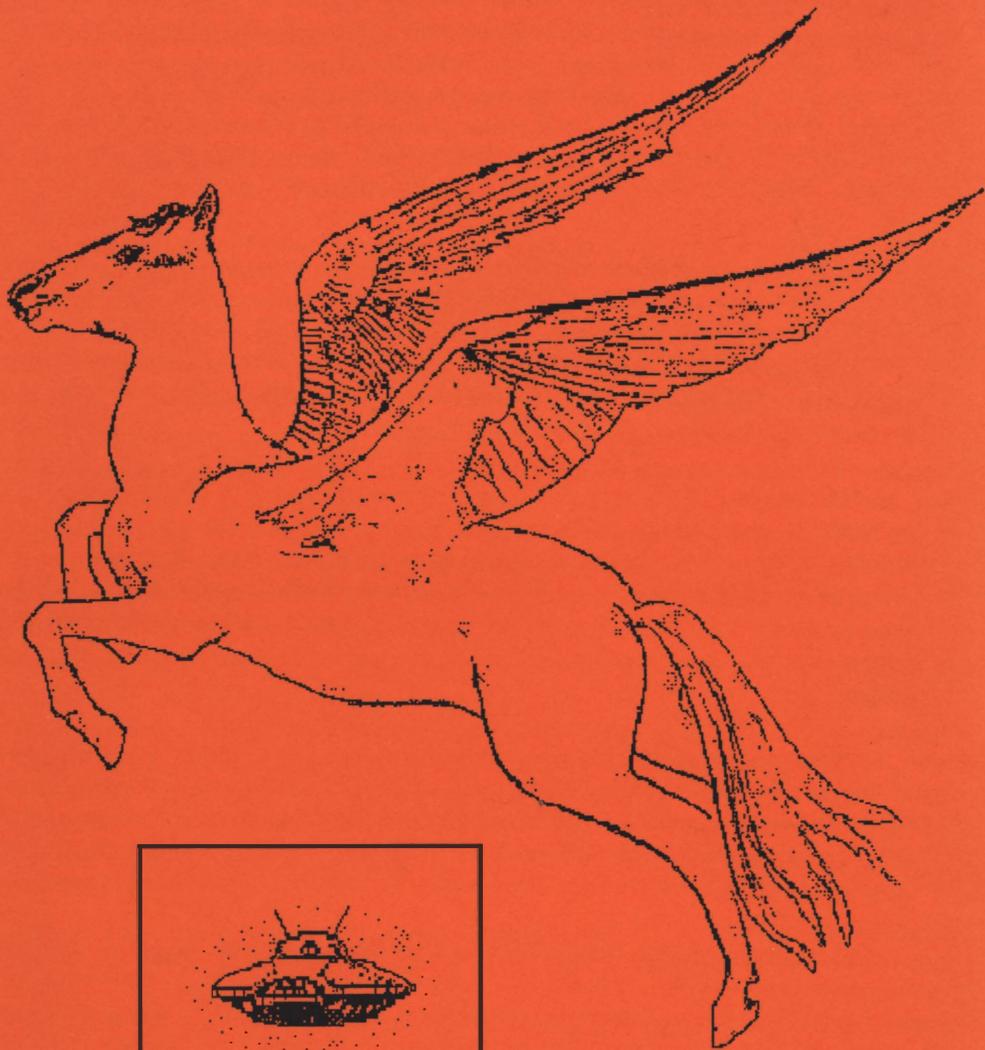


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ENKI SPEAKS?

Zecharia Sitchin has always illuminated his factual researches with flashes of creative imagination, so it is no surprise to find his latest publication, *The Lost Book of Enki*, doing just this on a larger scale.

He thinks it likely that Enki, the leader of the initial Anunnaki colonisation of Earth, would have set down a record of his doings, and so sets out to give his impression of what such a story might have been like. This takes the form of a series of 14 tablets of verses, supposedly dictated by Enki to the scribe Endubsar. Together with much already familiar material, there is also fuller mention of the Earth/Mars interplanetary service and the nuclear explosion that finally destroyed Sumer.

Whether the price (£22 from *Nexus*) for what is essentially a superior piece of science fiction is justified must be a matter for individual decision, possibly stimulated by a recent USA publication from Mark Hazlewood, who suggests that astronomical observations tend to confirm the imminent approach to Earth of the Anunnaki planet Nibiru in May 2003.

The last time this happened Ziusudra, the eponymous Noah of the Bible, was ordered by Enki to build his submersible Ark for the preservation of a nucleus of humanity. Is Sitchin, through his latest publication, trying to suggest something? And if so, what are we supposed to do about it? Will the Anunnaki land on the White House lawn to tell us? (They don't have a good record in this respect!)

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SENSATIONAL FIND IN RUSSIA

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The question as to whether or not we have received visitors from space can probably only be answered with certainty if and when we find indisputable evidence for such a visit here on Earth. Such a proof could consist of the discovery of artifacts whose exact age can be determined, and whose external and internal structure can be regarded as "time-anomalous". In recent years numerous micro-objects have been found in the Urals, which appear to fulfill these requirements. This is the first published report of the discovery.

For many years now, researchers in our field have been suggesting that artifacts left by extraterrestrial visitors might be found in geological deposits. Much evidence has been found, principally by Dr. Johannes Fiebag (1, 2), from apparently paradoxical events in the Earth's history, that genetic manipulation experiments have been carried out over hundreds of millions of years by extraterrestrials, which culminated in the creation of us humans.

Unfortunately for us, any discovery of possibly technical artifacts from ancient times would seem to be very unlikely. For the geological events of only the last million years are documented today in a mere few centimeters of sedimentary strata. Even as regards very recent events - I am thinking of the end of the Second World War - we are aware of how quickly technical objects can disappear. Weapons, ammunition, and even large finds are already almost completely rusted away and disintegrating.

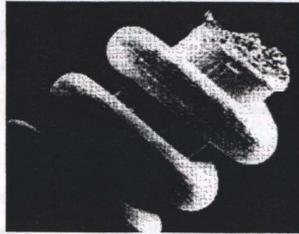
In view of this, the finds made recently in Russia are all the more astonishing. In the years 1991-1993, gold prospectors on the small river Narada, on the eastern side of the Ural Mountains, have found unusual, mostly spiral-shaped objects. The size of these things ranges from a maximum of 3 cm (1.2 in.) down to an incredible 0.003 mm, about 1/10,000th of an inch! To date, these inexplicable artifacts have been found in their thousands at various sites near the rivers Narada, Kozhim, and Balbanyu, and also by two smaller streams named Vtvisty and Lapkhevozh, mostly at depths between 3 and 12 metres (10 and 40 ft.)

The spiral-form objects are composed of various metals: the larger ones are of copper, while the small and very small ones are of the rare metals tungsten and molybdenum. Tungsten has a high atomic weight, and is also very dense, with a melting point of 3410 deg. C (6100 deg. F). It is used principally for the hardening of special steels, and in unalloyed form for the filaments of light bulbs. Molybdenum also has a high density, and a respectable melting point of 2650 deg. C (4740 deg. F). This metal too is used for hardening steels and giving them corrosion-resistant properties, these being used principally for highly-stressed weapon parts and vehicle armour.

At the present time, these more-than-mysterious objects are being investigated by the Russian Academy of Sciences in Syktyvka (capital city of the former Autonomous

Soviet Republic of Komi), Moscow, St. Petersburg, and also a scientific institute in Helsinki, Finland. Exact measurements of these often microscopically-small objects have shown that the dimensions of the spirals are in the so-called Golden Mean ratio. Since ancient classical times this fraction has been the "iron rule" in architecture and geometry. Its usefulness is in the fact that if a certain length is divided into two using this ratio, the ratio of the original length to the larger piece is the same as that of the larger piece to the smaller piece.

Quite apart from such subtleties, these objects are obviously the product of an inexplicable and highly advanced technology; they bear remarkable resemblances to control elements used in micro-miniature devices in our very latest technology, so-called nanomachines. This technology is still in its infancy with us, but already engineers are thinking of applications which are pure science-fiction. Among other things, they envisage constructing micro-probes for use in medicine which can be implanted, such as for carrying out operations inside blood vessels which are not possible with present surgical techniques.



What was the purpose of this object, illustrated here in 500x magnification? All tests carried out to date give an age for the objects of between 20,000 and 318,000 years, depending on the depth and the situation of the site. (3, 4) But even if it was only a mere 2,000 or 20,000 years, we are faced with the inevitable question: who, of all the people in the world, was at that time capable of creating such superfine micro-filigree objects, something which our own technology is only now just beginning to achieve?

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SPACE SHUTTLE FIXES HUBBLE TELESCOPE AS UFOs WATCH

By Jeff Challender

STS-109/Columbia has been a very interesting mission. Anomalies were seen during several phases of the flight, including post-ascent, rendezvous with Hubble, during spacewalks, and at the point of Hubble's release back to orbit. All of the goals of the mission were met in excellent fashion. The entire power system was overhauled, and the Hubble's deep space vision was improved ten fold. During rendezvous and capture, a reflection of HST's flat base appeared in a payload bay camera lens, which looked for all the world like a classic "flying saucer." To the untrained eye, it could easily have been mistaken for a UFO. A white object was seen several times during space walk activities, and although it had some resemblance to the Moon, it was in the wrong part of the sky. While astronaut Jim Newman was working on the HST power system, an object was seen from his helmet camera. This object came into view from underneath Columbia, came to a complete stop, and executing a 90 degree right angle turn, went back under the Shuttle. Some fifteen seconds later, this, or a similar object streaked past the astronauts at extreme speed, appearing to originate from the same area where the first object disappeared.

During the release of Hubble back into its orbit, a strobing object was seen moving from 7 o'clock toward 2 o'clock. The camera operator tried several times to move the camera in order to eliminate the object from the field of view, to no avail. It continued to enter the screen. At this point, the feed was cut. Some time later, the tapes made by the crew from inside Columbia of the HST release were replayed in their entirety. The same strobing object was in the area of Hubble, but from a different angle. Disregard the incident involving Commander Altman and the capcom. It is a demonstrable case of ice chips caused by a small fuel leak.

A letter from Joe Love says, "I've been watching hours of the Shuttles STS 109 mission and I'm convinced I saw and recorded an awesome extraterrestrial craft that was imaged by the space shuttle camera at 3:30 AM Eastern time on March 1, 2002. It was a most graceful beautiful object in flight that I have ever seen. It seemed to be several hundred to a thousand feet from the shuttle and a hundred feet in length. Basically it was a glowing, golden coloured, long and narrow band that kept a crescent shape most of the 38 seconds it was in view. It looked like a convulsing worm, tumbling nine times end over end. It straightened out once. The best part is the six bright, golden, brief flashes of light (unevenly timed) as if reflecting the sun, but the sun was on the opposite side of the Earth. During the mission press conference a reporter asked about the anomaly, Brian Austin-Lead Flight Director for STS-109 stated, "It was more than likely a piece of ice. It appeared much too far away and large to be ice."

ANCIENT CHINESE CROP CIRCLES

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Calum McLeod writes in the "Independent" about a Chinese researcher who has discovered, close to the Mongolian border, 2,500-year-old stone circles in the same patterns as modern crop circles.

Zhang Hui, research fellow at the Xinjiang Museum in Urumqi, has discovered more than 20 patterns that appear to match examples found in other countries, but may pre-date them by up to 3,000 years. The Chinese stone circles are clearly man-made. "The primitive peoples who lived there were inspired by the crop circles they saw," speculates Zhang. "They thought the circles were a way of communicating with the gods, and so placed rocks in the shape of the circles."

Zhang found several circles in the grasslands of Qinghe County beside the Sino-Mongolian border, ranging from simple circles to more elaborate teardrop and other shapes. He was amazed by their geometrical sophistication, and went to Beijing to consult Chinese translations of reference works by British crop circle researchers. "I was amazed by the similarities," he says. "Both sets show characteristics of modern, industrial civilizations, as you would need modern instruments to make such perfect circles, yet these could be the oldest records of crop circles world-wide. They show that the phenomenon is much older than people thought."

The region is home to many non-Chinese ethnic minorities, including most of China's Muslims. Several of Zhang's stone patterns surround vast piles of stones gathered to commemorate warrior nomads known as the Scythians, an Indo-Iranian people with Caucasian features.

The Scythian conquests were so extensive that Western historians have identified their cultural interaction with the ancient Celts, whose religious sites have been the major locations for crop circles. Researchers like John Haddington of the U.K.'s Centre of Crop Circle Studies have noted that circles often appear close to the sacred sites of Celts, Australian Aborigines and Native Americans.

The first publicly recorded crop circle occurred in 1678 in Stirlingshire, Scotland, and became known as the "Devil's Circle." Zhang found a similar pattern in Qinghe, encircling a stone pile and a tombstone with a deer engraving. "The nomads call it the 'magic circle,' and believe whoever dares to touch the tombstone will offend the gods and be punished," he says.

Zhang couldn't have done this research 20 years ago, because Chairman Mao waged war on the "superstitious" beliefs he thought were holding back his attempts to modernize China. "During the Cultural Revolution, a group of Red Guards in north-east China saw a crop circle appear in a field in a very short time," Zhang says. This rare eyewitness account of a formation actually being formed was published much later. "They were stunned, but at the time, nobody was allowed to believe in such 'superstition.'"

Recently, there have been many UFO sightings in China. Zhang doesn't know what caused the ancient circles. "It's too early to say for sure," he says, "but there is a definite connection with the cosmos. It could be a supernatural force, or even an alien civilisation."

ALIEN ABDUCTORS MAY BE LEAVING EVIDENCE BEHIND

Unknown beings that have been suspected of abducting humans may be leaving evidence behind. Reports of the so-called alien abductions have occurred since the 1960's, with victims describing their experience as being experimented upon in a quasi-anaesthetised state, frequently aboard unfamiliar vessels. Others have reported feeling "invaded" in their own homes as part of the phenomenon.

Traditional science has discounted the reports, and none have been "proven." Now, a Michigan biophysicist says he's found trace physical evidence smaller than and mingled within household dust. Dr. William C. Levengood, of the Pinelandia Biophysics Laboratory, has identified microscopic glassy particles in household dust of individuals claiming to be abductees. He said he's found the glassy particles have been found in low-traffic areas in bedrooms, kitchens, family rooms, hallways, and basements, basement stairs.

At the same time, says Levengood, these particles have not been found in dust where abductions are not known to have occurred. Using 450x magnification, Levengood's lab has identified elongated, round, crystalline and octopus-shaped glasslike particles that are clear and non-cellular or non-plant in structure. Some are the colour of amber and 1 micron or larger in size.

They're also described as similar to fibre-optic filaments. Levengood is continuing his research into uncovering the origin of the currently unexplainable glassy particles, reports the Alien Abduction Experience and Research organization.

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United Airlines Flight 105 Case

Emmett, Idaho, July 4, 1947



Stewardess Marty Morrow & Captain E. J. Smith,
courtesy of Wendy Connors

On July 4th 1947 an incident occurred which was second only to Arnold's sighting in terms of media coverage. Captain E.J. Smith and First Officer Ralph Stevens of United Airlines Flight 105 were the chief witnesses. Shortly after takeoff from Boise's Cowan Field at 9:04 P.M. MST, they observed from their DC-3 airliner five discs "silhouetted against the sunset in a loose formation." When Smith asked Stewardess Marty Morrow to come forward, she confirmed the observation. Ironically, before the crew boarded the plane, someone had asked them if they had seen any flying saucers - as the disc sightings were by then starting to receive more and more publicity. Smith snapped back with a smile that, "I'll believe them when I see them."

In that dark cockpit Smith remembered his famous last words as they watched the mysterious sight for several minutes as four more discs joined the group just as the original five faded from sight. The second group flew in a straight line formation of three together with the fourth one off by itself. Smith said "this group seemed to be higher than our flight path," [7,000 feet] "and when they did leave, they left fast!"

The sightings lasted twelve minutes and covered 45 miles as the unknown objects moved in a northwesterly direction across Idaho. At one point Smith recalled that it looked almost as if some of the discs merged together. Reaching a cruising altitude of 8,000 feet, Smith had attempted to close in for a better look as the discs neared Oregon but could not attain an airspeed much above 185 miles per hour. At that point he contacted the nearest observer he could reach - the radio tower at Ontario, Oregon. The attendant there could not see anything, yet neither could the pilots by that point. The objects had suddenly sped out of the area at tremendous speed.

Smith's sketch depicted the only details the crew could definitely give to Intelligence officers - thin oval craft "smooth on the bottom and rough on top." Smith told the International News Service that the mysterious objects "were as big as an airplane but definitely were not aircraft." This sighting ended up in Air Force files as the third of

nine in 1947 records to receive the sparingly-given designation "unidentified." Known as the United Airlines Flight 105 Case, it was second in fame only to the Kenneth Arnold Sighting during 1947. This would be only the first of four cases involving United Airlines flights over the following six weeks.

The news media was already waiting at Pendleton for a scheduled landing of the plane because many people had overheard the radio transmissions back and forth between Ontario tower and Flight 105. As a result, the story became an immediate sensation. Both Naval Intelligence and Brown and Davidson from Army Intelligence interviewed Captain Smith.

The Brown and Davidson interview occurred on July 12th just after they had finished talking with Kenneth Arnold at the Hotel Owyhee about his incident. Arnold then invited them to his home for coffee and sherbet. While at Arnold's house they heard Smith was in Boise for a layover, so they all went out to the airport to talk to Smith and were joined by Dave Johnson from the *Boise Evening Statesman*.

Alfred Loedding probably would not have had the fine details of the interview via the Fourth Air Force until several months later. Coordination until at least September of 1947 was very haphazard, not only between the 4th AAF but with Dayton and Washington. Yet, because he was a Pentagon liaison, Loedding probably knew more at any one given time that summer than any single group doing investigations. Edward Ruppelt later wrote about those days:

At first there was no co-ordinated effort to collect data on the UFO reports. Leads would come from radio reports or newspaper items. Military intelligence agencies outside of ATIC [Dayton] were hesitant to investigate on their own initiative because, as is so typical of the military, they lacked specific orders.

When no orders were forthcoming, they took this to mean that the military had no interest in UFO's. But before long this placid attitude changed, and drastically. Classified orders came down to investigate all UFO sightings. Get every detail and send it directly to Wright Field. The order carried no explanation as to why the information was wanted.

This lack of an explanation and the fact the information was to be sent directly to a high-powered intelligence group within Air Force Headquarters stirred the imagination of every potential cloak-and-dagger man in the military intelligence system. Intelligence people in the field who had previously been free with opinions now clammed up tight.

On that same night the manager of the Idaho *United Press* and a fifteen year veteran reporter, John C. Corlett, had a sighting that seemed to confirm the presence of something strange near Flight 105.

While relaxing at home in his garden, he and his wife with their dinner guests, famed Boise artist V.H. Selby and his wife, all had a disc sighting. It occurred around the same time as Captain Smith's encounter when the couples observed a white disc zoom across the sky in a matter of just seconds. The object came from the northwest and travelled

southeast as it passed silently overhead at an altitude of about 10,000 feet in a clear sky.

Earlier that afternoon in Idaho, disc activity had been observed near the Twin Falls area. Between 2:30 P.M. MST and 3:10 PM. three groups of discs ranging from twenty to nine objects were seen by over sixty persons enjoying the 4th of July celebrations in the local park of Twin Falls.

Source: *Alfred Loedding and The Great Flying Saucer Wave of 1947*, Wendy Connors and Michael Hall, pages 52-55.

MOD ESTABLISHED SECRET UFO INVESTIGATION GROUP

Official papers have revealed the Ministry of Defence set up a secret flying saucer working party in the 1950s. The papers show the group involved experts from the Directorate of Scientific Intelligence and the Joint Technical Intelligence Committee. It was established in 1951 after a spate of sightings in Sweden and the US led to a "notable outbreak" of reports in Britain.

However, the scientists gave short shrift to the idea that the earth was facing an alien invasion from space, dismissing the claims as "optical illusions and psychological delusions" - or just plain hoaxes. "We consider that no progress will be made by attempting further investigation of uncoordinated and subjective evidence, and that positive results could only be obtained by organising throughout the country, or the world, continuous observation of the skies by a co-ordinated network of visual observers, equipped with photographic apparatus, and supplemented by a network of radar stations and sound locators," they concluded. "We should regard this, on the evidence so far available, as a singularly profitless enterprise."

The papers, being made public for the first time, went on: "We accordingly recommend very strongly that no further investigation of reported mysterious aerial phenomena be undertaken, unless and until some material evidence becomes available."

One of the cases they looked at was RAF Flight Lieutenant Hubbard who twice claimed to have seen "a flat disc, light pearl grey in colour, about 50 feet in diameter" flying low over Farnborough at speeds of 800 to 1,000 mph.

The scientists dryly noted: "We find it impossible to believe that a most unconventional aircraft, of exceptional speed, could have travelled at no great altitude, in the middle of a fine summer morning, over a populous and air-minded district like Farnborough, without attracting the attention of more than one observer."

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ANCIENT RUSSIAN UFO MYSTERIES

Extracted from: *The Soviet UFO Files - Paranormal Encounters behind the Iron Curtain*, by Paul Stonehill Director of the Russian Ufology Centre.

Unidentified Flying Objects have been sighted over the territory we know today as Russia since the days of antiquity. For centuries people have seen objects in the sky that they could not identify, and many of them have recorded sightings, which could not be explained away as meteors, planets, stars, or weather balloons.

Some of the most interesting information concerning UFO sightings is still locked away in the secret archives of the state. Occasionally, the guarded vaults do open up, either by the passing of history or chance, and information leaks out. Recently declassified documents of the Russian Ministry of the Interior, dating back to the beginning of the 19th century, reveal some interesting UFO sightings from the Russian Empire.

Among them is a very unusual report to the Tsar from his Third Department of the Chancellery (the former title of the secret police). The report describes certain extraordinary light effects observed in the sky by the inhabitants of the city of Orenburg, and corroborated by the police and military, during the night of December 26, 1830. Other reports mention the appearance of UFOs over Ustyug on January 30, 1844, as well as sightings from 1846 and 1847.

Secret files aside, the Russian history of UFO sightings dates back thousands of years. In the Russian north, near the Arctic Circle, there are ancient stone monuments that were reputedly built at the same time as Stonehenge and the Egyptian pyramids.

Smaller in size, the spiral "labyrinths" of the White Sea are no less enigmatic. They can be found on the Solovetski Islands, and throughout the area known as the Tersk Shores in the southern portion of the Kola Peninsula. One of the labyrinths lies near the ancient Umba, near the Lesnoi settlement. UFOs have frequently been sighted over the area by the Saami hunters (reindeer breeders and descendants of ancient nomadic tribes). Similar double-spiral labyrinths have been found throughout the ancient world, in Egypt, China, and Scandinavia; even more amazing is the fact that the same labyrinths were depicted on ancient Minoan coins! As we shall see, Russia is very similar to that labyrinth: full of secrets, enigmas, and mysteries.

REVELATIONS FROM THE RUSSIAN CHRONICLES

In AD 904, the Russian Prince Oleg began his campaign against the Greeks. He marched out of Kiev in the direction of Constantinople, with a huge force of men, pushing on by horse, ship, and, apparently, "flying apparatuses." Upon his arrival Oleg discovered that the Greeks had fortified the strait and closed up their city. Oleg disembarked upon the shore and ordered his troops to beach the ships.

The resultant battle with the Greeks raged for many weeks, becoming too prolonged for Oleg's taste. In the hope of inducing a swift conclusion he commanded his troops to make wheels, which they attached to the ships. When the wind was favourable, they spread the sails and bore down upon the city from the open country. According to the

chronicles, the Russians launched "horses" into the air that were well equipped and "coloured golden." From these the warriors threw fiery arrows at Constantinople.

However, to ascend into the air for the purpose of destroying a city the Russians would have to have been in possession of a level of technology that they definitely did not possess in AD 904. Where did the Russians borrow such horses? Who was interested in aiding them to conquer Constantinople? The emperors Leo and Alexander both made peace with Oleg, and after agreeing to pay the tribute and mutually binding themselves by oath, they kissed the cross. They invited Prince Oleg and his men to swear an oath likewise. According to the religion of the Russians, the victors swore by their weapons and by their deity Perun, as well by Volos, the god of cattle, and thus confirmed the treaty. His people called Oleg "the wise." He was still a pagan ruler, but one that apparently had powerful friends.

Another curious manuscript that reveals the existence of UFOs in ancient Russia was discovered in Kazan University, and researched by Moscow historian, M.D. Strunina.

The manuscript tells the story of a boy named Yasha, who, while collecting berries one day in the forest, suddenly encountered a stranger, clad in white clothes, next to him. The stranger introduced himself as Timofei, and placed Yasha in a giant "copper cauldron," from where some unknown force ascended them both to Heaven. Yasha spent three years there. Timofei taught him different sciences, as well as "magic." Then the boy was returned to Earth, in the same "cauldron," at the same spot in the forest. Timofei gave him two coins as a present, one golden, the other made of silver. Researchers have made comparisons between folk tales and contemporary knowledge.

IBN FADLAN AND THE "RIDERS IN THE SKY"

In AD 921, the Caliph of Baghdad, Al-Muktadir, sent Ibn Fadlan, an Arabian chronicler, with an embassy to the King of the Bulgars of the Middle Volga. Ibn Fadlan wrote an account of his journeys with the embassy. According to this account, during the very first night spent in the palace of the Bulgar king, Ibn Fadlan witnessed very strange celestial phenomena.

Just before sunset, the horizon became bright red, and from above came a deafening low rumble. Ibn Fadlan raised his eyes to the sky and saw two fiery-reddish clouds moving above him, which continued to merge and then separate during the course of the sighting. The chronicler described incredibly vivid human and horse-like shapes inside the clouds. He also saw weapons in the arms of the beings within the clouds as if they were engaged in a battle.

The Arabs were terrified by these incredible phenomena and knelt down in prayer, but the Bulgars explained the "riders in the sky" as Jinni (in Moslem legends, a supernatural being who can take human or animal form and influence human affairs); the "faithful" ones against the "unfaithful".

Were the "horses" observed by Ibn Fadlan and his companions the same ones that came to the aid of Prince Oleg in his battle to conquer Constantinople some 15 years before?

ROBOZERO: THE BALL OF FIRE

The Robozero sighting is the most famous UFO case in the history of ancient Russia. Yuri Roszius and other Russian researchers of paranormal phenomena have studied it extensively. The event occurred "in the year 171" (that is, the year 7171 from "the creation of the world") which corresponds to the year 1663. The details of this amazing and enigmatic event have been preserved because of the efforts of the Archaeological Commission.

It published a collection of its historical acts in 1842, among which was an authentic 17th century document signed by Ivan (Ivashko) Rzhnevsky, a "labourer," in which he bore witness to a remarkable event. According to Rzhnevsky's testimony, on August 15, 1663, between 10:00AM and noon, a "great noise" resounded over Robozero Lake (located in the Vologda Region, about 80 miles southwest of Belozersk). From the north, out of a clear sky, appeared a huge flaming sphere not less than 130 feet in diameter. From its fore-part emitted two "flame" beams, about "20 sazhen ahead of it" (a sazhen is about seven feet). From its sides poured bluish smoke. This huge ball of fire, its height like that of a modern 15-storey building, hovered over the lake. The phenomenon was observed by a multitude of people who had gathered for mass at the parish church, situated on the lake shore.

The "great noise" occurred just as the thanksgiving singing had begun. Terrified by this noise, the people emerged from the church, but upon seeing the "frightful sight" they went back into the church and "prayed to the Lord and the Virgin Mary with tears and weeping." Shortly afterwards "the great flame and the two smaller ones vanished," but it reappeared on two or three more occasions, moving in a westward direction (seemingly becoming brighter each time) before finally dimming and disappearing from view a full hour and a half later. Peasants were sailing in a boat on the lake at the time, but the scorching heat forced them to the bank. They saw that light from the unknown object had penetrated the water and reached the bottom of the lake-"about four sazhen down" (28 feet). They saw "fish fleeing from the flame toward the shore."

Rzhnevsky's story was corroborated by another eyewitness, a peasant by the name of Levko Fedorov, and he also received written confirmation from the local priests that "such a token was observed on that date." Only then did Rzhnevsky report the occurrence to his superiors. However, despite providing a detailed description of the phenomenon, Rzhnevsky does not offer any subjective interpretation of it. Others have tried to interpret the Robozero phenomenon. Russian astronomer D. Svyatski, in his book "Astronomical Phenomena in Russian Chronicles," claims that the eyewitnesses saw pieces of a meteorite that flew apart after an explosion - but this does not account for the sighting of the people in the boat approaching a hovering body? Others have tried to explain it as ball lightning, but there was no storm or rain that day. The life span of lightning is short. Its diameter is no more than three feet - certainly not 130 feet.

Yuri Roszius analysed Rzhnevsky's report and came up with a fresh interpretation of the sighting. His detailed analysis included the study of one interesting episode related by eyewitnesses. The document notes a change in the outer appearance of the object: an increase in its brightness when it came into view for the third time. For some reason this

change preceded the start of the object's progressive movement westward. In modern times, such an increase in brightness could be attributed to the firing-up of cruise engines (an increase in its thrust). Is it by chance that the object's brightness increased before its departure?

Mankind did not possess such advanced technology then, but it is feasible that the population of Robozero was being observed by an alien civilization. To this day no known scientific theory has explained the phenomenon.

Russian researcher Valentin Krapiva has compiled a series of UFO sightings from antiquity that appear in the Russian chronicles:

1028 SERPENT-LIKE SIGN

In 1028 there was a serpent-like sign in the sky, so big that it could be seen throughout the Russian lands. It terrified the natives who fled in terror. The UFO hovered ominously for over two days.

1111 A FIERY PILLAR

In the Russian Far East, an area of frequent UFO activity throughout history, a fiery pillar appeared from the ground and rose several miles into the sky. Lightning lit all around the pillar, and it was accompanied by a thunderous noise. The locals believed it to be a sign from God.

1317 TVER

In December 1317 a strange circular UFO plagued the city of Tver for over a week, before eventually moving northward and out of sight. The circle, which was bright green and emitted a pulsating red glow at its centre, produced three rays: two pointed eastward, and one westward.

1319 A HEAVENLY ARC

During the course of January, at night over most areas of Russia numerous witnesses observed "fiery pillars," similar to those sighted in 1111, that extended from the ground toward the sky. Some people also sighted a "heavenly arc." Yet others saw horse-like flying entities, equipped with "lanterns."

1403 SUN-LIKE UFO

Three objects appeared in the sky on June 14, 1403. They were "sun-like," and they emitted blue, green, and crimson rays. They formed a pattern that was something "like an arc." The last object was cross-like, great in size, and it appeared to remain, pulsating, at the heart of the moon. It hovered there for over an hour before disappearing.

1880 ST. PETERSBURG UFO

A giant bright, spherical object flew over St. Petersburg on July 30, 1880. The UFO was accompanied by two identical craft, only smaller in size. The flight of the UFOs was noiseless, and they were observed over the city for three minutes.

CHINA SEES UFOS, CALLS IT SCIENCE, NOT SUPERSTITION

By CHARLES HUTZLER, Associated Press Writer

PUSALU VILLAGE, China (AP) - Poor farmers in Beijing's barren hills saw it: an object swathed in coloured light that some say must have been a UFO.

They're not alone. People in 12 other Chinese cities reported possible UFO sightings last month. UFO researchers, meanwhile, were busy looking into claims of an alien abduction in Beijing.

At the cusp of the new millennium, China is astir with sightings of otherworldly visitors. And for a country usually strait-jacketed by its communist rulers, alien sightings are getting serious treatment.

China has a bimonthly magazine - circulation 400,000 - devoted to UFO research. The conservative state-run media report UFO sightings. UFO buffs claim support from eminent scientists and liaisons with the secretive military, giving their work a scientific sheen of respectability.

"Some of these sightings are real, some are fake and with others it's unclear," said Shen Shituan, a rocket scientist, president of Beijing Aerospace University and honorary director of the China UFO Research Association. "All these phenomena are worth researching."

For thousands of years, Chinese have looked to the skies for portents of change on Earth. While China is passing through its first millennium using the West's Gregorian calendar, the traditional lunar calendar is ushering in the Year of the Dragon, regarded as time of tumultuous change.

"All of that sort of millennial fear and trepidation fits in so nicely with Chinese cosmology - and also the Hollywood propaganda that everybody's been lapping up," said Geremie Barme, a Chinese culture watcher at Australia National University.

In Pusalu, a patch of struggling corn and bean farms 30 miles (48 kilometres) from Beijing, villagers believe cosmic forces were at play on Dec. 11. As they tell it, an object the size of a person shimmering with golden light moved slowly up into the sky from the surrounding arid mountains.

"Some say it was caused by an earthquake. Some say it was a UFO. Some say it was a ray of Buddha. I'm telling everyone to call it an auspicious sign," said Chen Jianwen, village secretary for the officially atheistic Communist Party.

What "it" was remains a topic of debate. Many villagers are fervent Buddhists. But local leaders want to play down any religious overtones, fearing that government censure may spoil plans to attract tourism to Pusalu.

"It was so beautiful, sort of yellow," villager Wang Cunjiao said. "It was like someone flying up to heaven."

State media ignored religious interpretations and labelled the celestial events in Pusalu, Beijing, Shanghai and 10 other Chinese cities in December as possible UFOs. But UFO researchers have largely dismissed the sightings as airplane trails catching the low sun.

"If the military didn't chase it, it's because they knew it wasn't a UFO. They were probably testing a new aircraft," said Chen Yanchun, a shipping company executive who helps manage the China UFO Research Resource Centre.

Operating from a dingy three-room flat in a Beijing apartment block, the Resource Centre keeps a version of China's X-Files: 140 dictionary-sized boxes of fading newspaper clippings and eyewitness accounts of sightings. The collection has, among others items, accounts that the military scrambled planes in 1998 in unsuccessful pursuit of a UFO.

Chen said the centre had 500 reported UFO sightings in 1999, but after investigation confirmed cases will likely number 200 or so.

He's currently checking on a worker's claims that aliens entered his Beijing home in early December and, with his wife and child present, spirited him 165 miles (265 kilometres) east and back in a few hours.

"The increase in flying saucer incidents is natural," said Chen, a former Aerospace Ministry researcher with a Ph.D. in aerodynamics. He cited more manmade aerospace activity and radio signals from Earth penetrating farther into space.



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Resisting Abduction

By Andrew Brough

Resisting Abduction 1

This is how I gained some measure of freedom from my abductors.

Apart from being 'alien', just what are our abductors, 'The Greys?' I don't really know but just like us they have physical bodies and they also have souls, or a consciousness, both of which seem rather devolved, it seems that they have lost something and need humans to get back what they lost. So having established that the Greys have a body and a soul, how do you resist them?

You could attack them physically, but given the circumstances of an abduction this seems very difficult as you are often paralysed, but say you did attack them and managed to kill one, what would happen? Its soul would leave its body and would end up being artificially re-incarnated into another Grey body so nothing would really change, it would still think like a Grey and act like a Grey, even if it wasn't re-incarnated into another Grey body it would still hang around in the spirit world as a 'lost soul'.

What must be done is to change the Grey's way of thinking, their consciousness, you must make them remember what their origin is, what they have long forgotten, and what they are really searching for and everyone has the power to do this. One way of doing this is to call on the name of God, whoever that is to you and whatever name tastes sweetest to your lips as long as it comes from the heart. If the words are hollow then it won't work, if you ask it will help you, maybe not straight away, it works in its own strange way so you must be patient and not become discouraged.

So ask, do it now anywhere, anytime. That is what I did back in February '95, I asked if the Greys were friendly or not and got my answer in early March which was that they were not at all friendly, up until then I believed they were somehow helping me, I don't know why I thought this but I did. By now I was utterly terrified, I asked (begged!) for help and less than one month later it came, through a chain of people I met a married couple who were ex-abductees and they told me the solution - LOVE!... "Give the Greys your love!" They also told me that I had another soul as well as my own in my body that was put there by the Greys. I was pretty skeptical but these people seemed genuine, very happy and relaxed and they put me at ease for the first time in almost four weeks.

That day was April 2nd 1995, at 3am on April 3rd as I lay in a trance the Greys came, it was not a physical contact but a spiritual one and as usual I was

terrified but I managed to blurt out "I love you! I love you!" They disappeared. I instantly broke out of my trance and looked around the room and said to myself "It works! Great!" Then I lay down to go to sleep again, but there was more to come. A few seconds later I was sitting on my pillow and looking at my body lying on its left side, I was a little surprised to discover this but that was soon forgotten as my physical body suddenly began shuddering and jolting as if electricity was being pulsed through it. To my utter amazement a magnificent golden light poured out of my back where the spine meets the pelvis, it was intensely beautiful and all too soon it was over and I was once more in my body.

I woke from my trance and looked around; I noticed I felt somewhat different but couldn't place it and soon fell asleep. Two hours later I woke and went to work, while commuting I realised that I felt "light" and happy-with a huge smile stuck on my face and I wondered what was happening. It was when I rode my bike over the crest of a hill and saw a huge early morning sun hanging low over a small lake did I realise what had happened. The sun was golden and beautiful, I looked at it as I never had before and realised that the light from my back was a soul, a soul put there by the greys which I had expelled by loving it. I was euphoric and the feeling has lasted for a year now, before I was in varying degrees of misery, now, most of the time I feel wonderful.

But things aren't perfect, I feel a bit jaded and out of place, I seem to lack desires and have a strange sort of homesickness for that golden light as if I want to follow it. Just recently I'm becoming a little depressed but I can snap out of it quickly enough and I always try to remember to talk with the divine and ask it for guidance and that makes me feel happy once more.

In August '95 my abductors returned in their material form, they couldn't paralyse me with their silver wand and I struck it away and said "Get out!" They left. They often come back in spirit form when I'm dreaming or in a trance and sometimes when I'm conscious as they exist in the dream/astral world as well as the physical world. I, like other people often visit the dream/astral world too when I sleep or am in a trance, when I meet the Greys and give them my love then they run, but sometimes I forget and angrily shout at them which does not work as well so I must practice my control.

It is very important to have control over your feelings when they come and try to be positive which I know from experience is very difficult, when I see them they often scare the utter shit out of me and I have to fight to control my feelings but I have the comfort of knowing that I don't share my body with one of them anymore.

Well I could say more but I'll keep it short, this is basically my story and this method worked for me, also this whole experience taught me many important

things so I don't really have any regrets over what has happened and the amount of trouble the Greys have caused me. Anyway I wish you all the best in coping with the Greys and remember when you give a Grey your love you are not only freeing yourself but you are freeing the Grey.

Resisting Abduction 2

This is another method I use to resist abductions and I used it in tandem with the method described in Resisting Abduction 1 back in March '95 and is in use today depending on the mood I'm in at the time. It's the not so spiritual way of resisting abduction and could work for you if you find the other method too warm and fuzzy for your taste.

I believe that abductions are not just physical occurrences, they are also of a spiritual nature, this belief is important to me and helps me resist the Greys. They may have the upper hand regarding technology in the physical world but spiritually they seem very weak so if you can affect the mind or minds controlling the technology of abduction then you can stop or resist the abduction.

So what if you believe that we and our abductors are nothing more than physical entities and that abduction is of an entirely physical nature, how do you resist? I can understand that a state-of-the-art late-twentieth-century mind would find the things that I write about in Resisting Abduction 1 and the rest of my site hard to swallow but that is exactly how I've seen things and is what works for me. It has also worked for one woman who has read my site, she is troubled by some entity that visits her, she says that it is not 'alien' but is malevolent towards her. She says it keeps its distance when she fills herself with love but still hangs around so is still a bother. I use the method in everyday nightmares and it works brilliantly but I'm not here to convert you I just want to try and help people resist abduction if that is what they wish.

You could try one of the things I did when I finally and reluctantly decided that my abductors were not the altruistic beings that I had to constantly convince myself they were, despite overwhelming personal evidence to the contrary. This was on the 4th March '95.

Up until then I had thought that I was finally beginning to handle the experience well and thought I was passing some sort of tests they were setting. I was becoming used to their presence and wasn't trying to resist in my classic method of earlier days, that is to cry blue murder, kick and scream and swear at the little arseholes. I was becoming more controlled but was now not trying to

resist, in short, I was allowing myself to become brainwashed and was going willingly with them like a domestic animal.

What I did when I found out they were not positive beings was to enter a state of total despondency and helplessness. I found myself once again in the same frame of mind that I had four years ago when I had my first consciously remembered encounter with the greys. It was the beginning of frequent, terrifying and painful flashbacks up to five times a week that diminished slowly with time. I didn't understand what was happening then and I slid into a deep depression which eventually became indifference which was to become my way of dealing with it. Now the depression was back again in full force but this time I decided that I wasn't going let the little bastards get me down.

After a few hours I snapped out of my despair and decided to resist them with a determination I had never shown before, I didn't know how I was going to do this but I was going to give it my best shot no matter what happened or what the experts said. I told myself that there must be some way of getting rid of these things and that I would devote all my available time and energy to doing it. I began to think like this all the time and though I didn't realise it then I was thinking my way out of what seemed to be an unsolvable problem. Earlier I would have resorted to the animal method of resistance which involved a generous amount of helpless terror, hatred and revenge, but this time I was going to organise my thoughts and not let fear get the better of me.

I told myself over and over that I would resist them somehow if it was the last thing I did, I said it like a mantra and repeated it incessantly. I did this while I was at work, at home and everywhere and it rarely left my head. Another thing I did was to curb some bad habits, one of these was drinking.

Living in Germany at the time I was quite partial to a fair few of the 5000 types of beer they brew and still am, but alcohol, like any other drug legal, illegal or prescribed doesn't make you any more resistant to abduction and can only weaken you. From personal experience heavy drinking and pot smoking may reduce or stop the unpleasant flashbacks and memories of abduction from surfacing but they do nothing to stop the abductions themselves.

I had, but for the occasional puff, given up pot in Amsterdam of all places. Now it was time to give up that other great love of my life, beer. Well I didn't give it up but I limited my intake to the weekends and reduced my consumption drastically.

Another bad habit brought to rein was all the trivial crap that flowed daily through my head, instead of mentally wandering off in all directions I focused

almost always on resisting abduction and did this without thoughts of revenge or hatred.

Four weeks later I resisted them for the first time using the method described in Resisting Abduction 1. I had kept asking and asking for a way out of the mess and the solution came through a remarkable chain of meetings and what a beautiful feeling it was. They still come; sometimes I wake up and am only partially conscious but still retain enough presence of mind to stop an abduction. Their technology can still paralyse you but if your mind remains clear then they can do nothing about it but if you slip up, become lazy or let yourself fall into terror then you're fair game.

How does this work? If you look around you, you'll see that we live in a world created by our own thoughts. Every manmade thing you see has its origins in the human mind, when you wish to create something or solve a problem then the first thing that happens is that you think about it, the harder or more complex the task is, the more thought is required. So if you want to resist abduction then what you have to do is to think about resisting abduction and keep thinking about it even after resisting it. Eventually you'll end up doing it even when you are not consciously aware, so even if you don't remember them coming you can still resist them. It takes some training but need not dominate your life and sooner or later your own personal solution will come to you which could be one of any number of ways - go to this excellent site by researcher Donna Higbee and read some of the methods of resisting abduction she teaches to abductees. http://members.aol.com/Rapunz1/DH_index.html

If you read her methods you'll see that each one involves the use of the mind to resist abduction. There is no set method to doing this and it can vary from person to person so it's up to you and you alone to achieve it.

Some sites on the web say that it is impossible to resist abduction and you may as well give up. That's crap; don't listen to it, if you believe that then you'll never resist them. Even that abduction-friendly web site Zeta Talk says it is possible to break the paralysis during abduction; you can visit this section of this site at The Paralysed State - <http://www.zetatalk2.com/visitatn/v15.htm>

It's very important to believe that you can resist them, no one can do it but yourself and it's a great feeling to do it, like no other. I'm not fully free yet and I don't know if either method I use to resist would work if an armada of them flew over the horizon but I'm confident that it'll be OK in the end and being confident about this is an important ingredient in resisting abduction.

Think resistance and resist.

Source: <http://www.cia.com.au/brough/>

MORE EVIDENCE FOR LIFE ON MARS

AMES RESEARCH CENTER -- Evidence is leaking out that Mars is a more hospitable planet than previously accepted by planetary scientists. As our perception of the "Red Planet" evolves, new data is giving us glimpses of possible life. Each year the Martian ice melts at the poles creating conditions for unique types of vegetation to flourish. There are images of what appears to be dense "foliage," that looks similar to bushes with some height based on the shadows they produce. New images indicate liquid subsurface water exists particularly in the Southern Hemisphere. Strong sunlight warms the planet enough to allow hardy plants or possibly green moulds to survive. A team of researchers studying photographs of Mars has found teardrop features that they say were sculpted by flowing water and other studies hinted that subsurface reservoirs may exist. Some scientists conclude geothermal activity indicates there is enough water to sustain life on Mars. Also, the Mars Odyssey Satellite is now picking up hydrogen in the surface of the Martian southern hemisphere indicating water, which is crucial for life. Odyssey will orbit Mars for 917 days of science mapping. As told in these files for years, scientists now expect there are vast, hidden stores of water below the dry, dusty surface. Many images taken in spring time show chlorophyll like growth on the planet. The chlorophyll molecules are used by plants to produce energy from sunlight. A close up of July 1997 photographs of rocks show mould, or fungus growing at the base of these rocks. Although, the base of rocks on Mars could be naturally green, it seems a growth of mould of some type is more likely, since it seems unlikely that only the base of the rocks would show green (the photos are available to see on the Internet at: <http://www.filersfiles.com/space/index/>).

Dr. Carol Stoker, from NASA's Ames Research Center, worked with a team that used photos from the 1997 Mars Pathfinder mission to determine if there could be chlorophyll on Mars. The soil near the landing site suggests there could be chlorophyll, the molecule used by plants and other organisms on Earth to extract energy from sunlight. Researchers stress their work is in a very preliminary stage and they are far from making definite claims. The findings will come under intense scrutiny when it is presented to an astrobiology conference in the US next week. Dr Carol Stoker confirmed the findings to BBC News Online, but cautioned that they were "not ready for the big time." The Mars Pathfinder mission touched down in the Ares Vallis region of Mars in July 1997, and numerous images of the surrounding area were examined by a small rover that moved around to sample rocks. Knowing the spectral signature of chlorophyll, the researchers wrote a computer program that systematically scanned for the spectral signature associated with red light absorption by chlorophyll. Previous searches for evidence of chlorophyll in Pathfinder's pictures were carried out and tentative indications were seen but they were dismissed as "possible image MIS-registration." In Dr. Stoker's study six regions were positive for the chlorophyll signature near the camera where it has the highest sensitivity and resolution. Two regions showed a chlorophyll signature in the soil around Pathfinder. Mars has been observed by astronomers to turn green each spring for centuries, does it seem logical that something green is growing?

Source: <http://www.filersfiles.com/news/images>

SEEDS OF LIFE ARE EVERYWHERE; NASA RESEARCHERS SAY

Robert Roy Britt Senior Science Writer says that sugar-packing asteroids may have seeded life on earth. In two separate studies, scientists mimicked conditions of outer space, doused frozen interstellar cocktails with ultraviolet radiation and created amino acids, which are critical components of life. The work shows that amino acids could be created around many developing stars, which emit high doses of UV radiation, and that life would have had just as good a chance of forming on planets that might exist around those stars as it did here on Earth. The studies also support a growing expectation among many scientists that life on Earth may have been seeded from space, rather than having been forged only from raw materials that developed on Earth. All known life is made up of cells built and operated by proteins, which in turn are made from 20 building blocks called amino acids or Life's building blocks.

Already, scientists have found amino acids in meteorites -- chunks of asteroids or comets that landed on Earth. Amino acids, though not life itself, may have jump-started life on Earth with their arrival, some scientists have long suspected. Another theory has held that life on Earth developed out of a soup of lesser materials. Remarkable as it might be to think of life's ingredients arriving on a space rock, researchers have sought to show that amino acids might also form in interstellar space and thus be ubiquitous. If so, then the raw material of terrestrial life would date back to an earlier time, before comets and asteroids were born. "Amino acids are literally raining down out of the sky," said one of the team's leaders, Max Bernstein of NASA's Ames Research Center, "and if that's not a big deal then I don't know what is." "And, since new stars and planets are formed within the same clouds in which new amino acids are being created, this increases the odds that life also evolved in places other than Earth." Thanks to SPACE.com and the Journal Nature. March 28, issue.

Editors Note: These new scientific findings hurt Darwin's Theory of Evolution, that life started by chance rather than by a designed creation. Life is likely throughout the universe carried probably by neutrinos which are neutral particles with almost no mass. Bob Beckwith presented a paper to the Florida Academy of Science 66th Annual Meeting on March 9, 2002. He says, "Neutrinos pick up information regarding material, including living organism, as they travel throughout the universe. This can explain where the information came from that produces living organisms in hot lava coming from a volcano. It also explains the emergence of life forms around hot vents coming from deep in the Pacific Ocean surrounded by seawater that is totally devoid of life. A further application is in the formation of a set of related microorganisms that produce methane, gasoline, light oil, heavy oil, and finally tar in oil wells that are pumped out too rapidly for the organisms to get down from the surface. It has long been recognised that there was not enough dinosaurs, etc., to rot and produce the Earth's petroleum. Basic elements appear to come from nuclear reactions at the core of the Earth. These seep upward. Does this not imply that knowledge of all life forms of the universe is contained in the neutrino spectrum? Just how neutrinos effect the intelligent combination of elements into life is left for future research."

A Statement by Zecharia Sitchin RE: The Return of Nibiru.

It has been brought to my attention that word has spread, primarily through various internet sites other than the official Sitchin website, that I am predicting the return of Nibiru (the planet of the Anunnaki) in 2003.

My readers and fans are aware that I have persistently avoided speaking on the subject. Mainly because the issue is connected with the biblical and other prophecies regarding the Return, the Day of the Lord, etc., I have felt that more research on my part is needed so as to be absolutely sure of the answer.

However, in view of the erroneous information spread by others, I will present at the Chicago Seminar whatever data I have found so far in the ancient and other sources; this will make clear that the "2003" date is baseless.

Z. Sitchin, April 5, 2002

MORE UFOS IN CHINA!

UFOS -- a forbidden subject in Chairman Mao's day -- have been studied more closely in China since the late 1970s.

China had its first massive UFO sighting on the night of July 24, 1981. It caused such an uproar that the Astronomical Observatory of Zijingshan released a communiqué stating, "the population of 14 provinces in our country sighted this celestial phenomenon."

Ufology, formerly a forbidden subject in this country of more than one billion people, has only recently emerged from Chairman Mao's shadow. Modern research shows, however, that UFOS are not a new phenomenon in China.

Historical records cite strange celestial objects during the Tang, Yuan, and Ming dynasties. A few examples were published in 1982 in the Chinese government publication Beijing Information, in the article "UFOS Were Already Observed in Ancient China," by Guo Li. It discussed several cases that occurred during the Ming dynasty (1368-1644).

When the modern UFO era began 50 years ago in 1947, flying saucers were reported in China. However, they were quickly forgotten when the country was engulfed in a civil war. All mention of UFOS was strictly forbidden during Mao's long reign, when China was mostly closed to foreign influences.

Chinese ufology re-emerged in the late 1970s during Deng Xioping's program of economic reforms. In November 1978, *The People's Daily* finally gave the official

green light for UFO reporting. Other reporters began to cover UFO news, and by 1980, a group of students from Wuhan University in Hebei province formed the China UFO Research Organization (CURO) and obtained moderate support from the National Academy of Social Sciences. A news-stand magazine, *The Journal of UFO Research*, was launched in February 1981.

This has been an excerpt from an article *UFOS Behind the Great Wall*, a report on the state of UFOlogy in China by J. Antonio Huneeus of FATE Magazine



Ron Baskerville

NEWS IN BRIEF/ SIGHTINGS ROUNDUP

INTERNATIONAL CROP CIRCLE ARCHIVE - 2001 REPORT

The International Crop Circle Archive reports 197 different Crop Circle formations were discovered worldwide in 2001. This number is about 30% less than 2000 when 275 were reported. The reason for this decrease may lie in the cold winter and the wet and rainy spring in Europe. Foot and Mouth disease also limited travel in the effected areas, suggesting that fewer hoaxers went into the field. It is the

view of ICCA that this view is not really valid as we have to note the fact that in the two previous years we were blessed with an unusual obvious high number of formations (1999 = 241) and that there were other previous years with less formations than in 2000 with no Foot and Mouth crisis out there. One should also not forget that to ask each year for new records in number, size and complexity might be a more human wish having probably not much to do with the real phenomenon.

FORMATIONS PER COUNTRY England had 104 crop circles or 52,80%, Germany : 24 = 12,18%, Canada : 19 = 09,64%, The Netherlands : 17 = 08,63%, Czech Republic : 11 = 05,58%, Denmark : 4 = 02,03%, Yugoslavia : 4 = 02,03%, USA : 4 = 02,03%, Norway : 3 = 01,52%, Poland: 2 = 01,01%, Australia : 2 = 01,01%, France: 1 = 00,51%, Israel : 1 = 00,51%, Russia: 1. 00,51%,

FORMATIONS PER MONTH were February with 1 = 00,51%, March: 2 = 01,01%, April: 4 = 02,03%, May: 15 = 07,61%, June: 34 = 17,26%, July: 65 = 33,00%, August: 59 = 29,94%, September: 9 = 04,57%, October: 3 = 01,52%, December: 2 = 01,01%, (3 formations with unknown date = 01,52%), Total: 197

Thanks to I Andreas Müller (mueller@invisiblecircle.de) of The International Crop Circle Archive

Hundreds report UFO sighting in Yugoslavia – Source Ananova

Authorities are investigating after hundreds of people in a Montenegrin village reported seeing a cluster of giant UFOs. People in Godijevo say they rushed out of their homes after hearing a series of loud blasts and saw huge illuminated objects seemingly hovering overhead. Officials are investigating numerous recorded sightings, but have been unable to offer an explanation so far. According to the newspaper Vijesti, many witnesses claim the UFOs changed shape before heading off into the sky and out of sight. They couldn't tell how high in the night sky the lights were.

"I went outside after hearing a commotion and when I looked up into the night sky there were around twenty large luminous circles, it was as if a UFO was hovering over our heads. The sky must have been lit up for hundreds of metres," said Sead Hodzic.

Suggestions the lights may have come from nearby nightlife have been dismissed because there are no discos in the vicinity of Godijevo and little in the way of hi-tech facilities which could generate such lights.

GERMANY LIGHTS PROBABLY A BOLIDE METEOR

BAVARIA -- On April 6, 2002, strange lights in the sky baffled Bavarians late on April 6, 2002, as hundreds of panicked callers jammed police telephone lines seeking an explanation. Reports of an unsettling late-night natural light show came from all over the Southern German state. "It was like many fireworks." Pilots flying into Munich airport radioed the control tower with reports of unusual lights in the sky. Ufologist Joachim Koch reports the strange lights were a large bolide meteor, which exploded in the atmosphere. A piece of debris, which was still luminous when it came down, fell into the garden of a Bavarian farmer, who turned it over to the police. As told by Koch, "Preliminary analysis suggests it to be a piece of a meteorite."

Thanks to the Electric Warrior: <http://www.electricwarrior.com>

CHILE: EVEN THE MAYOR HAS SEEN UFOs

QUINTERO -- The clarity of its skies and other physical conditions have turned Quintero into the country's most important place for UFO sightings. Sightings have increased in recent weeks. Even Mayor José Vara can attest to being a witness, on several occasions, to this phenomenon. A delegation of the Comité de Estudios de Fenómenos Aéreos Anómalos (Cefaa), an independent entity of Chile's Directorate of Civil Aeronáutica was set up in the area. The agency's mission is to gather the information provided by witnesses to sightings, and to analyse the data. The phenomenon is "simply real", causing a hazard for air navigation. This is due to the misgivings felt by pilots who claim having seen or detected "something strange" in the air or through their instruments. The Mayor stated, "At certain times of day, particularly at sunset, it becomes possible to see the phenomenon generally in our peninsula's interior." He added that "these movements are generally toward the Pacific Ocean. At night, around 21:00 hours, is when they can be frequently seen. They could help bring tourists. Thanks to Juan Carlos Astuya R. the Institute of Hispanic Ufology. Translation Jaime Ferrer, Calama UFO Center Chile.

TICEHURST, EAST SUSSEX -- On February 15, 2002, Mark Herbert saw a distant pulsating red light hovering over Bewl Water Reservoir at 7:00 PM, so he so he stopped to get a better look. It was then that he saw the red light was glowing in the centre of a large black Flying Triangle (FT) that was the size of a 'Jumbo-Jet.' Apart from the pulsating red 'fuzzy' light in the centre of the craft, there were

three white/bluish lights positioned at each corner. Normally you can hear ducks and wild fowl in the area making quite a din, but now there was complete silence. The FT was hovering quite stationary and then began to move across the lake slowly and he could see its reflection in the water. Mr. Herbert says, "It flew point forward at first and then as it gathered speed, it slowly turned (on its axis) until it was flying 'flat side' forward as it passed behind me heading east. The central pulsating light began to dim and the bluish/white lights on the corners changed to amber as it increased its speed. Then quite suddenly, moving at incredible speed, it shot off and then stopped about two miles away." It hovered over Badgbury Forest and a microwave tower. The incident took ten minutes. Thanks to Omar Fowler of Phenomenon Research Association, Derby.

CORNWALL TO POOLE -- A Flying Triangle was tracked across Southern England on March 3, 2002. UFO investigator David Kingston received reports of a bizarre triangular craft with red and blue lights, zooming across the skies that were first spotted in St. Austell. This confirms other similar reports not far from Lyme Regis later the same day, then over Portland and Poole. Ufologist Mr. Kingston, first heard aircrew talk of seeing UFOs, during the nuclear tests on Christmas Island in 1957, while in RAF Intelligence. He then witnessed the UFOs himself that started a life long interest in cataloguing hundreds of reports. He says: "I received a number of consistent reports of a craft flying over the West Country on February 15, 2002, and there is nothing like it in the world aircraft guide. It was triangular, 100 feet long with red lights all the way up on the right hand side and blue lights on the left hand side. "Underneath was what appeared to be a very large light, in the middle, glowing pale electric blue through to purple with a corona surrounding it." Four people witnessed it and described it as gliding silently at about 2,500 feet and hovering quietly above Portland. The last sighting was near Poole, about two hours after the first." Thanks to Gary Farshores.

ALTON BARNES -- Pictures from UFO and 'Crop Circle' Researcher Matthew Williams have captured what appears to be a triangular craft over Wiltshire near the famous Alton Barnes White Horse carved into the hill. The object has a weird shape, but when the contrast on the photo is increased a triangular outline is apparent. Matthew says, "I didn't know this was on this shot. Wow, I shot a triangular UFO on my digital camera." Thanks to Jeff Rense www.jeffrense.com.