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I was sailing down the coast of Washington off Grace Harbor and there was, I was on watch,

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00:00:10,920 --> 00:00:17,440

another man was with me so we both saw the same thing and it was 3.30 in the morning

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00:00:17,440 --> 00:00:26,580

and it was a very large cluster of green and red lights, very, very bright and they made

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00:00:26,580 --> 00:00:33,740

a reflection on the water. We were about 6 miles off the coast, 6-8 miles off the coast

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00:00:33,740 --> 00:00:38,820

and it was between us and the coast and we watched it for about 10 minutes through binoculars

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00:00:38,820 --> 00:00:46,180

and there was nothing connecting it to the water so it wasn't on anybody's math. The

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lights were about 4 vertical lights in the center and then it went down to 3 on the side

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00:00:57,020 --> 00:01:03,540

and it looked as if you connected the lights it might be elliptical but it really wasn't

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that graphic, it wasn't that symmetrical. We watched it for about 10 minutes and then

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00:01:12,900 --> 00:01:16,700

my watchmate said you better get the skipper and I tried to get the skipper out of bed,

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00:01:16,700 --> 00:01:21,100

I just put my head down the accommodation ladder so I wasn't looking at it for about

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00:01:21,220 --> 00:01:28,020

3 minutes, for about 1 minute and when I looked up it was gone and I asked my watchmate where

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00:01:28,020 --> 00:01:34,560

did it go and he said to disappear and he said no it's over there and over to the right

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00:01:34,560 --> 00:01:41,980

there was a line of 6 lights and I said did it break up into 6 and he said no it just

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00:01:41,980 --> 00:01:50,660

went over and joined them and there were 6 lights in a perfectly horizontal line above

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00:01:50,700 --> 00:01:59,460

the horizon and they were equidistantly spaced and we watched them for about 5-7 minutes

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00:01:59,460 --> 00:02:04,100

and then they disappeared. It just got dimmer and dimmer and dimmer.

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00:02:04,100 --> 00:02:06,180

What time or what day was that?

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This was Saturday morning at 3.30.

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Those lights appear to be moving independent of each other.

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The lights that we saw the 6 lights?

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00:02:23,060 --> 00:02:24,060

Yes.

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00:02:24,060 --> 00:02:30,420

Yes, because the 4th light, the 4th light was not as bright as the others and it was

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00:02:30,420 --> 00:02:37,420

redder and it seemed to be maybe out ahead.

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00:02:37,420 --> 00:02:44,420

Okay. Any estimate of distance from you?

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00:02:46,700 --> 00:02:55,700

Well if we were to say 8 miles out the reflected light on the path on the water came to the

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boat so I would say maybe it was 2 miles off.

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00:03:02,780 --> 00:03:06,780

How long have you been watching them all together?

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I would say this whole thing we watched it for about 20 minutes and what makes me even

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more convinced of this because I've always been somewhat skeptical is that on watch you

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are constantly looking for lights because it's the only thing that can tell you what

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00:03:28,700 --> 00:03:34,460

you're going to run into and we watched. We saw tugs under tow and fishing boats and

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00:03:34,460 --> 00:03:39,540

things like that and so you're constantly scanning the horizon all the way around you

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00:03:39,540 --> 00:03:46,540

and this suddenly appeared. I mean it wasn't there and then it was.

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00:03:47,460 --> 00:03:49,260

Were you due west of Grace Harbor?

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00:03:50,260 --> 00:03:51,260

Okay.

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00:03:51,260 --> 00:03:56,260

In fact there's a lighthouse there and I remember that was the only light and we did not see

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00:04:01,340 --> 00:04:07,340

that light because of the such to the bright lights of the red and green lights.

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00:04:07,340 --> 00:04:15,340

Okay. Do you have any problems with any of your instruments aboard the boat?

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Not that I know of. I remember when I tried to get the skipper up he's asking what time

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00:04:20,180 --> 00:04:27,180

it was and the digital thing is right there and I read 337 and we've been watching it

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00:04:28,300 --> 00:04:33,300

for a good 5 or 10 minutes and both of this was binoculars.

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00:04:33,300 --> 00:04:34,300

Okay.

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00:04:34,300 --> 00:04:37,300

Does this corroborate with anything anybody else has ever seen?

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Well we didn't get any reports for that particular day but things like that have been seen many

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times.

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00:04:44,300 --> 00:04:45,300

I mean that same description?

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00:04:45,300 --> 00:04:46,300

Yes.

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00:04:46,300 --> 00:04:53,300

Huh. Now has this sighting been seen in that area before?

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00:04:53,300 --> 00:05:00,300

Not what I can remember by just checking away at my memory I don't recall anything in that

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particular area.

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00:05:04,220 --> 00:05:06,220

But the same description of the red and green lights?

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00:05:06,220 --> 00:05:08,220

Oh yes that's been seen many times.

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00:05:09,140 --> 00:05:16,140

Oh good. Now I'm going to be sailing back from Astoria next weekend.

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What should I particularly look for if I see it again?

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Or should I take a picture of it?

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00:05:22,140 --> 00:05:27,140

Try taking a picture. Of course don't use any flash bulbs.

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00:05:27,140 --> 00:05:28,140

No.

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Try to get something with really fast film.

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And watch for intelligent control.

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If the objects or the lights appear to be moving independently of each other or appear

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00:05:41,060 --> 00:05:46,060

to be moving as though they were part of something else watch for intelligent control.

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Oh okay I see.

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That would be about all.

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And maybe watch the instruments the CFA?

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That would be a good idea if you have quite a few instruments aboard, compasses and so

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forth see if they react at all.

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We didn't even check that we were just sewing off what we were seeing.

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Okay where did you get our number?

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I called the university the astronomy department and they said to look you up in the white

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pages.

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Okay.

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00:06:12,980 --> 00:06:15,980

Well if we get any more on this we'll sure let you know.

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00:06:15,980 --> 00:06:17,980

Hey would you I would be very curious.

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00:06:17,980 --> 00:06:18,980

Sure will.

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00:06:18,980 --> 00:06:19,980

Thank you.

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00:06:19,980 --> 00:06:20,980

Thanks for calling.

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00:06:20,980 --> 00:06:21,980

Bye bye.

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00:06:21,980 --> 00:06:22,980

Bye.