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BlackSDA _ 3ABN _ Looks Like Ds Already Has His, "reward In Full!"

Posted by: mikell Jun 11 2007, 12:27 PM

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
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Yes, one would think at least ds could share one of his Lear Jets with the GC! Or just maybe ds is so important as a man, number one in our church to go places so just in case one jet breaks down, at least he has a back up jet so he still can fly where ever the important place ds must get to! Just think of it. If ds did not make it, our Seventh day Adventist church will just fall apart! Yes, I really understand now why ds must have two jets!

□

Are you trying to say when you wrote, why ds needs his Lear Jet type plane in that he, "Explained it as a needed service because of his busy travel schedule," the need is only exclusive to him? What about the GC leaders, don't you think they too are in the, "Needed service because of [their] busy travel schedule?" One would think, if the GC leaders fly commercial in hassling driving to the airport two hours before their flights, why ds couldn't do that also? Oh, I just had a V8 moment!

Just keep forgetting that ds is the true face of Adventism and it is below him to hassle the driving to a commercial airport two hours before flights. Such an important man just can't wait, like all the GC leaders are doing all the time. Duh, you could say I am just a slow learner. □

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That is one down... more to come... Thank you 3ABN for going in the right direction.

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Posted by: Voktar of Zargon Jun 11 2007, 08:36 PM

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Voktar, what you shared here is brilliant. Every 3abn board member should read this. I just wish I had all of their emails. Does not this go back to, "Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap?"

Posted by: Artiste Jun 11 2007, 09:53 PM

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So true!

And that was a very interesting review! I wonder if the liability of the 3ABN board might include any temporal factors in addition to the spiritual, in this age of lawsuits.

Posted by: steffan Jun 12 2007, 12:02 AM

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Posted by: Richard Sherwin Jun 12 2007, 05:12 AM

You are trying to trip people up with technicalities.

You are right it's not a Lear, but it's not just a 6 seat Cessna. It's Cessna rival to a Lear, it's still a luxury jet. They are both a very expensive toy.

They at one time owned one jet and leased another.

The plane cost 6 million to someone. When you are leasing it at 40 grand per month, sans pilots, fuel, insurance etc, you are still paying for it just as if you owned it.

You are being deceptive and around here that don't work.

But in any case 3abn has felt the heat and are canceling the lease. We'll see how long it takes before they get another, or maybe they will just lease a jet on a trip by trip basis, adding more costs to their trips but being better able to conceal their misuse of donor funds.

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Even if Danny is innocent of all the charges against him he should have stepped down to avoid the appearance of evil. The appearance of evil is so great it has sparked off a firestorm of controversy. This cannot be denied. There was a time when he could have (and should have) prevented this. Not only did he not prevent it, he has with impunity used 3ABN as a forum to try and vindicate himself in the public eye. A very inappropriate use for a gospel ministry. This fact alone is one of the strongest indicators that there is indeed fire behind the smoke and that the "feeding frenzy" is not over a dead chimera. What is shocking is that Danny continues to hold any kind of leadership position in this church. What is unchristian and unbiblical is divorcing your wife and remarrying on grounds of "spiritual adultery" in

a hasty way, through questionable means (Guam?) - and all before the world. What is even more shocking is the use of an "Adventist" ministry to praise in the highest of terms a man who is under the shadow of multiple accusations of sexual abuse. And, to likewise use such a ministry to respond to sexual accusations against yourself, with grandiose Biblical metaphors and backhanded condemnatory preaching.
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Posted by: Observer Jun 12 2007, 07:40 AM

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NOTE: The above refers to the jet airplane.

I do not know who initiated the discussion that led to obtaining the services of the jets. It may not have been Linda.

Yes, I suspect that Linda agreed to such.

It may be that your comment that implies that Linda pushed for it more than Danny is one of your overstatements? I simply do not know.

I do know this:

Over the past several years Linda Shelton has gone through some very severe trials. These have served to refine and to shape her. She is no longer the naive person whom she once was. She has learned that a person whom she once loved did not always return that same love to her. She has learned that a person whom she once trusted to make decisions made some decisions that have hurt her. She has learned that people she once trusted made inappropriate decisions at times. I could go on at some length.

Out of this she is in some respects a different person from what she once was. She now has a better appreciation for the sacrificial gifts that so many people have made to 3-ABN. That comes from her recent life experiences. Out of this, I will suggest that if Linda were to be asked today if she as a 3-ABN Vice-President would like to have the use of a corporate jet her response would be: Thank you for your offer. That is not where your generous gift can do the most good. Allow us use those funds in another way. I can fly commercial for much less, and the savings can do more good elsewhere.

Perhaps the Lord has allowed Linda to go through some of these trials for a reason--to deal with issues that she needed to face. O.K. Linda is dealing with them. She is a changed person, and a person who is changing.

The question now is: Are there others who need to change? Perhaps God is bringing upon them trials in an attempt to change them? If, so, are they changing, and/or will they change? I do not know. But, if God is allowing them to be tried to refine their character, any resistance on their part will only subject them to the continued refining process.

NOTE: I who defend Linda have never presented her as a perfect person. I will not attempt to defend every action/decision of hers in the past. But, I do claim that she is not person whom her detractors often present her as being. I do claim that she is learning from these trials, and growing.

Posted by: mikell Jun 12 2007, 12:11 PM

Steffan, sounds like you are a great dancer, have you ever heard of the Clinton spin dance? Wow, you are very good at it, in spinning all what you don't like what is on BSDA into what you do like. Very good,

I have not seen anyone to have done it as good as you have. You have such a frenzy about what is your postings to all of us in BSDA, hay Steffan a suggesting, I think you need to cut back on your coffee. Try de-café, which are getting better tasting all the time. ☐

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Posted by: gracetoyou Jun 12 2007, 01:28 PM

The following is from a letter received today from the Hope Channel:

"We feel your support of this ministry is a sacred trust. In the spirit of honoring this, we want you to know how your gifts are used.

First, let me tell you how donations are *not* used. Your gifts don't go to cover our salaries. Neither does it pay for large, fancy offices or extravagance of any kind.

While God has blessed us with a powerful ministry, it is performed through humble means. Our staff work in small office cubicles and economize in every way imaginable. And as the official television network of the Adventist denomination, you can rest assured that we operate according to church policy and are accountable to church and lay leadership.

So just how are your gifts utilized? They are immediately put into service providing truth-filled messages 24-hours-a-day...."

It appears that Hope Channel is making an effort to point out the contrast between their use of donors' money and that of other (including 3ABN perhaps?) channels' misuse of contributions.

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At the risk of inciting political firestorms -

Thank you!

PB

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OCT 02 1998

1:20
Fee paid \$12.00
Rae Robill

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West Frankton, Illinois 62996-0220.

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Danny L. Shelton, President

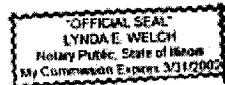
By: Linda S. Shelton
Linda S. Shelton, Secretary

Attested by:
Water C. Thompson
Water C. Thompson
Chairman of the Board of Directors

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Very Well Said Mr. J!!!! [x] [x] [x]

~~Snoopy~~

Posted by: princessdi Jun 12 2007, 05:08 PM

And your authority is.....? I ask because there is an email that reads as if you should not be posting anything about 3ABN. Even though WT didn't say there was no relationship just that you have no authority to speak in behalf of Danny or 3ABN. So, now can you answer those same question you posed to VOZ , as it appears that your own credibility is in question.

QUOTE

I have one question for you. Do you know Danny shelton on a personal basis? Have you spent time around 3abn or with any of the board members? Have you ever been on any of their meetings, discussions or prayer sessions? Have you seen any of the accusations made with your own eyes and do you realize that absolutely none of the allegations against Danny that have been made for the last 3 years have been proven?

If you answer no to any of these questions how could you possibly make the statments you just made above? Let me guess. You come to these conclusions because of what you read and what you have been told. Off of that alone, you have judged and convicted. Sad. Not biblical, not christian. Didn't you say somewhere that you are a pastor? Shocking.

...and you are still posting? Ok so I think you would probably want to <http://www.blacksda.com/forums/index.php?showtopic=13784&st=30> and answer that email before you continue to post.

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Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Jun 12 2007, 05:17 PM

Di,

I've been wondering when steffan would comment on the email from Walt Thompson. He has certainly commented on a lot of other items but has avoided that one. 

Perhaps he just missed it.

Posted by: Johann Jun 12 2007, 05:20 PM

QUOTE(steffan @ Jun 12 2007, 08:22 AM)

I was at a meeting years ago when he told they had one. He has always been honest about it. In fact, Linda was the biggest "pusher" for getting it.

Can you document this, Steffan?

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Jun 12 2007, 05:30 PM

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This will be interesting to watch unfold. Do you anticipate this alleged victim making a statement available?

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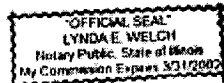
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s this standard behavior for those associated with a ministry? Have you been able to check the associated W-2's, Form 990's and Form 1040's? The chain of events along with the parties involved that you have documented over on www.save3abn.com about this matter is quite amazing!

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That is a GOOD one! and SO true, [redacted] [redacted]

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Posted by: Pickle Jun 13 2007, 06:42 AM

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That just doesn't seem fair. But 3ABN may be off the hook in that particular incident. That doesn't take care of further incidents of self dealing that took place later and for which the statute of limitations hasn't yet run out. Nor does it take care of the Shelton's personal income tax for that year if it wasn't recorded on their personal tax return would it, especially if the IRS thinks there was fraud?

In looking up the information on the statute of limitations, I found this which I thought might apply to Tommy's victims: Tolling the Statute

Statutes of limitations are designed to aid defendants. A plaintiff, however, can prevent the dismissal of his action for untimeliness by seeking to toll the statute. When the statute is tolled, the running of the time period is suspended until some event specified by law takes place. Tolling provisions benefit a plaintiff by extending the time within which he is permitted to bring suit.

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legal disability—the lack of legal capacity to do an act—at the time the cause of action accrues. **A child** or a person with a mental illness is regarded as being incapable of initiating a legal action on her own behalf. Therefore, the time limit will be tolled until some fixed time after the disability has been removed. **For example, once a child reaches the age of majority, the counting of time will be resumed. A personal disability that postpones the operation of the statute against an individual may be asserted only by that individual.** If a party is under more than one disability, the statute of limitations does not begin to run until all the disabilities are removed. Once the statute begins to run, it will not be suspended by the subsequent disability of any of the parties unless specified by statute.

Posted by: Pickle Jun 13 2007, 09:48 AM

I think you are correct about his personal tax return. Wonder if he will clear the air by releasing it? It would be a smart PR move on his part if he proved that he has done nothing wrong and has nothing to hide by releasing that tax return.

Here's another question:

Danny's financial affidavit says that he got a \$200,000 mortgage from Merlin Fharli, but I'm wondering if that is correct. Seems that there may be a legal document that says that he got a mortgage "At no time ... exceed \$200,000" from the Fjarli Foundation.

Which is it? Merlin Fharli or the Fjarli Foundation (sp?)? (Anyone know if it makes any difference?) And was the mortgage for \$200,000 or was it for a sum that was not to exceed \$200,000?

Posted by: lurker Jun 13 2007, 10:15 AM

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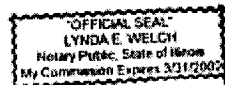
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Posted by: LaurenceD Jun 13 2007, 12:49 PM

Welcome out of the closet, SP. We haven't forgotten about the questions you never answered, but said you would (about the court case). That's was maybe what, two months ago?

Posted by: Pickle Jun 13 2007, 12:54 PM

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Steffan, would you follow up your statements with proof please?

I was going to post my questions here, but have changed my mind and put them over under the "3abn has no plane" would you jump over there and read my questions for you...

Heres the link for you:

<http://www.blacksda.com/forums/index.php?showtopic=13806&st=15&gopid=199799&#entry199799>
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Is it at all possible that Danny had to increase the loan amount in 2006 back to \$200,000? Or did he overstate his liabilities by \$50,000? And did Merlin assume the mortgage from his foundation sometime between January 1 and July 13, 2006?

SB,

It appears from the <http://save3abn/media/3abn-form-990-2004.pdf> that the plane was sold in 2004. See page 1, lines 8a and 8b.

Could be wrong, but that's my guess, if the 990's are accurate. But given the discrepancies on the FCC applications and Danny's affidavit, who knows if they really are accurate?

A big test may be to see if any royalty payments are reported on the 2006 990 for the TCTR book, if such things really are required to be reported.

Posted by: Shiny Penny Jun 13 2007, 01:21 PM

QUOTE(Pickle @ Jun 13 2007, 11:54 AM)

SP,

If you've ever talked to Linda about such things, you will get the idea pretty quickly that she isn't as informed as she ought to be.

Is this an excuse? Or is this the general situation- she is not as informed as she ought to be? Who knows, maybe Danny isn't as informed as he ought to be either.

At any rate, Danny's the one that still holds a position of trust within a supporting ministry of the Adventist church, and if he wants to safeguard his reputation, he will be immediately forthcoming with whatever documents are necessary to answer questions raised by publicly available documents.

Clearly he cares nothing about safeguarding his reputation, because he has not been forthcoming, immediately or otherwise, to the demands made here on bsda.

Or do you think that he should consider suing the courthouse instead for making such documents publicly available? And if he does sue, should he try to get the suit impounded?

Should I countenance this facetious question?

The Save website says that the property in question was their home. Linda must have known something about the family home, especially if it was selling for a pittance, then suddenly resold for \$125,000+ more.

If someone can figure out which home it is, then perhaps that would add some light onto the subject.

My point is...if one party isn't responding then by gum get the information from the other party.

Posted by: Pickle Jun 13 2007, 03:02 PM

Go ahead and try, SP.

The problem is that not everyone has a steel trap memory, and this particular case is complicated by the fact that Linda's recollections may be based on what Danny told her at the time.

Yet really, why concentrate on recollections and reconstructions nine years later when the 990 and 1040 for 1998 can settle the matter once and for all? Call up Danny and see if he will finally do what it takes to properly and professionally answer legitimate questions. Stonewalling and evasion don't cut it, but only give the impression that he's trying to hide something.

Posted by: Artiste Jun 13 2007, 06:05 PM

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Definitely think DS should sue the courthouse and get the lawsuit impounded!

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Bob;

JMO, the above, bolded statement should be worded as "only reveals there is much hidden, about a lot." Of course, my opinion is based on statements from information in the IL vs. 3ABN Property Tax Lawsuit and the current Shelton/3ABN vs. Joy & Pickle where the whole mess has been hidden from the public. This action speaks the loudest to me. That was clearly done to hide MUCH!

No one has a steel trap memory. Therefore, we have documents to record historical transactions. This was done to insure accuracy, if at some later date, a questions arise, we are able to look back at the documentation to find what happened. With the documents spread out in front of everyone, memories should wake up and remember the intent.

To Anyone;

What happened to Mom Ford at 3ABN? She departed not too long after Linda. Did she leave or pass away?

Posted by: Pickle Jun 13 2007, 06:49 PM

Ma Ford is still kicking. Seems like a nice lady.

Posted by: Shiny Penny Jun 13 2007, 08:24 PM

QUOTE(Pickle @ Jun 13 2007, 02:02 PM)

Go ahead and try, SP.

The problem is that not everyone has a steel trap memory, and this particular case is complicated by the fact that Linda's recollections may be based on what Danny told her at the time.

Yet really, why concentrate on recollections and reconstructions nine years later when the 990 and 1040 for 1998 can settle the matter once and for all? Call up Danny and see if he will finally do what it takes to properly and professionally answer legitimate questions. Stonewalling and evasion don't cut it, but only give the impression that he's trying to hide something.

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Honestly, none of us probably has a steel trap memory, but that doesn't mean we have no memory. Linda is a intelligent woman. But she has absolutely no recollection of any details? This was only 9 years ago, not 40. Most of us around this forum, if we had a windfall of \$129,000 back in 1998, would remember it.

But at least she should remember if she was living in the house in question at the time, which house is it, why did they sell it. These are basic sorts of questions that would shed some light on the matter and surely Linda must remember something like this.

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Does this seem half plausible? Maybe, maybe not. But certainly, Linda can shed some light on the matter

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Posted by: Shiny Penny Jun 13 2007, 08:35 PM

QUOTE(Pickle @ Jun 13 2007, 08:48 AM)

I think you are correct about his personal tax return. Wonder if he will clear the air by releasing it? It would be a smart PR move on his part if he proved that he has done nothing wrong and has nothing to hide by releasing that tax return.

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BearTrap,

This point illustrates what I am trying to say regarding Linda's recollection of events not necessarily always being correct in every little detail. I really think that the event you are referring to happened in 2004, though Linda thinks it happened in 2005. From what I can tell they filed a joint return for 2003, but not for 2004. If they didn't do a joint return for 2004, I can't see why Danny would have asked her to sign the 2004 return in 2005.

Am I wrong on this?

By the way, I have no problem with someone not recalling things correctly. There's no sin in that.

Posted by: Pickle Jun 13 2007, 10:08 PM

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Posted by: Snoopy Jun 13 2007, 11:01 PM

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~~Snoopy~~

Posted by: Snoopy Jun 13 2007, 11:15 PM

QUOTE(Pickle @ Jun 13 2007, 01:13 PM)

Quite interesting, lurker. So in July 2006, under penalty of perjury I assume, <http://www.save3abn.com/danny-shelton-royalty-disclosures-financial-affidavit.htm> that he had at that time a \$200,000 "Mortgage loan" from "Merlin Fharli." Besides wondering why Danny doesn't know how to spell his own board member's name, one has to wonder why he would say it was from Merlin if it was from the Foundation, and why it was \$200,000 if it was \$150,000 by the end of 2005.

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QUOTE(Shiny Penny @ Jun 13 2007, 12:41 PM)

Has anyone considered asking Linda to explain what this is about? Her name and signature are on the documents and there are some on bsda who are in contact with her...why wait for Danny? You know full well that he isn't going to be responding here - let's be real! As honest and forthright as Linda is there must be a perfectly good explanation for these transactions - **or are we to believe that both Linda and Danny were crooked?**

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Did I say alter the paperwork? There are several documents with the property it seems going back and forth...this is what I was speculating about

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Yes, I believe all of us have signed documents without reading all of what we are signing our names too - just look at credit card agreements...how many have read all the fine print with the terms and details?

But in this case, since Linda signed the tax forms and if she doesn't have a copy herself, she can request a copy from the IRS. I have requested old tax returns from the IRS and they will get them to you within a week or 10 days, though I don't know if even they will keep the records going back to 1998. And it very well may be that Danny doesn't have the tax returns going back that far either.

Posted by: Shiny Penny Jun 14 2007, 12:19 AM

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But about how this affects the independence of the board...if a board member loans the president money then who is beholden to who? I would suppose now that Danny would be in the pocket of Fjarli (btw, how do you pronounce that name?) There is an old saying 'he who pays the piper, calls the tune.' I would not think that the loan would make the board or a particular member more beholden to Danny. Was this what you meant?

Posted by: Snoopy Jun 14 2007, 12:26 AM

Apologies, Shiny Penny. I had not looked at save3abn.com for some time, but I do see that Ms. Chung was a party to the transaction. And I thought I saw your response to my post without seeing you listed as signed in, but I must have been wrong. It happens a lot!

~~Snoopy~~

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Jun 14 2007, 06:25 AM

SP,

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That was my understanding. But then, if that is true, why was the mortgage done on what I think was August 1, 2005? Are we talking about an unsecured loan prior to that, and that Fjarli decided he wanted something to back the loan?

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The legal implications simply have to do with whether everything was correctly reported on the W-2's, 990's, and 1040's, and whether it was reported as a short- or long-term capital gain. Did Danny and 3ABN comply with the law as it read at the time? That's the question. What people recall and recollect is irrelevant, in my opinion.

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Attached

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