## HOW IT WORKED WITH THE KEY PLAYER, JIM JONES

PLAYER: JIM JONES

**THEN-CURRENT SITUATION:** Desperate to defuse both media attacks and military threats. Fanatically protective of young son John in disputed paternity. Had previously threatened mass suicide to the Guyanese if John were forcibly removed. Guyana rules in favor of Jones but Leo Ryan vows to support "the return of Tim Stoen's son."

Jones convinced that once-fanatically-loyal, now arch-enemy Stoen is C.I.A. and not without cause. Stoen has profile typical of an agent provocateur: Had concealed farright-wing background; also said to advocate violence, against Temple teachings.

Church in trouble for being far-LEFT-wing. Note Jones' highly publicized trip to Castro's Cuba to visit exiled Bank Panther leader, Huey Newton. Now desperate to rerelocate to the dreaded then-USSR in the middle of The Cold War.

**VULNERABILITIES:** Paranoid. Isolated in a jungle without even a phone. Fiercely protective of community, but willing to self-destruct rather than endure an invasion and/or forcible disbandment.

BAIT AND PLOYS: Mazor claims conversion from enemy to friend, "playing" Jones' desperation for intel and allies. Uses "mercenary raid leader" ploy to enter Jonestown, but lands a sinister turn once there: That the real plan had been mass extermination, driving Jones' paranoia over the brink. Secures Jones' confidence by claiming proof that Stoen is CIA. Ingratiates himself by providing affidavits and "services free."

**THE UPSHOT:** Jones believed Mazor's threat of mass extermination even when the community at peace. Now a Congressman has been killed and the community panicked into believing that, "We must have done it. Who else could it have been?" Jones cracks, believes an invasion is imminent and implements the ghastly mass suicide plan.

THE ILLUSION: JIM JONES BROKE MAZOR. Mazor now an indispensable friend once he realized how wonderful Jonestown is.

THE REALITY: MAZOR BROKE JIM JONES! Mazor cons his way in, to a) TAKE THE NEEDED PHOTOGRAPHS of Jonestown vehicles in preparation for a frame; and to b) DELIVER A THREAT OF MASS EXTERMINATION.

## **MAZOR 7: ALLY WHO CAN DELIVER**

I know who's funding Stoen; he's been a CIA agent for eight years (dating to his joining the Temple!!); I'll give you affidavits and "services free."

## **MAZOR 8: PROPHET OF DOOM**

(OF THE "THEY'RE OUT TO KILL YOU ALL" VARIETY)

The ultimate bait-and-switch: Now that I'm your "friend," I can reveal that I was supposed to be your mass exterminator. When the community was at peace! (Imagine the scenario when a Congressman is dead on the ground....)