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Flying saucers and alien invasions.

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Once the stuff of science fiction.

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Not anymore.

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We're all going against the wind.

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The wind's a hundred and twenty-nine.

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I don't think, dude.

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I do not have an explanation for what this object is.

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But in the land down under,

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UFO sightings aren't one-off events.

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They're happening almost daily.

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I have no idea what this thing is.

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Australia and New Zealand.

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Isolated countries floating in an ocean of blue

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are attempting location for first contact.

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I've seen some weird things in my life.

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I've got extra weirders.

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Call the flying saucer, call the UFO, call the UAP.

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One thing's for sure, it's not a plane.

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Using eyewitness accounts.

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It's like a bloody flying saucer.

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And expert commentary.

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That was physical evidence.

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Now for the first time,

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the Southern Hemisphere's UFO encounters

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are under the microscope.

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Is this seriously a UFO? Look.

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Is there something going on

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that will change what we know

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about our universe?

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In this episode,

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our investigation centers on Australia's northeast coast

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to Queensland, where summer rains fill the creeks and rivers,

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and spill into the jewel-like Great Barrier Reef.

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Is there a connection between UFOs and water?

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Experts are pondering on the ocean

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and they're trying to get the water to flow

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into the ocean.

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Experts are pondering that very question.

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Because in Australia's tropical north,

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accounts of unexplained phenomena

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fill volumes of research.

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Our first UFO encounter takes us to the Lockyer Valley

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in southeast Queensland.

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Prime agricultural country.

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Australia's food bowl.

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It's a tough place, full of tough characters.

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They don't suffer fools in the tropical heat.

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My name's Andy Galt.

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I'm 39 years old.

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I live in Queensland, Australia.

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I'm a project manager

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on a goldmine site in Western Australia.

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Andy is also a storm watcher.

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When he's at home in Queensland,

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he videos the spectacular thunderstorms

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that roll across his property.

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Over the last few years,

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I've witnessed, at least on four or five occasions,

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around the area where I live.

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UFO activity and orbs, lights,

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all sorts of things going on.

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Andy is in no doubt that he lives in a UFO hotspot.

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As far as UFO activity in Australia goes,

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Queensland would be the biggest hotspot for sure.

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In particular, the area where I live in the Lockyer Valley,

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it's had a lot of reporting.

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I've been working with the local government

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in the Lockyer Valley.

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It's had a lot of reporting.

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When you look at social media,

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Australian UFO sites, Queensland sites,

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they sort of eclipse everyone else in Australia.

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Other areas or states in Australia for UFO activity,

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that's for sure.

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And it was on one steamy wet afternoon

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when Andy captured more than he expected.

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On the 9th of October 2018,

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I was out in the shed with my partner.

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There was a storm starting to roll in,

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coming over the creek.

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What I'd been doing is using my phone on slow motion,

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leading up to this day to video lighting activity.

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So when I was videoing,

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the lighting wasn't quite at our property yet.

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It was in the...

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I could see it over on the horizon, it was coming in.

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So I was videoing,

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and there was a flash that I can't describe

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how big and bright the flash was at the time.

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It was that bright.

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My partner was inside the shed, facing the other way.

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She actually turned around at the time and said,

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what the hell was that?

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Like, that was enormous.

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That was a big flash.

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And I said, I don't know what it was.

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And anyhow, at the end of the flash,

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just afterwards, about half a second afterwards,

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we heard a bang.

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It wasn't lightning.

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It was very hard to describe the noise.

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However, I went back through the footage,

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and lo and behold, we saw...

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fly down on the creek bank, do a U-turn,

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and flew back over us.

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I probably took 15 to 20 different videos

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trying to get lightning over a space of an hour or two.

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That one, I've never seen anything like that on my phone.

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Andy forwarded his video to MUFON,

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the Mutual UFO Network.

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And its Australian director, Roger Stankovich,

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is globally recognised for his analysis of UFO

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and UAP evidence.

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We've analysed it, and we've gone into the metadata,

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and there's no tampering

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because legitimate footage of this object.

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So it's not a small object.

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It's not extremely large,

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but it would certainly be

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maybe a couple of metres across, at least.

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It travelled a distance of, yeah,

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a bit more than a quarter of a mile than under a second.

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As it went past, and that's where the flash and the boom went off,

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so for it to cover that distance in under a second,

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that's absolutely phenomenal.

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I don't even know what can do that speed

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and what can cover that distance.

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And it's moving quite rapidly,

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estimated 600 metres per second.

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But even just looking at the slow-motion video,

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it's moving very, very fast for a conventional aircraft.

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It seems to be intelligently controlled,

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so I don't think that it's anything prosaic.

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It's got a very unusual flight pattern.

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We couldn't work out what that was.

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It's not a drone, not anything man-made.

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So, very unusual video.

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We've classified this as an unknown.

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But this isn't the only unknown object

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that Andy's captured on film on his property,

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and around water.

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The six months, I suppose, leading up to that video,

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a lot of things were happening around our house,

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around the creek bank.

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I wasn't surprised, and since that video that I took

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was once again out in the paddock video on a storm,

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and I felt a cold, an extremely cold chill, sort of.

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It went basically straight through my body,

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and I said to my partner,

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you can hear me in the video, I said, oh my God, what was that?

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And when we went back over and looked at the footage,

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there's a green ball of energy

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that comes straight through the back of me,

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and straight out the front.

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Oh my God!

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He's obviously felt its presence.

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It's had a physiological effect on him,

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which is unusual.

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No way that that's lens flare.

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Spherical object, not an insect.

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It looks unusual.

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I've never seen anything like it.

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As the Queensland heat and humidity builds in spring,

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storms are almost daily.

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Andy believes it provides perfect cover

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for extraterrestrial activity.

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And both videos that I took were around about 1,700 or 5pm

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with the storm rolling in, say,

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I don't know, I do believe that with lightning and storm activity

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around, whatever it is that's flying around above us,

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and these things that are around us,

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definitely use the clouds and storms as a guide

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to do what they have to do.

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But the strange happenings around Andrew's property

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centre around a particular creek bank.

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In so many UFO encounters, water is involved.

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I don't know what it is with this creek bank.

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I mean, it can be in the middle of the night,

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and as I said, we don't see cars out where we are

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on the property where we are, so the lights sort of go up and down

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and flicker around, and then they're green,

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and they disappear, and we've seen green lights,

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and once again I've got other videos on my phone

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of a ball of green light coming out of the creek bank

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sitting in the paddock, and then it's flown off into the distance.

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There have been several recorded instances where

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UFOs have been associated with bodies of water,

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whether they be man-made dams, or the ocean, or the creek.

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Andy and his partner eventually summon the nerve

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to go down to the creek.

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Andy wanted to see if the UFO he'd filmed in the paddock

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was still around.

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What we saw is...

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I can't describe it, it's...

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You look at sci-fi movies, you look at all these paintings

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and pictures and drawings of things, fairly accurate,

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all that stuff that you've ever seen in your life,

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but this was real life, and what we saw...

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I've got goosebumps now talking about it.

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It was round, it looked very, very technically advanced,

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and in each of these three or four,

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I think it was four in total craft, there were two occupants.

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Not humans, like not flesh kind of...

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More of a green energy,

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but definitely shaped as a human person.

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We just didn't know what to say.

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It was that clear what we were looking at, I can't explain it.

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They were definitely stereotypical round-flying sources,

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as everyone has described in other sightings.

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Very detailed, very technical looking, that's for sure.

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Nothing like I've ever seen in any airplane or latest drone

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that they bring out.

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Was this the same UFO Andy filmed speeding across his paddock?

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He believes it was.

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I'm 100% confident that what I filmed was what I saw down the Creek Bank.

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We got a little bit frightened off it,

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to the point where I haven't been down the Creek Bank

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in the last four years to video ever again.

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It's a universal truism that UFO sightings

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are traditionally treated with derision and disdain.

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It makes reporting and collating evidence difficult.

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Andy's grateful for people like Roger Stankovich,

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who can help him make sense of what he saw.

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Yeah, Roger's been extremely helpful.

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It was a big step to sort of contact Roger, I thought.

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In my...in A.M. I'm gonna look stupid, or how's this gonna come about?

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But he...I tell you, what if it wasn't for Roger,

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we wouldn't be sitting here having this interview.

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It...

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What I did see that day has changed my perspective in life forever,

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and same as my partner.

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I mean, we thought we knew about what we're doing in life

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and what sort of direction we're heading,

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and this sort of supersedes anything that we ever thought.

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It's changed us forever.

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Later, in this close encounter's down-under investigation,

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the sugarcane farmer who won't let the world not believe.

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Bundaberg, Queensland.

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Gateway to the Great Barrier Reef.

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Warm and tropical weather.

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Beautiful beaches and waterways.

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Its local rum has made the town famous.

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But here's a sobering fact.

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Bundaberg is also one of Australia's UFO hotspots.

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And a local who knows most about what goes on in this town

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is Bundaberg journalist, Angeline Louther.

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Even since being at the current job I'm at now,

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we've had so many people come forward telling us about

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UFO experiences from people who have seen UFOs underwater

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to people who have seen UFOs rise out of water and over properties.

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It seems to be a place that attracts these sorts of sightings.

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Although Angeline is reported on several stories of encounters,

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she has also had her own UFO experience.

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I was living in Torquay and Harvey Bay at the time,

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which is an hour and 20 minutes roughly south of Bundaberg.

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It was February 26, 2019.

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My partner at the time and I had gone to bed about 9.30 p.m. that night.

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It was mostly a clear night.

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I believe that there were some clouds around,

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00:14:15,000 --> 00:14:19,000

but I could see the moon and some stars,

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00:14:19,000 --> 00:14:23,000

although it was a little bit cloudy.

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00:14:27,000 --> 00:14:31,000

I was lying in bed facing the balcony.

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It was around 9.52 p.m. when I was in the middle of the night.

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00:14:37,000 --> 00:14:42,000

I started watching a bright red light moving across the sky.

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00:14:42,000 --> 00:14:46,000

It was darting side to side, then up and down,

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00:14:46,000 --> 00:14:51,000

and then disappearing from view and coming back again.

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00:14:54,000 --> 00:14:58,000

Angeline grabbed her camera and moved to the balcony to get a better view.

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00:14:58,000 --> 00:15:02,000

While I was filming the red craft and zooming in,

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I noticed something underneath it,

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almost like a mist between what I believed to be the craft and the bay.

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It looked like it was sucking up water,

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but I guess the weirdest thing is that I noticed a big, bright white light

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near the red craft.

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So when I zoomed in on the white craft, what I saw was really strange.

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The white craft seemed to have lights going around the outside underneath of it as well,

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and it looked like the lights were spinning.

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All of a sudden, the red light disappeared,

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then a faint white light appeared next to the big white craft, the spinning lights.

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I've never seen anything like it.

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Angeline now knows what it's like to see something you can't explain,

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and she has a deeper respect for those who have shared their stories.

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I think it's so important that people come forward with this sort of information.

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I think that we're living in an age now where we're beginning to accept more and more of these stories.

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Journalists are just as curious as people who have cited these things are.

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And one of those great stories came from a man who is as impressive as the sighting he witnessed.

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I'm Trevor Garrett. I'm 66 years old. I'm a retired farmer,

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and over the course of my life and working outside,

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I've witnessed four or five rather spectacular UFO events.

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He was a real fair dinkum, Aussie blow, just really wanting to try and make sense of what he saw.

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00:16:58,000 --> 00:17:04,000

I wasn't scared. I was awestruck. I was awestruck. That's probably the best way.

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00:17:04,000 --> 00:17:13,000

When he told me about the size of this thing and the fact that it had green lights on it, I was astonished.

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It would have to be huge. At least twice the size of a 737 that fly over.

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That's what made me want to bring that story to a wider audience.

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So I wrote about it and we did have quite a number of other people coming forward saying that they had seen something similar.

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Trevor was a sugarcane farmer at the time.

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I moved to Bundaberg in 2006. That's where I've seen most of these things around Bundaberg.

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But Bundaberg is where we saw the most awesome stuff, spectacular or interesting or whatever word you like to use.

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Trevor's most remarkable encounter took place on one eerie night.

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There was a warning, and it came from the local wildlife.

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We had flying foxes in Palm trees and they were fighting and arguing as they do.

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Anybody who knows about flying foxes, they fight all night.

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They went quiet and I went outside and I was looking around and it was all dead silence.

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I was looking around at what's going on here and I noticed a greenish glow in the sky.

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00:18:33,000 --> 00:18:39,000

I thought, well, what's that that must be reflection of lights in Bundaberg?

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I couldn't work out where this greenish glow was coming from.

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Out of the greenish glow, this triangular shaped object dropped down below the clouds.

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It was overcast at the time.

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It was not an equilateral triangle. It was equal side but short across the back.

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It came out the clouds. It had red and blue lights, very intense.

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It was itself illuminated.

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It just drifted across, well, it didn't drift, but it soundlessly moved across the sky.

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And then towards, got towards the northwest.

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It was a bit more greenish glow in the clouds and it just disappeared up into the clouds.

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00:19:31,000 --> 00:19:37,000

I have no idea what it was. Well, it's not, to me, it's not earthly.

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I don't know what it is.

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I watched it for at least 30 seconds, up to a minute.

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I was all struck. People say, why didn't you get your phone?

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Well, the phone was 30 feet away, but the last thing I thought was.

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You just focused on it, like almost hypnotized, I suppose.

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And my wife was very conservative in her beliefs and this thing frightened her.

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I think whatever they're doing here is for their own purposes.

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Whether those purposes are good or bad for us, I don't know.

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I don't fear when I see them, I'm not frightened of them, but then they're going to get to my age.

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You're not much frightened, you know.

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While many speculate that the Great Barrier Reef is attracting UFOs to Queensland,

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Trevor thinks the craft are attracted to that other stretch of water, the Burnett River.

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It might have to have a guess. I think the Burnett River might be what's drawing up here, but I'll be guessing.

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The majestic Burnett River is the major estuary feeding town.

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It seemed to be following the Burnett River in the course of the Burnett River.

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This light I saw, or not light, whatever I saw, it seemed to be following along about the path of the Burnett River.

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So maybe it's the river they're following, I don't know.

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Water is a recurring feature of the UFO story in tropical North Queensland.

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But why remains a mystery?

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Maybe the answer will be found when there are more witnesses like Trevor who are tough enough to say it as it is.

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Our next investigation.

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Aircraft, satellite, or alien technology.

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What lies at the bottom of the sea off Papua and Nagini?

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This object came from outside the solar system.

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Could another alien civilization done this?

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It's very likely that more intelligent civilizations exist out there.

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The End

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Of the many mysteries uncovered by UFO research, there is usually a rational explanation to debunk any outrageous theories.

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Typically, the notion that we have been visited by aliens from another galaxy is soon met with skeptical arguments that question the technology that could possibly make travel across the vast emptiness of space possible.

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But one Harvard astrophysicist says keeping an open mind to all possibilities is key to eventually understanding the universe in which we live.

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Avilob has been ridiculed by his peers for his views on close encounters.

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But locating a meteor that crashed into the sea to Australia's north could change everything.

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On January 8th, 2014, a missile warning system of the US government detected a meteor about 100 miles off the coast of Papua and Nagini.

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The explosion, the disintegration of this object, released a few percent of the energy released in the Hiroshima atomic explosion.

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Not much bigger than a basketball, it was the object's unusual behavior that piqued Avi's interest.

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The first of all, it was moving faster than your average meteor.

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It's this fact and others that have led him to believe it could be a UFO from another solar system.

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It was moving at 45 kilometers per second at a very high speed, about 18.7 kilometers above the ocean surface.

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And when we extrapolated back in time, we realized this object came from outside the solar system.

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It was moving really fast, faster than 95 percent of all stars near the sun.

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And so that implied that not only that it's unbound to the sun, but also it was moving twice as fast as stars move relative to the sun in its vicinity.

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Definitely an interstellar object in origin.

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Australian National University astrophysicist Brad Tucker has also studied the object and its flight path.

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He agrees its unusual characteristics could suggest the object is advanced alien technology.

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The speed was drastically different than other meteors that we know of coming from our own solar system.

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It was also coming at a different angle, with our solar system being the shape of kind of a disk.

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Most of the meteors we get come from very distinct regions of space, and they come from very distinct speeds.

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In order to travel interstellar, what this means is you've had to have enough energy to escape the gravitational pull of that star.

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So in order to escape another star system, you have to have a huge amount of energy and therefore a huge amount of speed, which immediately makes it interesting.

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Was it something that got flung out of the solar system potentially?

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00:25:35,000 --> 00:25:39,000

Was it something purposely built to leave the solar system?

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00:25:39,000 --> 00:25:40,000

Potentially.

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But until you at least calculate where it came from and where it landed, none of those questions can really go beyond those questions.

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00:25:49,000 --> 00:25:55,000

Anything that has enough speed to escape a stellar system is going to be powerful.

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And if it's a comet that's exciting, if it is a satellite from another stellar system, that's also interesting as well.

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00:26:04,000 --> 00:26:07,000

Could another alien civilization done this?

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00:26:07,000 --> 00:26:10,000

Not on purpose, but they were like us.

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00:26:10,000 --> 00:26:14,000

They wanted to look at the edge of their solar system and their probes just kept going.

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And statistically, it could happen that it just came into our solar system.

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00:26:21,000 --> 00:26:27,000

So how to prove the interstellar credentials of this object?

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Simple.

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Avi Loeb plans to travel to the bottom of the ocean to retrieve it.

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The expedition near Papua New Guinea would explore the Pacific Ocean.

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Avi is confident they can recover this alien object.

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00:26:45,000 --> 00:26:50,000

Addie's received funding for the mission.

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00:26:50,000 --> 00:27:02,000

That would be the first time with an investment of only a few million dollars that we will be able to put our hands on material that came from outside the solar system in a large object.

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00:27:02,000 --> 00:27:04,000

That was never done by humanity before.

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00:27:04,000 --> 00:27:11,000

So it's very exciting to figure out whether this object was natural or artificial in origin.

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00:27:16,000 --> 00:27:23,000

I guess this meteor shows a very attractive landing site for us to examine.

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It's a bold proposal, but as governments acknowledge, UFOs are potentially real.

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Science is also coming around.

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And Avi Loeb's expedition might be a game changer in the search for extraterrestrial life.

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00:27:45,000 --> 00:28:02,000

The down under investigations continue next with an account that has a hardened fisherman running for cover.

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00:28:02,000 --> 00:28:06,000

At a Vietnam veteran reaching for his rifle.

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00:28:06,000 --> 00:28:09,000

Loeb would up and get the buy sign.

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00:28:16,000 --> 00:28:20,000

This is the South Coast of The Netherlands.

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Kalen, a typical small coastal Australian town of its vast north.

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00:28:30,000 --> 00:28:35,000

What's not typical is its bang in the middle of a UFO hot spot.

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00:28:38,000 --> 00:28:43,000

This is flat coastal land, perfect for sugar cane.

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00:28:45,000 --> 00:28:48,240

But nothing, the hardworking Aussies who live here say,

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00:28:48,340 --> 00:28:49,600

is ever sugar coated.

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00:28:52,580 --> 00:28:56,580

These are no nonsense people, straight talkers.

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00:28:56,680 --> 00:28:59,680

Local and primary witness, Jerry Van Dale,

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00:28:59,780 --> 00:29:01,920

is at the heart of our next investigation.

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00:29:01,920 --> 00:29:09,920

MUSIC

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00:29:10,020 --> 00:29:11,120

My name is Jerry Van Dale.

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00:29:11,220 --> 00:29:15,600

I'm actually an IPL officer at the McCall Airport,

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00:29:15,700 --> 00:29:17,660

which is basically a security officer basically,

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00:29:17,760 --> 00:29:21,000

and also a full-time UFO investigator.

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00:29:23,600 --> 00:29:26,500

One warm, clear evening in August 2019,

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00:29:26,600 --> 00:29:30,840

before Jerry was a UFO investigator.

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00:29:30,860 --> 00:29:33,160

He was at home, it was getting late,

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00:29:33,260 --> 00:29:34,900

and he was on his way to bed,

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00:29:35,000 --> 00:29:38,500

when he was distracted by his dog, Chilly.

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00:29:38,600 --> 00:29:42,040

As I was turning off all the lights and locking up,

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00:29:42,140 --> 00:29:46,340

I looked outside in my backyard and I saw my dog, Chilly.

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00:29:46,440 --> 00:29:47,440

Yeah, I was going to be in the backyard,

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00:29:47,540 --> 00:29:49,080

and he was moaning and groaning and thinking,

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00:29:49,180 --> 00:29:50,420

oh, what's wrong with you?

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00:29:50,520 --> 00:29:54,320

So I tried a calling, he wouldn't come,

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00:29:54,420 --> 00:29:55,860

which I felt strange.

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00:29:55,960 --> 00:29:58,620

So I walked outside to have a look.

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00:29:58,720 --> 00:30:00,020

He basically looked up.

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00:30:00,080 --> 00:30:01,020

That's what got my attention.

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00:30:01,120 --> 00:30:03,020

I basically looked up and there it was.

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00:30:03,120 --> 00:30:05,820

MUSIC

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00:30:05,920 --> 00:30:08,720

It looked like a start, like a just a start at first.

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00:30:08,820 --> 00:30:10,120

I thought, you know, what's that?

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00:30:10,220 --> 00:30:12,560

And I thought, well, maybe a plane or a helicopter

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00:30:12,660 --> 00:30:14,500

was coming towards us.

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00:30:14,600 --> 00:30:16,700

The thing was, I think it was, couldn't hear a noise.

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00:30:16,800 --> 00:30:21,300

There was no engine noise, no mechanical sounds, you know?

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00:30:21,400 --> 00:30:23,500

When you hear a helicopter, you hear the thuds

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00:30:23,600 --> 00:30:25,840

of the roaders going.

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00:30:25,940 --> 00:30:28,240

You hear a plane scream, oh, fly over.

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00:30:28,300 --> 00:30:32,560

You hear the jet engine and stuff, but it's nothing.

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00:30:32,660 --> 00:30:35,700

Jerry pulled out his phone and started filming.

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00:30:35,800 --> 00:30:38,940

But on my phone, the phone camera was so tiny,

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00:30:39,040 --> 00:30:40,640

it looked like a red light.

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00:30:40,740 --> 00:30:43,140

It was just emitting red light.

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00:30:43,240 --> 00:30:45,380

What I saw with my own two eyes was this object

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00:30:45,480 --> 00:30:46,820

that was actually coming towards us.

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00:30:46,920 --> 00:30:48,220

It was actually growing.

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00:30:48,320 --> 00:30:50,020

Exponential was getting bigger and bigger.

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00:30:50,120 --> 00:30:53,020

I believe about three minutes by three minutes

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00:30:53,120 --> 00:30:54,220

at a conference.

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00:30:54,320 --> 00:30:58,220

So that's how big it looked as it was coming towards me.

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00:30:59,240 --> 00:31:01,400

But the thing was, no, there was no sound.

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00:31:01,500 --> 00:31:03,600

There was nothing.

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00:31:03,700 --> 00:31:06,000

In the video, you can actually hear cars on the highway.

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00:31:06,100 --> 00:31:07,500

You can actually hear a car that actually

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00:31:07,600 --> 00:31:09,200

drove past my street.

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00:31:09,300 --> 00:31:11,840

As I said, cars on the highway and also a train

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00:31:11,940 --> 00:31:13,140

on the train line.

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00:31:13,240 --> 00:31:16,080

So obviously, my phone had the audio going.

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00:31:16,180 --> 00:31:18,580

But there was nothing emitting from that light, you know?

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00:31:18,680 --> 00:31:21,980

So that's when I thought, OK, I've

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00:31:22,080 --> 00:31:23,320

got to stay here and watch this thing

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00:31:23,420 --> 00:31:27,120

and try and keep it in my view in the camera view.

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00:31:27,140 --> 00:31:29,780

Jerry's dog, Chili, was unresponsive.

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00:31:29,880 --> 00:31:30,980

So what's the matter, boy?

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00:31:31,080 --> 00:31:33,780

And I thought, maybe a snake was spitting or something.

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00:31:33,880 --> 00:31:37,220

If we do have snakes here where we live.

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00:31:37,320 --> 00:31:39,220

But there was nothing there.

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00:31:39,320 --> 00:31:42,020

UFO investigator Roger Stankovich

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00:31:42,120 --> 00:31:44,960

knows from his research that pets and animals have

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00:31:45,060 --> 00:31:47,760

an acute awareness of UFO activity.

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00:31:47,860 --> 00:31:49,560

There has been recorded instances

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00:31:49,660 --> 00:31:54,000

where animals are sensitive to animals.

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00:31:54,080 --> 00:31:55,500

And there's been recorded instances

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00:31:55,600 --> 00:32:00,700

where animals are sensitive to the presence of UFOs.

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00:32:00,800 --> 00:32:02,400

And there's been recorded instances

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00:32:02,500 --> 00:32:04,700

where animals become silent.

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00:32:04,800 --> 00:32:11,400

Or I've interviewed witnesses where during a UFO event,

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00:32:11,500 --> 00:32:16,440

everything's silent, even crickets, frogs, everything

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00:32:16,540 --> 00:32:19,740

becomes silent, whether they're aware of the presence

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00:32:19,840 --> 00:32:21,580

of this electromagnetic radiation

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00:32:21,660 --> 00:32:22,960

that shuts everything off.

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00:32:23,060 --> 00:32:23,860

I don't know.

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00:32:26,760 --> 00:32:31,060

As I started bearing away, it looked like he got smaller again.

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00:32:31,160 --> 00:32:32,660

It was really strange.

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00:32:32,760 --> 00:32:37,960

I wish I'd, yeah, it was just so strange how it just went

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00:32:38,060 --> 00:32:38,960

from big to small.

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00:32:39,060 --> 00:32:40,260

And then it just stayed small.

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00:32:40,360 --> 00:32:45,580

And then it kept going all the way up to the ocean.

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00:32:45,680 --> 00:32:46,980

It was definitely something that a man may have made.

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00:32:47,080 --> 00:32:49,380

No.

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00:32:49,680 --> 00:32:52,020

I got on Fly Tracker straight after it.

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00:32:52,120 --> 00:32:53,960

If the object was a plane, I would still

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00:32:54,060 --> 00:32:55,880

be able to see it on Fly Tracker going out to sea.

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00:32:55,980 --> 00:33:00,260

There was nothing on Fly Tracker at that time.

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00:33:00,360 --> 00:33:02,680

There's no helicopters, no nothing going out to sea.

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00:33:02,780 --> 00:33:06,160

So what was it?

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00:33:06,260 --> 00:33:08,360

What the hell was it, you know?

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00:33:08,460 --> 00:33:11,520

Having a sighting verified by independent witnesses

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00:33:11,620 --> 00:33:17,300

is the gold standard for certifying a genuine UFO encounter.

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00:33:17,320 --> 00:33:19,620

Jerry's sighting that night was verified

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00:33:19,720 --> 00:33:21,700

by three other witnesses.

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00:33:21,800 --> 00:33:25,400

Two were reported in the local newspaper.

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00:33:25,500 --> 00:33:27,600

The lady in the town called Cuddlebook,

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00:33:27,700 --> 00:33:30,300

which is about 15 minutes away from me,

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00:33:30,400 --> 00:33:32,140

had fled as she flew over the top of her house.

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00:33:32,240 --> 00:33:34,640

And she actually contacted me directly.

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00:33:34,740 --> 00:33:39,680

And also two other people came forward to the Dalai Mercury.

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00:33:39,780 --> 00:33:41,980

What I actually came forward, basically,

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00:33:42,080 --> 00:33:44,620

telling the journalists that they saw it coming home

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00:33:44,720 --> 00:33:46,860

from early beef on a fishing trip.

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00:33:46,920 --> 00:33:50,320

They're saying at the same time in Kailin,

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00:33:50,420 --> 00:33:51,720

from where I basically live.

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00:33:55,520 --> 00:33:58,660

They basically said they saw the same object as I did.

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00:33:58,760 --> 00:34:03,900

It was red, red in color, moving too slow

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00:34:04,000 --> 00:34:08,100

to be a plane or a helicopter, and just emitting

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00:34:08,200 --> 00:34:09,660

a bright red light.

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00:34:09,760 --> 00:34:14,440

So yeah, so it's actually good that it wasn't just myself.

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00:34:14,540 --> 00:34:16,380

Because when you see an object by itself,

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00:34:16,400 --> 00:34:18,900

people go, oh, yeah, right?

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00:34:19,000 --> 00:34:22,240

Well, like, but when other witnesses see it,

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00:34:22,340 --> 00:34:25,480

then it starts and the pieces are falling together,

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00:34:25,580 --> 00:34:28,120

people start to go, OK, maybe it's on the truth.

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00:34:34,580 --> 00:34:37,220

Jerry's read up on recent UFO sightings,

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00:34:37,320 --> 00:34:40,120

and not just those in Queensland.

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00:34:40,220 --> 00:34:42,960

He raises questions many of us are asking.

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00:34:43,060 --> 00:34:44,060

Maybe they're from the future.

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00:34:44,160 --> 00:34:45,800

Maybe they're coming back towards us

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00:34:45,820 --> 00:34:48,260

and trying to warn us this time about something,

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00:34:48,360 --> 00:34:52,120

destroying the planet or apparently the Ukrainian Russian

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00:34:52,220 --> 00:34:53,460

crisis.

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00:34:53,560 --> 00:34:56,300

There are troops that've actually seen black objects,

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00:34:56,400 --> 00:35:01,200

black triangles flying around.

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00:35:01,300 --> 00:35:02,700

Whether that's true or not, I don't know.

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00:35:02,800 --> 00:35:05,200

There have been a lot of instances

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00:35:05,300 --> 00:35:08,640

where objects have been reported in war zones.

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00:35:08,740 --> 00:35:09,940

Are they trying to tell us something?

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00:35:10,040 --> 00:35:11,700

Are they trying to bring us to peace?

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00:35:11,800 --> 00:35:13,240

So they can actually come to our Earth

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00:35:13,280 --> 00:35:15,980

and then give us a technology.

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00:35:16,080 --> 00:35:17,080

You know, it really has to say.

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00:35:20,580 --> 00:35:22,780

Whatever their motives for visiting Earth,

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00:35:22,880 --> 00:35:26,180

it's fair to say having one close encounter in a lifetime

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00:35:26,280 --> 00:35:27,920

is a rare event.

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00:35:28,020 --> 00:35:30,520

Unbelievably, Jerry has had two.

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00:35:38,500 --> 00:35:42,000

An encounter in his youth while working on a deep sea trawler

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00:35:42,060 --> 00:35:43,960

would leave Jerry rattled to his core.

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00:35:46,660 --> 00:35:48,660

So when I was 17, I was actually working

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00:35:48,760 --> 00:35:53,640

on a professional fishing boat off Maka'i

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00:35:53,740 --> 00:35:56,440

that used to work 400 nautical miles offshore

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00:35:56,540 --> 00:35:57,900

to the Great Barrier Reef.

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00:35:58,000 --> 00:35:59,740

Jerry was lying on deck.

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00:35:59,840 --> 00:36:02,540

It was a calm summer's night.

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00:36:02,640 --> 00:36:06,280

And way out in the coral sea, it's dark,

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00:36:06,380 --> 00:36:09,280

with only the Milky Way lighting the night sky.

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00:36:09,380 --> 00:36:11,480

I was laying there in the cool weather.

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00:36:11,540 --> 00:36:13,500

Cool air, night air, summertime air.

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00:36:13,600 --> 00:36:17,540

And so I thought which was just this green object,

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00:36:17,640 --> 00:36:20,140

like it was like a green orb.

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00:36:20,240 --> 00:36:22,580

I had to be saying, I thought, oh, it's just a satellite,

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00:36:22,680 --> 00:36:24,280

you know?

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00:36:24,380 --> 00:36:27,180

But then this thing just shot down towards the ocean.

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00:36:27,280 --> 00:36:29,820

And I'm thinking, what the hell is this?

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00:36:29,920 --> 00:36:31,080

And it sort of scared me.

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00:36:31,180 --> 00:36:32,920

I just sat up and I'm watching it, you know?

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00:36:33,020 --> 00:36:34,320

And it sort of stopped me.

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00:36:34,420 --> 00:36:37,360

And just sat there for about 10 seconds.

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00:36:37,460 --> 00:36:39,360

And then just doing these erratic movements.

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00:36:39,420 --> 00:36:41,580

And then it went off the distance towards the other boat.

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00:36:41,680 --> 00:36:43,780

And as it did that, it actually went down below

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00:36:43,880 --> 00:36:45,080

and got me a boss.

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00:36:45,180 --> 00:36:47,120

And then he came up and it was just going,

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00:36:47,220 --> 00:36:48,720

like, left and right, and really radically.

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00:36:48,820 --> 00:36:51,060

And then it just stopped and shot back up into the air.

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00:36:51,160 --> 00:36:55,060

Like, it was just, yeah, it was just so quick, you know?

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00:36:55,160 --> 00:36:57,360

We never saw anything like that in our lives, you know?

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00:37:01,460 --> 00:37:02,760

Faster than a plane, mate.

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00:37:02,860 --> 00:37:04,420

Much faster than a fighter jet.

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00:37:04,520 --> 00:37:06,320

Much faster.

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00:37:06,420 --> 00:37:08,120

You know, why a fighter jet goes, well,

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00:37:08,180 --> 00:37:09,740

a thousand k's an hour?

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00:37:09,840 --> 00:37:11,740

This thing was way faster than that.

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00:37:11,840 --> 00:37:13,940

Like, there was a boat, as I said,

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00:37:14,040 --> 00:37:16,740

there was a boat probably, I think it was like 30 nautical miles

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00:37:16,840 --> 00:37:19,080

from where we were to the northwest of us.

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00:37:19,180 --> 00:37:20,840

You could still see the glow of the light.

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00:37:20,940 --> 00:37:25,940

I mean, basically, we watched that go from point A to point B

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00:37:26,040 --> 00:37:27,340

within two seconds.

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00:37:27,440 --> 00:37:29,740

It was there, it was right on top of that light.

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00:37:29,840 --> 00:37:32,340

And then it basically shot back towards us again, you know?

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00:37:32,440 --> 00:37:35,840

Like, yeah, it was, yeah, it was big.

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00:37:35,940 --> 00:37:36,940

It was fast.

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00:37:39,040 --> 00:37:41,580

UFO expert Jamie Leonardo has tried

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00:37:41,680 --> 00:37:44,240

to understand the connection between the sea

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00:37:44,340 --> 00:37:46,340

and these phenomena.

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00:37:46,440 --> 00:37:50,380

There seems to be an incredible relationship

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00:37:50,480 --> 00:37:52,540

between these objects and water.

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00:37:52,640 --> 00:37:54,340

And, you know, when you think about it,

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00:37:54,440 --> 00:37:56,440

we are the water planet.

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00:37:56,540 --> 00:37:59,840

While Jerry couldn't get his head around what the object was,

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00:37:59,940 --> 00:38:03,280

he has, in hindsight, pondered for years

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00:38:03,380 --> 00:38:04,840

the nature of what he saw.

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00:38:04,940 --> 00:38:07,180

Well, maybe it came from another big,

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00:38:07,240 --> 00:38:09,840

another bigger ship that I couldn't see with my naked eye.

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00:38:09,940 --> 00:38:11,580

Like, was that probably up high in the hemisphere

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00:38:11,680 --> 00:38:12,780

or something like that?

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00:38:12,880 --> 00:38:14,940

Or, I don't know, maybe it was just like a probe

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00:38:15,040 --> 00:38:17,880

that was coming down there to have a look at what it was

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00:38:17,980 --> 00:38:22,380

or have a look at what our Earth is like.

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00:38:22,480 --> 00:38:28,420

But maybe, just maybe, the mothership wasn't up above.

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00:38:28,520 --> 00:38:30,260

There's a lot of people that have speculated

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00:38:30,360 --> 00:38:33,660

that there's underwater UFO bases.

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00:38:33,760 --> 00:38:36,360

And one of the most well-documented UFO cases

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00:38:36,620 --> 00:38:40,220

in modern history points to a link between UFOs

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00:38:40,320 --> 00:38:42,420

and underwater activity.

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00:38:42,520 --> 00:38:45,920

It happened near an aircraft carrier, the USS Nimitz,

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00:38:46,020 --> 00:38:49,960

off the coast of San Diego in 2004.

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00:38:50,060 --> 00:38:53,960

When a UFO was recorded traveling at mind-blowing speeds,

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00:38:54,060 --> 00:39:00,300

so fast, it could traverse the entire galaxy in four months.

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00:39:00,400 --> 00:39:04,040

Here it is captured on a Navy fighter jet's camera,

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00:39:04,620 --> 00:39:07,620

roughly 40 feet long and oval-shaped.

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00:39:07,720 --> 00:39:12,880

Aptly, it became known as the Tic Tac UFO.

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00:39:12,980 --> 00:39:16,760

And alarmingly, it knew where the Navy planes were headed.

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00:39:16,860 --> 00:39:20,360

It arrived at their destination before they did.

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00:39:20,460 --> 00:39:21,600

But that's not all.

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00:39:21,700 --> 00:39:24,560

These pilots believe they may have spotted a mothership.

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00:39:27,660 --> 00:39:32,300

2004, we were at the Nimitz, and we're looking at not one,

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00:39:32,360 --> 00:39:33,600

but two objects.

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00:39:33,700 --> 00:39:36,900

The first object that they were drawn to paying attention to

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00:39:37,000 --> 00:39:40,700

was quite large in comparison to the Tic Tac.

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00:39:40,800 --> 00:39:45,300

And it was submerged right next to this aircraft carrier.

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00:39:45,400 --> 00:39:49,540

So that was really big trouble in terms of, like,

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00:39:49,640 --> 00:39:52,080

a military operation off the coast there.

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00:39:52,180 --> 00:39:54,040

You've got to pay attention to that.

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00:39:54,140 --> 00:39:56,520

Then all of a sudden, this smaller object,

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00:39:56,620 --> 00:40:01,720

around 40 feet in length, shot up from a bright next speed,

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00:40:01,740 --> 00:40:05,340

and it didn't show any problem with the torque in the water.

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00:40:05,440 --> 00:40:08,120

Just seemed to actually be moving at the same speed

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00:40:08,220 --> 00:40:12,820

in the air as it was in water, which we know cannot be done.

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00:40:12,920 --> 00:40:16,320

Jerry Vandale's experience was also off the coast.

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00:40:16,420 --> 00:40:18,760

And when you are hundreds of miles from anywhere

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00:40:18,860 --> 00:40:21,600

in the middle of the night on a small boat,

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00:40:21,700 --> 00:40:25,800

an experience like this is nothing but frightening.

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00:40:25,900 --> 00:40:29,200

So much so that Jerry's captain, a hardened Vietnam

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00:40:29,300 --> 00:40:31,000

vet, was shaken.

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00:40:31,060 --> 00:40:34,860

He looked at him and said, you know, was that like,

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00:40:34,960 --> 00:40:37,460

he said, I don't know, but we're not sticking around to find out.

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00:40:37,560 --> 00:40:38,960

We're going to pull up angering.

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00:40:39,060 --> 00:40:40,600

Head to here.

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00:40:40,700 --> 00:40:43,500

So, you know, he was petrified.

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00:40:43,600 --> 00:40:48,400

I've never seen, especially being a Vietnam vet,

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00:40:48,500 --> 00:40:51,400

yeah, he was pretty much petrified.

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00:40:51,500 --> 00:40:53,800

He would have seen a lot of stuff in Vietnam,

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00:40:53,900 --> 00:40:56,800

but yeah, he was petrified when he saw this.

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00:40:56,900 --> 00:40:58,000

He couldn't explain it.

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00:40:58,100 --> 00:40:59,000

He wanted to explain it.

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00:40:59,100 --> 00:41:00,400

He just wanted to get the hell out of there.

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00:41:00,400 --> 00:41:03,900

Before they left, Jerry's captain ran to his cabin

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00:41:04,000 --> 00:41:06,500

and fetched his 303 rifle.

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00:41:06,600 --> 00:41:10,900

And loaded it up and yeah, kept it by his side basically

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00:41:11,000 --> 00:41:12,700

until we got to Macai Harbor.

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00:41:12,800 --> 00:41:17,200

Basically, he was petrified, man.

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00:41:17,300 --> 00:41:20,200

I wasn't on land, so I was actually on a boat

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00:41:20,300 --> 00:41:22,400

one of the nautical miles offshore in the Grand Barrier

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00:41:22,500 --> 00:41:26,900

Reef, which takes us nearly 12 hours to get back to board,

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00:41:27,000 --> 00:41:28,000

you know.

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00:41:28,100 --> 00:41:30,000

It took us, you know, 12 hours to get home.

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00:41:30,100 --> 00:41:32,700

So that was probably the more frightening factor

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00:41:32,800 --> 00:41:35,500

was that was this thing following us

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00:41:35,600 --> 00:41:37,800

or was it going to come back and abduct all of us

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00:41:37,900 --> 00:41:41,000

or what do you think, you know, like, yeah.

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00:41:41,100 --> 00:41:43,800

I basically sort of have them on the bow basically

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00:41:43,900 --> 00:41:46,900

just scanning the skies, just trying to see if this thing

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00:41:47,000 --> 00:41:48,800

is going to come back for us, you know, like,

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00:41:48,900 --> 00:41:51,100

because it scared the hell out of us, man.

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00:41:51,200 --> 00:41:52,100

It really did.

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00:41:54,700 --> 00:41:57,100

When he got back to the safety of dry land,

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00:41:57,300 --> 00:42:00,200

Jerry vowed to never go out on a fishing boat again.

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00:42:04,200 --> 00:42:07,000

I basically said, I'm not going back out.

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00:42:07,100 --> 00:42:08,400

See you later. I'm done dusted.

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00:42:08,500 --> 00:42:11,800

It was pretty hard to hear the woman to quit

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00:42:11,900 --> 00:42:12,800

because I'm a pretty good fisherman.

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00:42:12,900 --> 00:42:14,600

But he said, he said, mate, it's up to you.

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00:42:14,700 --> 00:42:16,000

I said, look, I'm not going back out.

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00:42:16,100 --> 00:42:20,000

But 27 years later, Jerry's back out on the water,

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00:42:20,100 --> 00:42:23,200

wiser, older, and hopeful.

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00:42:23,300 --> 00:42:26,500

These days, he fishes to relax.

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00:42:26,500 --> 00:42:29,600

I've sort of come to terms with the fact that, OK,

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00:42:29,700 --> 00:42:31,500

if there is life out there, we're going to still

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00:42:31,600 --> 00:42:33,300

allow to know about it.

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00:42:33,400 --> 00:42:37,000

And we're going to have to get used to it.

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00:42:37,100 --> 00:42:40,700

Jerry Vandell has been researching UFOs for many years.

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00:42:40,800 --> 00:42:44,200

And while he believes he and his captain witnessed a UFO,

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00:42:44,300 --> 00:42:48,800

he's still not sure exactly what it was.

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00:42:48,900 --> 00:42:53,200

More importantly, did it come from above or down below?