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00:00:11,480 --> 00:00:09,169
well thanks for coming out today this is

2
00:00:13,129 --> 00:00:11,490
always I think the best part of what we

3
00:00:16,010 --> 00:00:13,139
can do is talk to everybody that works

4
00:00:18,470 --> 00:00:16,020
here at Johnson Space Center our family

5
00:00:21,140 --> 00:00:18,480
and friends because this is where really

6
00:00:22,880 --> 00:00:21,150
all a major portion of the work is

7
00:00:26,420 --> 00:00:22,890
accomplished for a space shuttle flight

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00:00:28,009 --> 00:00:26,430
and we are happy to be here to tell you

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00:00:30,140 --> 00:00:28,019
a little bit about it through our movie

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00:00:31,429 --> 00:00:30,150
and slides before I do that let me go

11
00:00:33,950 --> 00:00:31,439
ahead and introduce the crew real

12
00:00:36,350 --> 00:00:33,960
briefly am i right is Terry will cut the

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00:00:38,000 --> 00:00:36,360

pilot Terry is a Marine Corps pilot and

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00:00:41,330 --> 00:00:38,010

it was from Kentucky and up being the

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00:00:42,770 --> 00:00:41,340

first Kentucky and to fly in space next

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00:00:46,760 --> 00:00:42,780

to him is Tom Jones our payload

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00:00:49,100 --> 00:00:46,770

commander Tom flew on 59 the first fight

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00:00:50,420 --> 00:00:49,110

of SRL as you know and it was very

19

00:00:53,119 --> 00:00:50,430

valuable member of our crew on this

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00:00:56,150 --> 00:00:53,129

fight Steve Smith is next to him

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00:00:59,689 --> 00:00:56,160

steve is ms1 he flew on his first

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00:01:02,450 --> 00:00:59,699

spaceflight next to Steve is dan burisch

23

00:01:05,539 --> 00:01:02,460

is on his second flight as flew as ms2

24

00:01:08,060 --> 00:01:05,549

our flight engineer and on the end is

25

00:01:13,280 --> 00:01:08,070

Jeff wise off who's also flew is second

26

00:01:14,450 --> 00:01:13,290

flight on the srl too as ms3 and with

27

00:01:18,920 --> 00:01:14,460

that we'll just go ahead and start our

28

00:01:20,810 --> 00:01:18,930

movie and will narrate it as it goes the

29

00:01:22,580 --> 00:01:20,820

shuttle sitting out on the launchpad the

30

00:01:24,320 --> 00:01:22,590

night during the night time as we're

31

00:01:25,789 --> 00:01:24,330

sleeping and getting ready or some of us

32

00:01:29,810 --> 00:01:25,799

were sleeping I guess the blue shift was

33

00:01:31,580 --> 00:01:29,820

up and about they woke the red shift up

34

00:01:34,219 --> 00:01:31,590

about five hours before launch which is

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00:01:34,789 --> 00:01:34,229

fairly standard we went in to have some

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00:01:36,590 --> 00:01:34,799

breakfast

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00:01:38,710 --> 00:01:36,600

when went to a weather briefing and then

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00:01:41,060 --> 00:01:38,720

immediately went in to get our suits on

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00:01:43,460 --> 00:01:41,070

of course in the suit room we checked

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00:01:50,749 --> 00:01:43,470

the suits for pressure integrity there's

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00:01:54,810 --> 00:01:50,759

Terry again Tom and he's the one in the

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00:02:07,570 --> 00:02:05,499

Steve and Dan and Jeff and of course we

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00:02:09,820 --> 00:02:07,580

take off from the crew quarters so

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00:02:11,260 --> 00:02:09,830

fairly standard scene I guess jump on

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00:02:12,790 --> 00:02:11,270

the Astro van and head out to the pad

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00:02:15,130 --> 00:02:12,800

where we get onboard about two and a

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00:02:17,830 --> 00:02:15,140

half hours before launch you'll see in

48

00:02:20,710 --> 00:02:17,840

just a second the water deluge coming

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00:02:23,559 --> 00:02:20,720

down and the engine starting and this

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00:02:26,740 --> 00:02:23,569

time starting for good

51
00:02:29,559 --> 00:02:26,750
a little twang and again when the solid

52
00:02:30,430 --> 00:02:29,569
rocket motors ignite you're going out of

53
00:02:33,370 --> 00:02:30,440
town very quickly

54
00:02:35,170 --> 00:02:33,380
it's a beautiful launch it felt great on

55
00:02:37,259 --> 00:02:35,180
board and jump right up to two and a

56
00:02:42,009 --> 00:02:37,269
half G's that our roll maneuver

57
00:02:44,289 --> 00:02:42,019
throttled down and had a very I guess

58
00:02:49,150 --> 00:02:44,299
nominal asset know what failure is any

59
00:02:51,670 --> 00:02:49,160
sort is very nice yes and the expression

60
00:02:53,259 --> 00:02:51,680
we were kicked off the pad as a as an

61
00:02:55,030 --> 00:02:53,269
accurate one there's a pretty

62
00:02:58,090 --> 00:02:55,040
spectacular view of us penetrating a

63
00:03:01,780 --> 00:02:58,100

cloud layer during ascent you can see the

64

00:03:03,490 --> 00:03:01,790

reflection off the clouds and the dark

65

00:03:05,830 --> 00:03:03,500

line off to the left there is of course

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00:03:07,000 --> 00:03:05,840

the shadow from our exhaust plume took

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00:03:07,690 --> 00:03:07,010

us eight and a half minutes to get to

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00:03:09,550 --> 00:03:07,700

space

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00:03:13,569 --> 00:03:09,560

here come the sod rockets being kicked

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00:03:20,140 --> 00:03:13,579

off the et if you watch carefully you

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00:03:22,180 --> 00:03:20,150

can see their exhaust tail off and eight

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00:03:23,560 --> 00:03:22,190

and a half minutes later after liftoff

73

00:03:31,030 --> 00:03:23,570

of course we get rid of the et tank and

74

00:03:32,949 --> 00:03:31,040

we're in space these pictures you can

75

00:03:34,300 --> 00:03:32,959

see the port door going open and it

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00:03:36,880 --> 00:03:34,310

exposes the cargo bay and the space

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00:03:39,430 --> 00:03:36,890

radar lab to earth for the first time

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00:03:42,039 --> 00:03:39,440

and the largest lab side of antennas

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00:03:43,660 --> 00:03:42,049

visible on the left at Circe XR is the

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00:03:45,819 --> 00:03:43,670

tilted folded segment up against its

81

00:03:47,380 --> 00:03:45,829

upper right corner and the maps carbon

82

00:03:49,120 --> 00:03:47,390

monoxide pollution sensor is on the

83

00:03:51,160 --> 00:03:49,130

bridge structure at the forward end of

84

00:03:52,690 --> 00:03:51,170

the bay now inside we were activating

85

00:03:55,030 --> 00:03:52,700

ourselves - we got all our cameras out

86

00:03:57,550 --> 00:03:55,040

we had 14 cameras to document the radar

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00:03:59,319 --> 00:03:57,560

science onboard and the maps pollution

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00:04:00,610 --> 00:03:59,329

science there was a large Lynn Hoff

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00:04:03,640 --> 00:04:00,620

mapping camera and I'm holding a

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00:04:05,920 --> 00:04:03,650

Hasselblad telephoto lens we took about

91

00:04:06,490 --> 00:04:05,930

14,000 shots to document the science

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00:04:08,560 --> 00:04:06,500

onboard

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00:04:11,020 --> 00:04:08,570

in addition to taking a lot of pictures

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00:04:13,960 --> 00:04:11,030

we changed out tapes on board which

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00:04:16,120 --> 00:04:13,970

recorded the data this radar puts out

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00:04:18,430 --> 00:04:16,130

enough information it's like 45 TV

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00:04:20,380 --> 00:04:18,440

channels broadcasting at once and by the

98

00:04:22,660 --> 00:04:20,390

end of the flight we had enough data

99

00:04:25,060 --> 00:04:22,670

that could have equivalent to floppy

100

00:04:26,470 --> 00:04:25,070

disks stacked up 15 miles high so it was

101
00:04:28,420 --> 00:04:26,480
quite a quite amount of data that we

102
00:04:30,490 --> 00:04:28,430
brought back one of the recorders uh

103
00:04:32,200 --> 00:04:30,500
failed in flight so we had to change it

104
00:04:38,320 --> 00:04:32,210
out this is the failed recorder getting

105
00:04:40,510 --> 00:04:38,330
ready to be put back under the floor now

106
00:04:41,980 --> 00:04:40,520
the radar need to be pointed while we

107
00:04:44,440 --> 00:04:41,990
were up there in the right direction to

108
00:04:46,120 --> 00:04:44,450
all the the sites on the ground Here I

109
00:04:48,850 --> 00:04:46,130
am typing in one of the 400-plus

110
00:04:50,140 --> 00:04:48,860
maneuvers that it took each shift ended

111
00:04:52,420 --> 00:04:50,150
up doing about eleven thousand

112
00:04:54,400 --> 00:04:52,430
keystrokes this is a view that we didn't

113
00:04:56,080 --> 00:04:54,410

see too often about every 24 hours we

114

00:04:58,060 --> 00:04:56,090

had to point the star trackers which are

115

00:05:00,520 --> 00:04:58,070

located on the nose of the shuttle

116

00:05:04,090 --> 00:05:00,530

towards the stars to align our inertial

117

00:05:07,090 --> 00:05:04,100

measurement units on board and here we

118

00:05:13,000 --> 00:05:07,100

are coasting down traveling southeast

119

00:05:15,490 --> 00:05:13,010

over India the west west coast of India

120

00:05:17,530 --> 00:05:15,500

once we get the radar set up and ready

121

00:05:19,540 --> 00:05:17,540

to go it's ready to start taking data

122

00:05:21,250 --> 00:05:19,550

and the next scene that you're gonna see

123

00:05:23,050 --> 00:05:21,260

is a picture of us passing over the

124

00:05:24,820 --> 00:05:23,060

Sahara Desert as you can see that to the

125

00:05:26,409 --> 00:05:24,830

eye it doesn't look very like there many

126

00:05:27,460 --> 00:05:26,419

features but when you turn the radar on

127

00:05:28,510 --> 00:05:27,470

this is what the radar can see

128

00:05:31,120 --> 00:05:28,520

underneath the ground or ancient

129

00:05:32,560 --> 00:05:31,130

riverbeds and that was part of our study

130

00:05:34,030 --> 00:05:32,570

this was a geological site that we

131

00:05:35,650 --> 00:05:34,040

wouldn't understand the history of how

132

00:05:37,600 --> 00:05:35,660

the Sahara Desert became what it is

133

00:05:38,800 --> 00:05:37,610

today because obviously it's climate in

134

00:05:43,180 --> 00:05:38,810

the past must have been very different

135

00:05:44,380 --> 00:05:43,190

to have these riverbeds underneath now

136

00:05:46,270 --> 00:05:44,390

we were looking into Earth's past

137

00:05:47,920 --> 00:05:46,280

history here in the Sahara but we also

138

00:05:50,470 --> 00:05:47,930

got a chance to see some of the dynamic

139

00:05:52,300 --> 00:05:50,480

geology going on on earth on launch day

140

00:05:55,240 --> 00:05:52,310

the clue chips quarry volcano erupted on

141

00:05:56,830 --> 00:05:55,250

up on Kamchatka and you can see the ash

142

00:05:59,170 --> 00:05:56,840

and smoke plume going up over 50

143

00:06:00,550 --> 00:05:59,180

thousand feet here from this nadir view

144

00:06:02,350 --> 00:06:00,560

you can even make out the lava flows

145

00:06:04,330 --> 00:06:02,360

going down the snow-covered sides of the

146

00:06:06,130 --> 00:06:04,340

volcano and that ash plume was blown by

147

00:06:08,560 --> 00:06:06,140

the jet stream well out to the east

148

00:06:10,630 --> 00:06:08,570

several hundred miles downstream and the

149

00:06:12,700 --> 00:06:10,640

the site of this plume blowing downwind

150

00:06:14,290 --> 00:06:12,710

was really amazing each day when we came

151
00:06:16,440 --> 00:06:14,300
up over the horizon and saw this plume

152
00:06:18,430 --> 00:06:16,450
waiting for us over Kamchatka and

153
00:06:20,260 --> 00:06:18,440
volcanoes were an important part of our

154
00:06:21,670 --> 00:06:20,270
studies onboard we're looking at

155
00:06:24,130 --> 00:06:21,680
fifteen dangerous ones around the world

156
00:06:26,620 --> 00:06:24,140
that in danger of populated areas after

157
00:06:28,180 --> 00:06:26,630
a snowfall food chefs coy was almost

158
00:06:30,040 --> 00:06:28,190
pristine again you couldn't even tell

159
00:06:32,650 --> 00:06:30,050
that it had erupted but in our rate

160
00:06:34,780 --> 00:06:32,660
radar data here you can see in this

161
00:06:36,700 --> 00:06:34,790
false color image the ash colored in red

162
00:06:38,620 --> 00:06:36,710
on the mountain slopes the lime-green

163
00:06:40,900 --> 00:06:38,630

lava flow that was freshly generated

164

00:06:43,420 --> 00:06:40,910

during our flight coming down sloped

165

00:06:45,220 --> 00:06:43,430

towards the Kamchatka River Valley and I

166

00:06:47,680 --> 00:06:45,230

had actually brought up a small volcanic

167

00:06:49,780 --> 00:06:47,690

rock on board to give a little talk

168

00:06:52,090 --> 00:06:49,790

about our volcanic studies and we hoped

169

00:06:53,260 --> 00:06:52,100

by unraveling the past eruptive

170

00:06:58,120 --> 00:06:53,270

histories of these mountains to tell you

171

00:07:00,400 --> 00:06:58,130

about the future hazards of them we

172

00:07:02,740 --> 00:07:00,410

worked 24 hours around the clock up

173

00:07:05,350 --> 00:07:02,750

there and this is two out of the three

174

00:07:08,020 --> 00:07:05,360

people on the blue shift with Tom on the

175

00:07:11,590 --> 00:07:08,030

Left myself on the right and Steve Smith

176

00:07:13,930 --> 00:07:11,600

is the one out of that picture here we

177

00:07:16,060 --> 00:07:13,940

are coming over Australia it was clear

178

00:07:18,310 --> 00:07:16,070

although several fires and we would

179

00:07:19,870 --> 00:07:18,320

point out these fires and indicate when

180

00:07:21,280 --> 00:07:19,880

there were fires so the maps instrument

181

00:07:22,810 --> 00:07:21,290

could correlate that to their

182

00:07:25,120 --> 00:07:22,820

measurements of carbon monoxide that

183

00:07:28,360 --> 00:07:25,130

they were making here we are coming over

184

00:07:30,460 --> 00:07:28,370

the Philippine Islands and this is three

185

00:07:33,190 --> 00:07:30,470

times normal speed so we really don't go

186

00:07:34,630 --> 00:07:33,200

that fast and you can see the

187

00:07:35,830 --> 00:07:34,640

reflections off the water we can

188

00:07:37,690 --> 00:07:35,840

actually see several hundred feet

189

00:07:40,000 --> 00:07:37,700

beneath the surface because of what

190

00:07:41,890 --> 00:07:40,010

these internal waves do to the surface

191

00:07:43,210 --> 00:07:41,900

of the water you can't detect with the

192

00:07:45,940 --> 00:07:43,220

naked eye but you can with the

193

00:07:48,250 --> 00:07:45,950

reflections and yet continue the blue

194

00:07:50,170 --> 00:07:48,260

team's explanation of what we saw here

195

00:07:51,610 --> 00:07:50,180

welcomes you to the rooftop of the world

196

00:07:54,160 --> 00:07:51,620

that's what this areas call this is

197

00:07:55,870 --> 00:07:54,170

Tibet even the valleys in this area are

198

00:07:57,790 --> 00:07:55,880

fifteen to twenty thousand feet above

199

00:08:00,010 --> 00:07:57,800

sea level this was one of the beautiful

200

00:08:01,900 --> 00:08:00,020

sites we saw the blue team saw the earth

201
00:08:03,460 --> 00:08:01,910
lit from Europe all the way through New

202
00:08:05,410 --> 00:08:03,470
Zealand this was always one of our

203
00:08:08,170 --> 00:08:05,420
personal favourites to see the beautiful

204
00:08:09,730 --> 00:08:08,180
iceberg colored Lakes up in the Tibetan

205
00:08:12,070 --> 00:08:09,740
Highlands and you see off in the

206
00:08:15,370 --> 00:08:12,080
distance there is the Himalayas and past

207
00:08:17,410 --> 00:08:15,380
that is India as Tom said we took 14,000

208
00:08:19,720 --> 00:08:17,420
pictures have kept us very busy it was

209
00:08:21,010 --> 00:08:19,730
often a competition to get to any

210
00:08:22,270 --> 00:08:21,020
certain window this is Dan looking out

211
00:08:23,530 --> 00:08:22,280
the commander's window we were rolled

212
00:08:25,330 --> 00:08:23,540
slightly so the commander's window

213
00:08:28,020 --> 00:08:25,340

looked at earth it was always nice to be

214

00:08:31,270 --> 00:08:28,030

able to pass the cameras so easily

215

00:08:32,920 --> 00:08:31,280

we always had time for a little bit of

216

00:08:33,820 --> 00:08:32,930

fun as we prepared our meals here this

217

00:08:35,470 --> 00:08:33,830

is a way

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00:08:37,080 --> 00:08:35,480

our meals were packed this is me

219

00:08:39,250 --> 00:08:37,090

bringing up the lunch tray here and

220

00:08:41,050 --> 00:08:39,260

showing Tom and Dan what they could have

221

00:08:43,450 --> 00:08:41,060

we often ate on the fly for lunch

222

00:08:45,370 --> 00:08:43,460

very quickly we did have more time for

223

00:08:46,960 --> 00:08:45,380

dinner before we went to sleep we often

224

00:08:48,910 --> 00:08:46,970

went down downstairs which we call the

225

00:08:50,920 --> 00:08:48,920

mid-deck that's Dan eating dinner on the

226

00:08:52,870 --> 00:08:50,930

ceiling that me on the left and Tom

227

00:08:57,070 --> 00:08:52,880

doing a last minute film change before

228

00:08:59,860 --> 00:08:57,080

we went to sleep everybody knows that

229

00:09:01,450 --> 00:08:59,870

Mike Baker is so cool calm and collect

230

00:09:03,310 --> 00:09:01,460

it's really hard to spin them up so this

231

00:09:06,820 --> 00:09:03,320

is the only way I've found on-orbit to

232

00:09:10,720 --> 00:09:06,830

do it behind us there you see the sleep

233

00:09:12,700 --> 00:09:10,730

bunks that we used I couldn't quite get

234

00:09:15,070 --> 00:09:12,710

into it the same way that I learned as I

235

00:09:17,230 --> 00:09:15,080

was growing up and takes a while to

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00:09:19,330 --> 00:09:17,240

practice to do it without banging your

237

00:09:24,220 --> 00:09:19,340

head too much but it was nice to have

238

00:09:25,960 --> 00:09:24,230

those and well even though the shuttle

239

00:09:29,560 --> 00:09:25,970

was designed to be autonomous you never

240

00:09:31,450 --> 00:09:29,570

can quite escape the ground nor would we

241

00:09:33,730 --> 00:09:31,460

want to this is how we started every

242

00:09:35,470 --> 00:09:33,740

shift and we'd get a new attitude

243

00:09:37,660 --> 00:09:35,480

timeline science timeline up from the

244

00:09:39,760 --> 00:09:37,670

ground and has changes to the flight

245

00:09:41,890 --> 00:09:39,770

plan like Dan said earlier we had over

246

00:09:44,200 --> 00:09:41,900

400 maneuvers we had to manually type in

247

00:09:48,690 --> 00:09:44,210

and that equated to over 22,000

248

00:09:53,140 --> 00:09:51,400

every night pass which was half our time

249

00:09:54,550 --> 00:09:53,150

up there we would spend going over the

250

00:09:56,080 --> 00:09:54,560

flight plan seeing what secondary

251

00:09:59,770 --> 00:09:56,090

activities we had to do and also

252

00:10:01,270 --> 00:09:59,780

reviewing the our onboard maps to study

253

00:10:03,400 --> 00:10:01,280

what land sites were going to pass over

254

00:10:04,900 --> 00:10:03,410

this upcoming scene you'll be able to

255

00:10:06,520 --> 00:10:04,910

tell that this is a California past

256

00:10:09,750 --> 00:10:06,530

because you can watch our commander get

257

00:10:12,520 --> 00:10:09,760

ready to take pictures of his home state

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00:10:13,180 --> 00:10:12,530

they say getting fairly excited here cuz

259

00:10:15,370 --> 00:10:13,190

we're getting ready to go over

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00:10:18,370 --> 00:10:15,380

California this is San Francisco Bay

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00:10:20,790 --> 00:10:18,380

Area San Jose see the Sacramento area

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00:10:22,630 --> 00:10:20,800

here the Central Valley of California

263

00:10:26,560 --> 00:10:22,640

down here at the very bottom of the

264

00:10:28,180 --> 00:10:26,570

screen is Monterey Bay and right in here

265

00:10:29,650 --> 00:10:28,190

somewhere is Fresno and L'Amour's where

266

00:10:31,770 --> 00:10:29,660

I'm from the top you can see the

267

00:10:34,390 --> 00:10:31,780

snow-capped Sierra Nevada mountains and

268

00:10:37,120 --> 00:10:34,400

then pretty soon here you'll see this V

269

00:10:38,770 --> 00:10:37,130

is the San Andreas Fault and the Garlock

270

00:10:42,820 --> 00:10:38,780

fault that come together right here and

271

00:10:45,819 --> 00:10:42,830

right in there is Edward's lake bed and

272

00:10:50,110 --> 00:10:45,829

then you'll be able see Los Angeles and

273

00:10:51,999 --> 00:10:50,120

jpo it was right in this area San Diego

274

00:10:54,910 --> 00:10:52,009

right there at the top of the screen is

275

00:10:57,389 --> 00:10:54,920

a Salton Sea and this light brown area

276

00:11:00,129 --> 00:10:57,399

see in there is a large plankton bloom a

277

00:11:02,379 --> 00:11:00,139

large awkward agricultural area in the

278

00:11:05,220 --> 00:11:02,389

Colorado River Basin and the Colorado

279

00:11:07,780 --> 00:11:05,230

River Delta that opens up into Baja and

280

00:11:11,980 --> 00:11:07,790

of course on the bottom of the screen is

281

00:11:14,199 --> 00:11:11,990

the Baja California and then you can see

282

00:11:16,059 --> 00:11:14,209

as we look back over the past that we

283

00:11:21,579 --> 00:11:16,069

just made you can see by extending off

284

00:11:23,410 --> 00:11:21,589

into the north this is the Chesapeake

285

00:11:25,179 --> 00:11:23,420

Bay area you can see Baltimore up here

286

00:11:25,929 --> 00:11:25,189

in Washington's just going off the

287

00:11:28,389 --> 00:11:25,939

screen there

288

00:11:30,100 --> 00:11:28,399

here's Potomac coming up to the

289

00:11:31,569 --> 00:11:30,110

Washington area this area is very

290

00:11:34,059 --> 00:11:31,579

important because it acts as a nursery

291

00:11:37,150 --> 00:11:34,069

for fish and one of our prime sites was

292

00:11:39,790 --> 00:11:37,160

to study the Gulf Stream just off of the

293

00:11:42,009 --> 00:11:39,800

shore of Eastern Virginia and as we

294

00:11:45,009 --> 00:11:42,019

passed down here you can now see Norfolk

295

00:11:47,590 --> 00:11:45,019

Virginia my hometown and our mouth sound

296

00:11:48,759 --> 00:11:47,600

and down here is Cape Hatteras and of

297

00:11:50,799 --> 00:11:48,769

course Kitty Hawk where the great

298

00:11:53,049 --> 00:11:50,809

adventure started is just down there so

299

00:11:55,030 --> 00:11:53,059

this is a nice view looking south going

300

00:11:56,319 --> 00:11:55,040

off the coast and just off the coast you

301
00:11:57,490 --> 00:11:56,329
would be the Gulf Stream area which we

302
00:12:04,059 --> 00:11:57,500
would study and Sun glint with our

303
00:12:06,639 --> 00:12:04,069
cameras this is a picture of a South

304
00:12:08,799 --> 00:12:06,649
America looking north along the Andes

305
00:12:10,629 --> 00:12:08,809
this particular area here is what we

306
00:12:12,790 --> 00:12:10,639
used is kind of our visual aid and

307
00:12:15,040 --> 00:12:12,800
helping locate where we were Coquimbo

308
00:12:17,139 --> 00:12:15,050
Chile is right in that bite along the

309
00:12:18,069 --> 00:12:17,149
coast and as you cross over the Andes

310
00:12:19,299 --> 00:12:18,079
here it almost looks very

311
00:12:21,160 --> 00:12:19,309
three-dimensional there were a number of

312
00:12:25,119 --> 00:12:21,170
mountains and volcanoes that were of

313
00:12:26,559 --> 00:12:25,129

interest as geology sites primary

314

00:12:28,720 --> 00:12:26,569

pellets we also had several experiments

315

00:12:30,939 --> 00:12:28,730

in the crew cabin here I am setting up a

316

00:12:33,189 --> 00:12:30,949

100-pound chair which is very easy to

317

00:12:35,559 --> 00:12:33,199

manipulate in space for ahead and I move

318

00:12:38,110 --> 00:12:35,569

an experiment here terry has a laser

319

00:12:39,790 --> 00:12:38,120

mounted to his head and he and I both

320

00:12:42,489 --> 00:12:39,800

did this experiment where we moved the

321

00:12:45,040 --> 00:12:42,499

laser to follow a target that was on the

322

00:12:47,499 --> 00:12:45,050

forward bulkhead and again it was to to

323

00:12:49,030 --> 00:12:47,509

judge how well our eyes were working

324

00:12:50,499 --> 00:12:49,040

with our head movements and we actually

325

00:12:52,360 --> 00:12:50,509

saw some degradation during space that's

326

00:12:54,340 --> 00:12:52,370

the target on the forward bulkhead we

327

00:12:56,619 --> 00:12:54,350

also had to do daily maintenance to

328

00:12:58,389 --> 00:12:56,629

clean out filters anything that's loose

329

00:12:59,350 --> 00:12:58,399

flying within the shuttle actually ends

330

00:13:00,910 --> 00:12:59,360

up on these filters

331

00:13:02,110 --> 00:13:00,920

they draw the air to them that's the

332

00:13:04,180 --> 00:13:02,120

commercial protein crystal growth

333

00:13:06,400 --> 00:13:04,190

experiment growing crystals of an

334

00:13:07,720 --> 00:13:06,410

anti-cancer drug so we just use great

335

00:13:13,030 --> 00:13:07,730

tape to clean all those filters every

336

00:13:16,389 --> 00:13:13,040

day well here I am caught again playing

337

00:13:17,500 --> 00:13:16,399

with my food actually if you'll watch

338

00:13:19,750 --> 00:13:17,510

this you'll see some pretty interesting

339

00:13:21,940 --> 00:13:19,760

fluid dynamics and of course what I'm

340

00:13:34,300 --> 00:13:21,950

trying to do is keep that tropical punch

341

00:13:36,280 --> 00:13:34,310

off my shirt success here's an exercise

342

00:13:38,110 --> 00:13:36,290

period baeksan Jeff if you look

343

00:13:44,440 --> 00:13:38,120

carefully you'll notice that baek's is

344

00:13:47,050 --> 00:13:44,450

the only one with an ergometer and

345

00:13:49,660 --> 00:13:47,060

here's Jeff with a model of the Starship

346

00:13:51,250 --> 00:13:49,670

Enterprise and also Molly's shuttle he

347

00:13:52,630 --> 00:13:51,260

took these up there because he knew that

348

00:13:59,620 --> 00:13:52,640

was the only thing baek's and I work is

349

00:14:01,329 --> 00:13:59,630

gonna let him fly here's Terry and I

350

00:14:03,850 --> 00:14:01,339

coming up to the flight deck to get

351
00:14:05,680 --> 00:14:03,860
ready to do one of the 14 trim burns

352
00:14:09,280 --> 00:14:05,690
that we did for the interferometry data

353
00:14:10,990 --> 00:14:09,290
takes towards the end of the mission Dan

354
00:14:13,509 --> 00:14:11,000
put together a nice procedure along with

355
00:14:14,980 --> 00:14:13,519
the help of the photos to get these

356
00:14:17,769 --> 00:14:14,990
burns turned down to an unprecedented

357
00:14:21,430 --> 00:14:17,779
accuracy of about 0.05 feet per second

358
00:14:24,490 --> 00:14:21,440
for the Delta V goes and we were able to

359
00:14:26,530 --> 00:14:24,500
successfully perform those burns and get

360
00:14:29,350 --> 00:14:26,540
the orbiter to within 200 feet of where

361
00:14:31,600 --> 00:14:29,360
it was the day before and also within

362
00:14:34,180 --> 00:14:31,610
200 feet of where the endeavour was in

363
00:14:37,180 --> 00:14:34,190

April on the first flight of srl it's

364

00:14:39,370 --> 00:14:37,190

pretty a remarkable feat I think this is

365

00:14:43,180 --> 00:14:39,380

an example of what the acceleration of

366

00:14:47,439 --> 00:14:43,190

the plus X Jets will do to the folks on

367

00:14:49,540 --> 00:14:47,449

the mid-deck we put together the images

368

00:14:51,460 --> 00:14:49,550

from last April in October over Long

369

00:14:53,019 --> 00:14:51,470

Valley California an old volcanic crater

370

00:14:54,460 --> 00:14:53,029

in California to make this

371

00:14:56,019 --> 00:14:54,470

three-dimensional topographic map the

372

00:14:57,579 --> 00:14:56,029

whole objective of this interferometry

373

00:14:59,920 --> 00:14:57,589

experiment and this this is digital

374

00:15:01,720 --> 00:14:59,930

topography made from the radar without

375

00:15:04,750 --> 00:15:01,730

any contour elevations from the ground

376

00:15:06,670 --> 00:15:04,760

now the radar was cooking throughout the

377

00:15:07,900 --> 00:15:06,680

whole 10 or 11 days of science but

378

00:15:09,910 --> 00:15:07,910

eventually we started to run out of film

379

00:15:11,290 --> 00:15:09,920

here it is piling up exposed in our

380

00:15:13,000 --> 00:15:11,300

storage bags on board

381

00:15:14,379 --> 00:15:13,010

and when we ran down out of film

382

00:15:15,790 --> 00:15:14,389

the radar was also running down its

383

00:15:17,439 --> 00:15:15,800

investigations there's Mike and Jeff

384

00:15:20,800 --> 00:15:17,449

wave and goodbye from the crew cabin and

385

00:15:22,689 --> 00:15:20,810

while the Sun was setting on SRL 2 we

386

00:15:25,689 --> 00:15:22,699

were also getting ourselves set up to

387

00:15:27,879 --> 00:15:25,699

come back for entry day hopefully to

388

00:15:29,620 --> 00:15:27,889

Florida but we wound up in California as

389

00:15:32,620 --> 00:15:29,630

you can see we've turned our orbiting

390

00:15:34,509 --> 00:15:32,630

laboratory into a reentry vehicle and

391

00:15:37,030 --> 00:15:34,519

also an airplane Jeff on the right there

392

00:15:38,800 --> 00:15:37,040

there's a shot towards baixo you see out

393

00:15:41,319 --> 00:15:38,810

the window the glow the atmosphere as we

394

00:15:44,129 --> 00:15:41,329

start to re-enter and the hot plasma

395

00:15:47,050 --> 00:15:44,139

gases as they come over the orbiter

396

00:15:48,819 --> 00:15:47,060

periodically meet at overhead and cause

397

00:15:50,740 --> 00:15:48,829

bright flashes there's looking over at

398

00:15:54,009 --> 00:15:50,750

Terry's shoulder on the right hand side

399

00:15:57,280 --> 00:15:54,019

the pilot and see the sunset there and

400

00:15:58,930 --> 00:15:57,290

there it's baek's flying at this point

401
00:16:01,439 --> 00:15:58,940
now we take over manually at about

402
00:16:03,819 --> 00:16:01,449
50,000 feet overhead the runway and

403
00:16:06,280 --> 00:16:03,829
flight around the heading line of cone

404
00:16:09,519 --> 00:16:06,290
and here you see us turning on the final

405
00:16:11,199 --> 00:16:09,529
just prior to doing our subsonic DTO our

406
00:16:12,819 --> 00:16:11,209
flight test there's a little wing rock

407
00:16:16,960 --> 00:16:12,829
which is about all the motion that you

408
00:16:20,139 --> 00:16:16,970
see out of the aileron doublet in yaw

409
00:16:22,689 --> 00:16:20,149
doublet that we did coming down 18

410
00:16:24,309 --> 00:16:22,699
degree glide path at 300 knots at 2,000

411
00:16:25,960 --> 00:16:24,319
feet we performed the pre flare to

412
00:16:28,389 --> 00:16:25,970
reduce our glide path to about one and a

413
00:16:31,509 --> 00:16:28,399

half degrees 300 feet Terry put the gear

414

00:16:35,949 --> 00:16:31,519

down and we crossed the threshold at

415

00:16:37,780 --> 00:16:35,959

about 235 knots and 35 feet looking for

416

00:16:40,420 --> 00:16:37,790

a touchdown about 200 we touched down at

417

00:16:42,699 --> 00:16:40,430

195 about one foot per second on the

418

00:16:44,350 --> 00:16:42,709

sync rate and we were also doing the

419

00:16:46,480 --> 00:16:44,360

drag chute flight test so we put the

420

00:16:47,129 --> 00:16:46,490

chute out immediately on main gear

421

00:16:51,340 --> 00:16:47,139

touchdown

422

00:16:53,230 --> 00:16:51,350

and a lot of to fully deploy and from

423

00:16:55,930 --> 00:16:53,240

touchdown to the start of the rotation

424

00:16:58,480 --> 00:16:55,940

was about 15 knots started the D

425

00:17:03,250 --> 00:16:58,490

rotation got the nose on the ground

426

00:17:05,980 --> 00:17:03,260

about 130 knots and started braking

427

00:17:07,510 --> 00:17:05,990

about 80 knots and at 60 knots you'll

428

00:17:10,179 --> 00:17:07,520

see in a second we'll jettison the chute

429

00:17:12,520 --> 00:17:10,189

and came to a stop about 12,000 feet

430

00:17:16,210 --> 00:17:12,530

down the runway with 3,000 feet

431

00:17:17,980 --> 00:17:16,220

remaining it's a great flying machine it

432

00:17:18,730 --> 00:17:17,990

was a joy to fly on this mission to

433

00:17:21,819 --> 00:17:18,740

Planet Earth

434

00:17:24,530 --> 00:17:21,829

and it was landing was a nice ending to

435

00:17:35,690 --> 00:17:24,540

a successful mission

436

00:17:38,210 --> 00:17:35,700

thank you we have we now have a set of

437

00:17:44,420 --> 00:17:38,220

slides to show you and I guess time you

438

00:17:45,680 --> 00:17:44,430

can start off srl too and you're

439

00:17:47,540 --> 00:17:45,690

probably familiar somewhat with it

440

00:17:50,230 --> 00:17:47,550

already from last spring's flight the

441

00:17:53,720 --> 00:17:50,240

large flat array of antennas is from the

442

00:17:55,730 --> 00:17:53,730

Circe element built by JPL a synthetic

443

00:17:57,980 --> 00:17:55,740

aperture radar that includes both C and

444

00:17:59,930 --> 00:17:57,990

L band wavelengths the set tilting

445

00:18:01,700 --> 00:17:59,940

motorized portion up here is the expan

446

00:18:04,220 --> 00:18:01,710

antenna built by the German and Italian

447

00:18:05,780 --> 00:18:04,230

space agencies and both of these

448

00:18:07,970 --> 00:18:05,790

operated in concert at three different

449

00:18:10,310 --> 00:18:07,980

wavelengths to scan the Earth's

450

00:18:13,100 --> 00:18:10,320

environment at the surface and looking

451
00:18:14,630 --> 00:18:13,110
at the atmosphere forward was the Maps

452
00:18:16,250 --> 00:18:14,640
experiment on its fourth space flight

453
00:18:18,680 --> 00:18:16,260
aboard the shuttle measurement of air

454
00:18:20,840 --> 00:18:18,690
pollution from satellites which was

455
00:18:23,810 --> 00:18:20,850
designed to track sources and transport

456
00:18:26,240 --> 00:18:23,820
of carbon monoxide around the planet it

457
00:18:27,920 --> 00:18:26,250
tells us about the carbon cycle and the

458
00:18:30,530 --> 00:18:27,930
input of trace gases that might be

459
00:18:31,940 --> 00:18:30,540
important to global warming and Langley

460
00:18:36,370 --> 00:18:31,950
Research Center built this experiment

461
00:18:38,900 --> 00:18:36,380
and it operated very successfully next

462
00:18:41,270 --> 00:18:38,910
now inside while the instruments were

463
00:18:43,520 --> 00:18:41,280

doing their tasks under ground command

464

00:18:45,440 --> 00:18:43,530

the crew was operating all its cameras

465

00:18:47,510 --> 00:18:45,450

full-time during the daylight passes and

466

00:18:49,250 --> 00:18:47,520

here's Terry with all four of our

467

00:18:50,960 --> 00:18:49,260

Hasselblad cameras each of which had a

468

00:18:53,540 --> 00:18:50,970

lens of a different focal length or film

469

00:18:55,490 --> 00:18:53,550

type and here's the large Lynn Hoffman

470

00:18:58,010 --> 00:18:55,500

camera we had two of those that were

471

00:19:00,110 --> 00:18:58,020

locked into our bracket pointing where

472

00:19:02,300 --> 00:19:00,120

the radar was so in many cases when we

473

00:19:04,220 --> 00:19:02,310

didn't have field teams on the Earth's

474

00:19:06,560 --> 00:19:04,230

surface documenting the truth of the

475

00:19:07,970 --> 00:19:06,570

radars data we had the cameras on board

476

00:19:09,800 --> 00:19:07,980

providing that ground truth to the

477

00:19:12,470 --> 00:19:09,810

science teams so we were an important

478

00:19:14,570 --> 00:19:12,480

source of correlative or documentary

479

00:19:16,040 --> 00:19:14,580

information for the science to prove

480

00:19:20,510 --> 00:19:16,050

that the radar was giving accurate data

481

00:19:22,430 --> 00:19:20,520

to the scientists well as Tom mentioned

482

00:19:24,350 --> 00:19:22,440

one of the important jobs we had was to

483

00:19:27,020 --> 00:19:24,360

try to document what the radar was

484

00:19:29,690 --> 00:19:27,030

looking at this is myself and one of the

485

00:19:31,550 --> 00:19:29,700

eff overhead windows getting ready to

486

00:19:32,780 --> 00:19:31,560

use two of our Hasselblad cameras just

487

00:19:33,860 --> 00:19:32,790

to give you a feel as we go through

488

00:19:36,080 --> 00:19:33,870

these slides of kind of what you're

489

00:19:38,000 --> 00:19:36,090

looking at this camera here with the

490

00:19:40,010 --> 00:19:38,010

hundred millimeter lens two

491

00:19:41,690 --> 00:19:40,020

they had a field of view of about 66

492

00:19:43,520 --> 00:19:41,700

nautical miles so when you see some of

493

00:19:45,440 --> 00:19:43,530

those you'll get an idea of the scale

494

00:19:48,290 --> 00:19:45,450

whereas this lens here with the 250

495

00:19:50,810 --> 00:19:48,300

millimeter would zoom in to about a 26

496

00:19:52,580 --> 00:19:50,820

nautical mile radius that you're looking

497

00:19:54,520 --> 00:19:52,590

at and so we use these these cameras as

498

00:19:57,050 --> 00:19:54,530

well as a wider angle camera to document

499

00:19:58,370 --> 00:19:57,060

most of the photographs we also as Tom

500

00:19:59,990 --> 00:19:58,380

mentioned had a Lin HOF camera which

501
00:20:03,070 --> 00:20:00,000
allowed us to get some wider format

502
00:20:05,240 --> 00:20:03,080
pictures as well next slide please

503
00:20:07,640 --> 00:20:05,250
well of course you've got to show your

504
00:20:09,800 --> 00:20:07,650
hometown this is Norfolk Virginia one

505
00:20:11,720 --> 00:20:09,810
reason for showing it is appears Langley

506
00:20:14,180 --> 00:20:11,730
which was the sponsor of the Maps

507
00:20:15,740 --> 00:20:14,190
instrument which worked superbly off

508
00:20:18,080 --> 00:20:15,750
through the flight monitoring the carbon

509
00:20:19,640 --> 00:20:18,090
monoxide around the world right here you

510
00:20:21,920 --> 00:20:19,650
can see the ship piers along the Norfolk

511
00:20:24,080 --> 00:20:21,930
Naval Base and as you come in here you

512
00:20:25,580 --> 00:20:24,090
go up to the James River this is the

513
00:20:27,410 --> 00:20:25,590

Elizabeth River that comes down to

514

00:20:29,750 --> 00:20:27,420

downtown Norfolk and then the Lafayette

515

00:20:31,340 --> 00:20:29,760

River scoots off to the side here if you

516

00:20:32,960 --> 00:20:31,350

go on out into the Chesapeake Bay area

517

00:20:34,460 --> 00:20:32,970

you round this corner which is Cape Anne

518

00:20:36,800 --> 00:20:34,470

where you'll go out along the Virginia

519

00:20:38,030 --> 00:20:36,810

Beach area and out of course to one of

520

00:20:40,160 --> 00:20:38,040

our super sites that I mentioned earlier

521

00:20:41,570 --> 00:20:40,170

which is the Gulf Stream and you could

522

00:20:42,890 --> 00:20:41,580

actually see the boundary of the Gulf

523

00:20:44,240 --> 00:20:42,900

Stream and the Sun glint because there's

524

00:20:45,920 --> 00:20:44,250

a difference in the texture of the water

525

00:20:51,200 --> 00:20:45,930

that you can see with the sun shining on

526

00:20:52,580 --> 00:20:51,210

it next slide please well this is a view

527

00:20:55,520 --> 00:20:52,590

of the northern part of the Chesapeake

528

00:20:57,650 --> 00:20:55,530

Bay area you can see of course up here

529

00:20:59,690 --> 00:20:57,660

the Baltimore area and as we come down

530

00:21:01,340 --> 00:20:59,700

from the Baltimore area you can see the

531

00:21:02,930 --> 00:21:01,350

napa Louis area right in here which I

532

00:21:05,690 --> 00:21:02,940

was told to mention by my commander and

533

00:21:08,210 --> 00:21:05,700

of course down here was pax river's area

534

00:21:10,460 --> 00:21:08,220

and you have Washington DC up here along

535

00:21:11,720 --> 00:21:10,470

the Potomac and off in the distance here

536

00:21:13,370 --> 00:21:11,730

you can see the Blue Ridge Mountain the

537

00:21:16,340 --> 00:21:13,380

area so this is a really a nice clear

538

00:21:17,780 --> 00:21:16,350

day in Virginia and Maryland area and as

539

00:21:19,490 --> 00:21:17,790

I mentioned earlier this is of course a

540

00:21:21,440 --> 00:21:19,500

very important waterway it's the home of

541

00:21:23,930 --> 00:21:21,450

the delicious blue crabs in the area as

542

00:21:25,310 --> 00:21:23,940

well as a number of fish and it's

543

00:21:26,870 --> 00:21:25,320

important for the marine life in that

544

00:21:29,120 --> 00:21:26,880

area that these wetlands are protected

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00:21:33,160 --> 00:21:29,130

and we were studying that entire region

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00:21:36,470 --> 00:21:33,170

with our instruments on board next time

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00:21:39,140 --> 00:21:36,480

this picture here is of California this

548

00:21:41,480 --> 00:21:39,150

is Mono Lake here and Crowley Lake is a

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00:21:44,090 --> 00:21:41,490

small lake here and one of our backup

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00:21:45,520 --> 00:21:44,100

hydrology super sites was the mammoth

551
00:21:47,510 --> 00:21:45,530
mountain area which is right here

552
00:21:50,000 --> 00:21:47,520
Yosemite National Park is in the

553
00:21:51,360 --> 00:21:50,010
background here you saw earlier the

554
00:21:53,640 --> 00:21:51,370
three-dimensional map that

555
00:21:55,170 --> 00:21:53,650
talked about of the long valley area and

556
00:21:58,170 --> 00:21:55,180
that was this ridge that extends along

557
00:22:00,330 --> 00:21:58,180
here what happened was about 750,000

558
00:22:03,170 --> 00:22:00,340
years ago a volcano collapse and created

559
00:22:05,250 --> 00:22:03,180
this depression now one of the prime

560
00:22:06,450 --> 00:22:05,260
science objectives near the end of our

561
00:22:08,160 --> 00:22:06,460
mission was to do it was called

562
00:22:10,080 --> 00:22:08,170
interferometry the way to think about

563
00:22:11,430 --> 00:22:10,090

this is when we took our normal radar

564

00:22:13,740 --> 00:22:11,440

pictures during the early part of the

565

00:22:15,510 --> 00:22:13,750

flight that measures elevation a lot

566

00:22:17,790 --> 00:22:15,520

like a policeman measures how fast your

567

00:22:19,350 --> 00:22:17,800

car's going it bounces radar waves off

568

00:22:21,660 --> 00:22:19,360

the ground and measures the time for the

569

00:22:23,610 --> 00:22:21,670

echo to come back but interferometry

570

00:22:24,990 --> 00:22:23,620

does is it uses the same principles as

571

00:22:26,669 --> 00:22:25,000

those three-dimensional images you see

572

00:22:29,730 --> 00:22:26,679

on your credit cards called Holograms it

573

00:22:31,710 --> 00:22:29,740

actually interferes patterns of several

574

00:22:33,210 --> 00:22:31,720

multiple images and you can use that to

575

00:22:34,470 --> 00:22:33,220

construct a three-dimensional image of

576

00:22:36,030 --> 00:22:34,480

course here the challenges we're trying

577

00:22:37,440 --> 00:22:36,040

to do it on a global scale as opposed to

578

00:22:39,510 --> 00:22:37,450

a small three dimensional image that you

579

00:22:40,490 --> 00:22:39,520

see on your credit card next slide

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00:22:42,799 --> 00:22:40,500

please

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00:22:45,600 --> 00:22:42,809

this is actually a three dimensional

582

00:22:47,250 --> 00:22:45,610

this is a topographic map of that same

583

00:22:48,630 --> 00:22:47,260

area this is Crowley Lake the smaller

584

00:22:50,549 --> 00:22:48,640

lake that I showed you and this is the

585

00:22:51,900 --> 00:22:50,559

ridge along here and it's probably a

586

00:22:53,700 --> 00:22:51,910

little hard to see from your seats but

587

00:22:55,590 --> 00:22:53,710

there are topographic lines on this map

588

00:22:58,080 --> 00:22:55,600

that show elevation changes for about

589

00:23:02,370 --> 00:22:58,090

every 50 feet of elevation change along

590

00:23:03,510 --> 00:23:02,380

that surface next slide please well

591

00:23:05,040 --> 00:23:03,520

there were two ways that we could

592

00:23:06,780 --> 00:23:05,050

actually do interferometry on our flight

593

00:23:09,390 --> 00:23:06,790

one was to take images that were taken

594

00:23:10,830 --> 00:23:09,400

from the April flight STS 59 and combine

595

00:23:12,600 --> 00:23:10,840

them with images taken from our flight

596

00:23:14,250 --> 00:23:12,610

the other way and that was how that

597

00:23:17,220 --> 00:23:14,260

previous map was made the other way is

598

00:23:19,110 --> 00:23:17,230

to actually do passes over the same

599

00:23:20,430 --> 00:23:19,120

target within one flight and that's what

600

00:23:22,350 --> 00:23:20,440

we did on the last few days of our

601
00:23:23,370 --> 00:23:22,360
flight is we kept doing repeat orbits

602
00:23:25,650 --> 00:23:23,380
every 24 hours

603
00:23:27,540 --> 00:23:25,660
this shows the data taken with the

604
00:23:31,560 --> 00:23:27,550
l-band part of the radar which is 24

605
00:23:34,020 --> 00:23:31,570
centimeters and this shows a topographic

606
00:23:35,940 --> 00:23:34,030
image taken with the c-band which is 6

607
00:23:37,830 --> 00:23:35,950
centimeters and what you'll notice is

608
00:23:39,570 --> 00:23:37,840
that the color changes are four times as

609
00:23:41,190 --> 00:23:39,580
fast for this one as for that that's

610
00:23:43,320 --> 00:23:41,200
because of the difference of four times

611
00:23:45,030 --> 00:23:43,330
in the wavelengths so these images are

612
00:23:47,250 --> 00:23:45,040
basically the raw interference fringes

613
00:23:49,110 --> 00:23:47,260

taken from this part of the world and

614

00:23:54,540 --> 00:23:49,120

they can be processed into a topographic

615

00:23:57,020 --> 00:23:54,550

map at a later time so we talked about

616

00:23:59,580 --> 00:23:57,030

earlier this is a commander's window

617

00:24:01,919 --> 00:23:59,590

most of the photography that we took in

618

00:24:04,050 --> 00:24:01,929

support of the radar was out the

619

00:24:04,899 --> 00:24:04,060

overhead windows the one Leno if you saw

620

00:24:07,450 --> 00:24:04,909

on the bracket was

621

00:24:09,009 --> 00:24:07,460

the right after window and then the

622

00:24:10,779 --> 00:24:09,019

other window was used with the hip for

623

00:24:12,609 --> 00:24:10,789

handheld Hasselblad or lint off pictures

624

00:24:16,690 --> 00:24:12,619

but the commander's window looked in the

625

00:24:18,989 --> 00:24:16,700

opposite direction then the radar did so

626
00:24:21,909 --> 00:24:18,999
you were able to take other photographic

627
00:24:23,769 --> 00:24:21,919
documentation of other things that our

628
00:24:25,869 --> 00:24:23,779
general her thoughts were tagged Rafi

629
00:24:28,149 --> 00:24:25,879
that's done on any flight so that's kind

630
00:24:29,940 --> 00:24:28,159
of what we did out that window and we

631
00:24:32,109 --> 00:24:29,950
also took pictures of radar sites

632
00:24:34,450 --> 00:24:32,119
depending on whether we had nose forward

633
00:24:37,690 --> 00:24:34,460
our nose after going along our velocity

634
00:24:39,519 --> 00:24:37,700
vector we may see radar sites on a

635
00:24:43,499 --> 00:24:39,529
different path than when we were

636
00:24:48,009 --> 00:24:46,060
this is just a photo of the tile damage

637
00:24:51,729 --> 00:24:48,019
we received on the right after Alma's

638
00:24:53,109 --> 00:24:51,739

pod and I think that that this was

639

00:24:59,109 --> 00:24:53,119

caused by the tile that came off the

640

00:25:01,089 --> 00:24:59,119

overhead window on launched a shot of

641

00:25:06,519 --> 00:25:01,099

San Francisco Bay we have to point out a

642

00:25:08,560 --> 00:25:06,529

few things here or I guess just start

643

00:25:13,719 --> 00:25:08,570

off with downtown San Francisco and the

644

00:25:16,299 --> 00:25:13,729

Golden Gate Park Golden Gate Bridge down

645

00:25:17,349 --> 00:25:16,309

south was just off the side of San Jose

646

00:25:20,049 --> 00:25:17,359

there's San Francisco International

647

00:25:21,930 --> 00:25:20,059

Airport this island is Alameda right

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00:25:24,399 --> 00:25:21,940

there's a Naval Air Station in Alameda

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00:25:28,119 --> 00:25:24,409

and Oakland International Airport is

650

00:25:31,299 --> 00:25:28,129

over here and here's Alcatraz Island and

651

00:25:32,229 --> 00:25:31,309

Angel Island in Sausalito the other

652

00:25:33,639 --> 00:25:32,239

thing that's kind of interesting about

653

00:25:35,710 --> 00:25:33,649

this shot as you can see the San Andreas

654

00:25:43,629 --> 00:25:35,720

Fault that goes up here and extends

655

00:25:46,139 --> 00:25:43,639

across the bay up here this is San

656

00:25:49,289 --> 00:25:46,149

Francisco at night we had very nice

657

00:25:51,609 --> 00:25:49,299

night passes over San Francisco and

658

00:25:53,259 --> 00:25:51,619

unfortunately you know we see most of

659

00:25:55,119 --> 00:25:53,269

the Earth's there 50% of our time

660

00:25:56,830 --> 00:25:55,129

looking at the earth is at night and

661

00:25:59,109 --> 00:25:56,840

it's really a beautiful thing to see and

662

00:26:01,089 --> 00:25:59,119

unfortunately and unfortunately there's

663

00:26:02,229 --> 00:26:01,099

not really good way to show you what it

664

00:26:04,960 --> 00:26:02,239

looks like from Earth it's very

665

00:26:07,269 --> 00:26:04,970

difficult to get good photography at

666

00:26:10,479 --> 00:26:07,279

night but this one turned out ok you can

667

00:26:12,940 --> 00:26:10,489

see the the bridges in the San Francisco

668

00:26:15,430 --> 00:26:12,950

Bay here San Mateo Bridge this is the

669

00:26:17,409 --> 00:26:15,440

Dumbarton bridge and this is downtown

670

00:26:18,400 --> 00:26:17,419

San Francisco with the lights the bright

671

00:26:19,960 --> 00:26:18,410

lights and you

672

00:26:22,210 --> 00:26:19,970

see the Bay Bridge and a little bit of

673

00:26:28,980 --> 00:26:22,220

lights from Treasure Island and you can

674

00:26:37,120 --> 00:26:34,330

this is a shot of the Northwest Canada

675

00:26:39,520 --> 00:26:37,130

are actually south it's just north of

676
00:26:41,290 --> 00:26:39,530
the Washington Idaho border inside of

677
00:26:43,210 --> 00:26:41,300
Canada and it's very typical of the

678
00:26:46,930 --> 00:26:43,220
northwest part of the country and of the

679
00:26:48,610 --> 00:26:46,940
hemisphere and it's just an example of

680
00:26:51,430 --> 00:26:48,620
some of the things that we can see you

681
00:26:53,770 --> 00:26:51,440
can see all these rectangular areas that

682
00:26:56,620 --> 00:26:53,780
you see all throughout the picture are a

683
00:26:58,810 --> 00:26:56,630
clear cutting of logs and timber in the

684
00:27:00,550 --> 00:26:58,820
northwest and it's a very same thing

685
00:27:03,610 --> 00:27:00,560
that we see in Washington in the Oregon

686
00:27:05,620 --> 00:27:03,620
and in the US and the radar is very

687
00:27:08,530 --> 00:27:05,630
valuable if we had a permanent one at

688
00:27:10,540 --> 00:27:08,540

any rate to monitor these areas and see

689

00:27:20,800 --> 00:27:10,550

how they're recovering with their

690

00:27:23,710 --> 00:27:20,810

biomass this is a picture of me and when

691

00:27:24,850 --> 00:27:23,720

baek's was letting me sit in his sea of

692

00:27:26,200 --> 00:27:24,860

course I've got the flight plan in my

693

00:27:28,960 --> 00:27:26,210

hand it was interesting as a first-time

694

00:27:31,300 --> 00:27:28,970

flyer to realize that a day/night cycle

695

00:27:33,580 --> 00:27:31,310

does not define the normal day anymore

696

00:27:35,230 --> 00:27:33,590

and with the flight plan we use thatis

697

00:27:36,400 --> 00:27:35,240

of course the coordinating document for

698

00:27:39,040 --> 00:27:36,410

all our activities including our

699

00:27:40,930 --> 00:27:39,050

secondary experiments and literally the

700

00:27:43,300 --> 00:27:40,940

only thing that defines your day-to-day

701
00:27:49,180 --> 00:27:43,310
existence was that flight plan and the M

702
00:27:51,520 --> 00:27:49,190
et clock this is a picture of Denver and

703
00:27:53,140 --> 00:27:51,530
if you look carefully down here and get

704
00:27:58,090 --> 00:27:53,150
this to work that's the new airport

705
00:27:59,710 --> 00:27:58,100
nicknamed the land of lost luggage this

706
00:28:00,880 --> 00:27:59,720
is Denver and we showed this up here in

707
00:28:02,530 --> 00:28:00,890
the mountains above Denver it's where

708
00:28:04,780 --> 00:28:02,540
the great plains meet the Front Range of

709
00:28:06,400 --> 00:28:04,790
the Rocky Mountains we had a map sight

710
00:28:07,840 --> 00:28:06,410
up there there were 28 of the maps and

711
00:28:08,920 --> 00:28:07,850
maps in this case of course is the

712
00:28:15,400 --> 00:28:08,930
measurement of air pollution from

713
00:28:16,870 --> 00:28:15,410

satellites this is a picture we were

714

00:28:19,030 --> 00:28:16,880

lucky to get usually the light levels

715

00:28:20,890 --> 00:28:19,040

down this far south were too low but

716

00:28:22,450 --> 00:28:20,900

fortunately managed to get it this is

717

00:28:24,220 --> 00:28:22,460

actually the country of Chile and this

718

00:28:25,120 --> 00:28:24,230

is at the southern tip of South America

719

00:28:27,220 --> 00:28:25,130

and what you're looking at here are a

720

00:28:28,540 --> 00:28:27,230

couple of glaciers and I think our TV

721

00:28:30,850 --> 00:28:28,550

people are going to highlight this for

722

00:28:32,040 --> 00:28:30,860

the folks on video here's one of the

723

00:28:35,130 --> 00:28:32,050

glaciers here and

724

00:28:36,840 --> 00:28:35,140

another one right down here if you look

725

00:28:39,720 --> 00:28:36,850

carefully in the water you'll see that

726

00:28:41,910 --> 00:28:39,730

icebergs actually being a flicked off

727

00:28:44,760 --> 00:28:41,920

the inner cavities glaciers into the

728

00:28:46,380 --> 00:28:44,770

water these glaciers also have these

729

00:28:48,270 --> 00:28:46,390

dark streaks Rome and that's boulders

730

00:28:49,650 --> 00:28:48,280

that have been entrained inside the the

731

00:28:51,780 --> 00:28:49,660

glaciers as they move down the mountains

732

00:28:53,610 --> 00:28:51,790

we study glaciers because we think we

733

00:28:55,860 --> 00:28:53,620

can detect movement whether they're

734

00:28:57,450 --> 00:28:55,870

receding or progressing and the we

735

00:29:03,890 --> 00:28:57,460

believe this to be an important

736

00:29:08,310 --> 00:29:06,030

this is the Panama Canal

737

00:29:10,950 --> 00:29:08,320

this is Panama City and the canal traces

738

00:29:12,750 --> 00:29:10,960

a path right through here notice the

739

00:29:15,210 --> 00:29:12,760

dark vegetation areas on either side of

740

00:29:18,030 --> 00:29:15,220

the canal this is actually portray

741

00:29:19,680 --> 00:29:18,040

protected vegetation or Woodlands and

742

00:29:22,020 --> 00:29:19,690

one of the things we're worried about in

743

00:29:24,240 --> 00:29:22,030

Panama is encroaching development with a

744

00:29:26,460 --> 00:29:24,250

Panama City right here we're worried

745

00:29:27,870 --> 00:29:26,470

that well these are protected forests

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00:29:29,280 --> 00:29:27,880

right now but if they do develop in

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00:29:31,440 --> 00:29:29,290

there and they log or harvest this

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00:29:32,940 --> 00:29:31,450

timber then the heavy rains that they

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00:29:34,230 --> 00:29:32,950

receive in this area will flood down

750

00:29:35,940 --> 00:29:34,240

into the canal and they'll actually fill

751

00:29:38,880 --> 00:29:35,950

it up with silt and the canal will be

752

00:29:41,820 --> 00:29:38,890

useless it's a perfect example of a

753

00:29:43,230 --> 00:29:41,830

short-sighted miss Sun with a lot of

754

00:29:44,760 --> 00:29:43,240

human activities if you fill up the

755

00:29:47,760 --> 00:29:44,770

canal was silt obviously the country

756

00:29:50,190 --> 00:29:47,770

would lose a lot of its input there in

757

00:29:52,680 --> 00:29:50,200

money and capital also the Smithsonian

758

00:29:53,820 --> 00:29:52,690

has a biological preserve located right

759

00:29:59,760 --> 00:29:53,830

in here which is another reason to

760

00:30:01,620 --> 00:29:59,770

protect this area this is a picture of

761

00:30:04,800 --> 00:30:01,630

the Sahara Desert these are called the

762

00:30:06,360 --> 00:30:04,810

tip earning dunes and it's difficult to

763

00:30:08,010 --> 00:30:06,370

see in this picture but there are a lot

764

00:30:09,330 --> 00:30:08,020

of sand dunes in there and scientists

765

00:30:10,860 --> 00:30:09,340

actually get a lot of information on

766

00:30:12,900 --> 00:30:10,870

wind currents from the direction in the

767

00:30:15,020 --> 00:30:12,910

shape of these dunes and also a state of

768

00:30:17,550 --> 00:30:15,030

previously we imaged a lot of our

769

00:30:18,900 --> 00:30:17,560

targets and sites were in the Sahara

770

00:30:21,120 --> 00:30:18,910

Desert because we're imaging the

771

00:30:22,800 --> 00:30:21,130

subsurface drainage patterns from when

772

00:30:29,280 --> 00:30:22,810

the Sahara was a lot wetter place than

773

00:30:31,980 --> 00:30:29,290

it is now well it's time to tuck the red

774

00:30:35,430 --> 00:30:31,990

team into bed and here's a shot of three

775

00:30:37,680 --> 00:30:35,440

of the four bunks that that we fly banks

776

00:30:40,770 --> 00:30:37,690

bunks are really nice they provide some

777

00:30:43,170 --> 00:30:40,780

sound insulation for us as well as a

778

00:30:44,910 --> 00:30:43,180

place to display some of your banners

779

00:30:45,190 --> 00:30:44,920

some of the better banners come a little

780

00:30:50,470 --> 00:30:45,200

bit

781

00:30:52,600 --> 00:30:50,480

in the flight but anyways these bunks we

782

00:30:54,009 --> 00:30:52,610

did get to take some pictures here these

783

00:30:56,500 --> 00:30:54,019

pictures are kind of unique in that they

784

00:30:59,289 --> 00:30:56,510

were backlit by some slave flashes that

785

00:31:01,360 --> 00:30:59,299

we have several photo TV people that

786

00:31:02,950 --> 00:31:01,370

help us train for taking all these

787

00:31:10,090 --> 00:31:02,960

photos when we appreciate all your hard

788

00:31:13,659 --> 00:31:10,100

work next slide and here's a chart that

789

00:31:16,269 --> 00:31:13,669

was helped us out we need needed a more

790

00:31:19,480 --> 00:31:16,279

detailed map to help us find some of

791

00:31:21,549 --> 00:31:19,490

these radar targets and through the help

792

00:31:24,549 --> 00:31:21,559

of JPL and the flight data file people

793

00:31:26,919 --> 00:31:24,559

here at JSC we developed these charts

794

00:31:28,570 --> 00:31:26,929

and it was kind of like if anybody's

795

00:31:31,960 --> 00:31:28,580

familiar with a triptych when you go on

796

00:31:34,389 --> 00:31:31,970

a on a trip through the US air you can

797

00:31:36,159 --> 00:31:34,399

you can find your orbit and find where

798

00:31:39,490 --> 00:31:36,169

you are well this is what happens when

799

00:31:41,409 --> 00:31:39,500

you put a b-52 pilot in an a6 Bombardier

800

00:31:45,370 --> 00:31:41,419

navigator on the same shift you argue

801
00:31:47,110 --> 00:31:45,380
about where you are but actually I was

802
00:31:50,070 --> 00:31:47,120
just we were trying to point out what

803
00:31:53,830 --> 00:31:50,080
would happen in the next orbit but

804
00:31:56,830 --> 00:31:53,840
anyways it again we worked in two shifts

805
00:31:59,529 --> 00:31:56,840
and this is Tom myself on the on the

806
00:32:02,200 --> 00:31:59,539
blue shift with Steve taking this

807
00:32:09,669 --> 00:32:02,210
picture for us and the charts really

808
00:32:12,490 --> 00:32:09,679
helped us out next why well back to our

809
00:32:14,080 --> 00:32:12,500
most spectacular probably sight that we

810
00:32:16,629 --> 00:32:14,090
saw in the mission the eruption of

811
00:32:17,740 --> 00:32:16,639
Jeff's coy on on the blue shift we were

812
00:32:19,779 --> 00:32:17,750
lucky enough to see this for about the

813
00:32:22,090 --> 00:32:19,789

first four or five days of the mission

814

00:32:24,070 --> 00:32:22,100

this was our morning part of our workday

815

00:32:26,830 --> 00:32:24,080

coming over Kamchatka in northern Asia

816

00:32:28,720 --> 00:32:26,840

so here you see a nice shot of the plume

817

00:32:31,090 --> 00:32:28,730

blowing well out to the east into the

818

00:32:32,529 --> 00:32:31,100

Pacific Ocean pointing out all the ash

819

00:32:34,450 --> 00:32:32,539

and smoke coming from that single

820

00:32:35,950 --> 00:32:34,460

eruption the companion mountains were

821

00:32:40,539 --> 00:32:35,960

also erupting and you'll see that in the

822

00:32:42,789 --> 00:32:40,549

next close-up picture this is Jeff's coy

823

00:32:45,220 --> 00:32:42,799

and full eruption this is the mountain

824

00:32:46,960 --> 00:32:45,230

of Clue Jeff Sukhoi itself the eruptive

825

00:32:50,889 --> 00:32:46,970

vent was on the northeast flank of the

826

00:32:52,450 --> 00:32:50,899

volcano here in the shadow and down to

827

00:32:54,129 --> 00:32:52,460

the south a little bit as bezu me Ani

828

00:32:55,269 --> 00:32:54,139

another volcano that was building a

829

00:32:57,639 --> 00:32:55,279

little lava dome and there was some

830

00:32:58,560 --> 00:32:57,649

steam coming off of that plume is off of

831

00:33:00,630 --> 00:32:58,570

that mountain as well

832

00:33:02,700 --> 00:33:00,640

and this was just a magnificent sight to

833

00:33:04,410 --> 00:33:02,710

watch this plume evolving day to day in

834

00:33:05,640 --> 00:33:04,420

the mission and we turned the radar on

835

00:33:07,350 --> 00:33:05,650

this with some quick replanting

836

00:33:09,570 --> 00:33:07,360

on-the-ground science teams part and

837

00:33:13,790 --> 00:33:09,580

captured some good data about a mountain

838

00:33:19,410 --> 00:33:16,470

later in the flight the eruption

839

00:33:20,790 --> 00:33:19,420

eruption calmed down and the actual

840

00:33:22,080 --> 00:33:20,800

outgassing stopped but the mountain

841

00:33:24,120 --> 00:33:22,090

itself here is all covered with that

842

00:33:25,620 --> 00:33:24,130

dark ash that was coming out of the

843

00:33:27,390 --> 00:33:25,630

mountain a few days earlier and then

844

00:33:29,520 --> 00:33:27,400

later as you saw in the film snow

845

00:33:31,830 --> 00:33:29,530

covered the entire scene and made this a

846

00:33:33,570 --> 00:33:31,840

brand-new area again but here's a clue

847

00:33:36,870 --> 00:33:33,580

chefs coy and bezel yani to the south

848

00:33:39,060 --> 00:33:36,880

this dormant volcano up here is called

849

00:33:45,600 --> 00:33:39,070

Shiva Luke another target for the radar

850

00:33:47,280 --> 00:33:45,610

next as Terry mentioned earlier with the

851

00:33:48,810 --> 00:33:47,290

film we do receive messages every

852

00:33:50,160 --> 00:33:48,820

morning on our fax machine this is our

853

00:33:52,440 --> 00:33:50,170

fax machine right here basically I'm

854

00:33:53,400 --> 00:33:52,450

turning the changing the paper out often

855

00:33:54,990 --> 00:33:53,410

when you look at a picture from the

856

00:33:56,220 --> 00:33:55,000

Space Shuttle I encourage you to take

857

00:33:58,200 --> 00:33:56,230

time to kind of look at and see what

858

00:33:59,430 --> 00:33:58,210

else you see in the background and you

859

00:34:01,200 --> 00:33:59,440

can learn something from that you'll

860

00:34:02,550 --> 00:34:01,210

notice I'm wearing two watches most of

861

00:34:04,290 --> 00:34:02,560

us wore two watches so that we could

862

00:34:05,640 --> 00:34:04,300

keep track not only of the mission

863

00:34:08,220 --> 00:34:05,650

elapsed time but also what time it was

864

00:34:09,990 --> 00:34:08,230

back in Houston on my right wrist you've

865

00:34:11,220 --> 00:34:10,000

seen this device also on Dan's left

866

00:34:13,350 --> 00:34:11,230

wrist it's one of our medical

867

00:34:15,270 --> 00:34:13,360

experiments onboard through this little

868

00:34:16,680 --> 00:34:15,280

prism right here it's actually measuring

869

00:34:18,150 --> 00:34:16,690

the light levels that we were exposed to

870

00:34:20,130 --> 00:34:18,160

and recording that with in the silver

871

00:34:21,810 --> 00:34:20,140

box and within the silver box there was

872

00:34:24,450 --> 00:34:21,820

also accelerometers measuring our

873

00:34:25,830 --> 00:34:24,460

activity levels particularly our

874

00:34:27,470 --> 00:34:25,840

activity levels while we're sleeping to

875

00:34:29,669 --> 00:34:27,480

make to measure our quality of our sleep

876

00:34:32,610 --> 00:34:29,679

this experiment was designed basically

877

00:34:33,990 --> 00:34:32,620

to study how well the blue shift who we

878

00:34:36,930 --> 00:34:34,000

actually were working basically from 8

879

00:34:39,090 --> 00:34:36,940

a.m. to 4 p.m. local time how well we

880

00:34:40,830 --> 00:34:39,100

were sleep shifted also on the back

881

00:34:42,150 --> 00:34:40,840

you'll see one of a little yellow

882

00:34:43,380 --> 00:34:42,160

package there that's one of the tasty

883

00:34:47,840 --> 00:34:43,390

cakes that Tom brought from his

884

00:34:50,190 --> 00:34:47,850

philadelphia roots next slide please

885

00:34:52,020 --> 00:34:50,200

as we mentioned in the film we did

886

00:34:54,600 --> 00:34:52,030

change that one of the payload high rate

887

00:34:55,680 --> 00:34:54,610

recorders it was very easy to do we had

888

00:34:57,510 --> 00:34:55,690

thought it would take about two hours

889

00:35:00,300 --> 00:34:57,520

and end up taking us about an hour and a

890

00:35:01,920 --> 00:35:00,310

half Jeff and I had made a specific trip

891

00:35:04,110 --> 00:35:01,930

to the Kennedy Space Center to practice

892

00:35:06,090 --> 00:35:04,120

this in-flight maintenance procedure in

893

00:35:08,100 --> 00:35:06,100

case it occurred and that turned out to

894

00:35:10,020 --> 00:35:08,110

be a very valuable trip it just speaks

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00:35:11,580 --> 00:35:10,030

volumes for the preparation that we have

896

00:35:12,450 --> 00:35:11,590

before the flight and we'd like to thank

897

00:35:14,490 --> 00:35:12,460

all the folks who helped

898

00:35:18,290 --> 00:35:14,500

in all aspects of training in order to

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00:35:21,089 --> 00:35:18,300

prepare for the flight next slide please

900

00:35:22,380 --> 00:35:21,099

as I mentioned before the blue team saw

901
00:35:24,660 --> 00:35:22,390
basically from Europe all the way

902
00:35:27,930 --> 00:35:24,670
through New Zealand this is a picture of

903
00:35:30,480 --> 00:35:27,940
Australia the eastern coast just south

904
00:35:31,799 --> 00:35:30,490
of Cape York one of the things that has

905
00:35:34,349 --> 00:35:31,809
been happening in Australia in recent

906
00:35:36,240 --> 00:35:34,359
months is a terrible drought and several

907
00:35:37,740 --> 00:35:36,250
fires have been started by the very few

908
00:35:40,349 --> 00:35:37,750
thunderstorms they do get in lightning

909
00:35:41,880 --> 00:35:40,359
striking the trees so much of Australia

910
00:35:44,460 --> 00:35:41,890
was suffering unfortunately from these

911
00:35:46,079 --> 00:35:44,470
natural fires the other interesting

912
00:35:47,609 --> 00:35:46,089
thing about the fires we saw is that

913
00:35:49,859 --> 00:35:47,619

recall one of our experiments was

914

00:35:51,750 --> 00:35:49,869

measuring carbon monoxide in the

915

00:35:53,309 --> 00:35:51,760

atmosphere that was the measurement of

916

00:35:55,440 --> 00:35:53,319

air pollution from satellites experiment

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00:35:57,150 --> 00:35:55,450

or maps so every time we saw a fire we

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00:35:59,730 --> 00:35:57,160

reported that so that the scientists

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00:36:03,059 --> 00:35:59,740

would know that a producer of Co which

920

00:36:05,460 --> 00:36:03,069

are fires produced Co was at our

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00:36:07,230 --> 00:36:05,470

location and they were able to analyze

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00:36:09,329 --> 00:36:07,240

the data and sure enough the data show

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00:36:11,130 --> 00:36:09,339

that there was higher Co levels here so

924

00:36:12,510 --> 00:36:11,140

fires are a big production producer of

925

00:36:16,130 --> 00:36:12,520

CO in the world then we noted them

926
00:36:18,569 --> 00:36:16,140
wherever we saw them next night please

927
00:36:20,640 --> 00:36:18,579
what we have here in the picture right

928
00:36:21,930 --> 00:36:20,650
here on the left side of the screen for

929
00:36:24,480 --> 00:36:21,940
those of you at home is Mount Pinatubo

930
00:36:26,730 --> 00:36:24,490
so this is the island of Luzon in the

931
00:36:29,880 --> 00:36:26,740
Philippines you'll recall back in June

932
00:36:31,620 --> 00:36:29,890
of 1991 we had a terrible volcanic

933
00:36:34,470 --> 00:36:31,630
eruption in this area displacing many

934
00:36:35,760 --> 00:36:34,480
families and also Clark Air Force Base

935
00:36:37,260 --> 00:36:35,770
the United States installation right

936
00:36:40,049 --> 00:36:37,270
here you can look real close you can see

937
00:36:41,880 --> 00:36:40,059
the runways was displaced in this photo

938
00:36:43,349 --> 00:36:41,890

what you see here just let me orient you

939

00:36:45,960 --> 00:36:43,359

first of all this is what is called

940

00:36:48,299 --> 00:36:45,970

Subic Bay on the west coast of Luzon

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00:36:50,700 --> 00:36:48,309

this is Manila Bay excuse me right down

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00:36:52,170 --> 00:36:50,710

here and from military history this is

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00:36:54,240 --> 00:36:52,180

the Bataan Peninsula you may have heard

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00:36:55,740 --> 00:36:54,250

of Manila City is right here just

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00:36:58,049 --> 00:36:55,750

peeking out from underneath these clouds

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00:37:00,150 --> 00:36:58,059

at the tip of the bay here now if you'll

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00:37:01,559 --> 00:37:00,160

go back to Pinatubo again the crater is

948

00:37:03,539 --> 00:37:01,569

right here and what you'll notice

949

00:37:06,299 --> 00:37:03,549

interrupting all this nice green and

950

00:37:08,039 --> 00:37:06,309

brown natural color are these very

951
00:37:10,770 --> 00:37:08,049
light-colored floes and what those are

952
00:37:12,900 --> 00:37:10,780
are where mud and ash has been washed

953
00:37:15,180 --> 00:37:12,910
down from the very steep slopes of

954
00:37:17,670 --> 00:37:15,190
Pinatubo and actually destroyed

955
00:37:20,400 --> 00:37:17,680
vegetation and in many cases communities

956
00:37:24,180 --> 00:37:20,410
with this mud flow we call these lahars

957
00:37:26,279 --> 00:37:24,190
now the eruption itself also as we know

958
00:37:28,469 --> 00:37:26,289
had a major climate

959
00:37:30,449 --> 00:37:28,479
packed around the world and of course

960
00:37:34,620 --> 00:37:30,459
displaced many people here if we go to

961
00:37:37,079 --> 00:37:34,630
the next slide now now this are two

962
00:37:40,199 --> 00:37:37,089
images from the space radar lab the

963
00:37:41,729 --> 00:37:40,209

image on the left is from STS 59 the

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00:37:43,679 --> 00:37:41,739

image on the right is from our flight

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00:37:46,049 --> 00:37:43,689

STS 68 so about five months have passed

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00:37:47,729 --> 00:37:46,059

between these two flights first let's

967

00:37:49,499 --> 00:37:47,739

look at one of the images let's look at

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00:37:52,140 --> 00:37:49,509

the image on the left this is what we

969

00:37:55,169 --> 00:37:52,150

can produce using the radar it basically

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00:37:56,669 --> 00:37:55,179

it shows the different elevations it see

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00:37:58,469 --> 00:37:56,679

the different colors here this orange

972

00:38:01,229 --> 00:37:58,479

you see here is actually ash that's come

973

00:38:03,029 --> 00:38:01,239

from the Creator right here and so using

974

00:38:06,029 --> 00:38:03,039

the radar you can get a real-time image

975

00:38:07,169 --> 00:38:06,039

of what is happening in any part of the

976

00:38:09,630 --> 00:38:07,179

world of course it doesn't matter what

977

00:38:11,069 --> 00:38:09,640

the weather is now it also with the

978

00:38:12,689 --> 00:38:11,079

radar you can take an image from one

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00:38:14,130 --> 00:38:12,699

point in time and compare it with an

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00:38:16,380 --> 00:38:14,140

image from another point in time and

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00:38:18,150 --> 00:38:16,390

compare the differences in this case in

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00:38:20,309 --> 00:38:18,160

this five months and in particular three

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00:38:21,269 --> 00:38:20,319

weeks before our flight the Philippines

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00:38:24,390 --> 00:38:21,279

were hit with some very dramatic

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00:38:27,059 --> 00:38:24,400

monsoons their 1994 monsoon season hit

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00:38:29,309 --> 00:38:27,069

and that those monsoons carried large

987

00:38:32,249 --> 00:38:29,319

amounts of dirt and ash down these

988

00:38:33,809 --> 00:38:32,259

lahars and 80,000 people were displaced

989

00:38:36,329 --> 00:38:33,819

in that short amount of time by all this

990

00:38:38,249 --> 00:38:36,339

rainfall rainfall and the ensuing mud

991

00:38:39,959 --> 00:38:38,259

flows if you look at this lahar right

992

00:38:42,809 --> 00:38:39,969

here this mud flow right here it's a

993

00:38:44,069 --> 00:38:42,819

fairly thin black line well five months

994

00:38:46,679 --> 00:38:44,079

later you can see how dramatically it's

995

00:38:48,089 --> 00:38:46,689

increased in size so again the radar can

996

00:38:49,349 --> 00:38:48,099

tell you something in real time about

997

00:38:51,630 --> 00:38:49,359

what's going on and then you can compare

998

00:38:52,309 --> 00:38:51,640

to four changes over time next slide

999

00:38:54,929 --> 00:38:52,319

please

1000

00:38:56,519 --> 00:38:54,939

well here we are again at the roof of

1001

00:38:58,649 --> 00:38:56,529

the world is the tibetan plateau is

1002

00:39:01,140 --> 00:38:58,659

called again the dramatic lakes in this

1003

00:39:02,939 --> 00:39:01,150

area alternating with the peaks again

1004

00:39:05,609 --> 00:39:02,949

the minimum altitude in this area is

1005

00:39:07,679 --> 00:39:05,619

usually around 15 or 20,000 feet this is

1006

00:39:09,959 --> 00:39:07,689

Jung soo-jung ko is the name of this

1007

00:39:12,899 --> 00:39:09,969

Lake also I'd like you to look at the

1008

00:39:14,699 --> 00:39:12,909

Rama Rama who try River here and notice

1009

00:39:16,109 --> 00:39:14,709

how it meanders through the valley here

1010

00:39:18,479 --> 00:39:16,119

it's very interesting ribbon effect

1011

00:39:20,159 --> 00:39:18,489

that's visually spectacular I'd also

1012

00:39:21,479 --> 00:39:20,169

like to point out that on this tributary

1013

00:39:22,919 --> 00:39:21,489

right up here in the upper left-hand

1014

00:39:25,229 --> 00:39:22,929

corner of the picture for those of you

1015

00:39:27,929 --> 00:39:25,239

at home as a city called Lhasa and it's

1016

00:39:33,079 --> 00:39:27,939

the traditional home town for the Dalai

1017

00:39:38,399 --> 00:39:36,239

this is a picture looking from China and

1018

00:39:39,840 --> 00:39:38,409

a desert in China called the Taklamakan

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00:39:42,420 --> 00:39:39,850

that's right here

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00:39:44,610 --> 00:39:42,430

south all the way to India so in between

1021

00:39:46,860 --> 00:39:44,620

the Taklamakan desert here where of

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00:39:49,410 --> 00:39:46,870

course it's sand and very dry you go

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00:39:51,630 --> 00:39:49,420

through the Tibetan Plateau here 1520

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00:39:53,670 --> 00:39:51,640

thousand foot valleys and the peaks get

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00:39:56,190 --> 00:39:53,680

up in the twenty twenty-five twenty

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00:39:57,810 --> 00:39:56,200

eight thousand foot area through Kashmir

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00:40:00,270 --> 00:39:57,820

on the right side of the screen here

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00:40:02,430 --> 00:40:00,280

some places you've heard about Nepal and

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00:40:04,890 --> 00:40:02,440

over here is the kingdom of Bhutan all

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00:40:06,330 --> 00:40:04,900

the way through to India we studied

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00:40:08,040 --> 00:40:06,340

several sites in this area for

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00:40:10,110 --> 00:40:08,050

geographical reasons again under the

1033

00:40:11,900 --> 00:40:10,120

sand here our potential old river

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00:40:14,790 --> 00:40:11,910

drainages things like that to look at

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00:40:17,040 --> 00:40:14,800

another interesting cultural aspect of

1036

00:40:18,450 --> 00:40:17,050

this is right along the face of the

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00:40:21,090 --> 00:40:18,460

mountains here is something called the

1038

00:40:24,120 --> 00:40:21,100

Silk Trail and in centuries ago that's

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00:40:27,600 --> 00:40:24,130

how China shipped things like silk and

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00:40:29,880 --> 00:40:27,610

spices to the east excuse me to the west

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00:40:32,790 --> 00:40:29,890

to Europe just along this path right

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00:40:36,450 --> 00:40:32,800

here and Europe return Goods things like

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00:40:38,190 --> 00:40:36,460

armor jewels things like that and every

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00:40:39,180 --> 00:40:38,200

fifty or hundred miles along this silk

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00:40:40,650 --> 00:40:39,190

trail you'd have a little trading

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00:40:43,200 --> 00:40:40,660

outpost and that's how things slowly

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00:40:45,660 --> 00:40:43,210

worked their way across here as a side

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00:40:48,000 --> 00:40:45,670

benefit to our study because the radar

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00:40:49,380 --> 00:40:48,010

can look beneath the stands the sand we

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00:40:52,080 --> 00:40:49,390

might potentially see some kind of

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00:40:53,730 --> 00:40:52,090
trails here or some evidence of these

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00:41:00,780 --> 00:40:53,740
stations that were placed along the Silk

1053
00:41:01,950 --> 00:41:00,790
trail well here I am looking up at earth

1054
00:41:04,230 --> 00:41:01,960
you know you always get the question

1055
00:41:06,660 --> 00:41:04,240
what's it look like to look down at our

1056
00:41:08,700 --> 00:41:06,670
planet well there is no real up or down

1057
00:41:11,070 --> 00:41:08,710
when you're up there and Here I am using

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00:41:16,230 --> 00:41:11,080
one of the many cameras out out an

1059
00:41:20,070 --> 00:41:16,240
overhead window next slide this is a

1060
00:41:21,720 --> 00:41:20,080
early morning shot of Moscow we knew if

1061
00:41:26,880 --> 00:41:21,730
we were passing over Moscow it must be

1062
00:41:29,190 --> 00:41:26,890
early in in the blueshifts time up but I

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00:41:31,530 --> 00:41:29,200

try to point out some of the things in

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00:41:34,320 --> 00:41:31,540

the picture I don't know if we can work

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00:41:37,100 --> 00:41:34,330

on the focus on that shot or not but

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00:41:39,930 --> 00:41:37,110

right in the center there is a Kremlin

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00:41:42,270 --> 00:41:39,940

up in this area which several people in

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00:41:44,400 --> 00:41:42,280

the audience right now have been before

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00:41:46,800 --> 00:41:44,410

and maybe going in the future

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00:41:49,500 --> 00:41:46,810

and we have many folks from JSC that are

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00:41:52,830 --> 00:41:49,510

there right now is Star City where the

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00:41:53,620 --> 00:41:52,840

Russian cosmonauts trained they actually

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00:41:56,710 --> 00:41:53,630

there's a complex

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00:41:58,680 --> 00:41:56,720

not too far from this large runway where

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00:42:01,420 --> 00:41:58,690

they actually do most of their training

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00:42:04,330 --> 00:42:01,430

their large International Airport is

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00:42:09,010 --> 00:42:04,340

right right here this photograph is is

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00:42:10,840 --> 00:42:09,020

oriented with north at the top this city

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00:42:12,490 --> 00:42:10,850

of Moscow is interesting this part of

1080

00:42:17,320 --> 00:42:12,500

the world people have inhabited for

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00:42:20,320 --> 00:42:17,330

2,000 years Moscow itself is 750 years

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00:42:23,950 --> 00:42:20,330

old and this is a home to eight million

1083

00:42:25,500 --> 00:42:23,960

people quite a large city next slide

1084

00:42:29,620 --> 00:42:25,510

please

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00:42:33,060 --> 00:42:29,630

this is in China an area called Alice

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00:42:36,670 --> 00:42:33,070

Shan was a this was a high

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00:42:38,580 --> 00:42:36,680

desertification site we're interest this

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00:42:42,160 --> 00:42:38,590

is an area where they actually irrigate

1089

00:42:45,130 --> 00:42:42,170

and this is the Yellow River here it's

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00:42:47,920 --> 00:42:45,140

high highlighted in Sun glint as you can

1091

00:42:50,640 --> 00:42:47,930

see we caught the Yellow River in China

1092

00:42:53,140 --> 00:42:50,650

it's known as the Hawaiian hoe and

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00:42:54,700 --> 00:42:53,150

actually we were trying to get several

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00:42:57,030 --> 00:42:54,710

shots of this area because we were told

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00:43:00,280 --> 00:42:57,040

that the the Great Wall of China

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00:43:01,450 --> 00:43:00,290

intersects right about in here and it's

1097

00:43:03,220 --> 00:43:01,460

off the bottom of the slide

1098

00:43:06,520 --> 00:43:03,230

unfortunately but there's another area

1099

00:43:09,670 --> 00:43:06,530

so we're still taking a good hard look

1100

00:43:11,800 --> 00:43:09,680

at this shot the Great Wall ran along

1101

00:43:14,260 --> 00:43:11,810

the mountain front in an effort to to

1102

00:43:18,820 --> 00:43:14,270

keep out them on goal invaders next

1103

00:43:21,130 --> 00:43:18,830

slide this is a two hundred and fifty

1104

00:43:22,780 --> 00:43:21,140

millimeter shot of the Everest Mount

1105

00:43:26,200 --> 00:43:22,790

Everest region the highest point in the

1106

00:43:29,080 --> 00:43:26,210

world Mount Everest is right there in

1107

00:43:31,090 --> 00:43:29,090

the middle of shot I wish we had some

1108

00:43:33,400 --> 00:43:31,100

audio going when we when we went over

1109

00:43:35,920 --> 00:43:33,410

Everest because we just just about went

1110

00:43:37,570 --> 00:43:35,930

crazy everybody to with about four

1111

00:43:40,270 --> 00:43:37,580

cameras in each hand trying to take

1112

00:43:43,410 --> 00:43:40,280

pictures the way we find Mount Everest

1113

00:43:46,540 --> 00:43:43,420

this shot is looking mostly to the south

1114

00:43:48,760 --> 00:43:46,550

there's a irrigation towards the bottom

1115

00:43:52,110 --> 00:43:48,770

of the photo which kind of turns into a

1116

00:43:55,330 --> 00:43:52,120

V and then we know if you look along the

1117

00:43:57,370 --> 00:43:55,340

Eastern V at the end of it is Mount

1118

00:44:00,270 --> 00:43:57,380

Everest and that's how we found it there

1119

00:44:06,160 --> 00:44:00,280

the elevation of Mount Everest is about

1120

00:44:07,540 --> 00:44:06,170

29,000 feet so almost five statute miles

1121

00:44:11,830 --> 00:44:07,550

our elevation

1122

00:44:14,020 --> 00:44:11,840

was about or almost I guess five

1123

00:44:17,080 --> 00:44:14,030

nautical miles our elevation or our

1124

00:44:18,580 --> 00:44:17,090

orbit was 150 nautical miles so that's

1125

00:44:20,080 --> 00:44:18,590

the closest that we ever got to the

1126
00:44:23,500 --> 00:44:20,090
earth right there when we're actually in

1127
00:44:28,030 --> 00:44:23,510
orbit the next highest peak is called k2

1128
00:44:30,670 --> 00:44:28,040
it's located to the west and it's its

1129
00:44:31,570 --> 00:44:30,680
elevation is just over 28,000 feet also

1130
00:44:33,940 --> 00:44:31,580
in the Himalayas

1131
00:44:36,940 --> 00:44:33,950
there was a hydrology site here called

1132
00:44:38,590 --> 00:44:36,950
khumba himalaya that was not too far

1133
00:44:43,240 --> 00:44:38,600
away which were interested in as well

1134
00:44:44,920 --> 00:44:43,250
next job and after the blue shift is

1135
00:44:48,280 --> 00:44:44,930
done of course it's our turn to get into

1136
00:44:50,620 --> 00:44:48,290
the bunks and there you see a picture of

1137
00:44:51,970 --> 00:44:50,630
part of my family there and as I said

1138
00:44:56,650 --> 00:44:51,980

before some of the better banners that

1139

00:44:58,410 --> 00:44:56,660

would come out and again you see the

1140

00:45:01,090 --> 00:44:58,420

active looms that we had to wear

1141

00:45:03,820 --> 00:45:01,100

throughout the flight and it's kind of

1142

00:45:05,080 --> 00:45:03,830

funny I've my daughter is 7 weeks old

1143

00:45:07,300 --> 00:45:05,090

and I've noticed some of the things that

1144

00:45:09,760 --> 00:45:07,310

that a small baby does and one of them

1145

00:45:11,560 --> 00:45:09,770

is the reflex and and both Steve and I

1146

00:45:14,200 --> 00:45:11,570

had kind of when we were falling asleep

1147

00:45:15,870 --> 00:45:14,210

we had some reflexes every so often you

1148

00:45:19,180 --> 00:45:15,880

know where you kind of get startled and

1149

00:45:20,680 --> 00:45:19,190

so we fit in the beginning of our sleep

1150

00:45:23,080 --> 00:45:20,690

period usually kept each other up by

1151
00:45:25,350 --> 00:45:23,090
having a reflex and banging the side of

1152
00:45:31,720 --> 00:45:25,360
the bunks here and keeping each other up

1153
00:45:34,180 --> 00:45:31,730
next one this is a shot of the Aurora

1154
00:45:36,280 --> 00:45:34,190
Australis it's a Southern Lights is

1155
00:45:38,050 --> 00:45:36,290
really quite incredible to me one of the

1156
00:45:39,940 --> 00:45:38,060
most spectacular things that we got to

1157
00:45:42,160 --> 00:45:39,950
see on the flight being high inclination

1158
00:45:45,100 --> 00:45:42,170
we got far enough south to be able to

1159
00:45:47,860 --> 00:45:45,110
see this in the redshift got to see the

1160
00:45:49,750 --> 00:45:47,870
lights about on three revs just south of

1161
00:45:52,600 --> 00:45:49,760
Australia they're really incredible

1162
00:45:55,390 --> 00:45:52,610
things to see you can see the entire at

1163
00:46:00,190 --> 00:45:55,400

least on one drive the entire magnetic

1164

00:46:01,990 --> 00:46:00,200

pole and you can see point out some more

1165

00:46:04,120 --> 00:46:02,000

features here you can see the the

1166

00:46:05,890 --> 00:46:04,130

Earth's limb right here the top of the

1167

00:46:08,230 --> 00:46:05,900

atmosphere up here and you can see the

1168

00:46:10,540 --> 00:46:08,240

lights extending up way above that

1169

00:46:12,490 --> 00:46:10,550

in fact on some of the resin we actually

1170

00:46:18,400 --> 00:46:12,500

went through or appeared to go through

1171

00:46:22,760 --> 00:46:20,839

and of course one of my favorite things

1172

00:46:25,370 --> 00:46:22,770

to see on orbit or sunsets and sunrises

1173

00:46:29,180 --> 00:46:25,380

and you know they occur about every 45

1174

00:46:37,069 --> 00:46:29,190

minutes and just fantastic beautiful

1175

00:46:39,289 --> 00:46:37,079

blues that you can see here and with

