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**Subject: Early Warning System**

Yoo hoo, Derek!

Since I'm always gracious enough to give you *plenty* of warning of how thoroughly I'm going to reveal and skewer your incompetence, I hope that you didn't think that I had forgotten about yet *another* faux pas of yours, i.e. *your claim* that Marcel Vogel had used - are you ready - an electron scanning microscope to detect the presence of thulium in the metal sample!

And of course you're on record for all the world to see (which it is and they are, etc.) making that silly, false, statement.

I hope that you have informed your fellow pseudo-scientists of your planned transition into the field of satire and comedy, as it will eliminate the necessity for them to do a Vaughn Rees on you.

But let's keep you around just a little bit longer as your contribution to the success of my personal mission, with visitors to my site from 137 countries, is obviously worthy of acknowledgement...and further promotion.

And, as advertised, I'm also going to do some voluntary promotion for Dr. Phil "Show Me the Evidence!" Plait simply because I'm generous, just give me a little time.

You pal,

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P.S. Anything come to mind yet about your "model UFO" theory and the hillside film segment, hmmm?