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Carlos Allende served in the Marines from July of 1942 to May of 1943. He claimed to have witnessed the disappearance of the U.S. destroyer escort USS Eldridge while serving aboard the SS Andrew Furuseth in what became known as the "Philadelphia Experiment". The story of the supposed event emerged through Morris K. Jessup, author of "The Case for the UFO". Allende researched interstellar space travel, UFOs, and Einstein's Unified Field Theory. He was described as an eccentric and intelligent individual. He died in March of 1994 at the age of 68.

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