

Top TV Science Fiction Expert Rod Serling Claims . . .

Creatures Exist in Outer Space and They're Investigating Us

Strange creatures do exist on other planets, and they're investigating earth people, insists top science fiction writer Rod Serling, originator of the highly successful "Twilight Zone" TV series.

"I believe absolutely and passionately in the existence of creatures from outer space," Serling, 49, told *The ENQUIRER* in a dimly lit restaurant in Los Angeles. "It seems obvious that if God in His wisdom created us on earth, then He created life on other planets.

"And I'm sure they are physically quite different from us. If they come

from a different galaxy, they probably need totally different characteristics in order to live in that galaxy.



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"Extraterrestrial creatures are at this moment trying to learn about us," he added. "I have never seen a UFO myself nor have I ever seen an extraterrestrial creature, but I certainly believe they exist.

"And I'm sure that the moment they show themselves and come forward with arms outstretched to greet us, we are likely to kill them. That's what human nature is like. And

that is why they don't land."

The slightly-built writer, winner of

six Emmy awards and dozens of honors for his work as a writer, sipped his drink and ran a hand through his rumpled dark hair. Beginning in 1959, his "Twilight Zone" — half fantasy and half science fiction — ran for five years, with Serling himself acting as host of the series.

"I don't know whether I believe in spirits and hobgoblins and the like, but I certainly don't disbelieve in them," he confided.

"I'm sure there is life after death, so it's quite possible there are such things. But I've never seen a spirit and I never want to — I'd be absolutely terrified if I did!"