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Woman dies waiting for a flying saucer

A WOMAN has been killed by her obsession with a flying saucer.

Housewife Laverne Landis believed she was getting telepathetic messages from Outer Space telling her to go to a remote area near Loon Lake, Minnesota, to wait for a UFO to land.

She persuaded a scientist, Gerald Flack, to go with her and for weeks the couple sat in their car

in freezing temperatures, eating vitamins and drinking water, as they waited for the flying saucer.

Finally, 48-year-old Mrs. Landis was found dead from exposure and malnutrition. Flack was taken to hospital suffering from hypothermia.

"There was no UFO there," said deputy sheriff Frank Redfield.