look at you different, and I think [inaudible 00:38:19].

Moderator (38:19): Mm-hmm. Do you think a lot of people who've been in prison feel the same way you do-

G2: GC (38:23): Yes.

Moderator (38:23): ... or you... Yeah. Do you ever talk about it, or-

G2: GC (38:26): Yeah, I talk about it.

Moderator (38:28): Yeah.

G2: GC (38:29): [inaudible 00:38:29] help, 'cause you try to get that help, and they push you away, they look at you different, they judge you.

Moderator (38:32): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G2: GC (38:32): A lot of people.

Moderator (38:37): G2: MJ, what about you? Has anybody ever asked you to vote? G2: MJ (38:39):

Yeah, but I ignore it, or [inaudible 00:38:41] (laughing), because I don't. I, I don't wanna be mean to them, but I know they get credit, but I think they get credit for, like, all the signatures they get. So, I, but I don't wanna be mean, but I'll be like, "Okay, when I come out the store," or something (laughing) and I'll come out the other o- the other way (laughs). That's so bad, huh? And a- or w- if I get something in the mail-

Moderator (39:00): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (39:00): ... I just rip it. I just rip it.

Moderator (39:02): And why, what, what makes you feel this way? What, why are you not interested in voting?

G2: MJ (39:06): Because again, I feel like it doesn't matter.

Moderator (39:08): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (39:08):

I feel like, uh, it just a- I don't know why, I, I know I'm not very educated on it, on who they are, and what they do, but I just think that our vote don't matter.

Moderator (39:19): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (39:19): So, why even waste my time?

Moderator (39:22): Okay.

G2: MJ (39:22): You know?

Moderator (39:23):

Okay. Anybody else wanna comment on this before we move on?

Uh, I wanna talk to you a- real quick, I, go to the next page on your handout, it's gonna be page three, I believe. Um, there's a, here it says, I want you to take a moment and fill out, just wite the first thing that comes to your mind when it says Democratic Party on the top part,

and on the bottom the first thing that comes to mind when you think of Republican Party. You don't have to write complete sentences, it can be bullets.

G2: MJ (39:53): Can I ask something?

Moderator (39:54): Yeah.

G2: MJ (39:55): What's Democratic?

Moderator (39:56): Oh, okay. And that's a fair question. So, you wanna know what is the Democratic Party?

G2: MJ (40:01): Party, yeah.

Moderator (40:01): Okay.

G2: MJ (40:01): What's the Democratic Party? Who is that? What is that?

Moderator (40:04): Does anybody wanna answer that? What do you think?

G2: GC (40:08): If I knew, I'd put it [inaudible 00:40:08]-

Moderator (40:08): Like-

G2: GA (40:08): The people that get what they want.

Moderator (40:08): (laughs).

G2: MJ (40:08): Is that them? Is that them (laughing)?

Moderator (40:08): Well, when you talk aboutG2: K (40:08): Biden.

Moderator (40:08): Yeah.

G2: MJ (40:08): Okay, got it.

Moderator (40:18): There's a de- there's a Democratic Party, and a Republican Party-

G2: MJ (40:18): And Republican.

Moderator (40:19): Do you wanna-

G2: K (40:20): Hm?

Moderator (40:21): Go to, you wanna-

G2: K (40:23):

Um, yeah, uh, pretty much, if I'm not mistaken, uh, Biden's part of the Democratic Party, and they have more of, like, that free think, uh, where they believe anything like LGBQT, and, like, uh, Black Lives Matter, and more like super sensitive on certain topics.

G2: MJ (40:37): Got you.

G2: K (40:38): Um, whereas, I feel like Republican is more like they're more like, stricter, um, it's more like a, like, the Trump administration.

G2: MJ (40:45): Okay.

G2: K (40:46):

Um, they're more, like, uh, strict on, on, like government and economy and, yeah, they're just, it's, it's yeah (laughs).

Moderator (40:53): Wat do you think, G2: MH? What, how would, how would you answer G2: MJ's question? What do you think the Democratic party is versus the re- Republican Party?

G2: MH (41:01): Um-

Moderator (41:02): There's no right or wrong answer here, you just-

G2: MH (41:04): Uh, yeah.

Moderator (41:04): ... what do you just think?

G2: MH (41:06): There is something I'd like to bring up first, before I did answer that.

Moderator (41:09): Yeah.

G2: MH (41:09):

Uh, I seen a video, um, not too long ago, where it was act- I found out that the, well, I, I haven't been able to fact-check it, 'cause I just didn't look it up-

Moderator (41:18): Yeah.

G2: MH (41:18): ... I just watched it. But I found out that the Republican party is actually the ones that, like, incited or took the steps to free slaves-

Moderator (41:28): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (41:28):

.... whenever that happened, it wasn't, like, the Democratic Party. And I, I think most people would be led to believe that it was the Democratic Party.

Moderator (41:35): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (41:36):

But then again, I, I haven't fact-checked that-

Moderator (41:37): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (41:38): ... but that, like, that was interesting to me.

Moderator (41:39): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (41:40): Um-

Moderator (41:42): Because you think it's sort of, like, people would expect the opposite, right?

G2: MH (41:45): Yeah, so like-

Moderator (41:46): Okay.

G2: MH (41:46): ... I guess that would lead into, like, my answer, like-

Moderator (41:48): Mm-hmm.

G2: MH (41:49): ... people may think that the Democratic Party is more [inaudible 00:41:53]-

Moderator (41:52): Well, what do you think the Democratic party is though?

G2: MH (41:54): Um-

Moderator (41:57): When, when, you know, when I say, what's the first thing that comes to mind when you think of the Democratic Party?

G2: MH (42:01): Like it's har- like, hardly any- hardly anything. Moderator (42:07): Hardly anything.

G2: MH (42:08): [inaudible 00:42:08] yeah, like, I don't, it's not really something in my mind.

Moderator (42:12): Okay. But if I were to say, "Democratic Party," what's the first thing that pops in your head?

G2: MH (42:16): Blue (laughs).

Moderator (42:16): Blue, okay.

G2: MH (42:16): Yeah.

Moderator (42:19): That's fair. That's fair. Uh, what-

G2: MB (42:21): That's something I don't know, the colors.

Moderator (42:22): Uh-huh.

G2: MB (42:22): (laughs). What are the colors that identify the [inaudible 00:42:25]-

Moderator (42:24): Do you know the colors?

G2: MB (42:26): I know one is blue and one is red, but which one is-

Moderator (42:28): Does anybody know which one is which? Does [inaudible 00:42:32]-

G2: I (42:31): Blue is Democratic, right? G2: MJ (42:33): Democratic's blue, he just said (laughs).

G2: T (42:34): (laughs).

Moderator (42:38): Okay, okay. What did you write down, G2: I, as your, like, first, uh, Democratic Party, what did you write down?

G2: I (42:42): I haven't write down anything (laughs).

Moderator (42:45): You haven't wrote anything down?

G2: I (42:45): No.

Moderator (42:45): Okay, well write away. Write awa- write, and write and talk to me at the same time. What would you say?

G2: I (42:49):

Um, yeah, I would, uh, second with, uh, G2: K here. Uh, I, like, Black Lives Matter, um, they did the June 10, tenneth, is that what it's called?

G2: K (42:59): Juneteenth?

G2: I (42:59): Yeah, they did that, um, and gas prices going up. That's all I can think of.

G2: K (43:06): (laughs).

G2: MJ(43:06): (laughs).

Moderator (43:06): Okay.

G2: K (43:06): (laughs). G2: MJ (43:06): (laughs).

Moderator (43:06): G2: MB, what did you write down?

G2: MB (43:09): For me, Democratic Party, uh, is, um, Michelle Obama, Kamala Harris, and Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez.

Moderator (43:17): Okay.

G2: MB (43:18): Like, empowered women.

Moderator (43:20): Okay. And what did you put for Republican Party?

G2: MB (43:22): Uh, Trump, racist, and "Pro life."

Moderator (43:26): Pro life.

G2: MB (43:27): But like this. Like "Pro life."

Moderator (43:29): Okay. And what does that mean, "Pro life"?

G2: MB (43:32):

Like, um, I- G2: I had a very interested point, um, something that I, I think changed my mind today. Not changed my mind, because I was already against this new regulation of abortion, but, um, she said what's gonna happen in a few years is that, uh, foster homes are gonna be filled with kids that society, no- no one in society will want, and they are saying, "We don't want abortion because we're pro life," well are they going to start a movement for adoptions?

Moderator (44:08): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (44:08): I don't think so. Moderator (44:10): Did you say something about them being racist?

G2: K (44:12): (laughs).

G2: MB (44:13): Yeah, that's-

Moderator (44:13): What makes you say that? Wa- like how are they racist, in what way?

G2: MB (44:16):

Do you remember when, um, it was, um, the election process, uh, there were a lot of, uh, racists acts with people wearing their shirts when they would go to these rallies.

Moderator (44:36): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (44:36):

Um, and they would use racist slang. Do you remember how they used to refer to Asian people in coronavirus? Uh, people started attacking Asian people when COVID started. And, um, it all started at these rallies of bri- the Republican Party.

Moderator (44:56): Mm-hmm. Okay.

G2: MH (44:58): If I, if what I said earlier was true would you feel the same way?

G2: MB (45:00): What?

G2: MH (45:04): Um, that repub- the Republican Party was the people responsible for freeing slaves.

G2: MB (45:08): Oh, because there's a Republican Party in the past, like my in-

G2: MH (45:14): Oh, so you think it's changed?

G2: MB (45:14):

... like my in-laws, they, they used to be Republicans, and what they tell me, wow, they, they had a different philosophy, like, really, really good, you know, focus, uh, the United States used to be different back then-

Moderator (45:30): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (45:30): ... than what I'm seeing now.

Moderator (45:32): G2: T, what did you write down for Democratic Party?

G2: T (45:34):

Um, for Democratic, I put, um, Biden, and then I also put, um, that, well, he did one good thing, women have rights now, okay? So that's, that's one good thing. And then this thing with Black Lives Matter, no, all lives should matter.

Moderator (45:49): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (45:50): Not just black lives.

Moderator (45:52): Okay. O-

G2: T (45:52): And it's not, you know, I'm not being racist, but I think all lives should matter.

Moderator (45:55): Okay. And what did you put on the, the bottom part?

G2: T (45:58): I put racism.

G2: K (45:59): (laughs).

Moderator (45:59): Racism on the- And what makes you, that's the Republican part, right?

G2: T (46:02): Tr- yeah, that's the Republican. Moderator (46:03): And what makes you say racism?

G2: T (46:04): Because, um Trump, uh, I don't know if, uh, you recall, or he had fired one of his, um, it was a woman that he had termed-

Moderator (46:13): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (46:13):

... I don't know which, from which, which, um, which part of the, uh, White House, but, uh, he terminated her because of her, her weight. You know, you don't do stuff like that. And then when he was at the-

G2: MJ (46:27): [inaudible 00:46:27]-

G2: T (46:27): Yeah. He just, yeah, Trump is-

G2: MJ (46:28): I didn't know that.

Moderator (46:28): Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G2: T (46:29): Yeah, he's very, he, yeah-

Moderator (46:31): Mm-hmm.

G2: T (46:31): ... and his wife is...

Moderator (46:33): Do you think the parties are inviting and opening to Latinos, or what do you think about the political parties?

G2: K (46:41): Only when it benefits them. G2: MB (46:48): Exactly, yeah.

G2: K (46:48): (laughs) Yeah. They sell you a dream. They sell you a dream.

Moderator (46:48): What did you say, G2: K?

G2: K (46:49): They just sell you a dream.

Moderator (46:50): They just sell you a dream.

G2: K (46:51): Yeah.

G2: T (46:51): I mean, it, uh, like the wall, I mean-

Moderator (46:53): What is the dream that they're selling you?

G2: K (46:54): Uh, more freedom, um-

Moderator (46:57): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (46:58): But there's a lot of, a lot of, there's a lot of things. But pretty much, like, more freedom, and-

Moderator (47:04): Would say that one part, y'all mentioned a couple of issues when you were talking about Democrats and Republicans, was there, um, like an issue that you think one is, is, is better at than another? Is there, like, these, "Oh the democrats are really better with this issue," or, "The Republicans are better, really better with this issue"? Can you think of anything?

G2: K (47:21): Um, I feel like they both have bad things, and they both have good things.

Moderator (47:26): Mm-hmm. Can you give me an example? G2: K (47:31): Um, where they come together, or just of the, the bad things?

Moderator (47:37): It doesn't matter, just whatever.

G2: K (47:41): Um, let me think about for a little bit.

Moderator (47:41): It's all right, that's okay.

G2: K (47:41): (laughs).

Moderator (47:43):

No worries, no worries. Um, uh, has anybody ever, okay, so we talked about you being asked to, to register to vote, um, have you ever gotten... Well, well let me move on, I'm sorry. 'Cause I know we're, we're only got about five more minutes. So, I just wanna get a, a show of hands, how many people, raise your hand if you have a positive view of the Democratic Party. Raise your hand if you have a positive view of the Democratic Party.

No. Okay, what about a positive view of the Republican Party, does anybody have a positive view of the republican Party?

No. Okay, so no hands. Okay, what about negative. Does anybody have a negative view of the Democratic Party? Raise your hands.

How many have a negative view of the Democratic Party? Anybody? Well, we're just sort of, like, on the fence here, we don't know what we feel.

G2: K (48:40): (laughs) Yeah.

Moderator (48:41):

Talk to me a little bit about, you don't feel positive, you don't feel negative, what, what is it? You just e- talk to me a little bit more about this. G2: MJ?

G2: MJ (48:46):

I, I, I wish I knew a little bit more, um, I wish I was more educated on it, or did more research so I could speak more right now (laughs). 'Cause I do like to talk, but, um, (laughing), but, but, um, just, just from, like, what I hear, you know, like, for instance, um, the Democratic Party how they said hire, they hire, they're the reason why our gas is high, and so I would say that that's the negativeness for me. Um, all the things that aint for us, all the things that, that aint for us, I, I would have to say. But, like, again, I'm not really educated on it to know of I'm even saying it the right way. But that's, that's what-

Moderator (49:23): Mm-hmm.

G2: MJ (49:23): ... I have to say.

Moderator (49:24):

So, G2: MJ feels like she doesn't really know about the parties, does anybody else feel like they don't really know enough about the parties, or do you feel like you know? How would you describe the, the parties, G2: GA? What would you say?

G2: GA (49:36): Rich people and poor people.

Moderator (49:37): Mm-hmm.

G2: GA (49:39):

Rich people and poor people. I think the, there Democrats, they're all rich people, and they're just, they just get what they want.

Moderator (49:48): Mm-hmm.

G2: GA (49:48): And the Republicans just, like, the poor people, and they give 'em, like, the seconds, or they give 'em the leftovers.

Moderator (49:55): Mm-hmm.

G2: GA (49:56):

That's how I feel, 'cause that's why, that's why so probably, like, the Republicans is more, you know, like, about racism and everything like that, like, like, what they're saying, like, whether will help out or not. A lot of people, you know, they, they come, they come here, they have their kids here, and then, um, the, they have to be, like, um, they have to have certain things, or certain rules, certain guidelines, whatever, just because, um, their kids were born here. And they don't allow them to be, like, citizenship, which they deserve it. They, they deserve it as much as anybody else.

Moderator (50:36): Mm-hmm. G2: GA (50:36):

It doesn't matter if you're green or blue or purple, anything like that, you, you know, you, you still deserve it. They still deserve it, because, you know, you you come here, you work, you know, you, you.

Moderator (50:47):

So, who's denying them citizenship? Democrats, Republicans, both? Who's, who's denying citizenship?

G2: GA (50:52):

I, I think both of them. I mean, I, um a- I'm thinking it's both of them. Moderator (50:56):

So, that brings up the issue of sort of immigration. Do you think, you n- how do you think the Democrats and Republicans are doing on the issue of immigration?

G2: I (51:04):

They just tell you what you wanna hear because of how many Hispanic kids, or adults there is now-

Moderator (51:11): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (51:12): ... in the United States. I feel like there's a lot of Latinos-

G2: GA (51:14): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (51:14):

... so we're the ones voting now. And, uh, they tell us what we wanna hear, like, "Oh, we're gonna get your parents' papers-

G2: GA (51:21): Yeah.

G2: I (51:21):

... your, your parents are gonna be able to, you know, get their taxes, you know, pay taxes, this." Like, our parents pay taxes, so they should be getting money back, you know-

G2: GA (51:29):

Right.

Moderator (51:29):

Mm-hmm. G2: I (51:29): ... not just for us. Um, not just us, but I feel like they tell us what we wanna hear, like, "Yeah, vote for me, I'm gonna make sure your parents get, you know, good paying jobs-G2: GA (51:39): Yeah.

G2: I (51:39):

... um, immigrants this, immigrants that," and it makes us, "Oh my god, we're gonna go vote for them, because my mom and dad can ha- so then my mom and dad can have papers." Moderator (51:47): Mm-hmm.

G2: I (51:47):

Then they get in office, and they don't do anything about it. [inaudible 00:51:50]-Moderator (51:49): So, both Democrats and Republican, or just-G2: I (51:53): Yeah, both. Um, Biden, Trump all say the same thing-

G2: GA (51:57): Yeah, all of them, yeah.

G2: I (51:57):

... when they're talking. They all say, "Oh, I'm gonna get you guys this. Um, if you've been here for 20 plus years, you're gonna get papers, if you have so an a- a son or a daughter this age, you're gonna get papers." They just tell you that so you can vote.

G2: GA (52:11): Yeah.

Moderator (52:11): Yeah.

G2: MB (52:11): They're-

Moderator (52:12): No, go ahead.

G2: MB (52:13):

I'm sorry, they're equally the same. What I've seen is, uh, the Democratic Party, uh, tends to use the Latino vote to get them to office. Like, during the election process, you would see the Democratic, um, candidate, um, touring [inaudible 00:52:37] Telemundo, you know, promising

that, "Yeah, we're, we care about immigration." And here's the fun fact, when, uh, Trump was in office, do you guys remember that there was this awful news that the kids whose parents have been deported were kept inside cages?

Moderator (52:55): Mm.

G2: T (52:55): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (52:56): And everybody said, "Oh my god, he's a monster." And then-

G2: T (52:59): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (53:00): ... they said it was Obama-

G2: T (53:01): Obama.

G2: MB (53:02): ... the one who-

G2: T (53:03): Did-

G2: MB (53:03):

... built the cages. So, they're equally the same as terrible, terrible when it comes about immigration laws.

G2: T (53:11): Mm-hmm.

Moderator (53:12):

Is there any issue that the Democrats or Republicans are good on? Is there any issue you think that they're good on, from what you know?

Any, any issue, G2: GC, do you think there's anything that Democrats or Republicans are good on?

G2: GC (53:24):

No, I feel like the, they should have, for, like, the poor kids that live in the countries, that are like, I mean, they have no food to eat or nothing like that, they should help them more.

Moderator (53:34): Mm-hmm. So, you don't feel like they do enough-

G2: GC (53:35): No.

Moderator (53:35): ...for the poor? Okay.

G2: GC (53:38): Like, if you have money, you get everything handed to you, if you don't, it's like-

G2: T (53:41): If you don't have money, you won't get nothing.

G2: GC (53:41): You don't get nothing.

G2: T (53:41): (laughs).

G2: GC (53:41): You starve.

Moderator (53:46): Mm-hmm. What do you think, G2: T, is there, is there an issue that the Democrats or Republicans are good at? Is there anything that they're good at? Any issue at all.

G2: T (53:52): Not that I can think of. Moderator (53:54): No.

G2: K (53:54): Just lying.

Moderator (53:55): Lying you said, G2: K?

G2: GA (53:56): (laughs).

G2: T (53:59):

(laughs) [inaudible 00:53:59].

Moderator (53:59): What do they lie about? What do they lie about?

G2: K (54:02):

Everything, I mean, this corona whole vi- whole coronavirus has, like, exposed a lot of people, like, um, like [inaudible 00:54:09] and Pelosi, how they preach about masks and this and that, and pri- and all this PPE, and then you see them at parties without wearing any masks. And then, but they make the rules of they will close down businesses, um, they woulda, they woulda pretty much shut down any, any parties of, like, uh, more than, like, four, six people, but they would hang out themselves and had parties, and no one wears masks, and they just, they, it's just a bunch of, like, bunch of lies that they that they s-

Moderator (54:34): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (54:34): ... that they tell you.

Moderator (54:36): Is there anyone in the Democratic Party or the Republican Party that you trust? Is there anyone?

G2: K (54:42): Um-

Moderator (54:43): You go- uh, G2: I, G2: MH, is there anyone in any of the parties that you trust? No.

G2: K (54:48):

I feel like the Republicans you can just trust them to, to, like, uh, to be straight up. Like, if they're, like, racist, or they don't feel, um, right about a certain subject, or topic, they're gonna tell you how it is, uh, uh, compared to the Democrats, they're gonna sell you, they're gonna be, like, they're gonna be more-

Moderator (55:07): Is there any politician that you guys trust? Anyone?

G2: K (55:10): Well, sometimes-

G2: MB (55:12): I feel like this Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez, she's a Puerto Rican, she's working in the BronxModerator (55:15): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (55:15): ... she is part of the Senate. I follow her on Instagram.

Moderator (55:18): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (55:19):

And she is always, um, being s- so clear about what's going on, explaining, like, she would give names, like, who voted against any paper, even if she has to throw, uh, people of her same party under the bus.

Moderator (55:37): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (55:38): I just feel like she is promising, like, who knows in tel- 10, 12 years-

Moderator (55:44): Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (55:44): ... if she, um-

Moderator (55:47): Do you think she represents the Democratic Party, or do you think she's different from the Democratic Party?

G2: MB (55:51):

I think she represents the democratic Party, but, like, with the renovated mind. Because I feel like they're just, uh, Republican and Democratic are enemies, and what they says, then they are gonna block what they want to do. But she really wants to do something. That's how I feel, I hope I don't get disappointed any time soon.

G2: K (56:15): (laughs).

G2: MB (56:16): But that's how I feel.

Moderator (56:17):

Mm-hmm.

G2: MB (56:17): But she's very young.

Moderator (56:20): Okay. Um, I wanna, we, we're running out of time, so I wanna go to this last exercise, which is, I, I want you to write down what would it take to r- to get you to register to vote for this general election coming up?

G2: K (56:35): Oh.

Moderator (56:35):

And, and I mean, and is, is there nothing, is a- is your answer nothing? If it's nothing, I want you to explain it to me. What, what would it take to get you to register to vote in the upcoming general election?

G2: I, as you're writing that down, can you tell me what would it take?

G2: I (56:48): Nothing.

Moderator (56:48): Why is that?

G2: I (56:49): My vote doesn't count.

Moderator (56:51):

Okay. G2: MJ, what would it take?

G2: MJ (56:53):

So, I put nothing, because I feel that it don't matter. My vo- my vote-

Moderator (56:57): G2: T?

G2: MJ (56:57): ... my vote don't matter.

Moderator (56:58): G2: T, what would it take? G2: T (56:58): Um, the same.

Moderator (56:58): Doesn't matter.

G2: T (57:01): It, it, it doesn't matter. Our votes don't matter.

Moderator (57:03): Okay.

G2: T (57:03): So-

Moderator (57:03): And they don't matter because they're not counting-

G2: T (57:06): [inaudible 00:57:06] yeah, it's already set.

Moderator (57:07): It's already set.

G2: T (57:08): It's already it's a s- it's a done deal.

Moderator (57:10): Okay. G2: GC, what about you?

G2: GC (57:11): Um, more help, opportunities.

Moderator (57:14): More help, and more opportunities. That might, and, and your opportunities, you're thinking, like, for jobs, or what kinda opportunities are you talking about?

G2: GC (57:21): For, like, for the ex felons when-

Moderator (57:24): More opportunities fro ex felons. Okay.

G2: GC (57:25):

Yeah, the people that want that second chance.

Moderator (57:27): Okay. More second chances. G2: MB, what did you write?

G2: MB (57:30):

If I could know for sure that I will not be called for jury duty, I will definitely [inaudible 00:57:34]-(laughs).

Moderator (57:35): G2: K, what did you write?

G2: K (57:36):

Uh, just honesty, and transparency, and, um, uh, I feel like it, it matters more if you vote local, than if you vote, um, like a, pretty much government, like-

Moderator (57:45): Wa- what makes you say that?

G2: K (57:46):

Uh, 'cause it makes more of a difference, um, if you vote local, 'cause you could actually see the changes-

Moderator (57:52): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (57:52): ... uh, compared to pretty much a-

Moderator (57:54): Okay.

G2: K (57:54): ... sending out, like, a empty vote.

Moderator (57:56): G2: GA, what did you write?

G2: GA (57:57): Nothing.

Moderator (57:58): Nothing. Why not? G2: GA (57:59): Uh, doesn't matter.

Moderator (58:03):

Okay, doesn't matter. Uh, we've come to the end of the session, and I wanna thank you so much for staying a little late. I really appreciate it, 'cause we got started a little late-

G2: MB (58:08): Yeah.

Moderator (58:08):

... 'cause the girls kinda got lost. But, uh, so thank you. But before you leave, um, I don't want you to wake up in the middle of the night, and say-

G2: K (58:14): (laughs).

Moderator (58:14): ... "Oh, I wish I woulda said that in the focus group." You'll be tossing and tuning all night.

G2: K (58:17): (laughs).

Moderator (58:17): Is there anything-

G2: MJ (58:18): (laughs).

Moderator (58:18):

... 'cause I kinda was going kinda fast, is there anything you wanna add that maybe I didn't get to cover, or you wanna just say before we leave this evening?

G2: K (58:25): No.

Moderator (58:26): No.

G2: K (58:26): I mean, I just, I just hope the, just keep your eyes open, and-

G2: MJ (58:32): Yeah. G2: K (58:32):believe, like, just be, be, like, um, more careful in believing whatever you see.

Moderator (58:37): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (58:38): And if you want the real news, get a VPN, and, uh, go on the, on the dark web.

Moderator (58:50): Is that where the real news lives, on the dark web?

G2: MJ (58:50): Dark web?

G2: K (58:50): That's where the real news lives.

G2: MJ (58:50): I've heard about that. I heard-

Moderator (58:50): What, what makes you trust the dark web?

G2: K (58:50): Uh, 'cause it's decentralized, it's not controlled by any government.

Moderator (58:52): Mm-hmm.

G2: K (58:53): Um, so it's more-

G2: MJ (58:54): It's real.

G2: K (58:55): ... yeah, it's real.

G2: MJ (58:55): Facts.

Moderator (58:55):

Mm-hmm. Mm-hmm.

G2: K (58:55): Yeah. It's not controlled-

G2: MJ (58:58): Real life. Real life.

Moderator (58:59):

What did you say, G2: MH?

G2: MH (59:00): It's the real internet.

G2: MJ (59:02): Yeah, [inaudible 00:59:02].

Moderator (59:02): It's the real internet.

G2: K (59:02): There's no censorship.

G2: MJ (59:02): Dark web, how do you get there?

G2: GC (59:05): [inaudible 00:59:05] internet.

G2: K (59:05): Uh, just download a VPN.

G2: MJ (59:07): Just put-

G2: K (59:07): Download a VPN.

G2: MJ (59:07): Oh, oh V- okay.

G2: K (59:07): Download a VPN, and thenG2: MJ (59:07): Download VPN.

G2: K (59:11): ... um, Tor browsers.

G2: MJ (59:11): I'm gonna try it.

G2: T (59:12): [inaudible 00:59:12].

G2: MJ (59:12): Tor browser.

G2: K (59:12): (laughs).

Moderator (59:16):

Well, thank you guys so much. Uh, make sure you see the person, the folks on the way out, so that you can get paid for being with us this evening. I wanna thank you again for staying late. It really does mean a lot to me, personally, and the researchers as well, and we really thank you for that. Um, I know we, you know, I wanna be respectful of your time. So, I really appreciate you taking the extra time.

G2: T (59:33): Thank you.

G2: MJ (59:33): And I wanna apologize for us being late (laughs).

Moderator (59:33): No, no it's fine.

G2: MJ (59:33): Thank you so much.

Moderator (59:38): Just leave your stuff on the table, and we'll take care of everything. Thank you.

G2: MJ (59:43): Thank you so much. G2: T (59:43): Thank you.

G2: K (59:47): [inaudible 00:59:47].

G2: MJ (59:47): Yeah, okay (laughing).

G2: GC (59:50): [inaudible 00:59:50].

G2: MJ (59:50): (laughs).

Speaker 10 (59:54): Go to the front, I'll meet you up there.

G2: MJ (59:56): Okay. Thank you. Thank you again.

Moderator (59:58): Thank you.

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Moderator: Soy la moderadora hoy en esta discusión que vamos a tener que se va a poner muy interesante, lo juro que sí lo va a ser. Ahora quiero repasar unos pocos reglas antes de que empecemos, no sé si han participado en grupos de este tipo anteriormente. No, no...

[Inaudible 00:00:17]

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Moderator: Bueno como esto es lo que se dice, focus groups, grupos de discusión. Bueno, es muy interesante. Bueno, you have...? Bueno, [inaudible 00:00:26] ah, gracias. Thank you. Este y bueno, lo a mí que me encantan estos grupos de sus discusiones, de que no es una prueba, lo bonito es de que todos pueden hablar decir sus opiniones, sus experiencias y no hay respuestas correctas ni incorrectas. Eso es solamente lo que ustedes se sienten sus experiencias y espero que algunas personas tienen diferentes experiencias que otras, así que si alguien dice algo y pues a lo mejor no sientes igual o no estás de acuerdo, por favor compártelo porque eso es lo que estamos haciendo. Está todo point como dicen, ¿verdad? que estamos así? Eso es lo chiste que es de tener estos grupos se unas cositas más, estamos grabando y los estamos grabando para que yo no estoy aquí tomando notas, yo puedo poner atención en lo que estamos hablando, pero les digo que si hablan por favor habla con una voz tan alta como la mía, porque si no no se graba. Sé que a unas personas tienen mascarillas con

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Moderator: I am the moderator in today's discussion which I promise will get very interesting. Now I want to go over a few rules before we get started, I don't know if you've participated in groups like this before. No, no...

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Moderator: Well, this is what you call focus groups, discussion groups. Well, it's very interesting. Well, you have ...? Well, [Inaudible 00:00:26]. Oh, thank you. Thank you. Well, I love these groups, their discussions, that it's not a test, the nice thing is that everybody can speak, say their opinions, their experiences and there's no right or wrong answers. That's just what you feel your experiences are and I expect that some people have different experiences than others, so if someone says something and well maybe you don't feel the same way or you don't agree, please share it because that's what we're doing. It's everything OK as they say, right? that we're like this? That is the point of having these groups, we're recording and we're recording you so that I'm not here taking notes, I can pay attention to what we're talking about, but I tell you that if you speak please speak with a voice as loud as mine, because otherwise it won't be recorded. I know that some people have facemasks, I would be happy to keep them on, but if I can't understand you, I will ask if they can

todo gusto manténgalos, pero sí tengo como que no los puedo entender. Les voy a decir si les puede bajar para decir, pero a lo mejor no vamos a tener ese problema, pero con las máscaras, sí van a tener que hablar un poco más fuerte para que se escuche este vamos a estar aquí hora y media, no vamos a tomar quebradita. Otra cosa del video, no vas a hacer cómo dice, no vas a ser un TikTok sensation, no vas a salir en TikTok. Esto no más es para el propósito de lo que estamos haciendo, ¿OK? Este, qué más te quiero decir. Ah, quiero que todos hablan con confianza este que son honestas, lo más honestos que posible. Como les digo y yo no... Vamos a hablar de muchas cosas. Y grupos, asociaciones, personas, políticos, lo que sea, yo no tengo ninguna asociación con nadie y les digo para que tengan confianza y, pueden hablar así no pensar que me van a ofender porque dicen algo, piensan algo. OK. Bueno, Ah y otra cosa más este si este se trata de hacer como una plática donde ustedes hablan, no tienen que esperar hasta que yo lo hago de nombre para decir, ay ay, G3: J, aquí decir algo, pero si no estén hablando y a veces yo si les llamó por nombre para que la conversación se continúe, pero si alguien dice algo que quieras comentar con toda confianza, comenta. No tienes que esperar hasta que yo les yo les digo, ¿OK? Bueno, vamos a empezar esta primera vez, yo nada más quería ir alrededor de la mesa y nos puede decir su nombre y cuantos años han vivido aquí en Las Vegas y un poquito de su vida familiar, o sea, si es casados, hijos, perros, gatos. Bueno, yo voy a empezar este como le digo que soy Laura, yo no vivo aquí, estoy aquí de viaje por hacer estos grupos, este encuesta y yo tengo estoy casada. Y no tengo hijos, tengo un perro y un gato y la gata me deja vivir en la casa porque ella manda.

put them down to speak, but maybe we won't have that problem. But with the facemasks, they will have to speak a little louder to be heard, we're going to be here for an hour and a half, we're not going to take a little break. Another thing about the video, you aren't going to be as they say, you aren't going to be a TikTok sensation, you aren't going to appear on TikTok. This is just for the purpose of what we're doing, OK? Well. What else do I want to tell you. Oh, I want everybody to speak with confidence, and be honest, as honest as possible. As I tell you and I don't... We're going to talk about many things. And groups, associations, people, politicians, whatever, I don't have any association with anybody and I tell you so that you have confidence and, you can talk so you don't think you're going to offend me because you say something, you think something. OK. Well, oh and one more thing, if this is about having a conversation where you all are talking, you don't have to wait until I call you by name to say, "G3: J, here say something", but if you aren't talking and sometimes I do call you by name so that the conversation continues, but if someone says something that you want to comment with full confidence, comment. You don't have to wait until I tell you, OK? Well, let's start this first time, I just wanted to go around the table and tell us your name and how many years you have lived here in Las Vegas and a little bit about your family life, that is, if you are married, have children, dogs, cats. Well, I'm going to start as I tell you I'm Laura, I don't live here, I'm here on a trip to do these groups, this survey and I'm married. And I don't have children, I have a dog and a cat and the cat lets me live in the house because she's the boss.

[Laughter]

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[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
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Moderator: Bueno, vamos a seguir empezando	Moderator: Well, we're going to start with G3: R,
con G3: R, y luego seguimos.	and then a next one.
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G3: R: OK.	G3: R: OK.
00:03:43	00:03:43
Moderator: OK. ¿Nombre? G3: R. ¿Qué haces?	Moderator: OK. Name? G3: R. What do you do?
00:03:45	00:03:45
G3: R: Soy soldador. Soy [Inaudible 00:03:47]	G3: R: I'm a welder. I'm [Inaudible 00:03:47]
00:03:49	00:03:49
Moderator: ¿Cuánto tiempo tienes aquí en Las	Moderator: How long have you been here in Las
Vegas?	Vegas?
00:03:51	00:03:51
G3: R: Aquí en Las Vegas llevo 3 semanas.	G3: R: Here in Las Vegas I've been here for 3
	weeks.
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Moderator: Apenitas.	Moderator: Just recently.
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00:03:55	00:03:55
G3: R: No aguanto el calor ya.	G3: R: I can't stand the heat anymore.
[Lauther]	[Lauther]
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00:03:58	00:03:58
Moderator: Me imagino. ¿Casado? ¿Hijos?	Moderator: I can imagine. Married? Kids?
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00:03:59	00:03:59
G3: R: Sí, casado con 3 hijos.	G3: R: Yes, married with 3 children.
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Moderator: Ah. OK. bueno gracias G3: R,	Moderator: Oh. OK. well thank you G3: R,
Bienvenido entonces	welcome then
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Moderator: OK.	Moderator: OK.
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No estoy casado y no tengo hijos tampoco. Soy	Vegas. I'm not married and I don't have children
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Moderator: ¿Y, ningún perro ni nada?	Moderator: And, no dog or anything?
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G3: J: No.	G3: J: No.
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Moderator: Completamente libre, perfecto.	Moderator: Completely free, perfect. Well, thank
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00:05:45] de carros y me gustan los videojuegos.	00:05:45] of cars and I like videogames.
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Moderator: Ah, los videojuegos. Qué bueno, qué	Moderator: Oh, videogames. Great, great. An
bueno de Xbox o, ¿cuál?	Xbox or, which one?
00:05:53	00:05:53
G3: J: PlayStation.	G3: J: PlayStation.
00:05:56	00:05:56
Moderator: PlayStation. OK. Y luego al fin.	Moderator: PlayStation. OK. And then finally.
00:05:58	00:05:58
Charlie: Me llamo Charlie. Mucha gente en	Charlie: My name is Charlie. A lot of people in

fueron mi familia en México no lo pueden pronunciar este Charles. Charlie es más fácil ya tengo como, como 16 años aquí. Tengo una hija, tengo un perro este y bueno.

00:06:26 Moderator: ¿Es todo?

00:06:28 Charlie: Ajá.

00:06:30

Moderator: OK. Bueno, vamos a empezar con este librito que tienen, si me pueden hacer el favor y poner su primer nombre solamente su primer nombre en la primera página y luego lo que vamos a hacer es este ejercicio se trata de 2 páginas. Vamos aquí algunos temas diferentes para cada 1, indique qué tan importante es ese tema para usted en una escala entre 0 y 10, donde cero significa nada de importancia y 10 significa que es muy importante. ¿OK? Y luego, hay 2 páginas así que me lo llenas por favor y ahí nomás a poner un círculo del número entre 1 y 10, pero cuando terminen las dos páginas quiero que ponen una estrellita en la que es la más importante de todas, ¿OK? Y toma un momento hacerlo, yo voy a bajar el aire acondicionado porque tengo calor. De repente. OK. Y, vamos a tener una persona que nos va a acompañar la señorita G3: ED. Hola G3: ED. Bienvenida, disculpe había un mess up como dicen. Ahorita vamos a hacer las presentaciones. Gracias G3: EZ por... G3: ED. Estamos llenando la página primera pon su primer nombre ahí en frente. Y luego, vamos a hacer este ejercicio escrito. ¿Hay dos páginas, G3: ED? Donde se pone entre 0 y 10 no tan importante es que esa tema para usted. Y hay dos páginas de temas y luego, a terminar de calificar cada uno. Le pones una estrellita en lo más importante de todas, ¿OK? Entre 0 y 10.

were my family in Mexico can't pronounce it this Charles. Charlie is easier, I've been here 16 years. I have a daughter, I have a dog and well.

00:06:26 Moderator: That's it?

00:06:28 Charlie: Uh-huh.

00:06:30

Moderator: OK. Well, let's start with this little book that you have, if you can do me a favor and put your first name only your first name on the first page and then what we're going to do is this exercise, it's about 2 pages. Let's go here some different topics for each one, indicate how important that topic is to you on a scale between 0 and 10, where 0 means not at all important and 10 means it's very important. OK? And then, there are 2 pages so please fill it out and then just circle the number between 1 and 10, but when you finish the two pages I want you to put a star on the one that is the most important of all, OK? And it takes a moment to do it, I'm going to turn down the air conditioning because it is hot. All of a sudden. OK. And, we're going to have a person who is going to accompany us, Miss G3: ED. Hello G3: ED. Welcome, sorry there was a mess up as you say. We're going to make the introductions now. Thank you G3: EZ for... G3: ED. We're filling out the first page, put your first name on the front of the page. And then, we're going to do this writing exercise. Are there two pages, G3: ED? Where you put between 0 and 10 not so important is that topic to you. And there are two pages of topics and then, you finish rating each one. You put a little star on the most important of them all, OK? Between 0 and 10. Then, don't

00:11:53 G3: R: The economy. 00:11:56 00:11:56 Moderator: La economía. G3: M, ¿a cuál le pusiste estrellita? you give a star to? 00:11:58 00:11:58 G3: M: La economía. G3: M: The economy. 00:11:59 00:11:59 Moderator: As well. G3: G? Moderator: También. ¿G3: G?

G3: R: La economía.

quiero saber cuál, a cuál pusieron una estrellita. Voy a empezar con G3: R, ¿cuál pusiste la estrella? 00:11:53

no tenemos tiempo, así que disculpe que... Tuvimos ese falla. OK, ¿ya todo ya listos? Bueno,

00:11:26 Moderator: OK, perfecto, perfecto. Bueno, gracias por estar aquí. Todos los demás se

presentaron, pero no vamos a repetirlo porque

Luego, no se olviden las 30, la 1, la más

importante de todos los dos páginas. Este y G3:

EZ, G3: ED, perdiste de las instrucciones que

tuvimos todos, pero sí nomas, de repente nos

puede decir su un poco de su vida. ¿Cuántos

años ha tenido viviendo aquí en Las Vegas?

G3: ED: Yo nací aquí. Yo me llamo G3: ED.

Moderator: ¿Estás casada, tienes hijos?

00:11:21 G3: ED: Tengo un hijo. No estoy casada, pero estoy juntada con mi pareja.

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forget the 30, the 1, the most important of all the two pages. This one and G3: EZ, G3: ED, you missed the instructions we all had, but yes, you can maybe tell us a little bit about your life. How many years have you been living here in Las Vegas?

00:11:11 G3: ED: I was born here. My name is G3: ED.

00:11:13 Moderator: Are you married, do you have children?

00:11:21 G3: ED: I have a son. I'm not married, but I live with my partner.

00:11:26

Moderator: OK, perfect, perfect. Well, thank you for being here. Everybody here introduced themselves, but we're not going to repeat it because we don't have time, so excuse me for... We had that mistake. OK, are we all set? Well, I want to know which one, which one got a star. I'm going to start with G3: R, which one did you star?

Moderator: The economy. G3: M, which one did

00:12:00	00:12:00
G3: G: La educación.	G3: G: Education.
00:12:02	00:12:02
Moderator: Educación. OK.	Moderator: Education. OK.
00:12:03	00:12:03
G3: O: Al aborto.	G3: O: Abortion.
00:12:05	00:12:05
Aborto.	Abortion.
00:12:06	00:12:06
G3: M: La economía.	G3: M: The economy.
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00:12:08 Moderator: la economía. ¿G3: EZ?	00:12:08
Moderator: la economia. 203: EZ?	Moderator: the economy. G3: EZ?
00:12:10	00:12:10
G3: EZ: Inflación y aumento del costo.	G3: EZ: Inflation and rising cost.
00:12:12	00:12:12
Moderator: Inflación, OK.	Moderator: Inflation, OK.
00:12:14	00:12:14
G3: J: Educación.	G3: J: Education.
00:12:15	00:12:15
Moderator: Educación, G3: J. ¿G3: EO?	Moderator: Education, G3: J. G3: EO?
00:12:16	00:12:16
G3: EO: Inflación [Inaudible 00:12:17]	G3: EO: Inflation [Inaudible 00:12:17].
00:12:19	00:12:19
Moderator: La inflación. ¿Y, Charlie?	Moderator: Inflation [Inaudible] And, Charlie?
	Moderator. Innation [inaddible] And, Charlie!
00:12:20	00:12:20
Charlie: Economía.	Charlie: Economy.
00:12:21	00:12:21
Moderator: La economía. Bueno, vamos a hablar	Moderator: The economy. Well, let's talk a little

un poquito. Era cuatro de ustedes que marcaron	bit. There were four of you who marked the
la economía con una estrellita. Quiero hablar un	economy with a star. I want to talk a little bit
poco de eso. Me pueden explicar para ti qué es	about that. Can you explain to me what the
la economía. ¿Qué significa eso? G3: R, vamos a	economy is? What does it mean? G3: R, let's
empezar contigo.	start with you.
00:12:39	00:12:39
G3: R: El gobierno que promueva una buena	G3: R: The government that promotes a good
economía, pero como tiene razón también para	economy, but as you are right also that there has
eso tiene que haber una buena educación desde	to be a good education from the beginning so
un principio para que haya una buena economía.	that there is a good economy.
00:12:47	00:12:47
Sí, sí.	Yes, yes.
00:12:49	00:12:49
G3: R: Si no hay una buena economía y todos	G3: R: If there isnt a good economy everybody is
estaban como ovejas siguiendo un patrón. No va	like sheep following a master. There's never
a haber una buena economía nunca en un país.	going to be a good economy in a country.
00:12:57	00:12:57
Moderator: Como todo está conectado, ¿se	Moderator: Everything is connected, you could
podría decir? OK.	say? OK.
00:13:00 G3: R: Entonces, para que haya una buena economía, sí es cierto, tiene que dar una buena educación.	00:13:00 G3: R: So, in order to have a good economy, yes it's true, you have to give a good education.
00:13:02 Moderator: OK. Y, Charles, ¿qué piensa?	00:13:02 Moderator: OK. And, Charles, what do you think?
00:13:04 Charles: Igual, o sea sí o sea para seguir adelante, este tiene que ver una buena economía y tener las ganas de buscarlo y Sí, sí.	00:13:04 Charles: Same thing, I mean yeah or I mean in order to move forward, one has to see a good economy and have the will to pursue it and Yes, yes.
00:13:23	00:13:23

Moderator: ¿G3: J, pusiste economía no,	Moderator: G3: J, you put economy, not
educación?	education?
00:13:26	00:13:26
G3: J: Educación.	G3: J: Education.
00:13:28	00:13:28
Educación. ¿Quién más era de economía?	Education. Who else economy? Sorry. Oh, G3: M.
Perdón. Ah, G3: M.	
00:13:32	00:13:32
G3: M: Sí, yo también pienso que si hay trabajo,	G3: M: Yes, I also think that if there are jobs,
pues hay todo, hay menos crimen. Hay muchas	well, there is everything, there is less crime.
cosas que van juntas con la economía, pero creo	There's a lot of things that go together with the
que la gente con que tenga trabajo es muy	economy, but I think that people having a job is
importante, es casi el número 1.	very important, it's almost number 1.
00:13:50	00:13:50
Moderator: OK. Y G3: EO era la	Moderator: OK. And G3: EO was the
00:13:53	00:13:53
G3: EO: Yo puse la inflación y costos.	G3: EO: I said inflation and costs.
, , ,	
00:13:57	00:13:57
Moderator: Ah, inflación. ¿Cuál era la otra que	Moderator: Oh, inflation. What was the other
puso? Ah, G3: EZ. Ah, G3: ED, perdón. G3: ED y	one that you said? Oh, G3: EZ. Oh, G3: ED,
G3: EZ. G3: ED y G3: EZ. Eso me va a	sorry. G3: ED and G3: EZ. G3: ED and G3: EZ.
	That's going to
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:14:14	00:14:14
Moderator: Isabel como la de Encanto, ¿verdad?	Moderator: NAME as the one in Encanto, right?
NAME, no, G3: ED.	NAME, no, G3: ED.
00:14:24	00:14:24
G3: EO: No más digale Izzie.	G3: EO: Just call her NAME.
00-14-26	00-14-26
00:14:26 Moderator: ¿Te puedo decir Izzie? ¿Así te dicen?	00:14:26 Moderator: Can I call you Izzie? Is that what they
	call you?

00:14:31	00:14:31
G3: ED: Ya, o G3: ED.	G3: ED: Yeah, or NAME.
00:14:32	00:14:32
Moderator: NOMBRE. Ándale, mejor NOMBRE	NAME. Great! NAME is better because if not I'm
porque si no me voy a atorar aquí. NOMBRE. OK.	going to get stuck. NAME. OK. NAME.
NOMBRE.	
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:14:39	00:14:39
A ver, G3: ED. ¿Dime tú de esto de la	Moderator: Let's see, G3: ED. You tell me
economía? ¿Para que qué es?	aboutthis economy thing? What's it forwhat
	is it?
00:14:45	00:14:45
G3: ED: Ah pues. El dinero que bueno para vivir	G3: ED: Oh well. Money that good for living
[Inaudible 00:14:52] ocupa una buena economía	[Inaudible 00:14:52] takes a good economy to go
para seguir. [Inaudible 00:14:58].	on. [Inaudible 00:14:58].
00:15:00	00:15:00
Moderator: Y los que pusieron la inflación y el	Moderator: And the ones that said inflation and
aumento de costos. Platícame un poco de eso.	rising costs. Tell me a little bit about that, who
¿Quién puso eso? Yo creo que era G3: EZ.	put that? I think it was G3: EZ. Tell me a little
Platícame un poco de eso.	bit about that.
Platicame un poco de eso.	
00:15:07	00:15:07
G3: EZ: Inflación y aumento de costo. Bueno, yo	G3: EZ: Inflation and rising costs. Well, I think
pienso que eso para mí es muy importante.	that to me that's very important. First of all, if
Primero que nada, si va a haber una inflación en,	there's going to be inflation, obviously there also
obviamente en este país también tiene que	has to be a wage increase in this country, right?
haber un aumento de sueldo, ¿verdad? Para mí	For me it is also very important to know that
es muy importante también saber que cuando	when one keeps and spends, one is used to the
uno se mantiene y gasta, uno está acostumbrado	prices that some of us have and more or less
a los precios que unos tenemos ya más o menos	calculate with one's family, but for me it's very
se calcula con su familia, pero para mí es muy	important that I think that if prices are going to
importante que yo pienso que si van a subir	be higher for everything, salaries should also be
vuelvo a repetir los precios a todo, también	higher.
deben de subir los sueldos.	
00:15:40	00:15:40
Moderator: OK. ¿Y usted piensa que la	Moderator: OK. And do you think that the

economía? ¿Se trata más de inflación, o es totalmente la economía, se trata todo de inflación o hay otras?

00:15:55

G3: EZ: Yo siento que yo siento que hay muchas cosas, como por ejemplo el gobierno dio estímulos a mucha gente. Entonces, yo pienso que a subir todos los precios quieren otra vez tener ese dinero para atrás que regalaron, que obviamente dicen que regalaron, pero a la vez nos van a cobrar los impuestos. [Crosstalk]

00:16:16 G3: J: La gasolina.

00:16:17

G3: EO: Ahorita se está viendo. [Inaudible 00:16:18] ¿Cómo se llama? Están viendo que muchas compañías están quebrando porque ya todo está haciendo [Inaudible 00:16:29] metiendo máquinas, pues en vez de meter la gente que está trabajando. So, por eso puse un 10 y una estrella, porque eso es un cómo se llama... una... lo que está pasando, pues está subiendo todos los costos.

00:16:43

Moderator: G3: G, pusiste educación, ¿verdad? Platíqueme un poco de eso. ¿Por qué es tan importante para ti?

00:16:50

G3: G: Así como habíamos dicho hace rato que la educación es la base para todo, pues está conectado. Buena economía y buena educación, pero hay que educar a uno para hacer buenas decisiones en la economía en la seguridad del país, en racismo en todo tipo de esos temas, la educación es la base, lo principal. Creo que ahí economy, is it more about inflation, or is it totally the economy, is it all about inflation or are there others?

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G3: EZ: I feel that I feel that there are a lot of things, like for example the government gave stimulus to a lot of people. So, I think that they want to raise all the prices, they want to have again that money back that they gave away, that they obviously say they gave away, but at the same time they're going to charge us taxes. [Crosstalk]

00:16:16 G3: J: Gasoline.

00:16:17

G3: EO: Right now it's being seen. [Inaudible 00:16:18] What's it called? A lot of companies are going bankrupt because everything is already doing [Inaudible 00:16:29] putting in machines, well instead of putting in the people that are working. So, that's why I gave a 10 and a star, because that's a what's it called...? a... what's happening, because all the costs are being increased.

00:16:43

Moderator: G3: G, you said education, right? Tell me a little bit about that, why is that so important to you?

00:16:50

G3: G: Just as we had said a while ago that education is the key to everything, so it's connected. Good economy and good education, but you have to educate one to make good decisions in the economy in the security of the country, in racism in all kinds of those issues, education is the main base, the main thing. I

es donde tenemos que invertir nuestro Siendo	think that's where we have to invest our Being
padre, siento que cuando tenemos que invertir	a parent, I feel that when we have to invest our
nuestro tiempo y dinero en la educación.	time and money in education.
00:17:20	00:17:20
Moderator: ¿Y G3: J, quieres aumentar eso, no?	Moderator: And G3: J, you want to add to that,
	right?
00:17:24	00:17:24
G3: J: No, no estoy perfectamente de acuerdo	G3: J: No, I don't perfectly agree with him. Here
con él. Aquí he visto mucha gente que llega de	I've seen a lot of people coming from other
otros países a las escuelas cuando yo estaba en	countries to the schools when I was in school
la escuela pues y llegan aquí con un mayor	well and they come here with a greater
conocimiento de las cosas que no, que no nos	knowledge of things that they didn't, that they
enseñaron aquí. Entonces, sí dan muchas	didn't teach us here. So, they do give a lot of
oportunidades a este país, pero corremos mucho	opportunities to this country, but we're far
atrasen en lo que es la educación de otros	behind in terms of education in other countries.
países.	
00:17:50	00:17:50
Moderator: G3: O, pusiste el aborto. Me puedes	Moderator: G3: O, you mentioned abortion. Can
explicar, ¿por qué es tan importante eso ahorita	you explain to me, why is that so important for
para ti?	you right now?
00:18:00	00:18:00
G3: O: Es que ahorita mucha gente está diciendo	G3: O: It is that right now many people are
aborto. El gobierno lo ha aprobado. Yo estoy en	saying abortion. The government has approved
contra del aborto.	it. I'm against abortion.
00:18:13	00:18:13
Moderator: ¿Estás en contra del aborto y estás,	Moderator: You're against abortion and you're,
eh, piensas de lo que está pasando ahorita es su	uh, you think what's going on right now is the
importancia de lo que está pasando?	importance of what's going on?
00:18:18	00:18:18
G3: O: Lo que es la economía, también estoy de	G3: O: What the economy is, I also agree with
acuerdo con ellos, pero así como vamos con el	them, but the way we're going with the
gobierno, la economía va a subir y no creo que	government, the economy is going to go up and I
vuelva a bajar.	don't think it's going to go down again.
00:18:31	00:18:31

Moderator: Ahorita, ¿dirían que la economía va	Moderator:Right now, would you say the
en un buen camino o mal camino?	economy is on a good path or bad path?
	an 10 ac
00:18:36 Todos: Mal camino.	00:18:36
	Everyone: Bad path.
00:18:37	00:18:37
Moderator: Mal camino.	Moderator: Bad path.
00:18:40	00:18:40
G3: R: Bueno, Estados Unidos, está endeudado	G3: R: Well, the United States is indebted with
con trillones y trillones y saca una, sacó un	trillions and trillions and takes out one, takes out
préstamo a la casa de donde tiene el oro, la plata	a loan on the house where it has the gold, the
y hace billetes y monedas y saca más dinero para	silver, and makes bills and coins and takes out
tapar otras deudas, y se endeuda con esos	more money to cover other debts, and gets into
intereses y vuelve a sacar el dinero y la vuelve a	debt with those interests and takes out the
tapar otra y se hace interés con este y así está	money again and covers another one and makes
tapando. De un hoyo, saca a hacer otro más	interest with this one and so it is covering it.
grande que nunca se va a poder pagar ahorita.	From one debt hole, they take out to make a bigger one that they will never be able to nev off
	bigger one that they will never be able to pay off right now.
	light now.
00:19:07	00:19:07
G3: G: Ya nunca, el interés.	G3: G: Never again, the interest
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:19:11	00:19:11
G3: G: Nuestros hijos y nietos van a estar	G3: G: Our children and grandchildren are going
pagando todo.	to be paying for everything.
00:19:22	00:19:22
Moderator: ¿A alguien más? Y la pobreza. Dirán	Moderator: Anybody else? And the poverty.
que hay mucha pobreza ahorita en Las Vegas, en	They'll say there's a lot of poverty right now in
Nevada ¿hay mucha pobreza?	Las Vegas, in Nevada. Is there's a lot of poverty?
00:19:28	00:19:28
Todos: Sí.	Everyone: Yes.
00:19:30	00:19:30
Moderator: Y, G3: ED, ¿dice que sí? G3: M, ¿dice	Moderator: And, G3: ED, does she say yes? G3:

que sí?	M, do you say yes?
00:19:34	00:19:34
G3: M: Hay pobreza aquí en Las Vegas, pero hay	G3: M: There's poverty here in Las Vegas, but
más pobreza en Los Ángeles.	there's more poverty in Los Angeles.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:19:40	00:19:40
G3: M: Estamos muy bien aquí, pero en	G3: M: We're doing very well here, but
comparación de Los Ángeles, está peor allá.	compared to Los Angeles, it's worse there.
00:19:50 G3: M: Yo pienso que está peor porque es más caro. La vivienda es más cara, la gasolina, la comida. A lo mejor no la comida, tal vez no, pero en la vivienda es mucho más cara, ya estamos mejor aquí ahorita porque hay mucho trabajo, eso es un lugar donde hay gente todavía sigue viniendo a los hoteles de aquí estamos sacando el dinero.	00:19:50 G3: M: I think it's worse because it's more expensive. Housing is more expensive, gasoline, food. Maybe not food, maybe not, but housing is much more expensive, we're better off here now because there's a lot of work, that's a place where there are people still coming to the hotels from here we're getting the money from here.
00:20:14	00:20:14
Moderator: Y la pobreza es algo sistémica o es	Moderator: And is poverty something systemic
algo de corto plazo que ha pasado. ¿Cómo es?	or is it a short term thing that has happened,
¿Es sistémica?	how is it, is it systemic?
00:20:18	00:20:18
G3: M: Perdón, ¿el progreso?	G3: M: Sorry, progress?
00:20:20	00:20:20
Pobreza, pobreza.	Poverty, poverty.
00:20:25 G3: M: Pues pienso que tiene que ver también con lo que está pasando en aumento de todo lo que estaba subiendo. Mucha gente no puede pagar la vivienda, no puede tener carro porque no pueden echarle gas. Y, bueno, se quedan pobres como quien dice o viven con familias. Luego tienen problemas, si tienen que salir y están así no más de un lado para otro.	00:20:25 G3: M: Well, I think it has to do also with what is happening in the increasing prices of everything. A lot of people can't pay for housing; they can't have a car because they can't put gas in it. And, well, they stay poor or they live with families. Then they have problems, if they have to leave and move from place to place.

00:20:48 G3: G: También pueden {Inaudible 00:20:50].	00:20:48 G3: G: They can also {Inaudible 00:20:50].
00:20:49	00:20:49
G3: O: ¿Sí? Primero, ¿a qué le está llamando	G3: O: Yes? First of all, what are you calling you
usted pobre está aquí en Las Vegas?	poor people here in Las Vegas?
00:20:51	00:20:51
No, pues nada más estoy preguntando.	No, well I'm just asking.
00:20:53	00:20:53
G3: O: Porque no, no se ve pobreza, no sé si	G3: O: Because you don't see poverty, I don't
vemos que estamos un poco nivelados. Un poco	know we see that because we're a little bit
de algo de nivel, pero pobreza. ¿A qué se	higher level. A little bit of some level, but
refería?	poverty, what did you mean?
00:20:57	00:20:57
G3: EZ: Como a conocimiento o a	G3: EZ: Like knowledge or
00:20:58	00:20:58
G3: O: Eso es lo que quiero saber. O pobreza de	G3: O: That's what I want to know. Or poverty of
dinero porque no se ve pobreza, exactamente	money because you don't see poverty, exactly
cómo que, ¿de qué?	how what, of what?
00:21:02	00:21:02
G3: EZ: Pobreza de conocimiento, de que no	G3: EZ: Poverty of knowledge, of not knowing
saber de no saber.	anything.
00:21:05	00:21:05
Moderator: No, bueno, yo estábamos hablando	Moderator: No, well, we were talking about
de dineral, económico. OK, este a ver quién más,	money, economic money. OK, let's see who else,
cualquiera otra que pusieron aquí ah, el aborto	anyone else who said here oh, we talked about
ya hablamos. La educación, hablamos. ¿Quién más puso inflación y que no hablo? ¿Quién más	abortion, we talked about education. Education, we talked. Who else said inflation and who else
puso inflación? Eran 2 personas que pusieron	didn't talk? Who else said inflation? There were
inflación. G3: EZ y G3: EO, ya ustedes ya	2 people who said inflation. G3: EZ and G3: EO,
hablaron eso. OK. Hay unos temas que no se	you already talked about that. OK. There are
encuentran aquí en esta lista. Le faltaron estas	some issues that are not here in this list. You
por acá.	missed these over here.

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G3: M: Hay una que no que no se encuentra que pues pensaste eso me hace raro que no le pusieron ahí. Como un tema importante. ¿No? ¿No? Como el crimen también no sé si sea crimen, pero hay mucho, mucha gente que está en contra del Gobierno y guieren, pues, como quien dice, como lo que pasó el 6 de enero, ese tipo de personas se están separando como que están haciendo un grupo. No sé cómo se dice. ¿Insurgentes? Sí, la verdad es que está creciendo. En muchos estados hay muchas personas así. A mí me da miedo, yo no sé si lleguen a lo mejor algún día hacer matanzas o algo así como terroristas.

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G3: O: No sé, pero que me viene bien conectado con los compañeros, cómo están diciendo de lo que vendría siendo la inflación, la economía, todo eso tiene casi con todo conectado. Mucha gente está matando, pero no son las armas, son la gente detrás de las armas.

[Crosstalk]

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Moderator: Y la de inmigración, ¿qué numero pusieron en inmigración? ¿Qué número le pusieron?

00:23:34 G3: EO: Yo le puse un 5.

No identificado: 7

G3: G: 8

G3: R: 9

G3: O: 8

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G3: M: There is one that is not here that you thought that it's weird that they didn't put it there. As an important topic, right? Right? Like crime, I don't know if it is a crime, but there are many, many people who are against the Government and want to, well, as they say, like what happened on January 6th, those kind of people are separating, like they are forming a group. I don't know how to say it. Insurgents? Yes, the truth is that it is growing. In many states there are many people like that. It scares me, I don't know if they might one day carry out massacres or something like that as terrorists.

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G3: O: I don't know, but I think it is well connected with what everyone else was saying, as they were talking about inflation, the economy, almost everything is connected. A lot of people are killing, but it's not the guns it's the people behind the guns.

[Crosstalk]

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Moderator: And the immigration, what number did they give you for immigration? What number did you give it?

00:23:34 G3: EO: I gave it a 5.

Unidentified: 7

G3: G: 8

G3: R: 9

G3: O: 8

G3: EZ: 10	G3: EZ: 10
No identificado: 8	Unidentified: 8
G3: J: 10	G3: J: 10
00:23:40	00:23:40
Moderator: Bueno, G3: EZ, G3: J. G3: J, ¿por qué	Moderator: Well, G3: EZ, G3: J. G3: J, why did
le pusiste 10?	you give it 10?
00:23:44 G3: J: Bueno, pues este básicamente la migración aquí en los Estados Unidos. Cada vez va de más en más. Este no necesariamente digo de gente ilegal, sino de inmigrados, con papeles este, porque no más vienen de un lugar, vienen de todos lados del mundo. Y este y el Gobierno no hace nada por tratar de ayudar a esa gente que viene.	00:23:44 G3: J: Well, this is basically the migration here in the United States. It's getting more and more. I don't necessarily mean illegal people, but immigrants, with papers, because they don't just come from one place, they come from all over the world. And the government does nothing to try to help these people who come.
00:24:13	00:24:13
Moderator: G3: EZ, ¿estás de acuerdo o no?	Moderator: G3: EZ, do you agree or not?
00:24:15	00:24:15
G3: EZ: Sí, yo siento que cualquier persona tiene	G3: EZ: Yes, I feel that everyone should have the
la oportunidad de salir adelante. Y siento que	opportunity to get ahead. And I feel that when
cuando llegas a este país y trabajas duro, te	you come to this country and you work hard,
mereces el sueño americano y te mereces estar	you deserve the American dream and you
en este país.	deserve to be in this country.
00:24:30	00:24:30
Moderator: OK. Y este, ¿cuánto pusieron en, yo	Moderator: OK. And this one, how much did you
creo que esa es la segunda página racismo, qué	guys give, I think that's the second page racism,
le dieron racismo?	what did you guys give racism?
00:24:38	00:24:38
G3: R: 8	G3: R: 8
G3: G: 8	G3: G: 8
G3: M: Puse 9.	G3: M: I gave it 9.
G3: O: 10	G3: O: 10
G3: ED: 9	G3: ED: 9

G3: EZ: 10	G3: EZ: 10
G3: J: 1	G3: J: 1
00:24:47	00:24:47
Moderator: OK. ¿G3: EO?	Moderator: OK. G3: EO?
00:24:48	00:24:48
G3: EO: 5	G3: EO: 5.
00:24:50	00:24:50
Moderator: ¿Charlie? Racismo.	Moderator: Charlie? Racism.
00:24:51	00:24:51
Charlie: Este, ¿qué puse?	Charlie: What did I give it?
00:24:55	00:24:55
Moderator: Racismo. Es la segunda página.	Moderator: Racism. It's the second page.
00:25:01	00:25:01
Charlie: Sí, 9.	Charlie: Yes, 9.
00:25:04	00:25:04
Moderator: G3: ED, platícame un poco del 9 que	Moderator: G3: ED, tell me a little bit about the
le pusiste ahí.	9 you gave there.
00:25:09	00:25:09 G3: ED: Oh, well, I don't know.
G3: ED: Ah, pues, I don't know.	ds. ED. On, wen, I don't know.
00:25:14	00:25:14
Moderator: ¿Cómo lo ves? ¿Sientes que hay más	Moderator: How do you see it? Do you feel like
racismo hoy que anteriormente o cómo lo ves?	there's more racism today than before or how
¿O siempre ha sido así?	do you see it? Or has it always been like that?
00:25:24	00:25:24
G3: ED: Siento que está como por el medio.	G3: ED: I feel like it's kind of in the middle. I feel like there used to be more. Now not as much
Siento que antes había más. Ahora no tanto como ahora están más aquí más picky, ahora	as now they're more here pickier, now they're
están con que no deberíamos decir esto, esto y	with we shouldn't say this, this and this
esto no debería porque está ahora más Lo	shouldn't because it's now more They want to
quieren cambiar todo.	change everything.
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Moderator: OK, ¿quiénes son ellos? ¿Quiénes	Moderator: OK, who are they, who are they that
son que quieren cambiar?	they want to change?
00:25:55	00:25:55
G3: ED: Nuestra La nueva generación, ajá,	G3: ED: Our The new generation, uh-huh, they
quieren cambiar todo. En un modo que debería	want to change everything. In a way that should
de ser fair, pero	be fair, but
00:26:06	00:26:06
Moderator: Justo. OK, OK. G3: R, ¿qué piensas	Moderator: Fair. OK, OK. G3: R, what do you
de esto del racismo? ¿Tú le pusiste un 8 o 9?	think about this racism thing? Did you give it an 8 or 9?
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00:26:08	00:26:08
G3: R: 8.	G3: R: 8.
00:26:10	00:26:10
Moderator: 8. Explícame su 8 y, ¿cómo ves el	Moderator: 8. Explain to me his 8 and how do
racismo ahorita?	you see racism right now?
00:26:16	00:26:16
G3: R: Pues hay mucho, pero no es un tema que	G3: R: Well, there is a lot, but it isn't an issue
se me haga algo tan importante, al menos yo	that is so important to me, at least I have never
nunca he tenido ningún problema de racismo ni	had any problem with racism or anything. Thank
nada. Gracias a Dios, pero sí hay. Bueno, hay	God, but there is. Well, there are a lot, especially in the north, well in the north, where there are a
mucho, sobre todo en el norte, pues norte, donde hay mucho mexicano, mucho.	lot of Mexicans, a lot.
donde nay mucho mexicano, mucho.	
00:26:36	00:26:36
Moderator: ¿Norte de Nevada?	Moderator: North of Nevada?
00:26:37	00:26:37
G3: R: De Estados Unidos.	G3: R: From the United States.
00:26:38	00:26:38
Moderator: Norte de los Estados Unidos. OK.	Moderator: North of the United States. OK.
00:26:39	00:26:39
G3: R: Como Texas. Bueno, estado que sea más	G3: R: Like Texas. Well, state that's more for the
para el Norte, pero pues no se me hace un tema	north, but it doesn't seem to me to be a topic
	north, such doesn't seem to me to be a topic

tan...

00:26:46 Moderator: Tan importante.

00:26:47 G3: R: Tan importante.

00:26:49 Moderator: OK. ¿Otros quieren comentar el racismo? [Inaudible 00:26:52]

00:26:54

Charlie: Yo. Sí que lo hay, lo hay y entre latinos también, o sea cuando una, tienes una niña, por ejemplo, y luego se va a casar con un tipo bien moreno, "cómo te vas a casar con este negro" y bueno existe, existen en todas partes. Y, pero, pero sí o sea hay menos, hay menos por las reglas y de las cooperaciones y todo eso ya hay menos, hay menos, pero si existe, si existe todavía.

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Moderator: Bueno, alguien bueno, Izzie. G3: ED y Charlie dicen que hay menos. ¿Hay alguien que piense que hay más?

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G3: O: Hay más racismo. Estamos con lo de después del joven, ahora hay más racismo también. Cómo le digo hace rato viene conectado todo porque ahora con lo que pasó en Uvalde Texas. Es racismo porque las personas ahora nos están como conectadas. Con mentalidad y ver que esa persona mató a niños, hay otros que mató este güero que mató a los que estaban en la iglesia que porque eran negros. Ese, eso es una racismo.

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00:26:46 Moderator: So important.

00:26:46 G3: R: So important.

00:26:49 Moderator: OK. Do others want to comment on racism? [Inaudible 00:26:52]

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Charlie: Me. Yes, there is, there is and among Latinos too, I mean when a, you have a girl, for example, and then she's going to marry a really dark skinned guy, "how are you going to marry this black guy" and well it exists, they exist everywhere. And, but, but yes, I mean there is less, there is less because of the rules and cooperation and all that, there is less, there is less, but it exists, it still exists.

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Moderator: Well, someone, well, Izzie. G3: ED and Charlie say there's less, is there anyone who thinks there's more?

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G3: O: There's more racism. We're with after the young man, now there's more racism too. Like I tell you it's been connecting everything for a while because now with what happened in Uvalde Texas. It is racism because people are now connected to us. With mentality and see that this person killed children, there are others that killed this black guy that killed those that were in the church that because they were black. That, that's a racism.

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Moderator: OK. Bueno, estamos hablando de	Moderator: OK. Well, we're talking about a lot of
muchos asuntos y quiero saber a dónde van a	issues and I want to know where do you go to
aprender más sobre estas cosas o para saber lo	learn more about these things or to find out
que está pasando en su comunidad, comunidad	what's going on in your community, community
o el mundo, ¿a dónde van para?	or the world, where do you go to?
00:28:36	00:28:36
G3: EO: Todos nos vamos a los teléfonos y	G3: EO: We all go to the phones and
00:28:40	00:28:40
Moderator: Teléfonos. OK.	Moderator: Phones. OK.
00:28:41	00:28:41
G3: EO: Y los news, ¿cómo se llama? Las noticias.	G3: EO: And the news, what's it called? The
GS. EO. FIOS news, ¿como se nama? Las noticias.	news.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:28:48	00:28:48
Moderator: Y, G3: EO, en tu teléfono. ¿A dónde	Moderator: And, G3: EO, on your phone, where
vas para ver esta información?	do you go to see this information?
00:28:52	00:28:52
G3: EO: A todo.	G3: EO: To all of them.
00:28:55	00:28:55
Moderator: ¿Facebook? ¿Instagram?	Moderator: Facebook? Instagram?
00:28:57	00:28:57
G3: EO: TikTok. A todo. Todo social media.	G3: EO: TikTok. To everywhere. All social media.
00:29:02	00:29:02
G3: J: Todo ya está en el teléfono hoy en día. No	G3: J: Everything is already on the phone
hay cosa que se escape de las cámaras del	nowadays. There's nothing that escapes the
teléfono.	phone cameras.
00:29:11	00:29:11
Charles: Nadie se escapa	Charles: No one escapes
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[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:29:12	00:29:12

G3: O: Y nosotros que tenemos ahí la cámara.	G3: O: And we who have the camera there.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00.20.20	20.20.20
00:29:20 G3: EO: Por eso, yo le puse 5 al racismo porque	00:29:20 G3: EO: So, I gave 5 to racism because now there
ahorita hay leyes que te protegen, pues un	are laws that protect you, so a little bit of racism
poquito de racismo o como antes no había nada	or like before there was nothing and you had to
y tenías de soportar todo eso, especialmente a	put up with all that, especially the dark so.
los morenos pues.	
00:29:34	00:29:34
Moderator: ¿Cuál diría que es el fuente principal	Moderator: What would you say is the main
de noticias para ustedes? ¿G3: G, cuál es la fuente principal de noticias? ¿La televisión, el	source of news for you? G3: G, what's the main source of news? TV, smartphone? Social media?
smartphone? ¿Redes sociales? ¿Bocaboca?	BocaBoca? Which one?
¿Cuál?	
00:29:49	00:29:49
G3: G: También podcasts que son	G3: G: Also podcasts that are
00:29:50	00:29:50
Moderator: OK. ¿Escuchas muchos podcasts?	Moderator: OK. Do you listen to a lot of
	podcasts?
00:29:51	
G3: G: Que son [Inaudible 00:29:53]. Radio	00:29:51
también como [Inaudible 00:29:54].	G3: G: Which are [Inaudible 00:29:53]. Radio
	also like [Inaudible 00:29:54].
00:29:57	00:29:57
Moderator: ¿Y, cuáles podcasts escuchas? ¿Hay	Moderator: And, what podcasts do you listen to,
unos?	are there some?
00:30:00	00:30:00
G3: G: Hay muchos. [Inaudible 00:20:01]	G3: G: There are a lot of them. [Inaudible
	00:20:01]
00:30:04	00:30:04
Moderator: OK. Y, ¿ves televisión o lees el	Moderator: OK. And, do you watch TV or do you
periódico o no?	read the newspaper or not?
00:30:07	00:30:07

G3: G: Sí, pero el periódico no. La tele no. No veo	G3: G: Yes, but not the newspaper. I don't watch
noticias en tele porque siento que todas se ven	TV. I don't watch news on TV because I feel like
[Inaudible 00:30:12] en un modo [Inaudible	they all look [Inaudible 00:30:12] in one way
00:30:15] en otro modo. Entonces trato de	[Inaudible 00:30:15] in another way. So I try to
hacerme a veces veo los dos, a veces	make sometimes I watch both, sometimes
00:30:21	00:30:21
Moderator: ¿No tienes confianza en ningún	Moderator: Don't you have confidence in any TV
canal de televisión?	channel?
00:30:24	00:30:24
G3: G: El gobierno	G3: G: The government.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:30:28	00:30:28
G3: O: Todos Comprados.	G3: O: They're all bought.
00:30:29 Moderator: Espera, uno por uno. ¿G3: O dice qué?	00:30:29 Moderator: Wait, one by one. G3: O says what?
00:30:30	00:30:30
G3: O: Todos están comprados.	G3: O: They're all bought.
00:30:31	00:30:31
Moderator: Comprados dices.	Moderator: Bought you say.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:30:34	00:30:34
G3: O: Tanto como los hoteles y las televisiones.	G3: O: Just like the hotels and the televisions.
00:30:37	00:30:37
G3: EO: Te lavan la cabeza, una mafia.	G3: EO: They wash your head, a mob.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:30:39	00:30:39
G3: O: Yo me fijo mucho en las noticias de otros	G3: O: I look a lot at other people's news from
de otros países. Este hay un canal en la	other countries. There's a channel on TV, it's
televisión, es France 24 por ahí agarramos	France 24 so we get a lot of news because it's
muchas noticias nosotros porque es de todo el	from all over the world, not just here. So I like to

see everything that is happening everywhere. In Africa everything is connected with the war and everything.
00:31:02 Moderator: And, does anyone use the sources? Well, social networks, I mean as your main source of getting news out. [Crosstalk]
00:31:11 G3: M: I don't because Infowars. iNews. On Facebook you can't bG3: EDeve anything.
00:31:16 Moderator: On Facebook, you can't bG3: EDeve anything.
00:31:20 G3: M: For real news: no, for gossip: yes, it's okay. [Laughter] [Crosstalk]
00:31:27 Moderator: G3: EZ, what do you think? Does Facebook tell you lies about political news or is it pure?
00:31:34 G3: EZ: It's that Facebook is kind of double-edged. I feel like you can understand something that is not and then this, after researching, sometimes it's not real, sometimes it's not, it's a lie. So I feel that social media, as I say, is double-edged, that is, you use it for good, but you can also use it for bad. So, you should not bG3: EDeve everything you see, right? That's my opinion.

00:32:08	00:32:08
G3: R: Te pueden hacer creer que está bonita o	G3: R: You can be led to bG3: EDeve that she's
guapo y luego los ves, y dices "waaa".	pretty or handsome and then you see them, and
	you go "waaa."
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
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00:32:15	00:32:15
No identificado: [Inaudible 00:32:15] filtro.	Unidentified: [Inaudible 00:32:15] filter.
[Levelster]	[levelter]
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:32:21	00:32:21
Moderator: Y tú, G3: R dijiste Apple News, y	Moderator: And you, G3: R you said Apple News,
háblame de eso. ¿Qué es Apple News? ¿Y	and tell me about that, what is Apple News, and
cómo?	how do you?
00:32:27	00:32:27
G3: R: El Apple News, pues casi siempre te sale	G3: R: Apple News, well you almost always get a
una notificación cuando estás con	notification when you're with
00:32:20	00:32:20
Moderator: ¿En tu teléfono?	Moderator: On your phone?
00:32:31	00:32:31
G3: R: En Apple [Inaudible 00:32:32]	G3: R: On Apple [Inaudible 00:32:32]
00:32:33	00:32:33
Moderator: ¿Y tú no tienes que seleccionar eso?	Moderator: And you don't have to select that?
00:32:34	00:32:34
G3: R: No, eso te sale solo. Si eres de Apple, sí.	G3: R: No, that comes up on its own. If you're
Ya tienes tu teléfono actualizado. Pero no casi no	Apple, yeah. You already have your phone
me gustan. Las noticias son puras malas noticias	updated. But no I almost don't like them. The
entonces.	news is all bad news then.
00:32:42	00:32:42
Moderator: ¿Sí?	Moderator: Yeah?
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00:32:43	00:32:43
G3: R: Sí no, con mis problemas tengo.	G3: R: Yeah, I have my own problems.

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00:32:47	00:32:47
G3: G: Es verdad.	G3: G: It's true.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:32:49	00:32:49
G3: R: Es verdad.	G3: R: It's true.
00:32:51	00:32:51
Moderator: ¿Casi nunca?	Moderator: Almost never?
00:32:54	00:32:54
G3: G: [Inaudible 00:32:54] Y cuando no es algo	G3: G: [Inaudible 00:32:54] And when it's not
malo, es algo de las Kardashians o	something bad, it's something about the
	Kardashians or
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:32:58	00:32:58
Moderator: ¿Te importa, no te importa?	Moderator: Do you care or don't you care?
00:33:01	00:33:01
G3: R: No me importa.	G3: R: I don't care.
00:33:03	00:33:03
Moderator: No te importa. Bueno, cuando vas	Moderator: You don't care. Well, when you go
G3: EZ estaba viendo y dice que vas al Facebook	G3: EZ, I was seeing and she says you go on
y ves noticias. G3: M dice también que es pura	Facebook and you see news. G3: M also says it's
mentira. ¿Estás viendo vídeos o lo estás	pure lies, are you watching videos or are you
leyendo? ¿Cómo sale en las noticias que estás	reading it, how does it come out in the news
viendo es de ver vídeos o lo están leyendo como	that you're watching is it from watching videos
una historia? La mayoría.	or are you reading it as a story? Mostly.
00:33:24	00:33:24
G3: ED: A veces te manda un article	G3: ED: Sometimes it sends you an article
directamente [Inaudible 00:33:22]	directly [Inaudible 00:33:22].
00:33:29	00:33:29
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00:33:30	00:33:30
	00.33.50

G3: M: Sí te sale lo que tú has puesto like. Y tú	G3: M: If you get what you put like. And you can
puedes meterte ya a leer más y si te interesa.	just go to it and read more and if you're
Por ejemplo, {00:33:39] a veces sí, le puse like y	interested. For example, {00:33:39] sometimes
son más creíbles. Entonces lo leo, pero si es otro,	yes, I like it and they're more credible. Then I
no.	read it, but if it's another one, I don't
00:33:47	00:33:47
Moderator: G3: ED, dijiste es una estación, es	Moderator: G3: ED, you said it's a station, it's a
una estación local que dijiste es un canal, no sé	local station you said it's a channel, I don't know
qué. ¿Qué era? Dijiste que salen	what, what was it? You said they come out
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:33:58	00:33:58
G3: ED: Ya. News 5. [Inaudible 00:34:00] Es	G3: ED: Yes. News 5. [Inaudible 00:34:00] It's
local.	local.
00:34:04	00:34:04
Moderator: ¿Y eso lo noticias locales que están	Moderator: And so the local news that's on the
en el teléfono lo tienes por una aplicación o lo	phone do you have it through an app or do you
ves por Facebook?	watch it through Facebook?
00:34:11	00:34:11
G3: ED: En Facebook cuando estás scrolling. A	G3: ED: On Facebook when you're scrolling.
veces la gente le pone [Inaudible 00:34:15], le	Sometimes people put [Inaudible 00:34:15], they
ponen un link que te manda directo [Inaudible	put a link that sends you straight to [Inaudible
00:34:21] website.	00:24:21] website
00:34:25	00:34:25
Moderator: Y, cuando hay historias así de	Moderator: And, when there's stories like that
políticas que salen en Facebook o Instagram, o	about politics that come up on Facebook or
sea, ¿ustedes comentan o comparten esas	Instagram, I mean, do you comment or share
historias o nomás se quedan calladitos?	those stories or do you just stay quiet?
00:34:33	00:34:33
G3: O: Mi mamá es mi [Inaudible 00:34:32]. Yo	G3: O: My mom is my [Inaudible 00:34:32]. I
no veo televisión.	don't watch television.
00:34:35	00:34:35
Moderator: ¿No ves televisión para nada?	Moderator: You don't watch television at all?
00:34:38	00:34:38

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G3: O: No, si estoy interesada en algo es	G3: O: No, if I'm interested in anything it's
Infowars [Inaudible 00:34:41].	Infowars [Inaudible 00:34:41].
00:34:43	00:34:43
Moderator: Y infowars, ¿cuál es esa es? ¿Eso es	Moderator: And infowars, what's that one is
página de web o qué es?	that, is that website or what is that?
00:34:47	00:34:47
G3: O: Es una website.	G3: O: It's a website.
00:34:48	00:34:48
Moderator: OK. Página de website.	Moderator: OK. Website page.
00:34:50	00:34:50
G3: O: [Inaudible 00:34:50] Pero mi mamá dice	G3: O: [Inaudible 00:34:50] But my mom says
"no, tienes que ver canal 5. Luego, me pongo a	"no, you have to watch channel 5." Then, I start
verla y eso no es cierto. [Inaudible 00:35:02] Si	to watch it and that's not true. [Inaudible
es cierto o no es cierto.	00:35:02] If it's true or not true.
00:35:04	00:35:04
Moderator: OK. Charles, ¿qué canal ves para tus	Moderator: OK. Charles, what channel do you
noticias locales?	watch for your local news?
00:35:09	00:35:09
Charles: Francia 24. Así se llama y hablan de	Charles: France 24. That's what it's called and
todas partes del mundo.	they talk about all over the world.
00:35:17	00:35:17
Moderator: ¿Y nadie lee el periódico para nada	Moderator: And nobody reads the newspaper at
o?	all or?
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:35:24	00:35:24
Charles: Eso ya es muy antiguo.	Charles: That's so ancient.
chance. Eso ya es muy antiguo.	
[Laughter]	[Laughter.]
00:35:34	00:35:34
Charles: O sea de vez en cuando si estoy en	Charles: I mean every once in a while if I'm on
[Inaudible 00:35:38], a veces o la primera	[Inaudible 00:35:38], sometimes or the front

página, "oh, esto sucedió" y así. OK. ahí voy,	page, "oh, this happened" and so. OK. there I go,
pero, o sea, de comprar un periódico, no.	but, I mean, of buying a newspaper, no.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00.35.55	00.25.55
00:35:55	00:35:55
Charles: Eso ya es muy antigüito.	Charles: That's become very antiquated.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:36:00	00:36:00
G3: J: Al igual que Facebook, hay este como el	G3: J: Like Facebook, there's this like the
[Inaudible 00:36:04], a veces que ponen también	[Inaudible 00:36:04], sometimes they put this
este por su página de ellos. Pero este del	one up as well because of their page of them.
periódico lo más que leo eso es la sección de los	But this one of the newspaper the most I read
deportes.	that is the sports section.
00:36:17	00:36:17
Moderator: Sí, los de los deportes, no de la	Moderator: Yes, the sports, not the politics. Hey
política. Oiga y tiene	and you have
00:36:19	00:36:19
G3: J: Por lo mismo, que la mayoría de los	G3: J: For the same, that most of the newspapers
periódicos y los [Inaudible 00:36:23]. Yo pienso	and the [Inaudible 00:36:23]. I think they're
que son vallas en varias partes de la política.	billboards in several parts of politics.
00:36:31	00:36:31
Moderator: ¿Siempre se han sentido de esta	Moderator: Have you always felt this way or is it
manera o es algo reciente?	a recent thing?
00:36:34	00:36:34
Todos: Siempre.	Everyone: Always.
00:36:36	00:36:36
Moderator: ¿Siempre han sentido así?	Moderator: Have you always felt this way?
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00.25.42	20-25-42
G3: J: Se siente más desde que pasó lo bueno de	G3: J: It's felt more since, well, this happened,
este, porque las cadenas de noticias se dividía,	because the news, networks were split, they
se dividieron entre los demócratas y los	were split between the Democrats and the

republicanos.	Republicans.
00:36:51	00:36:51
Moderator: Pero antes de Trump no era tan así	Moderator: But before Trump, it wasn't so
dividido.	divided like that.
00:36:54	00:36:54
Charles: No creo yo.	Charles: I don't think so.
00:36:55	00:36:55
G3: M: No creo.	G3: M: I don't think.
00:36:56	00:36:56
G3: G: Creo que sí estaba, pero no había tan fuerte.	G3: G: I think it was, but there wasn't as strong.
00:36:58	00:36:58
G3: M: Siempre ha sido así, no más que ahora	G3: M: It's always been like that, no more than
con lo que pasó	now with what happened
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:37:00	00:37:00
G3: G: Como que ahora [Inaudible 00:37:02]	G3: G: Like now [Inaudible 00:37:02] Texas.
Texas. [Inaudible 00:37:04] Para acá o para allá.	[Inaudible 00:37:04] For here or there. Another
Otra razón del periódico que no [Inaudible	reason for the newspaper that you're not
00:37:09] va a tener que pagar uno para leer un	[Inaudible 00:37:09] going to have to pay one to
ratito y luego a la basura. Entonces, es como	read for a little bit and then in the trash. So, it's
wasted.	like wasted.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:37:20	00:37:20
Moderator: Pero ahora tienen en línea.	Moderator: But now they have online.
00:37:23	00:37:23
G3: M: Sí es cierto. Yo sí veo a veces los	G3: M: Yeah that's right. I do see sometimes the
clasificados para comprar cosas o así como	classifieds to buy stuff or so like rooms for sale
cuartos en venta o algo así, es lo único que veo	or something like that, that's the only thing I see
en el periódico.	in the paper.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:37:42	00:37:42

Moderator: Sí, sí. A ver platícame, yo quería	Moderator: Yeah, yeah. So tell me about, I
hablar acerca de 2 plataformas, este lo que es	wanted to talk about 2 platforms, what's Google
Google y lo que es YouTube. ¿Qué me pueden	and what's YouTube, what can you tell me about
decir de Google y YouTube?	Google and YouTube?
00:37:54	00:37:54
G3: EO: No pues Google es una página pues que	G3: EO: No well, Google is a page that's all, well
está todo, pues en línea todos y si usted quiere	it's all online and if you want to search for your,
buscar su, de lo que sea, ahí encuentran.	whatever, you can find it there.
00:38:03	00:38:03
Moderator: ¿Tienes confianza en Google?	Moderator: Do you trust Google?
00:38:07	00:38:07
No identificado: Sí.	Unidentified: Yes.
00:38:08	00:38:08
G3: EO: Ah, más que Wikipedia, sí, pero Google	G3: EO: Ah, more than Wikipedia, yeah, but
es un claro resource pues.	Google is a clear resource then.
00:38:12	00:38:12
Moderator: ¿Para ti es claro?	Moderator: Is it clear to you?
00:38:13	00:38:13
G3: EO: Sí.	G3: EO: Yeah.
00:38:14	00:38:14
G3: M: Para mí también	G3: M: For me too.
00:38:15	00:38:15
Moderator: ¿Para ti también, G3: M? ¿G3: G?	Moderator: For you too, G3: M? G3: G?
00:38:18	00:38:18
G3: G: YouTube y Google ya están unidos.	G3: G: YouTube and Google are already linked.
00:38:20	00:38:20
Moderator: ¿Ya están unidos?	Moderator: Are they already linked?
00:38:22	00:38:22
G3: G: Creo que Google compró a YouTube.	G3: G: I think Google bought YouTube.

00:38:26	00:38:26
Charles: Yo uso para buscar direcciones, a ver	Charles: I use to look up directions to see where
dónde voy,	I'm going,
00:38:30	00:38:30
Moderator: ¿Pero para información política lo	Moderator: But for political information do you
usas? Si quieres saber	use it? If you want to know
00:38:37	00:38:37
Charles: Sí, también. Bueno, uso más YouTube	Charles: Yeah, also. Well, I use YouTube more for
para las últimas noticias, lo otro, me subo a	the latest news, the other stuff, I use YouTube.
YouTube.	
00:38:54	00:38:54
Moderator: Y para ti YouTube tiene ¿Tienes	Moderator: And for you YouTube has Do you
confianza en YouTube?	have any trust in YouTube?
00:38:56	00:38:56
Charles: Sí, sí.	Charles: Yeah, yeah.
00:38:59	00:38:59
Moderator: ¿Hay otros que también confían mucho en YouTube o no?	Moderator: Are there others who also trust YouTube a lot or not?
	fourube a lot of not?
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:39:06	00:39:06
Moderator: ¿No?	Moderator: No?
00.00.07	00.00.07
00:39:07 G3: O: Music.	00:39:07 G3: O: Music.
00:39:09	00:39:09
G3: M: Lo que pasa es que YouTube es, tiene	G3: M: What happens is YouTube is, it has things
cosas que otras personas suben, cualquier	that other people upload, anybody can upload
persona puede subir algo en YouTube y en	something on YouTube and Google, I mean
Google, o sea quién lo va a subir es manejado	who's going to upload it is handled by them, no,
por ellos, no, entonces es diferente.	so it's different.
00:39:21	00:39:21
G3: R: [Inaudible 00:39:21]	G3: R: [Inaudible 00:39:21].
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00:39:22	00:39:22
G3: M: Ajá.	G3: M: Uh-huh.
00:39:23	00:39:23
G3: G: Tienes que pagar para preguntar a ver,	G3: G: You have to pay to ask, see but on
pero en YouTube bueno puede ver un vídeo	YouTube well you can see a video saying to the
diciendo a la economía está muy fea y otro	economy is very ugly and another video, but the
vídeo, pero la economía está muy buena. Lo que	economy is very good. What you're looking for,
uno busca, lo vas a leer.	you're going to read it.
00:39:34	00:39:34
G3: M: No es muy, ¿cómo se dice?, [Inaudible	G3: M: It's not very, how do you say, [Inaudible
00:39:37]	00:39:37].
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:39:39	00:39:39
G3: EO: Es más a la opinión de las personas.	G3: EO: It's more to people's opinion.
G3: M: Es más opinión que lo que es Google es	G3: M: It's more opinion that what Google is is
para buscar realmente lo que estás buscando,	for really looking for what you're looking for, a
una respuesta rápida.	quick answer.
00:39:48	00:39:48
G3: R: Es más educativo.	G3: R: It's more educational
00:39:49	00:39:49
Moderator: Pero, ¿en YouTube lo usan para	Moderator: But on YouTube do they use it to
buscar esta información política?	search for this political information?
00:39:55	00:39:55
G3: R: Yo no.	G3: R: I don't.
G3: M: No.	G3: M: No.
00:39:56	00:39:56
Charlie: Yo sí.	Charlie: I do.
00.20.50	00-20-50
00:39:58 Madaratary Charlis dias ave sí	00:39:58 Mederatori Charlie cava vez
Moderator: Charlie dice que sí.	Moderator: Charlie says yes.

00:39:58	00:39:58
Charlie: Sí.	Charlie: Yes.
	chance res.
00:40:00	00:40:00
Moderator: ¿G3: ED, usas YouTube?	Moderator: G3: ED, do you use YouTube?
00:40:01	00:40:01
G3: ED: Sí, pero no for political.	G3: ED: Yes, but not for political.
00:40:04	
No for political. ¿A dónde vas para buscar	00:40:04
político? ¿Nada?	No for political. where do you go for political?
	Anything?
00:40:07	00:40:07
G3: ED: En Google.	
00:40:08	G3: ED: On Google.
Moderator: OK.	00:40:08
	Moderator: OK.
00:40:10	
G3: EZ: Yahoo.	00:40:10
	G3: EZ: Yahoo.
00:40:11	
Moderator: Yahoo dice G3: EZ. A ver y, ¿en cuál	00:40:11
medio de comunicación confían más? ¿En cuál	Moderator: Yahoo says G3: EZ. Let's see and
tienen más confianza de todos los que	which media outlet do you trust the most, which
estábamos hablando, a lo mejor no hablamos de	one do you trust the most out of all the ones we
algo, pero en cuáles medios de comunicación	were talking about, maybe we didn't talk about
confían lo más? De noticias políticas, quiero	something, but which media outlets do you trust
decir.	the most? In political news, I mean.
00:40:27	00:40:27
00:40:37 G3: O: Infowars.com	00:40:37 G3: O: Infowars.com
00:40:38	00:40:38
Infowars.com dice G3: O.	G3: 0: Infowars.com says G3: 0.
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00:40:40	00:40:40
G3: G: [Inaudible 00:40:40]	G3: G: [Inaudible 00:40:40]
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G3: EO: A veces en la radio también se escucha.	G3: EO: Sometimes on the radio you hear it too.
00:40:48	00:40:48
Moderator: En la radio. ¿Cuál estación?	Moderator: On the radio, which station?
00:40:49	00:40:49
G3: EO: No sé las estaciones, pero	G3: EO: I don't know the stations, but
00:40:50	00:40:50
¿Las locales o no?	The local ones or not?
00:40:51	00:40:51
G3: EO: Locales, sí. Mucha gente, muchas radios	G3: EO: Local, yes. A lot of people, a lot of radios
hablan de la política pues.	talk about politics then.
00:40:57	00:40:57
Moderator: Y qué de inglés y español. ¿En cuál	Moderator: And what about English and
confían más? ¿En noticias en inglés o canales en	Spanish, which one do you trust more, English
inglés o canales en español? ¿Tienen	news or English channels or Spanish channels,
preferencia? ¿Hay uno mejor que el otro?	do you have a preference, is one better than the
¿Sienten que uno da más la verdad que la otra?	other, do you feel that one gives more truth than
	the other?
00:41:13	00:41:13
G3: R: Noticias americanas, puede que sea en	G3: R: American news, it might be in English.
inglés.	
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:41:18	00:41:18
G3: R: Más corrupto que otros países.	G3: R: More corrupt than other countries.
00:41:20	00:41:20
Moderator: ¿Sí?	Moderator: Yes?
00:41:21	00:41:21
G3: R: Sí, mucho más.	G3: R: Yes, much more.
00:41:23	00:41:23
Charles: A mí me encanta primer impacto	Charles: I love Primer Impacto because that's
porque ahí	where
[Laughter]	[Laughter]

00:41:27	00:41:27
Charles: Lo demuestran todo ahí, no hay nada de	Charles: They show it all there, there's nothing
que lo borran	that they erase it
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:41:35	00:41:35
Moderator: ¿Lo enseñan todo?	Moderator: Do they show it all?
00:41:36	00:41:36
Charles: Sí.	Charles: Yes.
00:41:37	00:41:37
Moderator: ¿Y eso es bueno o malo?	Moderator: And is that good or bad?
00:41:38 Charles: Es bueno. Yo digo la verdad es la verdad, sino ni los americanos lo borran así. El muerto está acá y lo borran. Ahí en Primer Impacto se ve el muerto. OK.	00:41:38 Charles: It's good. I say the truth is the truth, otherwise even the Americans don't erase it like that. The dead man is here and they erase it. There in Primer Impacto you see the dead guy. OK
00:41:58 Moderator: ¿G3: EO, qué ibas a decir? ¿Juan Carlo, quieres decir algo? ¿De español?	00:41:58 Moderator: G3: EO, what were you going to say? Juan Carlo, you want to say something? About Spanish?
00:42:02	00:42:02
G3: J: Yo, poquito de los dos porque de cualquier	G3: J: I, little bit of both because anyway no, not
manera no, no todos todos te van a dar el punto	everybody, not everybody is going to give you
de vista de que ellos están agarrando. Por eso yo	the point of view that they're grabbing. That's
prefiero mirar varias reportes sobre la misma	why I prefer to look at several reports on the
cosa y hacer mi propia investigación de lo que vi	same thing and do my own research of what I
y hacer mi propio opinión de lo que estoy	saw and make my own opinion of what I'm
mirando en mi frente de mis ojos.	looking at in front of my eyes.
00:42:31	00:42:31
G3: M: Sí, es cierto. Porque uno a veces ve algo	G3: M: Yes, that's true. Because sometimes you
en, por ejemplo, Univisión, y vas al Google o vas	see something on, for example, Univision, and
a YouTube o vas a un canal ABC News donde sea	you go to Google or you go to YouTube or you go
es un poquito diferente y pienso que hay	to an ABC News channel wherever it is it's a little

diferencia entre las noticias que salen en las redes sociales y los que salen por la televisión.	bit different and I think there's a difference between the news that comes out on social media and the news that comes out on television.
00:42:53	00:42:53
Moderator: ¿Sí? ¿Y, cómo son las diferencias?	Moderator: Yeah, and how are the differences,
¿Qué cosas diferencia entre noticias que salen	what's the difference between news that's on
en redes sociales y televisión?	social media and television?
00:42:59	00:42:59
G3: R: Menos manipulada.	G3: R: Less manipulated.
00:43:01	00:43:01
Moderator: ¿Cuál?	Moderator: Which one?
00:43:02	00:43:02
G3: R: El de las redes sociales.	G3: R: The one on social media.
00:43:03	00:43:03
Moderator: Las redes sociales son menos	Moderator: Social networks are less
00:43:04	00:43:04
G3: R: Son menos manipuladas.	G3: R: They are less manipulated.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:43:05	00:43:05
G3: M: Yo pienso lo opuesto.	G3: M: I think the opposite.
00:43:06	00:43:06
Moderator: G3: M piensa lo opuesto.	Moderator: G3: M thinks the opposite.
00:43:09	00:43:09
G3: M: Yo pienso que la televisión es más actual	G3: M: I think television is more current
[Inaudible 00:43:12] más real que las que ves en	[Inaudible 00:43:12] more real than the ones you
las redes sociales.	see on social media.
00:43:16	00:43:16
G3: O: La televisión siempre nos ha demostrado	G3: O: Television has always shown us what they
lo que ellos quieren que veas. Y convencerte	want you to see. And convince you to be on their

para estar del lado de ellos.	side.
00:43:26	00:43:26
Moderator: ¿Quieres decir algo, G3: EZ?	Moderator: Do you want to say something, G3:
00:46:27 G3: EZ: No, pensé que querías decir algo.	EZ? 00:46:27 G3: EZ: No, I thought you wanted to say
	something.
00:43:30 Moderator: OK. Bueno, yo creo que seguir adelante si alguien más quiere compartir algo. ¿No? Bueno, quiero seguir adelante y quiero que me escriban qué es un buen ciudadano. Ciudadano no del sentido de, legal, no sino como un ciudadano se comporta en sociedad, o sea, ¿cuáles son los deberes, obligaciones más importantes que tienes que tener como un miembro de esta sociedad?	00:43:30 Moderator: OK. Well, I think go ahead if anybody else wants to share anything. right? Well, I want to go ahead and I want you to write me what a good citizen is. Citizen not in the sense of, legal, no but how a citizen behaves in society, I mean what are the most important duties, obligations that you have to have as a member of this society?
00:44:01	00:44:01
G3: O: Respect the law.	G3: O: Respect the law.
00:44:04	00:44:04
Moderator: ¿Respetar?	Moderator: Respect?
00:44:04	00:44:04
G3: O: Respect the law.	G3: O: Respect the law.
00:44:05	00:44:05
G3: EO: Respecto a la ley.	G3: EO: Respect the law.
00:44:06	00:44:06
G3: M: Respecto a la ley.	G3: M: Respect the law.
00:44:08 Moderator: Ah, a la ley, perdón. No pude escuchar.	00:44:08 Moderator: Oh, to the law, sorry. I couldn't hear.

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00:44:10	00:44:10
G3: O: Respect the law.	G3: O: Respect the law.
00:44:11	00:44:11
Moderator: OK, entiendo. Es que andamos entre	Moderator: OK, I understand. It's just that we're
inglés español.	speaking between Spanish and English.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:44:18	00:44:18
Moderator: OK. Respect the law, got it. ¿Qué	Moderator: OK. Respect the law, got it. What
más? ¿Qué hace un buen ciudadano?	else? What makes a good citizen?
00:44:23	00:44:23
G3: EO: No pues. Paga sus impuestos.	G3: EO: Pay their taxes.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:44:24	00:44:24
Moderator: Paga sus impuestos.	Moderator: Pay taxes.
00:44:27	00:44:27
G3: G: Pensar en el país. No, no primero, pero	G3: G: Think about the country. No, not first, but
siempre pensar qué es mejor para el país.	always think what's best for the country.
00:44:31	00:44:31
G3: M: Ser honesto.	G3: M: Be honest.
00:44:32	00:44:32
Moderator: Ser honesto.	Moderator: To be honest.
00:44:34	00:44:34
G3: M: Con todos con los que vive, con los que	G3: M: With everyone you live with, with
trabajan como persona.	everyone you work with as a person.
00:44:39	00:40:39
G3: ED: Ser leal al país.	G3: ED: Be loyal to the country.
00:44:40	00:44:40
Moderator: Ser leal al país. OK.	Moderator: Be loyal to the country. OK.

00:44:42	00:44:42
G3: R: Educado. [Inaudible 00:44:44]. Respetar.	G3: R: Educated. [Inaudible 00:44:44]. Respect.
00:44:46	00:44:46
Respetar. ¿Charlie, qué piensas?	Respect. Charlie, what do you think?
00:44:49	00:44:49
Charlie: Ser buen padre, querer a tus hijos,	Charlie: Being a good father, loving your
criarlos bien, enseñarles también para que sigan	children, raising them well, teaching them also
tus pasos.	to follow in your steps.
00:45:05	00:45:05
Moderator: ¿Qué otras cosas hacen?	Moderator: What other things do they do?
00:45:06	00:45:06
G3: O: Votar.	G3: O: Vote.
00:45:07	00:45:07
Moderator: Votar dice G3: O. ¿Voten? ¿Un buen	Moderator: Vote. vote? a good citizen vote?
ciudadano vote?	
00:45:12	00:45:12
Todos: Sí.	Everyone: Yes.
00:45:24	00:45:24
Moderator: OK. ¿Hacen el servicio de jurado?	Moderator: OK. Do you do jury duty?
00:45:27	00:45:27
G3: M: También.	G3: M: Also.
00:45:28	00:45:28
Moderator: ¿Sí?	Moderator: Yes?
00:45:29	00:45:29
G3: J: Sí son llamados a él.	G3: J: Yes, they are called to it.
00:45:30	00:45:30
Moderator: Si son llamados, ¿deberían hacerlo?	Moderator: If they're called to it, should they do
	it?
00:45:33	00:45:33

Todos: Sí.	Everyone: Yes.
00:45:34	00:45:34
Moderator: ¿Sí? ¿Piensan que sí?	Moderator: Yes, do they think they should?
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:45:38	00:45:38
G3: O: Tantito me tocaba hace dos meses.	G3: O: I was about to be chosen two months
[Crosstalk]	ago. [Crosstalk]
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:45:47	00:45:47
G3: O: No sé. Diosito me ayudó.	G3: O: I don't know. God helped me.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
00:45:50	00:45:50
G3: O: No más eran 5 que nos faltaba.	G3: O: There were just 5 that we were needed.
00:45:52	00:45:52
Moderator: ¿Y no te escogieron?	Moderator: And didn't they choose you?
00:45:53	00:45:53
G3: O: No.	G3: O: No.
00:45:55	00:45:55
Moderator: Bueno, estamos hablando de que un	Moderator: Well, we're talking about a good
buen ciudadano participa en la votación. ¿Y qué	citizen participating in the vote. So what about
de protestas? ¿Un buen ciudadano también	protests, a good citizen can do that too?
puede hacerlo?	
00:46:06	00:46:06
G3: EO: También.	G3: EO: Also.
00:46:07	00:46:07
Todos: Sí.	Everyone: Yes.
00:46:08	00:46:08
G3: O: Tenemos el derecho.	G3: O: We have the right.

00:46:10	00:46:10
Moderator: ¿El derecho en derecho? OK.	Moderator: The right in right? OK.
00:46:11	00:46:11
G3: J: Básicamente un buen ciudadano es aquel	G3: J: Basically a good citizen is one who asserts
que hace valer sus derechos a la Constitución.	their rights to the Constitution.
00:46:19	00:46:19
G3: R: No más es que hay gente que piense que	G3: R: No more is that there are people who
protestar es como hacer vandalismo y	think that protesting is like vandalism and taking
aprovechando las protestas para hacer	advantage of protests to vandalize. When it
vandalismo. Cuando sale de orden todo, eso es	comes out of order everything, that's the only
lo único malo.	bad thing.
00:46:30	00:46:30
Moderator: ¿Eso es lo malo? OK. Bueno, todos	Moderator: That's the bad thing? OK. Well,
en este grupo están registrados para votar. Yo	everybody in this group is registered to vote. I
quería que nos cuenta su historia de cómo se	wanted you to tell us your story of how you
registraron. Así nomás, rapidito porque somos	registered. Just like that, just quickly because
muchos, pero cuando se registraron para votar si	there's a lot of us, but when did you register to
se acuerdan porque hay algunos que ya hace	vote if you remember because there's some that
mucho tiempo y no se acuerdan, pero G3: R,	are a long time ago and don't remember, but G3:
cuándo	R, when did you
00:46:51	00:46:51
G3: R: ¿Cuándo me hice ciudadano americano?	G3: R: When did I become an American citizen?
00:46:53	00:46:53
Moderator: En ese momento ahí cuando te	Moderator: At that moment there when they
hicieron la OK, G3: M.	made you the OK, G3: M.
00:46:57	00:46:57
G3: M: Cuando cumplí 18 años	G3: M: When I turned 18
00:47:00	00:47:00
Moderator: ¿Y en dónde hiciste en la escuela o	Moderator: And where did you do in school or
dónde?	where?
00:47:02	00:47:02
G3: M: Estaba yo en la High School. Y un maestro	G3: M: I was in high school. And a teacher who
que fue muy influyente con nosotros al tratar de	was very influential with us in trying to get us all,

que todos, una vez que cumplamos los 18, nos	once we turned 18, to register and we did that
registremos y lo hicimos saliendo de la High	coming out of High School.
School.	
00:47:20	00:47:20
Moderator: OK. G3: G.	Moderator: OK. G3: G.
00:47:21	00:47:21
G3: G: Igual.	G3: G: Same.
00:47:22	00:47:22
Moderator: ¿High School?	Moderator: High School?
00:47:23	00:47:23
G3: G: [Inaudible 00:47:23]	G3: G: [Inaudible 00:47:23]
00:47:25	00:47:25
Moderator: ¿Cuándo tenías 18? OK. ¿G3: O?	Moderator: When were you 18? OK. G3: O?
	Moderator. When were you to: OK. GS. O?
00:47:28	00:47:28
G3: O: 25 años. Por desgracia, fue demasiado ,	G3: O: 25 years old. Unfortunately, it was too
no demasiado esa vez, pero los 25 años, porque	much, not too much that time, but at 25 years,
no, no le tomaba mucha importancia en ese	because I didn't, I didn't take much importance
tiempo.	to it at that time.
00:47:38	00:47:38
Moderator: OK.	Moderator: OK.
00:47:39	00:47:39
G3: ED: Cuando cumplí 18.	G3: ED: When I turned 18.
00:47:40	00:47:40
Moderator: ¿Y en la escuela también?	Moderator: And in school too?
00.47.41	00.47.41
00:47:41	00:47:41
G3: ED: No, era en el tiempo de votar. No me	G3: ED: No, it was at the time of voting. I don't
acuerdo y, me registré ahí cuando fui a votar.	remember and, I registered there when I went to vote.
	vo.e.
00:47:52	00:47:52
Moderator: Ah, porque puedes registrarte el	Moderator: Oh, because you can register the

mismo día. ¿Aquí se permite registrar el mismo	same day, here you're allowed to register the
día de dónde, cuándo vas a ir a votar o no? OK,	same day of where, when you're going to go to
así que fuiste para votar y te registraste en ese	vote or not? OK, so you went to vote and you
momento. OK. ¿Y te acuerdas cuál elección era	registered at that time. OK. And do you
presidencial o?	remember which election was presidential or?
00:48:06	00:48:06
G3: ED: No.	G3: ED: No.
00:48:08	00:48:08
Moderator: ¿No te acuerdas? OK. Pero hace	Moderator: You don't remember? OK. But it was
mucho tiempo. OK, ¿G3: EZ?	a long time ago. OK, G3: EZ?
00:48:12	00:48:12
G3: EZ: Cuando saqué mi licencia de conducir.	G3: EZ: When I got my driver's license.
00:48:15	00:48:15
Moderator: Ahí te preguntaron, ¿verdad? OK.	Moderator: That's when they asked you, right?
¿G3: J?	OK. G3: J?
00:48:19	00:48:19
G3: J: Igual saliendo de la escuela. Yo me salí de	G3: J: Just like coming out of school. I left school,
la escuela, eso no me, no me tocó por parte de la	that didn't, that didn't touch me by the school,
escuela, pero saliendo de la escuela a los 18,	but leaving school at 18, also because of the
también por lo mismo de las elecciones, decidí	same thing about the elections, I decided to
registrarme.	register.
00:48:37	00:48:37
Moderator: OK. ¿Y era una elección particular o	Moderator: OK. And was it a particular election
no?	or not?
00:48:39	00:48:39
G3: J: Presidencial.	G3: J: Presidential.
00:48:40	00:48:40
Moderator: ¿De cuál? ¿Del? ¿Quiénes eran los	Moderator: From which one, from the Who
candidatos?	were the candidates?
00:48:43	00:48:43
G3: J: Obama.	G3: J: Obama.
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00:48:45	00:48:45
Moderator: Obama. OK. ¿G3: EO?	Moderator: Obama. OK. G3: EO?
	Modelator: Obama: OK: GS: LO:
00:48:47	00:48:47
G3: EO: También en la escuela para Universidad.	G3: EO: Also in school for college.
00:48:50	00:48:50
Moderator: ¿En la Universidad?	Moderator: In college?
	00.40.54
00:48:51 G3: EO: Ajá, sí. Me pararon, pues yo estaba	00:48:51 G3: EO: Uh-huh, yeah. They stopped me, well I
caminando a la escuela, a la clase y me pararon	was walking to school, to class and they stopped
para que me registrara y me registré.	me to get me to register and I registered.
00:49:00	00:49:00
Moderator: ¿Ahí lo hiciste?	Moderator: Is that where you did it?
00:49:01	00:49:01
G3: EO: Ya.	G3: EO: Yeah.
00:49:02	00:49:02
Moderator: ¿Y Charlie?	Moderator: And Charlie?
00:49:03	00:49:03
Charlie: Hace como 15 años mínimo.	Charlie: About 15 years ago at least.
00:49:06	00:49:06
Moderator: ¿Y dónde?	Moderator: And where?
00:49:08	00:49:08
Charlie: Estuve viviendo en Ohio. Ahí me	Charlie: I was living in Ohio. That's where I
registré.	registered.
00:49:18	00:49:18
Moderator: OK. Y todos han votado en una	Moderator: OK. And everyone's voted in an
elección. ¿Qué se trata de ir a votar una	election. What's it about going to vote an
elección? ¿Cómo es el proceso? ¿Es difícil? ¿Es	election? What's the process like? Is it difficult?
fácil?	Is it easy?
00:49:31	00:49:31
Todos: Es fácil.	Everyone: It's easy.

hard? 00:50:37 00:50:37 G3: ED: Yo pienso que la persona que toma la iniciativa. Si uno toma la iniciativa y obviamente, vota por el que quiere, pues mínimo se hizo

00:49:52 00:49:52 Charles: Te hace pensar de que tu voto no vale Charles: It makes you think that your vote is nada. Si ellos están votando por el presidente o sea, el popular así que qué importa. 00:50:10 00:50:10 OK. G3: G? Moderator: Ya. ¿G3: G? 00:50:11 00:50:11 G3: G: Siento que [Inaudible 00:50:12] son muy G3: G: I feel like [Inaudible 00:50:12] are very importantes porque es cuando G3: EDge uno a quién va a ser su representante del electoral is going to be your representative of the college para que voten como uno quiere que... them to ... 00:50:23 00:50:23 Moderator: ¿Qué vote? OK. G3: EZ, ¿qué piensas? ¿Votar es fácil, difícil? think, is voting easy, hard? 00:50:28 00:50:28 G3: EZ: Sí, es fácil. G3: EZ: Yes, it's easy. 00:50:33 00:50:33 Moderator: Y, ¿G3: ED? ¿Que votar es fácil o difícil?

[Inaudible 00:49:46]. 00:49:48 Moderator: ¿Y no te gusta eso?

00:49:33

G3: EO: Lo que no me gusta de votar es el [Inaudible 00:49:36], los votos del electorales y no sea al voto popular, pues hay mucha gente le gusta el candidato. No se van a eso, se van al

00:49:33

G3: EO: What I don't like about voting is the [Inaudible 00:49:36], the electoral votes and it's not the popular vote, because there's a lot of people like the candidate. They don't go to that; they go to the [Inaudible 00:49:46].

00:49:48 Moderator: And you don't like that?

worthless. If they're voting for the president I mean, the popular one so what does it matter.

important because that's when you choose who electoral college so they vote the way you want

Moderator: What vote? OK. G3: EZ, what do you

Moderator: And, G3: EZ: That voting is easy or

G3: ED: I think the person who takes the initiative. If you take the initiative and obviously, you vote for the one that you want, well, at least

valer que tú crees que tu voto cuenta.	it was made to assert that you think your vote matters.
00:50:52	00:50:52
Moderator: ¿Piensas que tu voto cuenta?	Moderator: Do you think your vote matters?
00:50:55	00:50:55
G3: ED: Con todo lo que hacen que no, cómo G3:	G3: ED: With everything that they do that don't,
EDgen el voto, ¿cómo se dice?, el popular: no.	how do they choose the vote, how do you say,
	the popular one: no.
00:51:06	00:51:06
Moderator: OK. ¿Y, G3: J, piensas que tu voto	Moderator: OK. and, G3: J, do you think your
cuenta o no?	vote matters or not?
00:51:09	00:51:09
G3: J: No. yo estoy igual, pienso que por los	G3: J: No. I am the same, I think that the
electoral college lo hace muy difícil para que tu	electoral college makes it very difficult for your
voto cuente cómo debe de contar.	vote to matter how it should matter.
00:51:28	00:51:28
G3: EO: Sí, yo también pienso también lo que	G3: EO: Yes, I also think that what I mean is that
quiero decir es todo está bien manipulado,	everything is well manipulated, so
pues	
00:51:34	00:51:34
Moderator: ¿Por parte de quién?	Moderator: By who?
00:51:38	00:51:38
G3: EO: Del gobierno. Cuando hacen campaigns	G3: EO: From the government. When they do
se van a esos estados que tienen más electoral college y ahí hacen sus campaigns, sus	campaigns they go to those states that have more electoral college and there they do their
campañas. Y, obviamente si tienes más dinero,	campaigns, their campaigns. And, obviously if
pasa a representarte más mejor ahí que	you have more money, it happens to represent
[Inaudible 00:51:59].	you better there than [Inaudible 00:51:59].
00:52:00	00:52:00
Moderator: El dinero siempre. Pero pensando en	Moderator: The money always. But thinking
elecciones pasadas cuando ustedes votaron,	back to past elections when you voted, what do
¿qué recuerdan de esa elección? ¿Y qué le hizo ir	you remember about that election? And what
a votar? Bueno, o sea ¿cuál fue tu razón, tu	made you go vote? Well, I mean what was your

inspiración, motivo, cambio?	reason, your inspiration, motive, change?
00:52:18	00:52:18
G3: M: Pues la reciente que acabamos de tener	G3: M: Well, the recent one that we just had,
que es locales, todo lo que es el voto local pues	which is local, everything that is the local vote is
es importante. Entonces	important. So
00:52:29	00:52:29
Moderator: ¿Había algo, alguien que o nomás	Moderator: Was there something, somebody
en general fuiste a votar?	that or just in general you went to vote?
00:52:35	00:52:35
G3: M: Conozco a una mujer que está ahorita	G3: M: I know a woman who is now trying to be
tratando de ser una persona [Inaudible 00:52:33]	a [Inaudible 00:52:33] person in the city where I
en la ciudad donde vivo. Ella cuidó de mi hijo	live. She took care of my son when she had a
cuando ella tenía un [Inaudible 00:52:49], una	[Inaudible 00:52:49], a children's school. And she
escuela para niños. Y ella quiso salir a hacer	wanted to go out and do candidate and I wanted
candidato y la quería yo apoyar.	to support her.
00:52:58 Moderator: Así que conocía a alguien personalmente quería votar por él o ella en este caso.	00:52:58 Moderator: So I knew somebody personally wanted to vote for him or her in this case.
00:53:01	00:53:01
G3: M: Sí.	G3: M: Yes.
00:53:04	00:53:04
Moderator: G3: G, cuando fuiste a votar, ¿te	G3: G, when you went to vote, do you remember
acuerdas por qué fuiste a votar o por qué fuiste	why you went to vote or why you were
motivado?	motivated?
00:53:10	00:53:10
G3: G: La última presidential election, la razón	G3: G: The last presidential election, the reason
fue por todos sus temas de cómo quiero que	was because of all of your themes of how I want
nuestro futuro presidente vaya	our future president to go
00:53:24	00:53:24
Moderator: Como va a ser. Bueno, pensando en	Moderator: How it's going to be. Well, thinking
otras ocasiones en cuando no fueron a votar.	about other times when you didn't go to vote.

¿No saben me pueden contar de una elección donde no fueron a votar y por qué no votaron?	You don't know can you tell me about an election where you didn't go to vote and why you didn't vote?
00:53:36	00:53:36
G3: R: Esto último, no.	G3: R: The last one, no.
00:53:37	00:53:37
Moderator: ¿No? ¿Por qué no?	Moderator: No, why not?
00:53:39	00:53:39
G3: R: No quise, se me hace que todo como	G3: R: I didn't want to, it's all kind of fake to me.
falso. Por eso, no fui.	So, I didn't go.
00:53:45	00:53:45
Moderator: ¿Porque sientes así? ¿Qué te hace	Moderator: Why do you feel that way? What
sentir así?	makes you feel that way?
00:53:46	00:53:46
G3: R: Siento que somos como unos títeres del	G3: R: I feel that we are like puppets of the
Gobierno. [Inaudible 00:53:53]	government. [Inaudible 00:53:53]
00:53:58	00:53:58
Moderator: ¿Y siempre ha sentido así?	Moderator: And have you always felt that way?
00:54:00	00:54:00
G3: R: No. Últimamente como que está todo más	G3: R: No. Lately it's like everything is more
corrupto, todo está peor cada vez. Es lo que yo	corrupt, everything is worse and worse. That's
siento que el Gobierno cada vez se pone más a	what I feel that the government is getting more
su favor. A favor de ellos.	and more in their favor. In their favor.
00:54:10	00:54:10
G3: EZ, ¿qué piensas?	G3: EZ, what do you think?
00:54:13	00:54:13
G3: EZ: Igual. Yo sí fui a votar, pero mi objetivo	G3: EZ: Same. I did go to vote, but my goal was
era para parar la guerra. Ese era mi objetivo por	to stop the war. That was my goal that's why, I
eso, yo fui a votar por Joe Biden porque yo	went to vote for Joe Biden because I thought it
pensé que iba a ser un cambio, pero ya después	was going to be a change, but already after I'm
que estoy viendo que está ayudando a otros	seeing that he's helping other countries with the
países con la guerra para que nosotros nos	war for us to get in line, it makes us that we have

pongamos en línea, nos hace a nosotros que nosotros tenemos más en pG3: EDgro. Entonces, yo para mí, mi objetivo era la guerra que parar la guerra. Y eso es una de las cosas que no mira aquí. Esta guerra para para ver qué era lo importante para mí. Yo le hubiera puesto un 10 más porque para mí, obviamente, la guerra es algo que cualquiera...

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Moderator: ¿Y cuál guerra estás hablando?

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G3: EZ: La de Ucrania o cuál guerra la que ayudó el presidente. Sí, él ayudó en esto. Entonces, a nosotros nos pone en pG3: EDgro eso porque está diciendo que Rusia está pensando que nosotros estamos también en guerras con ellos. Entonces, ya eso nos pone a todos los estadounidenses en pG3: EDgro. Y eso es lo que el presidente no miró. No ve, o se hace de la vista gorda o no sé, no sé cuál es su objetivo, pero para mí eso es algo pG3: EDgroso.

00:55:28 ¿Alguien?

00:55:29 G3: EO: Y si fuera Donald Trump, pues él hubiera parado. Él tiene más [Inaudible 00:55:34]

00:55:36 Charles: Tiene más huevos. [Laughter]

00:55:40 Moderator: ¿Trump tiene más huevos dices? [Crosstalk] more in danger. So, I for me, my goal was the war than to stop the war. And that's one of the things that doesn't look here. This war to see what was important to me. I would have given it a 10 plus because for me, obviously, the war is something that anyone...

00:54:58 Moderator: And what war are you talking about?

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G3: EZ: The one in Ukraine or which war the president helped in. Yeah, he helped in this. So, to us that puts us in danger because he's saying that Russia is thinking that we are also in wars with them. So, already that puts every one of us Americans in danger. And that's what the president didn't look at. He doesn't see, or he turns a blind eye or I don't know, I don't know what his goal is, but to me that's a dangerous thing.

00:55:28 Moderator: Anybody?

00:55:29 G3: EO: And if it was Donald Trump, well he would have stopped. He has more [Inaudible 00:55:34].

00:55:36 Charles: He's braver. [Laughter.]

00:55:40 Moderator: Trump is braver you say? [Crosstalk] 00:55:44 Charles: Es su amiguito el cabrón.

00:55:48

G3: EO: Trump sí es hablador, habla mal de la gente, pero él no se deja de llevar por otras personas.

00:55:53 Moderator: OK. G3: M.

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G3: M; Es su opinión de cada quien, no. Yo pienso que él hubiera sido aliado de Rusia y eso no es bueno para Estados Unidos tampoco. Entonces, él lo que quiso es que toda su gente entrara para que él tuviera todo, como hacerle favores a Rusia que tampoco es bueno porque ellos no son nuestros amigos. Nunca fueron y nunca lo será, en mi opinión.

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Moderator: Bueno, quiero seguir adelante porque sino podemos pasar toda la tarde hablando de Rusia.

[Laughter]

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Moderator: Cuando hablan a una persona que conoce o sea un compañero de trabajo, familiares, amigas, amistades, ¿cuáles son las razones más comunes que escuchas a estas personas que dicen los razones que no voten en las elecciones? O sea familiares.

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G3: M: Dicen lo que dice es que no, no importa el voto que lo van a manipular, que eso no siento que eso es cierto, pero cada quién puede opinar lo que quiera. 00:55:44 Charles: It's his little buddy the bastard.

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G3: EO: Trump yes he's a talker, he talks trash about people, but he doesn't get taken by other people.

00:55:53 Moderator: OK. G3: M.

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G3: M; It's everybody's opinion, no. I think he would have been an ally of Russia and that's not good for the United States either. So, what he wanted is for every one of his people to come in so that he would have everything, like doing favors for Russia which is not good either because they are not our friends. They never were and never will be, in my opinion.

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Moderator: Well, I want to talk about other topics because otherwise we can spend all afternoon talking about Russia.

[Laughter]

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Moderator: When you talk to a person that you know or whether it's a co-worker, relatives, friends, friends, friendships, what are the most common reasons that you hear these people saying the reasons not to vote in the election? I mean family members.

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G3: M: They say what they say is that no, it doesn't matter the vote that they're going to manipulate it, that I don't feel that that's true, but everybody can say what they want.

00:57:00	00:57:00
Moderator: ¿Así dice la gente?	Moderator: Is that what people say?
00:57:01	00:57:01
G3: M: Sí.	G3: M: Yes.
00:57:01	00:57:01
G3: G: No importa. El electoral college van a	G3: G: It doesn't matter. The electoral college
votar cómo ellos quieran.	they're going to vote how they want.
00:57:07	00:57:07
G3: R: Bueno, en México lo veo siempre eso. No	G3: R: Well, in Mexico I always see that. I don't
sé a lo mejor estoy traumado Pero sí allá la	know maybe I'm traumatized But yes there the
llegada del Gobierno y les da frijoles y arroz y les	government comes and gives them beans and
da 1000 pesos.	rice and gives them 1000 pesos.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:57:23	00:57:23
G3: R: Pues nada, una miseria.	G3: R: Well, nothing, a misery.
00:57:26	00:57:26
G3: O: Aquí, aunque voten, al menos están	G3: O: Here, even if they vote, at least they're
votando. [Inaudible 00:57:30]. Lo cuenten o no	voting. [Inaudible 00:57:30]. Whether they're
lo cuenten porque eso me pasó a mí cuando yo	counting it or not counting it because that
voté la última vez, ya ves que hay un website	happened to me when I voted last time, you see
donde puedes ver si tu voto valió o no valió. El	there's a website where you can see if your vote
mío no valió porque me agarré con la muchacha	was worth it or not. Mine didn't matter because
cuando fui a votar. Entonces, me di cuenta que	I fought with the girl when I went to vote. So, I
no me lo pusieron, no valió, pero yo sé mi voto	realized that my vote didn't count, but I know
valió para mí.	my vote counted for me.
votando. [Inaudible 00:57:30]. Lo cuenten o no lo cuenten porque eso me pasó a mí cuando yo voté la última vez, ya ves que hay un website donde puedes ver si tu voto valió o no valió. El mío no valió porque me agarré con la muchacha cuando fui a votar. Entonces, me di cuenta que no me lo pusieron, no valió, pero yo sé mi voto	G3: O: Here, even if they vote, at least they're voting. [Inaudible 00:57:30]. Whether they're counting it or not counting it because that happened to me when I voted last time, you see there's a website where you can see if your vote was worth it or not. Mine didn't matter because I fought with the girl when I went to vote. So, I realized that my vote didn't count, but I know

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senadores.	
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Moderator: De los senadores. OK. ¿Y, eso es muy	Moderator: From the senators. OK. And, is that
importante?	very important?
00:58:19	00:58:19
G3: M: Sí porque ellos toman decisiones del	G3: M: Yes, because they make state decisions
Estado y eso es importante.	and that's important.
00:58:24	00:58:24
Moderator: Porque eso está en la boleta ahorita	Moderator: Because that's on the ballot right now.
00:58:26 G3: M: Sí. Pues lo único malo es que tenemos uno a la derecha y uno a la izquierda. O sea, no hay ahorita todo está hasta allá o hasta acá. [Laughter]	00:58:26 G3: M: Yeah. Well the only bad thing is that we have one on the right and one on the left. I mean, there's no right now everything is up to there or up to here. [Laughter]
00:58:37	00:58:37
G3: M: Es demasiado la diferencia entre los dos.	G3: M: It's too much difference between the two
00:58:40	00:58:40
G3: G: Eso es bueno porque tienes los dos	G3: G: That's good because you have the two
extremos y no solo un solo partido [Inaudible	extremes and not just one party [Inaudible
00:58:46]	00:58:46].
00:58:47	00:58:47
Moderator: Bueno, cuando es senador esa	Moderator: Well, when you're a senator that
persona toma muchas decisiones y va a ser	person makes a lot of decisions and it's going to
izquierda o derecha.	be left or right.
00:58:54	00:58:54
G3: G: Pero, digo tenemos dos [Inaudible	G3: G: But, I mean we have two [Inaudible
00:58:56] es bueno creo.	00:58:56] is good I think.
00:58:59	00:58:59
G3: EO: [Inaudible 00:58:59]. Yo creo que	G3: EO: [Inaudible 00:58:59]. I think it's also

también es mejor que voten también por los	better if you vote for the [Inaudible 00:58:56] as well.
00:59:06	00:59:06
Los candidatos.	Moderator: Candidates.
00:59:07	00:59:07
G3: EO: También los [Inaudible 00:59:09].	G3: EO: Also the [Inaudible 00:59:09].
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:59:13	00:59:13
Moderator: Pero las decisiones de la Corte	Moderator: But the Supreme Court decisions
Suprema que han pasado recientemente, ¿te	that have passed recently, does that make you
hace motivo para ir a votar?	reason to go vote?
00:59:21	00:59:21
G3: O: Si no sirven, sí.	G3: O: If they're not helpful, yes.
00:59:23	00:59:23
G3: EO: El problema del desempleo a lo mejor es	G3: EO: The unemployment problem maybe it's
porque ellos sirven por vida, no hay nada, o sea,	because they serve for life, there's nothing, I
no.	mean, no.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
00:59:31	00:59:31
Moderator: No, pero digo, estoy hablando de las	Moderator: No, but I mean, I'm talking about the
decisiones que han hecho, ¿eso te da motivo	decisions that they've made, does that give you
para ir a votar?	reason to go vote?
00:59:37	00:59:37
G3: M: Pues un poquito, pero no, no nos dan la	G3: M: Well a little bit, but no, they don't give us
opción de a quién va a estar en la Corte	the choice of who's going to be on the Supreme
Suprema, nosotros. Entonces	Court, us. So.
00:59:45	00:59:45
Moderator: Pero no estoy hablando de Bueno,	Moderator: But I'm not talking about Well,
OK, entiendo. Bueno, una pregunta aquí,	OK, I understand. Well, a question here, does
¿alguien sigue un político, una campaña política	anybody follow a politician, a political campaign
por las redes sociales? ¿En este momento están	on social media, at this point are they following
siguiendo a alguien o están?	anybody or are they?

Supplemental	Materials -	Nevada

01:00:01
G3: M: Yo lo veo seguido en Facebook que
muchos candidatos.

01:00:06

Moderator: ¿Pero los sigues o no los sigues? ¿Ellos no más te salen de tu news feed?

01:00:11 G3: M: Salen en el news feed.

01:00:15 G3: G: No lo sigo, pero de vez en cuando [Inaudible 01:00:22].

01:00:29

Moderator: A ver, a ver, a ver. OK. Vamos a ir adelante a la siguiente ejercicio aquí. Quiero que esta página es la de, aquí, aquí la 3. Quiero que tomen un momento y completa en este folletito. Ahí escribe lo primero que venga a la mente cuando piense del partido demócrata 1, 2 o 3 palabritas lo puedes hacer en inglés si no quieres hacerlo en español. Luego abajo, escribe lo mejor, lo que venga a la mente. Primero, lo que venga a la mente cuando pienso en el partido de la republicano. No tiene que ser muy largo, pero si puedes escribir lo primero que viene a la mente.

01:01:28 G3: EO: [Inaudible 01:01:28]

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Moderator: Sí. Puede ser [Inaudible 01:01:31], lo que sea. Cuando piensas del partido demócrata, ¿qué piensa? ¿En qué piensas? ¿Listos? ¿Ya? Bueno, quiero ir alrededor de la mesa. G3: R, dime, comparte qué pusiste en el partido demócrata.

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G3: M: I see more often on Facebook than a lot of candidates.

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Moderator: But do you follow them or don't you follow them? Do they just come out of your news feed?

01:00:11 G3: M: They come up in the news feed.

01:00:15 G3: G: I don't follow

G3: G: I don't follow it, but from time to time [Inaudible 01:00:22].

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Moderator: Let's see. OK. Let's go ahead to the next exercise here. I want this page is the one of, here, here 3. I want you to take a moment and complete on this little sheet. There write down the first thing that comes to mind when you think of the Democratic Party 1, 2 or 3 little words you can do it in English if you don't want to do it in Spanish. Then below, write the best, whatever comes to mind. First, what comes to mind when I think of the Republican party. It doesn't have to be very long, but you can write the first thing that comes to mind.

01:01:28 G3: EO: [Inaudible 01:01:28]

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Moderator: Yeah. It can be [Inaudible 01:01:31], whatever. When you think of the Democratic Party, what do you think of, what do you think of, ready, okay, I want to go around the table. G3: R, tell me, share what you wrote on the Democratic party.

01:02:10	01:02:10
G3: R: Yo pues no creo en ningún partido,	G3: R: Well, I don't bG3: EDeve in any party,
simplemente porque no cumplen lo que	simply because they don't accomplish what they
prometen.	promise.
01:02:15	01:02:15
Moderator: OK.	Moderator: OK.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
01:02:19	01:02:19
Moderator: ¿Específicamente, en qué asunto?	Moderator: Specifically, on what issue?
01:02:21	01:02:21
G3: R: Pues en la mayoría de las cosas que dicen	G3: R: Well, on most of the things that they say
que van a hacer, no las hacen.	they're going to do, they don't do.
01:02:24	01:02:24
Moderator: ¿Pero cuál para ti te?	Moderator: But which one for you do you?
01:02:28	01:02:28
G3: R: Para empezar, no, no, no mejora nada a la	G3: R: To begin with, no, no, it doesn't improve
economía cada vez está peor.	anything, the economy is getting worse and
	worse.
01:02:33	01:02:33
Moderator: OK. La economía.	Moderator: OK. The economy.
01:02:36	01:02:36
G3: R: Ya tiene años así, muchos años.	G3: R: It's been like this for years, many years
01:02:38	01:02:38
Moderator: OK. ¿G3: M, qué pusiste en partido	Moderator: OK. G3: M, what did you write in
demócrata?	democrat party?
01:02:40	01:02:40
G3: M: Puse liberal en la mayoría.	G3: M: I wrote liberal in the majority.
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01:02:44	01:02:44
Moderator: ¿Liberal en la mayoría? OK. ¿G3: G,	Moderator: Liberal in the majority? OK. G3: G,
qué pusiste?	what did you write?

01:02:47 G3: G: Pues varias cosas.01:02:47 G3: G: Well, several things.01:02:48 Moderator: OK, está bien.01:02:48 Moderator: OK, that's fine.01:02:49 G3: G: Pues en inglés [Inaudible 01:02:51], immigration reform promises [Inaudible 01:02:51], immigration reform promises [Inaudible 01:02:55] and waste of taxes.01:02:58 Moderator: Waste of taxes. OK. Cuando pusiste immigration, ¿qué dijiste immigration promises?01:02:58 Moderator: Waste of taxes. OK. When you wrote immigration, what did you say immigration promises?01:03:03 G3: G: Immigration reform promises.01:03:03 G3: G: Immigration reform promises.01:03:05 Moderator: ¿Y nunca cumplen?01:03:07 G3: G: No. Yo creo que es para agarrar votos?01:03:10 Moderator: ¿Solamente para agarrar votos?01:03:10 Moderator: Just to get votes?01:03:12 G3: G: [Inaudible 01:03:12]01:03:16 OK. G3: O?01:03:16 Moderator: OK, ¿G3: O?01:03:16 G3: G: Venezuela01:03:19 Moderator: ¿Venezuela en demócrata pusiste? Y Pro eso explícame.01:03:19 Moderator: wenzuela in democrat did you write? And so explian to me.		
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	por eso explícame.	write? And so explain to me.

01:03:22	01:03:22
G3: O: Vamos a estar si seguimos, así como	G3: O: We're going to be if we continue, as well
demócrata. It's gonna be like Venezuela.	as democrat. It's gonna be like Venezuela.
[Inaudible 01:03:30] Y el dinero nos va	[Inaudible 01:03:30] And the money is going
[Inaudible 01:03:33].	[Inaudible 01:03:33].
01:03:35	01:03:35
Moderator: Tú dices como Venezuela. ¿Qué	Moderator: You say like Venezuela, what do you
quieres decir? ¿Cómo qué? ¿El gobierno o qué?	mean, like what, the government or what?
01:03:39	01:03:39
G3: EO: Mucho dinero [Inaudible 01:03:40].	G3: EO: A lot of money [Inaudible 01:03:40].
01:03:41 G3: O: Ya, el gobierno, el nuestro dolár ya no va a servir, va a estar como Venezuela no va a servir, va a haber muchos [Inaudible 01:03:46] a la economía, todo [Inaudible 01:03:48]. Guerra.	01:03:41 G3: O: OK, the government, the government, our dollar is not going to be useful anymore, it's going to be like Venezuela is not going to be useful, there's going to be a lot of [Inaudible 01:03:46] to the economy, everything [Inaudible 01:03:48]. War.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
01:03:52	01:03:52
G3: O: Mis respetos para muchacho.	G3: O: My respects to boy.
01:03:55	01:03:55
Moderator: ¿G3: ED, qué pusiste?	Moderator: G3: ED, what did you write?
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
01:03:58	01:03:58
G3: O: Mis respetos.	G3: O: My respects.
01:03:59	01:03:59
Moderator: ¿G3: ED, qué pusiste en demócrata?	Moderator: G3: ED, what did you write in
01:04:00	democrat?
G3: ED: Libertad, liberal	01:04:00 G3: ED: Freedom, liberal.

01:04:03	01:04:03
Moderator: Libertad, liberal.	Moderator: Freedom, liberal.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
01:04:05	01:04:05
G3: ED: Justicia limitada.	G3: ED: Limited justice.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
01:04:09	01:04:09
G3: EO: Soldador.	G3: EO: Welder.
01:04:12	01:04:12
G3: O: Solder.	G3: O: Welder.
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
[]	[]
01:04:32	01:04:32
Moderator: Bueno, G3: EZ, ¿qué pusiste?	Moderator: Well, G3: EZ, what did you write?
Perdón, no te escuché.	Sorry, I didn't hear you.
01:04:34	01:04:34
G3: EZ: Justicia limitada.	G3: EZ: Limited justice.
01:04:36	01:04:36
Moderator: Justicia limitada. Explícame.	Moderator: Limited justice. Explain.
01:04:37	01:04:37
G3: EZ: De [Inaudible 01:04:38].	G3: EZ: From [Inaudible 01:04:38].
01:04:40	01:04:40
Moderator: Demócrata.	Moderator: Democrat.
01:40:41	01:40:41
G3: EZ: Sí, para mí yo siento que obviamente a	G3: EZ: Yeah, for me I feel like obviously they
ellos les importaba lo que yo tenía y lo que yo	cared about what I had and what I learned in
aprendí en la escuela es que la demócrata era	school is that democrat was justice, freedom
justicia, libertad que escuchaban a la gente, les	they listened to the people, they care about
importa lo que el público pida y opine. Y ahora	what the public asks for and opinion. And now
con tal recurso de la vida sigue uno va	with such a resource of life goes on you learn
aprendiendo más y se va haciendo más	more and you become more

01:05:07	01:05:07
G3: G: Wise.	G3: G: Wise.
01:05:08 G3: EZ: ¿Cómo se dice la palabra más sabio? Ah, sabe que tenemos límites a la demócrata. Entonces, yo siento que este país está cambiando mucho.	01:05:08 G3: EZ: How do you say the word wiser? Ah, you know we have limits to the democrat. So, I feel like this country is changing a lot.
01:05:22	01:05:22
Moderator: OK. G3: J, ¿qué le pusiste en	Moderator: OK. G3: J, what did you write in
demócrata?	democrat?
01:05:24	01:05:24
G3: J: Para demócrata yo puse que lo primero	G3: J: For democrat I wrote that the first thing
que me viene a la mente es el partido de	that comes to my mind is the party of
oportunidades y demasiado liberales.	opportunity and too liberal.
01:05:36 Moderator: Demasiado liberales. OK. Y, cuando dices liberales, demasiado liberales, ¿de qué estás hablando?	01:05:36 Moderator: Too liberal. OK. And, when you say liberals, too liberal, what are you talking about?
01:05:44	01:05:44
G3: J: Por ejemplo, con todo lo que está pasando	G3: J: For example, with everything that's going
hoy en día de que la gente no quiere que se les	on today that people don't want to be given he,
den pronouns de él, ella, ¿verdad? Yo creo que	she pronouns, right? I think this party is too
este partido es demasiado liberal a decir "sí	liberal to say "yes how you want to look at you is
como tú quieras mirarte es lo que te vamos a	what we are going to tell you without taking into
decir sin tomar en cuenta de que en este mundo	account that in this world if you are not a man,
si no eres hombre, eres mujer".	you are a woman".
01:06:16	01:06:16
Moderator: OK. ¿G3: EO?	Moderator: OK. G3: EO?
01:06:20	01:06:20
G3: EO: Yo puse lo primero que vino a la mente	G3: EO: I wrote the first thing that came to mind
era el burro [Inaudible 01:06:24].	was donkey [Inaudible 01:06:24].
01:06:25	01:06:25

Moderator: Está bien.	Moderator: OK.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
01:06:31	01:06:31
G3: EO: Democracia, democracy. También puse	G3: EO: Democracy, democracy. I also wrote
todos cuidamos a los demás. Igual como dijo	everyone we take care of each other. Just like
[Inaudible 01:06:39], dijo que estamos mandado	[Inaudible 01:06:39] it was said that we're sent
a ir a otros países en vez de ayudarnos a	to go to other countries instead of helping us.
nosotros. Nosotros estamos sufriendo, pues	We are suffering, well we are We are We join
nosotros estamos Nosotros unimos la fuerza,	the force, well. And yes, that's what's
pues. Y sí, eso es lo que pasa.	happening.
01:06:56	01:06:56
Moderator: ¿Charles, qué le pusiste en	Moderator: Charles, what did you write in
demócrata?	democrat?
01:07:03	01:07:03
Charles: No quiero Trump por presidente.	Charles: I don't want Trump for president.
[Laughter]	[Laughter]
01:07:08	01:07:08
Moderator: Está bien, está bien.	Moderator: It's fine, it's fine.
01:07:11 Charles: ¿Y qué más puse? No sé, sí nada más.	01:07:11 Charles: And what else did I write? I don't know, yeah nothing else.
01:07:15	01:07:15
Moderator: Sí, está bien. Y para ti, ¿qué significa	Moderator: Yeah, OK. And to you, what does the
el partido demócrata?	Democratic party mean to you?
01:07:24	01:07:24
Charles: No sé, o sea, yo soy independiente, o	Charles: I don't know, I mean, I mean, I'm
sea, depende de cada quien si pienso si es	independent, I mean, it's up to each person if I
republicano y pues el trabajo OK, voto por él. Si	think if it's republican and well the labor OK, I
el democrático OK. Bueno.	vote for it. If the democratic OK. Well.
01:07:39	01:07:39
Moderator: Bueno, pero la pregunta es qué	Moderator: Well, but the question is what does
significa el partido demócrata para ti.	the democratic party mean to you.

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01:07:50 Charles: En pocas palabras, te voy a decir: débil.	01:07:50 Charles: In a nutshell, I'm going to tell you: weak.
01:08:00 Moderator: Está bien. Débil.	01:08:00 Moderator: All right. Weak.
	Nouerator. An right. weak.
01:08:02	01:08:02
Charles: Débil. O sea, quieren dar, dar, y dar, y en	Charles: Weak. I mean, they want to give, give,
que este sí, sí.	and give, and in that this one yeah, yeah.
01:08:14	01:08:14
Moderator: OK. Está bien. OK, ahora he querido	Moderator: OK, now I wanted to [Inaudible
[Inaudible 01:08:17] la mesa. Lo que es	01:08:17] the table. What's republican. G3: R
republicano. G3: R ya dijo sus dos centavos. ¿G3:	already said his two cents. G3: M?
M?	
01:08:27	01:08:27
G3: M: Conservativo la mayoría.	G3: M: Conservative the majority.
	constructive the majority.
01:08:28	01:08:28
Moderator: Perdón, otra vez	Moderator: Sorry, again.
01:08:29	01:08:29
G3: M: Conservativo en la mayoría.	G3: M: Conservative in the majority.
01:08:31	01:08:31
Moderator: Conservativo. OK. ¿G3: G, qué	Conservative. OK. G3: G, what did you write?
pusiste?	
01:08:33	01:08:33
G3: G: No, eso no lo hice.	G3: G: No, I didn't do that.
01:08:34	01:08:34
Moderator: No lo hiciste, pero explícamelo.	G3: G: You didn't, but explain it to me
01:08:38	01:08:38
G3: G: [Inaudible 01:08:38], proteger al país	G3: G: [Inaudible 01:08:38], protecting the
como militar es muy importante, la patrulla	country as a military is very important, the
fronteriza, pero también siento que las	border patrol, but I also feel that the [Inaudible
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[Inaudible 01:08:47] son más Creo que hay	01:08:47] are more I think there's more		
más momentos para la economía, para	moments for the economy, for education, for		
educación, para lo que se ocupa.	what you deal with.		
01:08:54	01:08:54		
Moderator: OK. Para ti, los republicanos hacen	Moderator: OK. For you, the Republicans do a		
mejor trabajo en la economía que los	better job on the economy than the Democrats,		
demócratas, ¿para ti?	for you		
01:09:00	01:09:00		
G3: G: Muchísimo.	G3: G: Very much.		
01:09:01	01:09:01		
Moderator: Muchísimo. OK. ¿G3: O?	Moderator: Very much. OK. G3: O?		
01:09:03	01:09:03		
G3: O: Para empezar [Inaudible 01:09:05].	G3: O: To start [Inaudible 01:09:05]		
01:09:06	01:09:06		
Moderator: [Inaudible 01:09:06]. OK. ¿G3: ED,	Moderator: [Inaudible 01:09:06]. OK. G3: ED,		
qué le pusiste en el republicano en tu papG3:	what did you write in the republican on your		
EDto?	little piece of paper		
01:09:11	01:09:11		
G3: ED: Le puse que no le importa mucho la	G3: ED: I wrote him that he doesn't care much		
opinión de mucha gente.	about a lot of people's opinions.		
01:09:23	01:09:23		
Moderator: OK. ¿Y hay algo específico de una	Moderator: OK. And is there anything specific to		
opinión que piensas o no más por lo general?	an opinion that you think or not more generally?		
01:09:30	01:09:30		
G3: ED: Por lo general.	G3: ED: Generally.		
01:09:32	01:09:32		
Moderator: Por lo general, OK. ¿G3: EZ?	Moderator: Generally, OK. G3: EZ?		
01:09:33	01:09:33		
G3: EZ: Más guerra.	G3: EZ: More war.		
01:09:34	01:09:34		

Moderator: Más guerra. OK. ¿G3: J?	Moderator: More war. OK. G3: J?		
01:09:38	01:09:38		
G3: J: Cerrados y extremistas.	G3: J: Close-minded and extremists.		
01:09:43	01:09:43		
Moderator: OK. Y, supongo que eso es malo, no bueno.	Moderator: OK. And, I guess that's bad, not good.		
01:09:50 G3: J: No, puede ser una espada de doble filo	01:09:50 G3: J: No, it can be a double edged sword		
porque por ejemplo, lo que acaba de pasar en Texas en la escuela de con los niños, este muchos están pidiendo por una reforma de las	because for example, what just happened in Texas in the school of with the kids, this many are calling for a reform of the [Inaudible		
leyes de pistolas de [Inaudible 01:10:04]. Ellos quieren proteger ese segundo mandamiento. No les importa quién salga herido y quién no. Para	01:10:04] gun laws. They want to protect that second mandate. They don't care who gets hurt and who doesn't get hurt. To them, it's, how do		
ellos, es, ¿cómo se dice?, es lo que es.	you say, it is what it is.		
01:10:30 G3: M: Que se mueran, los que se mueran básicamente.	01:10:30 G3: M: If someone dies that was OK basically.		
01:10:32 G3: R: Así como yo, cuando llegué aquí me di cuenta que [Inaudible 01:10:34] trabajar aquí en Las Vegas. Entonces, lleva la compañía para el dueño con una [Inaudible 01:10:39] fajada, y luego, venían los instaladores [Inaudible 01:10:42]. [Laughter]	01:10:32 G3: R: So like I, when I got here I realized that [Inaudible 01:10:34] work here in Las Vegas. So, take the company for the owner with a [Inaudible 01:10:39], and then, installers were coming [Inaudible 01:10:42]. [Laughter]		
01:10:44 G3: R: [Inaudible 01:10:44] la compañía, es muy normal aquí. [Crosstalk]	01:10:44 G3: R: [Inaudible 01:10:44] the company, it's very normal here. [Crosstalk]		
01:10:52 G3: R: No más falto yo. [Laughter]	01:10:52 G3: R: I'm the one who is missing. [Laughter]		

01:10:56 Moderator: ¿G3: EO, qué le pusiste en republicanos?

01:11:00

G3: EO: Le puse [Inaudible 01:11:01]. Elefante rojo, conservativos, todos nos cuidamos entre nosotros y también [Inaudible 01:11:12].

01:11:13

Moderator: [Inaudible 01:11:13] OK. ¿Charlie, qué le pusiste en republicano?

01:11:20 Charlie: [Inaudible 01:11:20] and bullshit. [Laughter]

01:11:24 Charlie: [Inaudible 01:11:24], si estás escuchando esto, vete a chingar tu madre. [Laughter]

01:11:31

Moderator: Bueno, si está escuchando [Inaudible 01:11:33], gracias. Bueno, quiero hablar un poco de qué significa conservador y liberal para ustedes. ¿Qué tipo de política representa eso, lo que es conservador y liberal?

01:11:50

G3: EO: No pues, para mi familia, conservative es cuidando mi familia. Y liberal, demócrata es negarles lo que, otra gente pues. [Crosstalk]

01:12:12

Moderator: OK. ¿Qué hablan acerca de los dos partidos políticos principales específicamente le dan la bienvenida a los y las invitan a los hispanos o no les da la bienvenida? 01:10:56 Moderator: G3: EO, what did you write in republicans?

01:11:00 G3: EO: I wrote [Inaudible 01:11:01]. Red elephant, conservatives, we all look out for each other and also [Inaudible 01:11:12].

01:11:13 Moderator: [Inaudible 01:11:13] OK. Charlie, what did you write in republican?

01:11:20 Charlie: [Inaudible 01:11:20] and bullshit. [Laughter]

01:11:24 Charlie: [Inaudible 01:11:24], if you're listening to this, fuck you. [Laughter]

01:11:31

Charlie: [Inaudible 01:11:33], well, if you're listening to [Inaudible 01:11:33], thank you. Well, I want to talk a little bit about what conservative and liberal means to you, what kind of politics does that represent, what is conservative and liberal?

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G3: EO: No so, for my family, conservative is taking care of my family. And liberal, democrat is denying them what, other people so. [Crosstalk]

01:12:12

Moderator: OK. What do you talk about the two major political parties specifically welcoming Hispanics or not welcoming Hispanics?

01:12:30	01:12:30		
G3: M: Sí, cuando les conviene.	G3: M: Yes, when it's convenient for them.		
[Laughter]	[Laughter		
01:12:34	01:12:34		
G3: J: Cuando quieren votos.	G3: J: When they want votes.		
[Laughter]	[Laughter.]		
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]		
01:12:41	01:12:41		
Moderator: G3: G, ¿qué dices?	Moderator: G3: G, what do you say?		
01:12:42	01:12:42		
G3: G: No más, cada 4 años.	G3: G: No more, every 4 years.		
01:12:44	01:12:44		
Moderator: Una vez cada 4 años.	Moderator: Once every 4 years.		
[Laughter]	[Laughter]		
01:12:49	01:12:49		
[Inaudible 01:12:49] Ignorar [Inaudible	[Inaudible 01:12:49] Ignore [Inaudible 01:12:51]		
01:12:51].	Moderator: What do you think, G3: EZ about		
Moderator: ¿Qué piensas, G3: EZ de esto?	this?		
01:12:54	01:12:54		
G3: EZ: Me puedes volver a repetir la pregunta a	G3: EZ: Can you repeat the question back to me		
ver si las estoy entiendo bien.	to see if I'm understanding them correctly.		
01:12:55	01:12:55		
Moderator: Sí. ¿Le dan la bienvenida a latinos,	Moderator: Yes. Do they welcome Latinos, the		
los partidos republicano y el partido demócrata?	Republican party and the Democratic party? Do		
¿Le dan la bienvenida o los ignoran?	they welcome them or do they ignore them?		
01:13:07	01:13:07		
G3: EZ: Cuando dice la bienvenida, ¿a los que	G3: EZ: When you say welcome, those who		
votaron?	voted?		
01:13:09	01:13:09		
No. Bueno, a la gente.	No. Well, to the people.		

[Crosstalk]	[Crosstolk]		
01:13:19	[Crosstalk] 01:13:19		
G3: EZ: A la gente latina.	G3: EZ: To the Latino people.		
doi 12. A la gente la lina.			
01:13:23	01:13:23		
No identificado: Como si los aceptan.	Unidentified: Like if they accept them.		
01:13:24	01:13:24		
Moderator: Los aceptan.	Moderator: They accept them.		
01:13:25	01:13:25		
G3: EZ: Cuando son cuando se convierten en	G3: EZ: When they are when they become		
estadounidenses.	Americans.		
01:13:28	01:13:28		
Moderator: No. A la comunidad latina, ¿son frías	Moderator: No. To the Latino community, are		
o calientes, o secas?	they cold or warm towards the community?		
[Crosstalk]			
	[Crosstalk]		
01:13:38	01:13:38		
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01:13:41	01:13:41		
G3: O: En Estados Unidos somos más mexicanos	G3: O: In the United States we are more		
que americanos. La mayoría. Entonces, si es	Mexicans than Americans. The majority. So		
demócrata o es republicano, quiere voto, se va a	whether you're a Democrat or you're a		
dirigir al hispano cada cuatro años como el	Republican, you want a vote, you're going to		
muchacho dijo.	address the Hispanic every four years like the		
	guy said.		
01:13:57	01:13:57		
Moderator: Pero lo malo que hacen cada cuatro	Moderator: But the bad thing they do every four		
años. ¿Entiendes la pregunta?	years. do you understand the question?		
01:13:59	01:13:59		
G3: EZ: Sí.	G3: EZ: Yes.		
01:14:01	01:14:01		
Moderator: Es decir, ¿están los partidos, ignoran	Moderator: I mean, are the parties, do they		

los hispanos o les dan la bienvenida?	ignore Hispanics or do they welcome them		
01:14:08	01:14:08		
G3: EZ: No. Yo siento que hacen una campaña	G3: EZ: No. I feel like they campaign [Inaudible		
[Inaudible 01:14:14] cuando les conviene. Eso es	01:14:14] when it's convenient for them. That's		
lo que yo he visto. Se van a comunidades	what I've seen. They go to popular communities		
populares donde están los latinos para	where Latinos are to convince them to vote for		
convencerlos de que voten por ellos.	them.		
01:14:31	01:14:31		
Moderator: ¿Y te han contactado a ustedes, a ir a	Moderator: And did they contact you, to go vote,		
votar, alguien te contacto por correo?	did anybody contact you by mail?		
01:14:37	01:14:37		
G3: EZ: Sí. El team de Trump.	G3: EZ: Yes, the Trump team.		
01:14:40	01:14:40		
Moderator: El team de Trump. OK. ¿Qué más?	Moderator: The Trump team. OK. What else?		
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]		
01:14:50	01:14:50		
G3: J: Me sorprende que no nos hayan mandado	G3: J: I'm surprised they haven't texted us to go		
mensaje para ir con los [Inaudible 01:14:54].	with the [Inaudible 01:14:54].		
[Laughter]	[Laughter]		
01:15:02	01:15:02		
Moderator: Oigan, y hablando de la economía.	Moderator: Hey, and talking about the economy.		
Cuando Trump era presidente, ¿piensas que era	When Trump was president, do you think it was		
la economía de Trump o la economía de los	the Trump economy or the Republican		
republicanos?	economy?		
01:15:14	01:15:14		
G3: EZ: Mira, yo tengo una respuesta para eso.	G3: EZ: Look, I have an answer for that. When		
Cuando Trump era presidente, yo sé que él es un	Trump was president, I know he's a		
hombre de negocios, él es bueno para hacer	businessman, he's good at making businessman,		
hombre de negocios, para hacer una persona de	at making a business person perfectly. He's great		
negocios perfectamente. Es buenísimo para	for our economy of the United States, but to		
nuestra economía de los Estados Unidos, pero	lead and to represent, to take the vote for		
para guiar y representar, tomar el voto por todos	everyone in America, no. He's a person who was		
los estadounidenses, no. Es una persona que se	seen as being very racist.		

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vio como que era muy racista.			
01:15:44	01:15:44		
Charles: Muy bruto.	Charles: Very strong.		
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]		
01:15:48	01:15:48		
G3: R: Lo que pasa es que es muy bruto para	G3: R: The thing about him is that he's very gross		
hablar, pero sí es intG3: EDgente.	to talk to, but he's smart.		
01:15:50	01:15:50		
G3: EZ: Para los negocios, sí, es muy intG3:	G3: EZ: For business, yeah, he's very smart, so		
EDgente, o sea que no cualquiera	not just anybody		
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]		
01:15:54	01:15:54		
G3: M: No creo que sea intG3: EDgente para los	G3: M: I don't think he is smart for business		
negocios porque se fue en bancarrota 7 veces. Y,	because he went bankrupt seven times. And, so		
entonces eso no sirve para hacer negocios, él se	that's not good for business, he takes advantage		
aprovecha de la situación y en mi opinión no es	of the situation and in my opinion it's not good		
bueno para los negocios. Empieza a buscar la	for business. He starts looking for a way to get		
forma de sacarme del hoyo para volver a ser lo	me out of the hole to get back to what he is, but		
que es, pero nunca fue bueno.	he was never any good.		
01:16:12	01:16:12		
G3: EO: Pero eso es lo que estamos haciendo	G3: EO: But that's what we're doing [Inaudible		
[Inaudible 01:16:14]	01:16:14].		
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]		
[Laughter]	[Laughter]		
01:16:18	01:16:18		
G3: O: ¿Qué presidente va a dar todo su income?	G3: O: Which president is going to give all of his		
[Crosstalk]	income?		
	[Crosstalk]		
G3: O: Todo su income dio.	G3: O: He gave all of his income		
01:16:23	01:16:23		
G3: M: Pero también se robó bastante dinero	G3: M: But he also stole quite a bit of money?		
01:16:25	01:16:25		

G3: EO: E igual todos los políticos. [Crosstalk]

01:16:33 G3: EO: No salen pobres, salen ricos.

01:16:35 Moderator: Espera a que G3: M termine.

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G3: M: Lo que yo digo si están buscando nada más el sueldo, él hizo más dinero vendiendo, promoviendo sus cosas que habían vendido sus hoteles. La ropa de su hija, toda su familia, entrando a la Casa Blanca todos ellos sí tenían sueldos. Entonces, él puede perder su sueldo como presidente. Eso no quiere decir nada. Él va a seguir haciendo mucho dinero con los demás que hizo.

01:17:00 OK. ¿G3: EO, qué estabas diciendo?

01:17:01 G3: EO: Ya se me olvidó. [Laughter]

01:17:05 G3: EO: Dije que todos los que entran en la política no salen pobres, salen ricos porque son corruptos.

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G3: EZ: Cuando él era presidente, obviamente, votó para los estímulos y todo eso. Eso fue buena estrategia para que volviéramos a votar por él, pero que yo sepa cuando estábamos, cuando él estaba de presidente, o sea, yo no mire que estamos sufriendo económicamente, estábamos allí, estábamos endeudados, pero no G3: EO: And so did everyone in politics. [Crosstalk]

01:16:33 G3: EO: They don't come out poor, they come out rich.

01:16:35 Moderator: Wait for G3: M to finish.

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G3: M: What I'm saying is that they're looking for nothing more than the salary, he made more money selling, promoting his stuff than they had from selling his hotels. His daughter's clothes, his whole family, going into the White House every one of them had salaries. So, he can lose his salary as president. That doesn't mean anything. He's going to continue to make a lot of money with the others he made.

01:17:00 OK. G3: EO, what were you saying?

01:17:01 G3: EO: I already forgot. [Laughter]

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G3: EO: I said everyone who goes into politics doesn't come out poor, they come out rich because they are corrupt.

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G3: EZ: When he was president, obviously, he voted for stimulus and all that. That was good strategy to get us to vote for him again, but as far as I know when we were, when he was president, I mean, I didnt see that we were suffering economically, we were there, we were in debt, but it didn't keep rising and now that we

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seguía subiendo la deuda y ahora que tenemos otro presidente estoy viendo que sí sigue subiendo la deuda.	have another president I'm seeing that the deb continues to rise.	
[Crosstalk] 01:17:43 G3: O: En cuando Biden entró, todo se vino abajo, la gasolina se fue para arriba y empezó la guerra.	[Crosstalk] 01:17:43 G3: O: As soon as Biden entered, everything fell apart, gas went up and the war started.	
01:17:47 G3: J: Yo pienso que todo, todo lo que pasó durante la última presidencia fue en [Inaudible 01:17:56] de la presidencia anterior, porque no, no pasa, las cosas no cambian en cuatro años. Todos tienen que, no todo va como efecto dominó.	01:17:47 G3: J: I think everything, everything that happened during the last presidency was in [Inaudible 01:17:56] of the previous presidency, because no it doesn't happen, things don't change in four years. Everyone has to, not everything has a domino effect.	
01:18:08 G3: M: Yo siento lo mismo. Muchas cosas también por el coronavirus también afectaron a la economía de todo el mundo. Entonces, estamos mal. Con todo la inflación, pero en todo en todo el mundo están igual, no nada más aquí. No hay que culpar nada más a un presidente. El mundo entero está sufriendo por la gasolina, por lo que pasó con coronavirus, que cerró todos los [Inaudible 01:18:29] de todos los productos que hacen.	01:18:08 G3: M: I feel the same way. Many things Because of the Coronavirus, affected the whole world's economy. So, we are bad. With all the inflation, but all over the world it is the same, not just here. We should not blame just one president. The whole world is suffering because of gasoline, because of what happened with coronavirus, which shut down [Inaudible 01:18:29] of all the products they make.	
[Crosstalk] 01:18:36 Moderator: Bueno, yo quiero saber si tienen opinión positiva sobre el partido demócrata. Si tienen opinión positiva sobre el partido demócrata, levanten la mano. 2, 3. OK. Si tienen opinión positiva sobre el partido republicano, levanten la mano. Cuatro. Son cuatro. OK. Si tienen una opinión negativa sobre el partido demócrata, levanten la mano. 1, 2, 3. Y si tienen	[Crosstalk] 01:18:36 Moderator: Well, I want to know if you have positive opinion about the Democratic party. If you have positive opinion about the Democratic party, raise your hand. 2, 3. OK. If you have positive opinion about the Republican party, raise your hand. Four. That's four. OK. If you have a negative opinion of the Democratic party, raise your hand. 1, 2, 3. And if you have a negative opinion about the Republican party, raise your	

una opinión negativa sobre el partido

hand. 1, 2. Only 2. OK. Anybody want to

republicano, levanten la mano. 1, 2. Solamente 2. OK. ¿Alguien quiere comentar en eso?

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Charles: Yo pienso que todo el precio de la comida, la gasolina, todo eso, no tiene nada que ver con Biden. Eso ya vino por la guerra y lo heredó, ¿verdad? Y no hay que culparlo a él a eso y está haciendo todo lo posible para bajar los precios y todo eso, pero no creo que es culpa de él.

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G3: J: Yo pienso que es culpa más de la casa, la casa de los representantes porque aunque por más que trate de pasar algo, el presidente de todo tiene que pasar por la por la casa, por la casa de los representantes y luego por el congreso.

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Moderator: Y en su opinión, ¿cuál partido ha hecho mejor trabajo en lo que es el tema de inmigración?

[Crosstalk] [Crosstalk] 01:20:36 01:20:36 Todos: Ninguno. Everyone: None. [Laughter] [Laughter] 01:20:42 01:20:42 ¿Ninguno? None? 01:20:43 01:20:43 G3: M: Yo pienso que algunas cosas favorables hicieron los dos, pero pienso que tuvo muy mala visión los republicanos cuando pasó lo de los niños en las jaulas, eso los hizo ver muy mal. 01:20:58 01:20:58 G3: G: Todo eso fue antes de Trump.

comment on that?

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Charles: I think the whole price of food, gasoline, all of that, has nothing to do with Biden. That already came because of the war and he inherited it, right? And he's not to be blamed for that and he's doing everything he can to lower prices and all that, but I don't think it's his fault.

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G3: J: I think it's more the fault of the house, the house of representatives because even though as much as he tries to pass something, the president of everything has to go through the through the house, through the house of representatives and then through the congress.

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Moderator: And in your opinion, which party has done a better job on the immigration issue?

G3: M: I think that both of them did some favorable things, but I think that the Republicans had a very bad vision when the children in the cages happened, that made them look very bad.

G3: G: That was all before Trump.

01:21:01	01:21:01	
G3: EO: Sí todo fue antes de Trump.	G3: EO: Yeah all of that was before Trump.	
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]	
01:21:07	01:21:07	
G3: M: Yo creo eso. Yo creo que fue Trump el que	G3: M: I bG3: EDeve that. I bG3: EDeve it was	
dijo que esto lo que vamos a hacer para que no	Trump who said this what we're going to do so	
vengan y él tomó la decisión y todo su gabinete	they don't come and he made that decision and	
estuvo de acuerdo.	his entire cabinet agreed.	
01:21:17	01:21:17	
G3: O: Todos vienen con Obama.	G3: O: Everyone comes with Obama.	
01:21:19	01:21:19	
G3: EO: Hay fax que dicen que Obama	G3: EO: There are faxes that say Obama	
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]	
01:21:23	01:21:23	
G3: M: También tengo fax.	G3: M: I also have faxes.	
01:21:26	01:21:26	
G3: EO: Los deportó más.	G3: EO: He deported them more.	
01:21:28	01:21:28	
G3: M: Eso sí, los deportó, pero no los puso al	G3: M: That yes, he deported them, but he didn't	
separarse de sus padres y ponerlos en jaulas y	put them by separating them from their parents	
los padres lo mandaron a otro país. Eso no lo	and putting them in cages and the parents	
hizo Obama.	weren't sent to another country. Obama did not	
	do that.	
01:21:39	01:21:39	
G3: J: Yo pienso que eso empezó desde antes de	G3: J: I think that started before Obama left the	
que saliera Obama de presidencia.	presidency.	
01:21:43	01:21:43	
No identificado: Sí.	Unidentified: Yes.	
01:21:44	01:21:44	
G3: M: No creo. Cada quien.	G3: M: I don't think so.	
01:21:46	01:21:46	
Moderator: Bueno, gracias por sus opiniones.	Moderator: Well, thank you for your opinions. I	

Les agradezco mucho. Tenemos una cosita más que hacer y esto es en la última página de su folletito aquí. Quiero que aquí arriba supongan que están tratando de convencer a alguien al que conocen que es latino para que se registren para votar. O sea, lo de arriba es qué les vas a decir para que se registren para votar y la de abajo estás tratando de convencerlo de que voten en las próximas elecciones. Así que lo de arriba qué les vas a decir para que registren para votar. Y lo de abajo qué les vas a decir para exigir los que van a votar en las próximas elecciones generales en noviembre. Escribe lo que les diría. Lo puedes hacer en inglés si quieres. ¿Qué pasa? ¿Qué dice, G3: EZ? Comparte. ¿Qué dice?

01:22:52

G3: EZ: Un mensaje a la persona que va a votar es "haz una diferencia en este país"

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Moderator: No, yo estaba diciendo de qué se estaban riendo.

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G3: EZ: De que cómo le vamos a decir a una persona que [Inaudible 01:23:06] [Crosstalk]

01:23:10 G3: O: [Inaudible 01:23:10] Estamos hablando.

01:23:15

Moderator: OK. Y al terminar eso, ya vamos estar... Ya terminó la junta y pueden salir y ver al señor o señorita ahí enfrente para que le dan sus chequecitos, en efectivo. Yo no sé les cómo van a pagar. [Laughter]

appreciate it very much. We have one more little thing to do which is on the last page of your little leaflet here. I want you to assume up here that you are trying to convince somebody you know who is Latino to register to vote. I mean, the top one is what are you going to tell them to do to get them to register to vote and the bottom one is trying to convince them to vote in the next election. So the top part is what are you going to tell them to do to get them to register to vote. And the bottom one what are you going to tell them to make them vote in the next general election in November. Write down what you would tell them. You can do it in English if you want. What is it? What does it say, G3: EZ? Share. What does it say?

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G3: EZ: A message to the person who is going to vote is "make a difference in this country."

01:22:58 Moderator: No, I was asking what you were laughing at.

01:23:03 G3: EZ: That how are we going to tell a person that [Inaudible 01:23:06] [Crosstalk]

01:23:10 G3: O: [Inaudible 01:23:10] We're talking.

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Moderator: OK. And when you finish that... The meeting's over and you can go out and see the gentleman or women in the front so they can give you your little checks or cash. I don't know how they're going to pay you. [Laughter]

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G3: ED: Cash.	01:23:43 G3: ED: Cash.		
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01:23:44	01:23:44		
G3: O: En efectivo, por favor.	G3: O: Cash, please.		
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]		
[Laughter]	[Laughter]		
01:23:50	01:23:50		
G3: EZ: Ya estamos pagando muchos impuestos	G3: EZ: We're already paying a lot of taxes.		
01:23:57	01:23:57		
Moderator: OK. Y ya se pueden salir. ¿Ya	Moderator: OK. And you can leave now, are you		
terminaron? ¿Ya?	done, already? Done?		
01:24:00	01:24:00		
Todos: Gracias.			
	Everyone: Thank you.		
01:24:03	01:24:03		
Moderator: Deja todos los papG3: EDtos ahí, yo	Moderator: Leave all the papers there, I'll		
los			
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]		
01:24:05	01:24:05		
OK. Gracias.	OK. [Crosstalk] Thank you.		
01:24:06	01:24:06		
Todos: Gracias.	Everyone: Thank you.		
01:24:07	01:24:07		
Moderator: Ahí deja todo. Gracias.	Moderator: Leave everything there. Thank you.		
[Crosstalk]	[Crosstalk]		
01:24:17	01:24:17		
Moderator: Ve al frente, por favor. OK. Ahí	Moderator: Go to the front, please. [Crosstalk]		
déjalo. Gracias.	OK. Just leave it there. [Crosstalk] Thank you.		
01:24:33	01:24:33		
G3: R: OK. Muchas gracias.	G3: R: OK. Thank you very much.		
01:24:35	01:24:35		

Moderator: A usted.	Moderator: Thank you too	
01:24:36	01:24:36	
G3: R: Mucho gusto.	G3: R: Nice to meet you.	
01:24:36	01:24:36	
Moderator: Igualmente. Que le vaya bien. OK.	Moderator: Likewise. Have a good one. OK.	

LATINO FOCUS GROUP SCREENER ENGLISH

READ: Hello, my name is ______ from _____, a local opinion research facility. We are putting together a roundtable research discussion called a "focus group" to discuss issues relating to the state. We are not trying to sell anything. Participants will receive \$____ for attending. May I ask you a few questions to see if you qualify?

ASK OF ALL RESPONDENTS

Q1	²¹ Sex [DON'T ASK - JUST RECORD]				
	Fei	male			
			1		
	Ма	le		MAX OF 7 PER GROUP	
			2		

Q2	² Are you at least 18 years of age, G3: EDgible to vote, and live in [STATE]?				
	Yes 🖵 1				
	No	□ 2	TERMINATE		
	[V0L] Don't Know	3	TERMINATE		

Q ³ Which of the following ethnic groups desc	³ Which of the following ethnic groups describes you best?		
White or Caucasian	D 1	TERMINATE	
Black or African-American	□ 2	TERMINATE	
Latino, Hispanic, or Mexican	3		
Asian, Chinese, or Pacific Islander	4	TERMINATE	
Native American	D 5	TERMINATE	
Mixed Race	G 6	TERMINATE	
[vol] Other - [Specify]	D 7	TERMINATE	
[vol] Don't Know		TERMINATE	

⁴ Have you or any other member of your household currently or previously worked in any of the following types of organizations, industries or professions?		
State government	□ 1	TERMINATE
City, county, or special district	□ 2	TERMINATE
Marketing or public opinion research	□ 3	TERMINATE
Advertising, marketing, or public relations	4	TERMINATE
A newspaper, magazine, radio, or television station	□ 5	TERMINATE
Political consulting	G 6	TERMINATE
An elected official's office	D 7	TERMINATE

Q5	²⁵ Is anyone in your household, including you, an elected or appointed official with any					
	government body or agency?					
	Yes	1	TERMINATE			
	No	2				
	Don't know	3	TERMINATE			

Ç	^{Q6} Have you participated in any focus group discussion or market research study in the last 12				
	months?				
Γ		Yes	□ 1	TERMINATE	
Γ	No 2				

Q7	Are you currently registered to vote?				
			GO TO Q7A Possible Group 1 or 3		
	No	口 2	GO TO Q7B Possible Group 2		
	[vol] Don't Know	ם 3	TERMINATE		

Q7A	Have you ever voted in an election?			
	Yes			
		1		
	No		TERMINATE	
		2		
	[vol] Don't Know		TERMINATE	
		3		

Q7B	Are you G3: EDgible to vote?				
	Yes				
		1			
	No		TERMINATE		
		2			
	[vol] Don't		TERMINATE		
	[vol] Don't Know	3			

Q8 Which category best describes	your age? [RE	CRUIT A MIX]
18-25	□ 1	
26-30	□ 2	
31-35	□ 3	
36-40	4	
41-45	□ 5	
46-50	G	
51-55	□ 7	
56-60		
61-65	9	
66-70	1 0	
71-75	□ 11	
76-80	1 2	TERMINATE
80+	1 3	TERMINATE
[VOL] Don't Know	1 4	TERMINATE

Q9	What language do you usually speak at home? Only Spanish, more Spanish than English,				
	both equally, more English than Spanish, or only English?				
	Only Spanish	□ 1	GROUP 3 ONLY		
	More Spanish than English	□ 2	GROUP 3 ONLY		
	Both equally	□ 3	GROUP 1, 2 or 3		
	More English than Spanish	□ 4	GROUP 1 or 2)		

Only English	□ 5	GROUP 1 or 2
[vol] Don't Know	G	TERMINATE

Q¹⁰Which one of the following best describes your work situation - are you employed, retired/disabled, unemployed, a student, or a homemaker? Employed **D** 1 **D** 2 TERMINATE DISABLED Retired/Disabled Unemployed **□** 3 Student **u** 4 **□** 5 Homemaker TERMINATE **G** 6 [vol] Don't Know /Not Sure

Q¹¹ [IF EMPLOYED] Could you tell me what you do for a living? [WRITE-IN]

Q12 Which of the following categories best describes your total house me when I get to the right one	² Which of the following categories best describes your total household income - just stop me when I get to the right one		
Under \$10,000	□ 1		
\$10,001-\$20,000	□ 2		
\$20,001-\$30,000	□ 3		
\$30,001-\$40,000	• 4		
\$40,001-\$50,000	□ 5		
\$50,001-\$60,000	G		
\$60,001-\$75,000	□ 7		
\$75,001-\$100,000			
Over \$100,000	9		
[vol] Don't Know/Refused	□ 10		

Q13	Are you currently married, single, divorced, or widowed?		
	Married		
	Single	□ 2	
	Divorced	3	
	Widowed	• 4	
	[vol] Don't Know/Refused	5	

Q14	What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?					
	High school or less					
	Some college	□ 2				
	College graduate	3				
	Post graduate	4				
	[VOL] Don't Know	□ 5				

Q15 What is your national ancestry other than American? [READ I RANDOMIZE]	LIST ONLY IF NECESSARY;
Mexican	□ 1
Puerto Rican	2
Salvadorian	
Cuban	4
Venezuelan	□ 5
Guatemalan	G 6
Honduran	□ 7
Nicaraguan	
Colombian	9
[vol] Other Caribbean	□ 10
[vol] Other Central American	□ 11
[vol] Other South American	1 2
[vol] Other Hispanic/Latino	□ 13
[vol] Other [Specify]	1 4
[vol] Refused	1 5

Q16	What is your party affiliation?						
	Republican	□ 1	Recruit 3 or more				
	Democrat	• 2	Recruit 3 or more				
	Independent or other	3					
	Unsure	• 4					

READ: I'd like to invite you to a group discussion. Your participation in it will be strictly confidential. The group will meet on [GIVE DAY/DATE] at [TIME] for no more than two hours and I think you will find the discussion very interesting. You will also be paid an honorarium for your participation.

Will you be able to participate?

IF PARTICIPANT ACCEPTS INVITATION TO ATTEND THE SESSION, CONFIRM THE DATE AND TIME OF THE SESSION AND GIVE PARTICIPANT ADDRESS OF AND DIRECTIONS TO THE FACILITY. ASK PARTICIPANT TO ARRIVE ABOUT 10 MINUTES BEFORE THE SESSION BEGINS. CONFIRM PARTICIPANT'S HOME AND WORK PHONE NUMBERS.

LATINO FOCUS GROUP SCREENER ESPANOL

LEE: Hola, mi nombre es _____ de ____, un centro de investigación de opinión local. Estamos organizando una discusión de investigación de mesa redonda llamada "grupo de enfoque" para discutir temas relacionados con el estado. No estamos tratando de vender nada. Los participantes recibirán \$___ por asistir. ¿Puedo hacerle algunas preguntas para ver si califica?

N3	PREGUNTAR A TODOS LOS		
	ENCUESTADOS		

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Q1	Sexo	[NO PREGUNTE - SOLO REGISTRE]	
		Mujer	□ 1	
		Hombre	□ 2	Máximo de 7 por grupo

Q2	¿Tiene al menos 18 años de edad, es elegible para votar y vive en [ESTADO]?					
		No	□ 2	TERMINAR		
		[V 0L] Don't Know	□ 3	TERMINAR		

Q3	¿Cuál de los siguientes grupos étnicos te describe mejor?				
	Blanco o caucásico	D 1	TERMINA R		
	Negro o afroamericano	□ 2	TERMINA R		
	Latino, hispano o mexicano	 3			
	Asiático, chino o isleño del Pacífico	• 4	TERMINA R		
	Nativo americano	□ 5	TERMINA R		
	Raza mixta	 6	TERMINA R		
	[vol] Otro - [Especificar]	口 7	TERMINA R		
	[vol] No sé	8	TERMINA R		

Q4 ¿Usted o algún otro miembro de su casa ha trabajado actualmente o anteriormente en alguno de los siguientes tipos de organizaciones, industrias o profesiones?

	Gobierno estatal	 1	TERMINAR
	Ciudad, condado o distrito especial	2	TERMINAR
	Investigación de mercadotecnia o de opinión pública	 3	TERMINAR
	Publicidad, marketing o relaciones públicas	口 4	TERMINAR
	Un periódico, revista, estación de radio o televisión	□ 5	TERMINAR

	Consultoría política	6	TERMINAR
	La oficina de un funcionario electo	7	TERMINAR

Q5	I ~	¿Alguien en su casa, incluido usted, es un funcionario electo o designado de algún organismo o agencia gubernamental?					
	Sí		□ 1	TERMINAR			
		No	□ 2				
		No Sé	3	TERMINAR			

Q6	¿Ha participado en alguna discusión de grupo o estudio de investigación de mercado en los últimos 12 meses?					
		Sí	□ 1	TERMINAR		
		No	□ 2			

Q7	¿Está actualmente registrado para votar?					
		Sí	□ 1	GO TO Q7A		
		No	• 2	TERMINAR		
	[vol]	No sé	□ 3	TERMINAR		

Q7A	¿Alguna vez ha votado en unas elecciones?				
		Sí	口 1		
		No	1 2	TERMINAR	

[vol]No sé	3	TERMINAR
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*NOTE: WE ARE ONLY RECRUITING SPANISH SPEAKERS WHO ARE REGISTERED TO VOTE AND HAVE VOTED

Q8	¿Qué categoría describe mejor su edad? [RECLUTAR UNA MEZCLA]				
	18-25	• 1			
	26-30	• 2			
	31-35	□ 3			
	36-40	• 4			
	41-45	□ 5			
	46-50	G			
	51-55	D 7			
	56-60				
	61-65	9			
	66-70	□ 10			
	71-75	□ 11			
	76-80	□ 12	TERMINAR		
	80+	□ 13	TERMINAR		
	[V 0L] Don't Know	□ 14	TERMINAR		

Q9	-	¿Qué idioma sueles hablar en casa? Sólo español, más español que inglés, ambos por igual, mas ingles que español, o solo ingles?				
		Sólo español	□ 1	GROUP 3 ONLY		
		More Spanish than English	□ 2	GROUP 3 ONLY		

Ambos por igual	□ 3	GROUP 1, 2 or 3
Mas ingles que español	• 4	GROUP 1 or 2)
Solo ingles	□ 5	GROUP 1 or 2
[vol] Don't Know	• 6	TERMINATE

Q10	Which one of the following best describes your work situation - are you employed, retired/disabled, unemployed, a student, or a homemaker?						
		Employed 🛛 1					
		Retired/Disabled	□ 2	TERMINAR			
		Unemployed	3				
		Student	4				
	Homemaker		5				
		[vol] No sé	G	TERMINAR			

Q 11	[SI EMPLEADO] ¿Podría decirme a qué se dedica? [ESCRIBIR EN]

Q12	¿Cuál de las siguientes categorías describe mejor los ingresos totales de su casa? Deténganme cuando llegue a la correcta		
	Menos de \$10,000	• 1	
	\$10,001-\$20,000	• 2	
	\$20,001-\$30,000	3	
	\$30,001-\$40,000	• 4	
	\$40,001-\$50,000	5	
	\$50,001-\$60,000	• 6	

\$60,001-\$75,000	□ 7
\$75,001-\$100,000	
Más de \$100,000	9
[vol]No sé	□ 10

Q13	¿Está actualmente casado, soltero, divorciado o viudo?		
		Casado/a	□ 1
		Único	□ 2
		Divorciado	3
		Viudo	• 4
		[vol] No sé	5

Q14	¿Cuál es el último año de estudios que ha completado?		
		Secundaria o menos	□ 1
		Alguna educación superior	□ 2
		Graduado universitario	□ 3
		Diploma de graduación	□ 4
		[V 0 L] No sé	□ 5

Q15	¿Cuál es su ascendencia nacional además de estadounidense? [LEA LA LISTA SOLO SI ES NECESARIO; ALEATORIZAR]		
	Mexicano	• 1	
	Puertorriqueño	• 2	
	Salvadoreño	□ 3	
	Cubano	4	
	Venezolano	□ 5	
	Guatemalteco	G 6	
	Hondureño	□ 7	
	Nicaragüense		
	Colombiano	9	
	[vol]Otro Caribe	□ 10	
	[vol] Otros Centroamericanos	□ 11	
	[vol] Otro sudamericano	1 2	
	[vol] Otro Hispano / Latino	□ 13	
	[vol] Otro [Especificar]	□ 14	
	[vol]Rechazado	□ 15	

Q16

¿Cuál es su afiliación partidaria?

Republicano	□ 1	Recruit 3 or more
Demócrata	□ 2	Recruit 3 or more
Independiente o otra.	□ 3	
Inseguro	□ 4	
Ninguno	□ 5	

LEE: Me gustaría invitarte a una discusión grupal. Su participación en el mismo será estrictamente confidencial. El grupo se reunirá el [DÍA/FECHA] a las [HORA] por no más de dos horas y creo que la discusión les resultará muy interesante. También se le pagará un honorario por su participación.

¿Podrás participar?

SI ACEPTA LA INVITACIÓN PARA ASISTIR A LA SESIÓN, CONFIRME LA FECHA Y HORA DE LA SESIÓN Y PROPORCIONE A PARTICIPANTE LA DIRECCIÓN Y LAS DIRECCIONES PARA LLEGAR A LA INSTALACIÓN. PIDA A PARTICIPANTE QUE LLEGUE UNOS 10 MINUTOS ANTES DEL COMIENZO DE LA SESIÓN. CONFIRME LOS NÚMEROS DE TELÉFONO DE CASA Y DEL TRABAJO DE PARTICIPANTE.

INTAKE QUESTIONNAIRE

Name (First Name & Last Initial): _____

Q1. Gender

Female	1
Male	2
<i>Other</i>	3

Q2. What is your national ancestry other than American?

Mexican	🖵 1
Puerto Rican	🖵 2
Salvadorian	🖬 3
Cuban	🖬 4
Venezuelan	🖵 5
Guatemalan	🖵 6
Honduran	🖵 7
Nicaraguan	🖵 8
Colombian	🗖 9
Other Caribbean	🖵 10
Other Central American	. 🗖 11
Other South American	. 🗖 12
Other Hispanic/Latino	□ 13 <i>Specify</i>
Other	□ 14 <i>Specify</i>

Q3. Are you currently registered to vote?

Yes	1
No (skip to Q5)	2
Don't Know 3	

Q4. Have you ever voted in an election?

Yes	l 1
<i>No</i>	□ 2

Q5. What is your party affiliation?

Republican	🖵 1
Democrat	2
Independent	
Other	🛛 4
Unsure	🖬 5
None	🖬 6

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🗖 12
🗖 13

Q6. Which category best describes your age?

Q7. What language do you usually speak at home? Only Spanish, more Spanish than English, both equally, more English than Spanish, or only English?

Only Spanish	. 🗖 1
More Spanish than English	2
Both equally	. 🛛 3
More English than Spanish	4
Only English	5

Q8. Which of the following best describes the area where you live:

Urban	l 1
Suburban	□ 2
Rural	□ 3

Q9. Which one of the following best describes your work situation - are you employed, retired/disabled, unemployed, a student, or a homemaker?

Employed	🖸 1
Retired/Disabled	
Unemployed	🛛 3
Student	
Homemaker	🖬 5
Don't Know /Not Sure	

Q10. [IF EMPLOYED] Could you tell me what you do for a living? [WRITE-IN]

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Q11. Which of the following categories best describes your total household income?

Under \$10,000	1
\$10,001-\$20,000	□ 2
\$20,001-\$30,000	3
\$30,001-\$40,000	4
\$40,001-\$50,000	□ 5
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\$60,001-\$75,000	D 7
\$75,001-\$100,000	
Over \$100,000	9
[vol] Don't Know/Refused	

Q12. What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

High school or less] 1
Some college	2
College graduate	3
Postgraduate	4
Don't Know	5

Q13. Were you born in the United States or another country? Born in the United States.....□ 1 Born outside of the United States.....□ 2

Q14. Were either of your parents born in another country, or were both your parents born in the United States?

Both parents born in the United States	1
At least one parent born outside of the United States	2
Don't know	3

THANK YOU!

CUESTIONARIO DE ADMISIÓN

Nombre (Nombre y Inicial del Apellido): _____

Q1. Género

Mujer	1
Hombre	2
<i>Otro</i>	3

Q2. ¿Cuál es su ascendencia nacional además de estadounidense?

Mexicano	
Puertorriqueño	
Salvadoreño	
Cubano	🛛 4
Venezolano	🖬 5
Guatemalteco	🖬 6
Hondureño	
Nicaragüense	🛛 8
Colombiano	
Otro Caribe	
Otro Centroamericano	
Otro Suramericano	🖵 12
Otro Hispanic/Latino	🗖 13
Especifique	
Otro	🖵 14
Especifique	_

Q3. ¿Está actualmente registrado para vot	ar?	
Sí		1
No		2
No sé		3

- Q4. ¿Alguna vez ha votado en unas elecciones? Sí..... \Box 1 No..... \Box 2
- Q5. ¿Cuál es su afiliación partidaria? Republicano..... 1 Demócrata..... 2 Independiente o otra.... 3 Inseguro..... 4 Ninguno.... 5

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26-30	🗖 2
31-35	🛛 3
36-40	🗖 4
41-45	🛛 5
46-50	🛛 6
51-55	🛛 7
56-60	🛛 8
61-65	🛛 9
66-70	🛛 10
71-75	🛛 11
76-80	🖵 12
80+	. 🛛 13

Q7. ¿Qué idioma sueles hablar en casa? ¿Solo español, más español que inglés, ambos por igual, más inglés que español, o solo inglés?

Solo español	. 🛛 1
Más español que inglés	. 🗖 2
Ambos por igual	
Más inglés que español	. 🗖 4
Solo inglés	

Q8. Cuál de los siguientes describe mejor el área donde vive:

Urbano	1
Suburbano	2
Rural	3

Q9. ¿Cuál de los siguientes describe mejor su situación laboral: está empleado, jubilado/discapacitado, desempleado, estudiante o ama de casa?

Empleado	🖸 1
Jubilado/discapacitado	
Desempleado	🛛 3
Estudiante	🛛 4
Ama de casa	🛛 5
No sé /Inseguro	🛛 6

Q10. [SI EMPLEADO] ¿Podría decirme a qué se dedica? [ESCRIBE]

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Q11. ¿Cuál de las siguientes categorías describe mejor los ingresos totales de su hogar?

Menos de \$10,000	1
\$10,001-\$20,000	2
\$20,001-\$30,000	3
\$30,001-\$40,000	4
\$40,001-\$50,000	5
\$50,001-\$60,000	6
\$60,001-\$75,000	7
\$75,001-\$100,000	8
Más de \$100,000	9
No sé/Rechazo	10

Q12. ¿Cuál es el último año de estudios que ha completado?

Secundaria o menos	🖸 1
Un poco de universidad	🗖 2
Graduado universitario	🖬 3
Posgrado	🛛 4
No sé	🖬 5

- Q13. ¿Naciste en los Estados Unidos o en otro país? Nací en los Estados Unidos.....□ 1 Nací fuera de los Estados Unidos......□ 2
- Q14. ¿Alguno de sus padres nació en otro país, o ambos padres nacieron en los Estados Unidos? Ambos padres nacieron en los Estados Unidos...... □ 1 Al menos uno de mis padres nació fuera de los Estados Unidos □ 2 No sé □ 3

¡Gracias!