

EXCLUSIVE - More Arrests to Come -

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DESPITE THE APPARENT LACK OF PROGRESS IN WHAT IS already the most intensive investigation in the bureau's history, NEWSWEEK has learned that the FBI expects to arrest "a group of major players" in the Oklahoma City bombing within the next several weeks. "We pretty well know who is involved right now," a source close to the case said. "This thing involves husbands and wives as well as children as young as 12." Some of those targeted by investigators are already telling what they know in hopes of getting lesser sentences, the source said. Federal officials said last week that Michael Fortier, a close friend of prime suspect Timothy McVeigh, was cooperating and had told the FBI that he and McVeigh cased the bomb site days before the attack. But a source said that "everyone involved is going to be arrested and charged" and that "no one is going free because he or she talks." NEWSWEEK has also learned that investigators are looking closely at a white-supremacist group headed by Robert Millar in Elohim City, Okla. Sources say McVeigh called the group's compound on April 5. The Millar family denied any connection to the attack or McVeigh.

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