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--Has been studying with Denver Snuffer or his followers for a few years-Has Read Denver's books and participated in study groups/claims teachings focus on Jesus Christ and are not contrary to LDS Doctrine

--Was Re-baptized in March of this year and regularly participates in Sacrament ordinances in connection with Snuffer's followers

--Claims to be well read in LDS theology and emphasizes that he is doing what the scriptures teach about baptism and sacrament

--Quoted scripture in Book of Mormon about "Elders and Priests being baptized"-I did not question him on where-I did not want to get into a scripture discussion. He wanted the discussion badly.

--He loves the scripture in the Book of Mormon where Alma baptizes Helam and himself-He talked about that a few times

--He took Seminary teaching classes a few years ago but was never hired by the Church. He says he told them he didn't want to teach so he pulled himself out of consideration. This was an odd comment-I think he's irritated that he didn't get hired full time-But I may be reading too much into that

--Said he was forewarned that he would be excommunicated when LDS leaders found out about his activities/has been expecting a call for some time/indicated many of Snuffer's followers have been excommunicated

--He believes the Book of Mormon is true and that Joseph is a prophet-He has a problem with subsequent prophets and their teachings-says there are flaws in early church history and inconsistent with Christ's teachings

--Wants to come to Church and fit in-Wants his children in Primary and youth groups-Says he has done nothing to be excommunicated or "judged"

--Wants to bring his whole family to a disc. Council when held. I told him he cannot-Wonders why we do things differently than Joseph Smith did in his day-Says it doesn't matter anyway, that I, along with the High Council will be the ones on trial-Not him

--Baptized his wife and three oldest children in March of this year in ██████████-Used words from the Book of Mormon for the ordinance

--Says he is working on making his calling and election sure while in this life- "just like 'his' Mission President told him to"

--Says we follow a man-He is following Christ

--He and his group are big into semantics and word parsing. He really wants me to study the scriptures with him-I told him I have no intent of doing that



--He hugged me when he left-Very friendly-loud and gregarious personality

██████—(This comes from Bishop ██████ and his interview with ██████-I have not met her)

--She has been a Primary President and a YW President

--She and her husband are returned missionaries

--She is close to her Mother and Sister-Spent the day with them before meeting with Bishop ██████. They feel badly she is doing this-She told her family she will likely be excommunicated-Her Father gave her a Priesthood blessing before her visit with the Bishop-Family cried during most of her visit-They are sad

--Her and her 3 oldest children were baptized by ██████ in March of this year (The three children's ages are ██████-They also have three younger children)

--Says she and ██████ did not force the children-They gave them their choice

--She feels that she is at a crossroads in her life-needs to study more than the LDS Church can give her-She has read one of Snuffer's books-says she has never prayed and studied so hard in her life-says she needs to move her life forward to new beliefs

--When she asks difficult questions to family members they can never give her a good answer and they make her feel like she shouldn't ask such questions-example-"Why is the Church spending so much money on the downtown mall?" This bothers her

--She does not want her name removed and does not want to be excommunicated-she wants her family raised in the Church-She is worried about that

--She does not feel there is anything wrong with what they are doing such as baptism-She is very content with it. She's been fasting and praying to know if she's doing something wrong. Nothing is indicating to her that she is going down the wrong path

\*\*I have cancelled both of their temple recommends. They wanted to keep this secret as long as they could-They have no qualms about living a double life, in fact, they don't think they are living a double life.