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Lou, next time, please
do your home-work!

Featuring this union on your
show was a slap to the face
of every hard working UFCW
union dues paying member in
America today!



War on the Middle Class:

A commission is warning America to overhaul its entire education system before cheap foreign labor markets destroy what's left of our middle class. The commission's vice chairman, Marc Tucker, join us.

Then, the United States says it's fed up with China's unfair trade practices, but will our government do anything to fight back? We'll have a special report.

Plus, Mark Lauritsen, the International vice president of the United Food and Commercial Workers Union, is condemning the massive immigration raids on U.S. meatpacking plants. He joins us.

Mark Lauritsen-salary-2000 through 2005-LM-2 filed with the DOL:

Year			
2000	Mark's salary and expenses:	\$137,403	Title: Executive Assistant
2001	"	\$140,821	Title: Regional Director
2002	"	\$205,568	Title: VP/Regional Director
2003	"	\$192,263	Title: VP/Regional Director
2004	"	\$197,266	Title: VP/Regional Director
2005	"	\$213,132	Title: VP/Regional Director

Six (6) year total: **\$1,086,453 Not too shabby!!!**

Mark and his buddies at UFCW, with these salaries, can no longer even relate to the members of this union. Since 2000, total membership has dropped by nearly 70,000 at the international, yet their salaries continue to go up!

Plus, according to UFCW LM-2's, there is a **Theron Lauritsen** earning a 6 figure salary as an assistant to the regional director...Any relationship to Mark? Most Members of UFCW are lucky to earn more than \$20,000 a year.

Just one big party going on at the UFCW at the members expense- a party that union dues paying members aren't even invited to.

CC: UFCW International, Washington DC; inept Secretary of Labor (Elaine Chao)-United States Government

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Dear Lou Dobbs,

I watched your show last night and realized that you were talking to a man by the name of Mark Lauritsen, an International Vice President of UFCW. In fact your web site identified Mr. Lauritsen as "**the**" International vice president of UFCW. Mr. Dobb's, please excuse me, but he is just one of "many" Vice Presidents at UFCW. Mr. Dobb's, had you done your home-work on this particular union you would have realized that Mr. Lauritsenas is just one of many Vice Presidents pulling in 6 figure salaries while UFCW's members wages and benefits, sadly to say, are on a steep decline in America today.

Mr. Dobb's, by watching your show, I realize that you are incensed at exposing corruption and incompetence in our existing "out of control" elected government, and I applaud you for doing so. In addition to that you have declared "war on the Middle Class" as to one of your causes. I have a story suggestion for you, Mr. Dobb's, that I think will open the eyes to all Americans on just how corrupt some Labor unions in America are-especially the UFCW. Unions that operate under the guise of representing their memberships in negotiating fair and equitable contracts. Based on UFCW LM-2 statements, it appears that all these folks do is negotiate great salary packages for themselves and spit on their union dues paying members.

Many UFCW unions have decided that elections of union officers, every three (3) years, are no longer needed to satisfy the U.S. Department of Labor's requirement. Many even use "clever" ways to cheat their members out of the democratic process of electing their union representatives. These Union leaders became savvy to realize that an election could possibly put them, family, and friends out of an outrageously high paying "do nothing" job!!!

Sincerely,
Frank S. Nordby



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Mr. Dobb's, visit the U.S. Dept. of Labor's web site and you will discover the never ending party going on at the UFCW. The next time you have Mr. Lauritsen on your show, please ask him this important question: What did you do to deserve a salary of \$213,132 for 2005? \$20,000 more than 2003!

Thanks Mr. Dobb's for featuring this individual on your show. Your interview with him really made him appear stupid...Somebody who deserves to be making \$3 an hour and not \$213,000 a year.