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Subject: BS ON RUBY RIDGE!!!
Posted: May 26,1996 15:07:22
To: RICK GOMBAS (CHHL71A)
From: GEORGE SILVERDAHL (VAJU98A)

I like Randy Quaid as an actor, but that was certainly not a role for him. Randy Weaver is unpretentious and soft spoken, a mild individual with solid beliefs and without hate.

What three expressed negative opinions about FLE?

I would hope that if nothing else, people's curiosity and thirst for truth was fired up from this.

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To: RICK GOMBAS (CHHL71A)
From: RAY FICARA (RCDQ76A)

I would have cast Gary Sinise as Randy and Holly Hunter as Vicky. Less of a physical presence and more reliance on acting ability. BTW, Laura Dern is a member of the Beverly Hills Gun Club!!

-Ray
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Also, the actor who played Randy is considerably larger and more physically imposing than the real Weaver. That was to make him seem much more of a threat than he really was, especially in the scene at the bridge.

Interestingly three of the actors who played the Weaver family gave interviews in which they said they came away from the "shoot" with negative opinions of Federal Law Enforcement.

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