

# GLENWOOD CAVENS - adventures in psyops

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Just my opinion from living in the community 27 years and knowing a few of the locals

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This story may have relatively limited reach across the world of psyops, but it is a concrete example of what our “heroes” in military and police are doing to terrorize the hell out of the local folks and remind them they live in a scary, dangerous world.

This is about Adventure and Entertainment, so let’s meet the actors, because All The World’s A Stage! Over the span of two decades, the park grew to be what it is today. While they don’t really tell you and prefer that you not know, there is a gravel road that goes up there, providing vehicular access, called Transfer Trail. It also provides access, further north, to the Flat Tops: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/recarea/whiteriver/recarea/?recid=81991>

WCVB5 News from Boston chimes in: <https://www.wcvb.com/article/colorado-amusement-park-heavily-armed-man-found-dead/45698355> and tells us: Glenwood Caverns, about 160 miles west of Denver, is atop a mountain and [only accessible](#) via a five-minute ride in a gondola. The park has been closed since Medina's body was found.

If you take that link, they take you to the park website and shows a photo of one of the gondola cars.

## The Alleged Perpetrator

We now have the name of the local actor – Diego Barajas Medina. We are told he is from Carbondale, about 12 miles south of Glenwood Springs, where he lived with his mother and brother. Let's see what InstantCheckmate has on Diego Medina:

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `instantcheckmate.com/results/?firstName=diego&lastName=medina&city=carbondale&state=CO&gender=male&qLocation=false&qRelatives=false&qOver40=null`. The search results are sorted by Relevance. On the left, there is a dark sidebar with a white circle containing a silhouette and a red exclamation mark, with the text "OPEN YOUR REPORT ON: DIEGO MEDINA COLORADO".

NAME	AGE	LOCATION	POSSIBLE RELATIVES	VERIFIED RESULT	FULL REPORT
Diego Medina		Ignacio, CO	Jennifer Medina Joey Medina Johnny Medina		<a href="#">OPEN REPORT</a>
Diego Barajas <small>aka: Diego Barajas, Diego Barajas Medina</small>	20	Carbondale, CO	Diego Barajas David Barajas		<a href="#">OPEN REPORT</a>
Santos Medina		Greeley, CO			<a href="#">OPEN REPORT</a>
Diego Medina		Platteville, CO	Adrian Medina Humberto Medina Raina Medina		<a href="#">OPEN REPORT</a>

Note I searched “Diego Medina” and received results for Diego Barajas, in Carbondale CO. He has an alias of Diego Barajas Medina. Also interesting is his Possible Relatives are listed as Diego Barajas and David Barajas. We were told in the stories above he has a brother. We were also told he has a mother. The purported mother is not listed as a Possible Relative. **And those other listings may be him, too, since they have no ages and one of them has the dreaded i.**

Diego Barajas CO - Instant Checkmate

instantcheckmate.com/results/?firstName=diego&lastName=barajas&city=carbondale&state=CO&gender=male&qLocation=false&qRelatives=false&qOver40=null

Next Steps: Find a result that matches whom you're looking for the most. You can click the headers to sort the results. Once you find a match, click "Open Report" to continue to the report.

Search Tip: Try adding a middle initial, current or previous city, and/or approximate age

Modify Search

NAME	AGE	LOCATION	POSSIBLE RELATIVES	VERIFIED RESULT	FULL REPORT
Diego Barajas		Carbondale, CO	David Barajas		OPEN REPORT
Diego Barajas aka: Diego Barajas, Diego Barajas Medina	20	Carbondale, CO	Diego Barajas David Barajas		OPEN REPORT
Diego Barajas	22	Carbondale, CO	David Barajas Diego Barajas		OPEN REPORT

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**OPEN YOUR REPORT ON:**

**DIEGO BARAJAS**  
COLORADO

Joyce R.  
Instant Checkmate User  
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This gave me enough info to know there is no relationship with this person. Thank you.

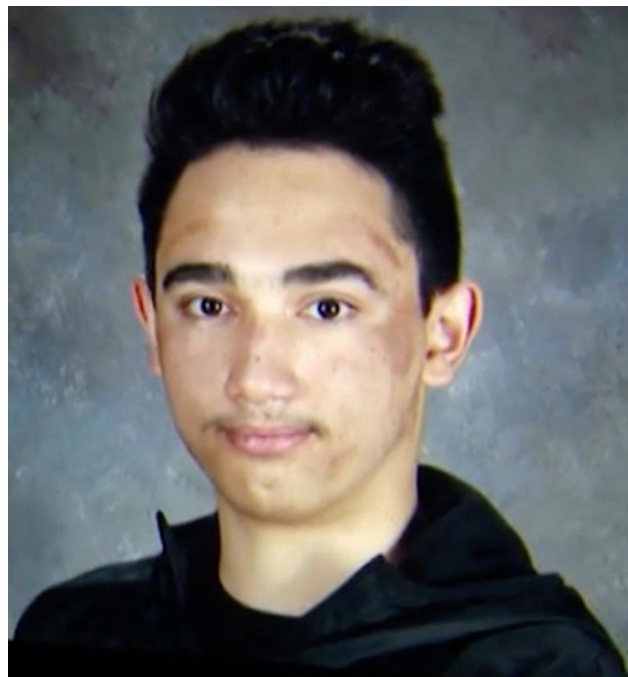
Immediately above is a search on Diego Barajas, this time. Note he is listed as being both 20 and 22 years of age. Still related to himself and his brother, no known relation to anyone else, like to the mother we are told he has.

Miles here: I did a deeper dive on this guy at InstantCheckmate. His brother David Barajas Medina is said to be 27, so I looked him up.

David J. Medina	25	Brighton, CO Capulin, CO Nyssa, OR	David Medina Erica Medina		OPEN REPORT
David P. Medina aka: David P. Medina, David M. Pliego, David Pliego Medina, Dave Pliego	27	Colorado Springs, CO Fort Irwin, CA Eden Prairie, MN Saint Paul, MN Lancaster, CA	Nicki Johannes Tomas Martínez Michael Pliego Medina Maria Sanchez Trisha Johannes		OPEN REPORT
Tyler D. Medina	26	Gilbert, AZ Tallahassee, FL Chandler, AZ Queen Creek, AZ Thornton, CO	Chandler Medina Daphne Medina David Medina		OPEN REPORT

There is only one David Medina in Colorado of that age, and he is not related to Diego and does not have a middle name or alternate name of Barajas. No David Medina of Carbondale exists. This one we found does, however, have a middle name of Pliego. Which of course looks like a slur or fudge of Diego, indicating they are the same person. The old sibling switch we have seen

many times, including in the Las Vegas fake and the Sandy Hook fake. This tells me there is no Diego Medina. David is Diego and lives on, as we would expect. This looks to have been run out of one of the nearby military bases, also as usual. Confirming this is that this David Medina has Ft. Irwin, CA, on his list, which is Ft. Irwin National Training Center in the Mojave Desert. As you see, he also has Colorado Springs on his list, which is likewise littered with military bases. A broader search on Diego and David Medinas in Colorado finds this family is closely related to Lyons. As you will remember, the current King of England is a Lyons. His grandmother is a Lyons. We can check Nicki Johannes in David's listing, since that—like Lyons—is not a Hispanic name. Sounds German. She may be a wife, since she has the same locations, including the military ones. She is also related to Lubeckes, also German. These people link us to a [William Lubecke](#), an auditor at the Department of Energy with a base salary of \$161,000. Does he tie in here? I don't know, but it does prove these are not poor Hispanics trying to start race wars or something. They are prominent people with ties to military and the Feds.



More indication I am right is that picture that is supposed to be Diego Medina. One problem: it is computer generated. They are also recycling names again:



That first guy is allegedly David Barajas, charged with murder in Texas nine years ago. His story also makes no sense, and looks like another Operation Chaos invented story.

I updated this paper this morning, 11/01. In so doing, I found this whopper of a story: <https://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/brother-says-heavily-armed-man-found-dead-colorado-amusement-park-woul-rcna123061> and archived here: <https://archive.ph/b9eCK> in case the original story has been taken down or paywalled. That contains some real hard to believe stuff. I have hit on most of the points of this NBC News story in various parts of this paper. But let me point out the errors and inconsistencies now:

The Sheriff's Office spokesperson tells us this: *Sheriff's spokesperson Walt Stowe said Tuesday, "He was able to drive his vehicle up a back road that is used by the park for maintenance traffic only." He described it as a dirt road "with little or no maintenance."*

That's a lie. The park uses the road for all heavy maintenance and many deliveries. How in the world would they have been able to get all the rides up there on an unimproved dirt track? Also, as a requirement of the operating permit, the road must be open and passable in the event of emergency use. Like when the tram shuts down. The road is open, at least as far as the park, all year and is maintained. But it is not paved. I provided a link to Transfer Trail, the name of the road, above.

*It was not clear Tuesday how Diego knew about the road. David said his brother had no connection to the park.*

Every local knows about the road.

*Diego wore a ballistic vest and a ballistic helmet and possessed multiple magazines of ammunition, authorities said. The patches and emblems on his dark clothing "gave the appearance of being associated with law enforcement," the sheriff's office said in a statement Monday.*

David and Diego shared a small room in a small apartment. David would have known what his brother was amassing. Perhaps not Diego's intent, but he would have known something was up.

*Diego lost his last job at Family Dollar about a year ago and was flipping items on Amazon to make ends meet, though he had not kept up with the rent, David said.*

Yeah maybe. But anyone can get a decent-paying job in the Roaring Fork Valley. I do not have an Amazon account and never buy anything from Amazon. I'm not going to try to follow up on the veracity of this claim.

*Even so, David said, "he seemed normal." And he described his death as "weird to me."*

A couple of days after the death and the brother claims it is "weird to me." Who says this kind of stuff?



The mother was not interviewed for this story. Moreover, I have not found any information at this point that the mother actually exists. Again, InstantCheckmate knows nothing about her.

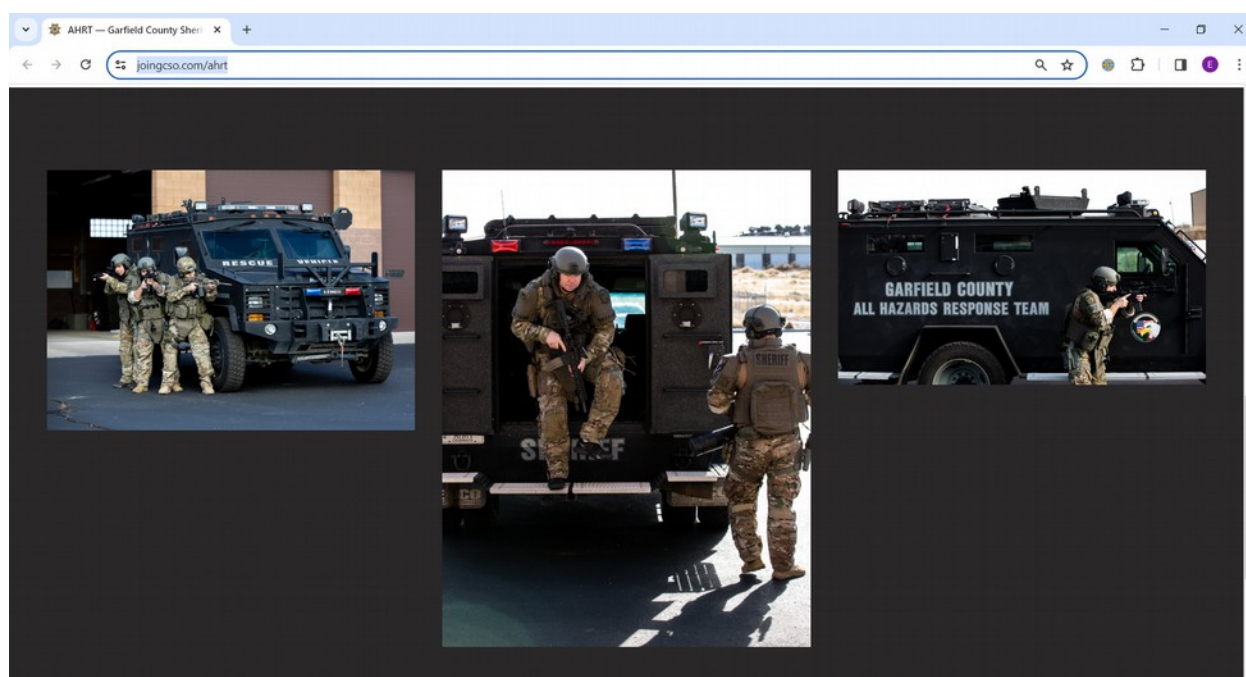
What other actors do we have in this psyop? Let's take a look at the County Sheriff.

### Garfield County Sheriff Lou Vallario

Today's Update (10/31 and embedded top left of the linked update) still identifies the perpetrator as being 22 years of age: <https://www.garcosheriff.com/update-on-glenwood-cavern-adventure-park-investigation/> I checked again and there is no official update from the Sheriff for 11/01.

Impressively Vallario does not present us with his own picture on his very own website. Probably the first time I have ever (not) seen that with a politician.

We are told the All Hazard Response Team (AHRT), under the purview of the County Sheriff, responded to the emergency call from the Adventure Park. Here is the AHRT page from the Garfield County Sheriff's Office website: <https://www.joincso.com/ahrt> Scrolling down to the photos at the bottom of the page we are treated to this:



Yeah so the County Sheriff has a scary fascist truck. I wager they responded to the scene in this bad boy. Because they need military equipment for policing in Glenwood Springs, pop. 10,000. Note in the first photo the cosplayer in the middle is pointing his weapon directly at you. As if you, the viewer, are the target. The County budget is also being reviewed and set to be approved in early December. **The Sheriff is asking for an increase of about 8.3%. The Sheriff's Office would siphon off 36.4% of the proposed budget.** Cui bono, you know.

Sheriff Vallario is a Republican who almost always runs unopposed. Been in office 20 years or so. No term limits on the Sheriff in Garfield County CO.

There was a recent death in the county jail. Yeah so, shit happens when you are incarcerated. Please understand, I am not making light of any tragedies. I'm simply linking to a recent story about death in the Garfield County jail, administered by the Garfield County Sheriff. No matter what, when incarcerated, the Sheriff has a duty to try to keep his detainees alive. Sheriff Vallario suggests he understands the severity of the situation:

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/garfield-county-commission-sheriff-lou-vallario-being-sued-in-federal-court-over-inmates-death/>

Here is an article where Vallario admits his liability:

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/garfield-county-switches-healthcare-provider-for-its-jail/> If you don't want to read the article, here's the important admission:

“The law is pretty clear that says I'm liable,” Vallario said. “I am required to maintain health and safety and constitutional medical care for inmates. So yeah, it falls back on the office of the sheriff.”

The good sheriff goes on to suggest that being incarcerated is the crux of many lawsuits. Sucks to be the Sheriff.

Let's also do Vallario's people search while we have InstantCheckmate open. His first relation listed is Cindy Millan, who—when we look her up—is really Cindy Macmillan, 60. So probably his wife or sister. She links us to Donald Macmillan, 89, of New Jersey, who also has an alias of Millan. He links us to an Edith and Cody Macmillan of Tuxedo Park, so it is looking like these are THE Macmillans, as in the Macmillans of Cargill, etc. See Whitney Macmillan who recently died in 2020. He was the CEO of Cargill for 20 years, his family owning it from the beginning. And what is Cargill? I remind you it is the largest privately owned company in the US, being a major food corporation. These Macmillans come from the Macmillans of Argyll, Scotland, as do the ones in New York who are connected to the now-defunct publishing house. You may remember that Tuxedo Park has come up twice in my research of the past month, including in my papers on the Manhattan Project and on Typhoid Mary, so we can truly say that all the usual markers are coming up in this Glenwood Springs story.

And we have even more big connections for our small-town sheriff. He is related to a Jodi Cooper, nee Macmillan, and she is married to Allan Cooper of Newton, NJ. According to his [page at LinkedIn](#), Allan just happens to be a senior designer at Collins Aerospace, formerly working for ITT Avionics, Sikorsky, and Bell Labs. So, a bigwig in military contracts. We are beginning to see how easy it would be for Vallario to set up this event, having many big military contacts.

What else is interesting about the Garfield County Sheriff and County Jail? Well, I note that Vallario was NOT the sheriff at the time of the Bundy psyop, though that was in Pitkin County.

However, one of Bundy's escapes WAS from Glenwood Springs jail (according to some accounts), so that ties in here. Miles has previously hit the Ted Bundy psyop very hard. You can read about that starting here: <http://mileswmthis.com/bundy.pdf> and especially here: <http://mileswmthis.com/bundy2.pdf>

The Wikipedia entry: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ted\\_Bundy](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ted_Bundy) has a long explanation about Bundy's various escapades, escapes and wanderings in the mountains between Aspen and Crested Butte and back to Aspen. Most important are the various and sundry jail breaks attributed to Bundy. Here, in its entirety, is the Wikipedia description of what all Bundy was up to. I will not bother to breakdown the following word salad / brain damage, as it is preposterous on its face. Also note the silly embedded photo of Mr. Bundy questioning your intellect:

## Escapes

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Pitkin County Courthouse, where Bundy jumped from the second window from the left, second story to escape<sup>[198]</sup>

On June 7, 1977, Bundy was transported 40 miles (64 km) from the [Garfield County](#) jail in [Glenwood Springs](#) to [Pitkin County Courthouse](#) in Aspen for a [preliminary hearing](#). He had elected to [serve as his own attorney](#), and as such, was excused by the judge from wearing handcuffs or leg shackles.<sup>[199]</sup> During a recess, he asked to visit the courthouse's law library to research his case. While shielded from his guards' view behind a bookcase, he opened a window and jumped to the ground from the second story, injuring his right ankle as he landed.

After shedding an outer layer of clothing, Bundy limped through Aspen as roadblocks were being set up on its outskirts, then hiked south onto [Aspen Mountain](#). Near its summit he broke into a hunting cabin and stole food, clothing, and a rifle.<sup>[200]</sup> The following day, he left the cabin and continued south toward the town of [Crested Butte](#), but became lost in the forest. For two days he wandered aimlessly on the mountain, missing two trails that led downward to his intended destination. On June 10, he broke into a camping trailer on Maroon Lake, 10 miles (16 km) south of Aspen, taking food and a ski parka; however, instead of continuing southward, he walked back north toward Aspen, eluding roadblocks and search parties along the way.<sup>[201]</sup> Three days later, he stole a car at the edge of Aspen Golf Course. Cold, sleep-deprived, and in constant pain from his sprained ankle, Bundy drove back into Aspen, where two police officers noticed his car weaving in and out of its lane and pulled him over. He had been a fugitive for six days.<sup>[202]</sup> In the car were maps of the mountain area around Aspen that prosecutors were using to demonstrate the location of Campbell's body since as his own attorney, Bundy had rights of [discovery](#), indicating that his escape was not a spontaneous act, but had been planned.<sup>[203]</sup>





1977 photograph—taken shortly after first escape and recapture<sup>[204]</sup>—from Bundy's [FBI Ten Most Wanted Fugitives](#) poster

Back in jail in Glenwood Springs, Bundy ignored the advice of friends and legal advisors to stay put. The case against him, already weak at best, was deteriorating steadily as [pretrial motions](#) consistently resolved in his favor and significant bits of evidence were ruled inadmissible.<sup>[205]</sup> "A more rational defendant might have realized that he stood a good chance of [acquittal](#), and that beating the murder charge in Colorado would probably have dissuaded other prosecutors ... with as little as a year and a half to serve on the DaRonch conviction, had Ted persevered, he could have been a free man."<sup>[206]</sup> Instead, Bundy assembled a new escape plan. He acquired a detailed floor plan of the Garfield County jail and a [hacksaw](#) blade from other inmates. He further accumulated \$500 in cash, something he later said was smuggled in over a six month period by visitors—Boone in particular.<sup>[207]</sup> During the evenings, while other prisoners were showering, he sawed a hole about one square foot (0.093 m<sup>2</sup>) between the steel reinforcing bars in his cell's ceiling. Having lost 35 pounds (16 kg), he was able to wriggle through and explore the crawl space above,<sup>[208]</sup> allowing him to make a series of practice runs in the weeks that followed. Multiple reports from an informant of movement within the ceiling during the night were not investigated.<sup>[209]</sup>

By late 1977, Bundy's impending trial had become a [cause célèbre](#) in the small town of Aspen, and Bundy filed a motion for a [change of venue](#) to [Denver](#).<sup>[210]</sup> On December 23, the Aspen trial judge granted the request—but to [Colorado Springs](#), where juries had historically been hostile to murder suspects.<sup>[211]</sup> On the night of December 30, with most of the jail staff on Christmas break and nonviolent prisoners on [furlough](#) with their families,<sup>[212]</sup> Bundy piled books and files in his bed, covered them with a blanket to simulate his sleeping body, and climbed into the crawl space. He broke through the ceiling into the apartment of the chief jailer—who was out for the evening with his wife<sup>[213]</sup>—changed into street clothes from the jailer's closet, and walked out the front door to freedom.<sup>[214]</sup> Jail staff in Pitkin County apparently have a break for at least six whole days—including Christmas Eve, we assume—even when famous murderers and jail breakers are in the cells. The chief jailer was out for the evening, and didn't bother to hire a substitute.

After stealing a car, Bundy drove eastward out of Glenwood Springs, but the car soon broke down in the mountains on [Interstate 70](#). A passing motorist gave him a ride into Vail, 60 miles (97 km) to the east. From there he caught a bus to Denver, where he boarded a morning flight to [Chicago](#). Back in Glenwood Springs, the jail's [skeleton crew](#) did not discover the escape until noon on December 31, more than seventeen hours later. By then, Bundy was already in Chicago.<sup>[215]</sup>

Here is what the *Aspen Times*, circa 2019, has to say about the Glenwood Springs Garfield County jail break, which is fun to compare with the Wiki story:

<https://www.aspentimes.com/news/bundys-escape-forever-a-part-of-garfield-county-history/>

Someone is confused, or simply lying. Clearly. Either Bundy broke out of the Aspen/Pitkin County jail on December 30, or he broke out of the Garfield County jail in Glenwood Springs, about 40 miles northwest of Aspen, on the same exact same date. This is recent history. Not stuff that happened thousands of years ago. It should be easy to research and publish the truth. But they can't even do that. Wikipedia has it both ways in the same paragraph.

**I point this out because the Garfield County Sheriff's Office had been complicit in the Ted Bundy scam. Why in the world would we believe the veracity of this new story on its face?**

What else has the County Sheriff been up to recently? About a year ago, he was accused of campaign finance law violations for using his official position and presumably public monies to support his pal and crony Lauren Boebert. You can read about it here:

[https://www.denverpost.com/2022/09/19/lauren-boebert-garfield-sheriff-campaign-investigation/?\\_vz=medium%3Dstandalone\\_content\\_recirculation\\_with\\_ads](https://www.denverpost.com/2022/09/19/lauren-boebert-garfield-sheriff-campaign-investigation/?_vz=medium%3Dstandalone_content_recirculation_with_ads) If that link doesn't work for you, you can access the archived page here: <https://archive.ph/PNmc1>

After an investigation, the Colorado Secretary of State found no wrongdoing:

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/secretary-of-state-dismisses-allegations-of-campaign-finance-violations-filed-against-garfield-county-sheriff-lou-vallario/>

There was also a very high-profile sexual misconduct scandal and coverup involving Garfield County Sheriff's deputies that happened quite a few years back. I won't go into that, but it happened. And Sheriff Vallario was at the helm and obstructed the investigation.

### **Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park...Again**

What about the bad publicity? Well, there was a tragic accident a couple summers back. The park survived just fine after that. From Wiki, this morning (10/31):

## **Incidents**<sup>[edit]</sup>

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On the evening of September 5, 2021, 6-year-old Wongel Estifanos died on the Haunted Mine Drop ride after being separated from her seat and falling 110 ft (34 m) to her death. It has been determined that the girl was actually sitting on top of her seatbelt rather than the seatbelt being tight on her lap. A [forensic pathologist](#) identified the cause of death as [blunt-force trauma](#). The official report by the Colorado Division of Oil and Public Safety blamed a lack of procedures and inadequate training of two ride operators to ensure that Estifanos was properly buckled in.<sup>[7][8]</sup> Before the accident, the ride had had four annual safety inspections per Colorado Amusement Rides and Devices Regulations (7 CCR 1101-12) and was certified to have corrected any issues.<sup>[9]</sup> Following the incident the park temporarily closed.<sup>[9][10][11]</sup> Colorado Senate Bill 03-253 allows parents to release their minor's rights to sue for negligence.<sup>[12][13]</sup>

The Alpine Coaster ride has caused several injuries to riders. In 2007, a parent and daughter were hospitalized after being thrown from the ride into a fence. In 2010, a 10-year old was thrown from the ride and landed in rocks, resulting in a bloody face. In 2011, a woman broke her back after failing to brake for nine stalled carts on the track. The woman filed a lawsuit, but it was dismissed.<sup>[14]</sup>

On October 28, 2023 prior to the park opening for the day, a 20-year-old Colorado man identified as Diego Barajas Medina was discovered dead from an apparent suicide. Medina was wearing tactical gear and was heavily armed with [IED explosives](#) and two [ghost guns](#) (a [semi-automatic](#) rifle and a handgun) which led Garfield County Sheriff's Office officials to state it would have been possible for him to commit a devastating [mass attack](#) on the community and first responders. However, a note allegedly written by Medina was found on the wall of a women's bathroom stall inside the park near his body that read, "I am not a killer. I just wanted to get into the caves."<sup>[15]</sup>

Note Wiki has already been updated to include the latest "Incident" with Mr. Medina/Barajas.

I checked, but as of this morning, there was no Wikipedia page on Mr. Medina aka Barajas:

<https://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?search=diego+barajas+medina&title=Special%3ASearch&profile=advanced&fulltext=1&ns0=1>

**Back to Sheriff Vallario**, he had this to say about the aborted terrorist attack:

“Although he was very highly prepared, very highly weaponized, he chose not to take advantage of any of that, whatever his preparation was. He chose instead, as we believe at this point, to commit suicide,” Vallario said. “We are, to say the least, extremely lucky that he did not fulfill whatever plan he may have intentioned. It could have caused ... a devastating impact on his community, potential for many, many people to be killed and injured. **And again, for whatever reason that we may never know, he chose not to take that path.** And certainly we all breathe a sigh of relief from that.”

Note in the various stories I have linked to in this blog, as well as the official Wikipedia entry, updated this very morning, they all note that the perpetrator wrote on the wall of the women's bathroom “I am not a killer. I just wanted to get into the caves.”

So, Sheriff Vallario, he just wanted to get into the caves. He told you that on the bathroom wall. Hence, you don't need to go through mental gymnastics, and further terrorize the public, why he did not carry out your suggested diabolical plan.

The park spokeswoman noted the following: To keep guests, team members and assets safe, multiple security programs are in place, including an extensive network of security cameras, alarms, fencing, gates and posted signage, the Caverns said.

But there is no indication HOW the perpetrator broke into the women's restroom, after hours, when the facility was locked up tight and under significant, constant surveillance. Surely there is some surveillance information on the break-in, as we are told there are multiple security programs in place...

Given all that, I will note there is an easier, much less costly, much less deadly way to get into the caves:



As noted above, I updated this paper the morning of 11/01/2023. I find no more independent reporting. Just dozens of reports parroting what has already been reported. Others spreading misinformation. I'm gonna leave this here. I think this myth has been busted.

So, what was this event about? If you missed it, it was about creating local fear to raise the county police budget. Same thing we saw the FBI has been doing since the 1920s, but on a smaller scale here. Same thing the CIA does, and Homeland Security, and the military as a whole. The US is one massive conjob, from the smallest scale to the largest, and it all relies on this manufactured fear. Manufactured through a truly astounding array of fake events.