

# Dr. David Clarke

## The 1993 Cosford Incident



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00:00:32,810 --> 00:00:30,589

[Music]

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00:00:35,810 --> 00:00:32,820  
welcome back to disclosure team YouTube

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00:00:36,830 --> 00:00:35,820  
channel I'm your host Vinnie Adams and

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00:00:38,870 --> 00:00:36,840  
today

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00:00:41,330 --> 00:00:38,880  
my guest and myself we're going to be

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00:00:45,049 --> 00:00:41,340  
taking a somewhat of a deep dive into

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00:00:46,970 --> 00:00:45,059  
the 1993 CrossFit incident now this case

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00:00:49,310 --> 00:00:46,980  
for anybody that has heard of it is

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00:00:50,990 --> 00:00:49,320  
usually associated with black triangles

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00:00:53,450 --> 00:00:51,000  
and things like that but

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00:00:55,189 --> 00:00:53,460  
myself and David are going to sort of go

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00:00:57,529 --> 00:00:55,199  
into some of the details that are less

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00:01:00,650 --> 00:00:57,539

often talked about that are but

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00:01:03,170 --> 00:01:00,660

seriously really important points so uh

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00:01:05,630 --> 00:01:03,180

let's bring in my guests welcome back uh

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00:01:10,330 --> 00:01:05,640

David how are you I'm fine hello again

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00:01:15,050 --> 00:01:12,830

another Deep dive well it seems that a

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00:01:17,149 --> 00:01:15,060

lot of these UK cases people have heard

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00:01:18,710 --> 00:01:17,159

the names but there's very little detail

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00:01:20,870 --> 00:01:18,720

known about them and I just think it's

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00:01:22,789 --> 00:01:20,880

worth just setting the record straight

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00:01:24,289 --> 00:01:22,799

somewhat on what people should be

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00:01:25,249 --> 00:01:24,299

focusing on when they hear these names

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00:01:26,870 --> 00:01:25,259

so

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00:01:28,910 --> 00:01:26,880

yeah if you don't mind can you just give

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00:01:30,830 --> 00:01:28,920

us kind of the brief overview of what

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00:01:32,149 --> 00:01:30,840

the crossford incident really is all

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00:01:33,649 --> 00:01:32,159

about and what happened

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00:01:35,929 --> 00:01:33,659

yeah um

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00:01:38,330 --> 00:01:35,939

sure why it's called the cosford

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00:01:42,490 --> 00:01:38,340

incident I mean there was one of those

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00:01:45,710 --> 00:01:42,500

items uh was at Raf cosford which is a a

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00:01:48,469 --> 00:01:45,720

RAF Air Base in the West Midlands and it

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00:01:50,810 --> 00:01:48,479

was by a military police patrol but

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00:01:52,370 --> 00:01:50,820

their sighting isn't really massively

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00:01:54,530 --> 00:01:52,380

spectacular they were just out on the

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00:01:57,710 --> 00:01:54,540

Airfield and we saw the same as a lot of

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00:02:00,230 --> 00:01:57,720

other people saw two bright white golden

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00:02:02,450 --> 00:02:00,240

sort of colored

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00:02:04,550 --> 00:02:02,460

um lights what appeared to be

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00:02:07,069 --> 00:02:04,560

um reasonably low in the sky but again

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00:02:09,229 --> 00:02:07,079

this is the the problem

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00:02:11,270 --> 00:02:09,239

um with with witness descriptions when

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00:02:14,750 --> 00:02:11,280

when people are trying to estimate how

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00:02:16,910 --> 00:02:14,760

far and how high something is I think um

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00:02:20,270 --> 00:02:16,920

because of them being military police

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00:02:21,890 --> 00:02:20,280

that's why this this has become known as

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00:02:24,050 --> 00:02:21,900

the cosford insulin but it's a classic

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00:02:25,970 --> 00:02:24,060

UFO flap I think that's what we can say

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00:02:29,449 --> 00:02:25,980

that happened almost exactly 30 years

51  
00:02:33,170 --> 00:02:29,459  
ago and I think all in all there's there

52  
00:02:35,210 --> 00:02:33,180  
was about 70 witnesses to this event and

53  
00:02:40,190 --> 00:02:35,220  
it was in the early hours of the morning

54  
00:02:41,930 --> 00:02:40,200  
of the 30th 31st of March 1993 yeah

55  
00:02:45,229 --> 00:02:41,940  
there's the interesting thing about it

56  
00:02:46,970 --> 00:02:45,239  
is we just put our clocks forward from

57  
00:02:50,030 --> 00:02:46,980  
um Greenwich Mean Time to British summer

58  
00:02:52,790 --> 00:02:50,040  
time so this is one of the things that

59  
00:02:54,530 --> 00:02:52,800  
confuses the um the witness testimony

60  
00:02:56,210 --> 00:02:54,540  
because some of the people particularly

61  
00:02:58,309 --> 00:02:56,220  
the military

62  
00:03:00,530 --> 00:02:58,319  
um Witnesses and there were quite a few

63  
00:03:03,890 --> 00:03:00,540

um military witnesses to this um

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00:03:06,050 --> 00:03:03,900

sighting uh gave their descriptions and

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00:03:08,630 --> 00:03:06,060

times in what what's written as Zulu

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00:03:11,030 --> 00:03:08,640

hours and what that what that means is

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00:03:13,309 --> 00:03:11,040

they're still giving um

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00:03:16,130 --> 00:03:13,319

we're still giving sort of um British

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00:03:17,630 --> 00:03:16,140

GMT when it really should have been a

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00:03:21,589 --> 00:03:17,640

British summer time which is one hour

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00:03:23,750 --> 00:03:21,599

later so the local time the time of most

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00:03:26,690 --> 00:03:23,760

of the sightings was I think about 10

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00:03:31,009 --> 00:03:26,700

past one quarter past one in the morning

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00:03:33,470 --> 00:03:31,019

whereas the people who were reporting it

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00:03:35,750 --> 00:03:33,480

in the GMT were giving it as just after

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00:03:38,330 --> 00:03:35,760

midnight so that's where you get this

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00:03:39,710 --> 00:03:38,340

idea that there's there's a spread of

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00:03:41,210 --> 00:03:39,720

sightings that there were things going

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00:03:42,589 --> 00:03:41,220

on all through the night which isn't

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00:03:45,410 --> 00:03:42,599

strictly true

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00:03:47,869 --> 00:03:45,420

and also people misremember the time so

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00:03:50,809 --> 00:03:47,879

what did people see basically and there

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00:03:54,289 --> 00:03:50,819

was a host of sightings uh stretching

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00:03:56,030 --> 00:03:54,299

from South Wales Devon and Cornwall

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00:03:58,070 --> 00:03:56,040

um a lot in the West Midlands around

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00:04:00,110 --> 00:03:58,080

Birmingham Wolverhampton Shropshire

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00:04:02,270 --> 00:04:00,120

there was some outline sightings up in

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00:04:04,250 --> 00:04:02,280

South Yorkshire and I think there was a

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00:04:06,830 --> 00:04:04,260

police patrol that saw something like a

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00:04:09,530 --> 00:04:06,840

big glass-bottomed object with lights in

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00:04:12,050 --> 00:04:09,540

a triangle something of that kind

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00:04:14,690 --> 00:04:12,060

um and at the time

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00:04:16,129 --> 00:04:14,700

um people thought um that this was

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00:04:17,930 --> 00:04:16,139

something that was just confined to the

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00:04:20,150 --> 00:04:17,940

UK so the ministry of defense and it was

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00:04:22,490 --> 00:04:20,160

Nick Pope who was on the UFO desk at the

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00:04:24,290 --> 00:04:22,500

time you can imagine what was waiting

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00:04:26,749 --> 00:04:24,300

for him when he arrived at work the next

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00:04:29,110 --> 00:04:26,759

morning you know there'd be mountains of

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00:04:31,670 --> 00:04:29,120

signals calls messages

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00:04:34,909 --> 00:04:31,680

all of them given different times and

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00:04:36,530 --> 00:04:34,919

locations and he he did his best to try

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00:04:38,810 --> 00:04:36,540

and pull some of this together and make

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00:04:41,150 --> 00:04:38,820

sense of it what he didn't realize at

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00:04:43,310 --> 00:04:41,160

the time and this has only come to line

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00:04:45,110 --> 00:04:43,320

later was that there were also sightings

107

00:04:47,689 --> 00:04:45,120

in Ireland

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00:04:49,129 --> 00:04:47,699

um the the Irish defense Corps had two

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00:04:51,710 --> 00:04:49,139

really good sightings in fact they they

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00:04:53,390 --> 00:04:51,720

one of them that was from a helicopter

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00:04:56,570 --> 00:04:53,400

which reported what they'd seen is

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00:04:58,730 --> 00:04:56,580

almost like a a near-miss near Shannon

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00:05:01,129 --> 00:04:58,740

Airport again around this sort of ten

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00:05:02,749 --> 00:05:01,139

past one in the morning and there were

115

00:05:04,010 --> 00:05:02,759

sightings in France there were sightings

116

00:05:07,430 --> 00:05:04,020

in Spain

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00:05:10,310 --> 00:05:07,440

and looking at that now in retrospect

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00:05:12,650 --> 00:05:10,320

any ufologist anyone that sort of has

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00:05:15,590 --> 00:05:12,660

got a good knowledge of what the cause

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00:05:17,710 --> 00:05:15,600

of UFO sightings tends to be if you've

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00:05:20,390 --> 00:05:17,720

got lots and lots of people like that

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00:05:22,730 --> 00:05:20,400

reporting something

123

00:05:25,370 --> 00:05:22,740

um right across Europe it's something

124

00:05:27,770 --> 00:05:25,380

very very high in the sky so what is it

125

00:05:29,210 --> 00:05:27,780

is is it is it a meteorite burning up in

126

00:05:31,430 --> 00:05:29,220

the atmosphere we've had a lot of really

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00:05:34,010 --> 00:05:31,440

good cases of this haven't we recently

128

00:05:37,129 --> 00:05:34,020

things captured on them

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00:05:39,350 --> 00:05:37,139

um cameras on people's doors and on car

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00:05:40,670 --> 00:05:39,360

cams that kind of thing so it's either

131

00:05:46,129 --> 00:05:40,680

going to be

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00:05:47,330 --> 00:05:46,139

junk and in this case

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00:05:49,550 --> 00:05:47,340

um we knew

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00:05:51,770 --> 00:05:49,560

um because because this has again been

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00:05:55,010 --> 00:05:51,780

well documented that the Russians put up

136

00:05:57,110 --> 00:05:55,020

a communication satellite into orbit on

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00:06:00,830 --> 00:05:57,120

the night of the 30th of March Cyclone

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00:06:03,110 --> 00:06:00,840

or also known as cosmos 2238 and it was

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00:06:05,450 --> 00:06:03,120

launched by two rockets and those

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00:06:06,650 --> 00:06:05,460

Rockets fell back into orbit around the

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00:06:09,350 --> 00:06:06,660

Earth

142

00:06:11,270 --> 00:06:09,360

um re-entered and they burnt up and this

143

00:06:14,150 --> 00:06:11,280

is what people saw this is what the

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00:06:17,270 --> 00:06:14,160

police patrol saw at Raf cosford and it

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00:06:19,909 --> 00:06:17,280

was seen as two brilliant white lights

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00:06:21,950 --> 00:06:19,919

in formation with a big vapor trail that

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00:06:24,290 --> 00:06:21,960

they were visible for a long period of

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00:06:25,129 --> 00:06:24,300

time comparatively you know two or three

149

00:06:26,990 --> 00:06:25,139

minutes

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00:06:28,730 --> 00:06:27,000

and I've got to say it's one of the few

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00:06:32,990 --> 00:06:28,740

sightings this one

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00:06:35,510 --> 00:06:33,000

Mass sightings where a famous UFO writer

153

00:06:37,430 --> 00:06:35,520

actually witnessed it um I don't know um

154

00:06:39,110 --> 00:06:37,440

whether you've heard of a guy called

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00:06:41,749 --> 00:06:39,120

Peter brooksmith

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00:06:43,610 --> 00:06:41,759

doesn't ring a bell no he'd written he

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00:06:46,189 --> 00:06:43,620

was very well known writer um he'd

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00:06:49,930 --> 00:06:46,199

written two or three books on UFOs uh

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00:06:52,450 --> 00:06:49,940

one of them with Paul Devereux called um

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00:06:55,730 --> 00:06:52,460

I've got to say he's a

161

00:06:57,290 --> 00:06:55,740

particularly well-known skeptic but he

162

00:06:59,870 --> 00:06:57,300

was out

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00:07:01,309 --> 00:06:59,880

um at one in the morning he lives in the

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00:07:03,950 --> 00:07:01,319

Welsh mountains somewhere up in the

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00:07:06,590 --> 00:07:03,960

presellis and he was walking his dog and

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00:07:08,689 --> 00:07:06,600

he saw these two lights in the sky at

167

00:07:10,610 --> 00:07:08,699

just after one in the morning and it

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00:07:11,689 --> 00:07:10,620

couldn't and he was perplexed he

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00:07:12,950 --> 00:07:11,699

couldn't work out what they were he

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00:07:14,990 --> 00:07:12,960

thought they were military aircraft

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00:07:17,270 --> 00:07:15,000

initially

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00:07:19,550 --> 00:07:17,280

um and he wrote a piece about it in one

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00:07:22,010 --> 00:07:19,560

of his books so he I mean how often is

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00:07:24,529 --> 00:07:22,020

it you actually get a well-known

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00:07:25,969 --> 00:07:24,539

ufologist at the time anyway

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00:07:28,070 --> 00:07:25,979

um who actually sees something that's

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00:07:30,589 --> 00:07:28,080

been seen by lots of other people in a

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00:07:32,390 --> 00:07:30,599

random sort of sighting flap of this

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00:07:34,370 --> 00:07:32,400

kind

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00:07:37,189 --> 00:07:34,380

yeah it doesn't happen very often at all

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00:07:40,309 --> 00:07:37,199

for an incident in summary really yeah

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00:07:42,409 --> 00:07:40,319

now that's it so I guess you know

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00:07:44,150 --> 00:07:42,419

obviously Nick Pope sekas were taking

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00:07:46,790 --> 00:07:44,160

calls and you know they were getting a

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00:07:48,589 --> 00:07:46,800

lot of information coming in so what

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00:07:51,350 --> 00:07:48,599

what happened from there you know how

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00:07:53,330 --> 00:07:51,360

did this become more than it really

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00:07:55,670 --> 00:07:53,340

should have been

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00:07:58,070 --> 00:07:55,680

well um what happened then is the

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00:08:00,230 --> 00:07:58,080

there's been there were two files on

191

00:08:01,850 --> 00:08:00,240

this case that we released that the

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00:08:03,890 --> 00:08:01,860

National Archives one of them was the

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00:08:07,129 --> 00:08:03,900

secas file which is the one that Nick

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00:08:09,469 --> 00:08:07,139

Pooh compiled which is

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00:08:13,249 --> 00:08:09,479

full of lots of sort of scribbled notes

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00:08:16,129 --> 00:08:13,259

he actually um he asked the RAF radar to

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00:08:17,809 --> 00:08:16,139

look um scam look at the radar tapes for

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00:08:19,670 --> 00:08:17,819

the evening and see if anything unusual

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00:08:22,610 --> 00:08:19,680

had been um picked up and don't forget

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00:08:25,129 --> 00:08:22,620

this is the time when there was still a

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00:08:27,950 --> 00:08:25,139

lot of speculation about this um you

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00:08:29,749 --> 00:08:27,960

know the the mythical Hypersonic spy

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00:08:31,309 --> 00:08:29,759

plane Aurora

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00:08:33,290 --> 00:08:31,319

um so there was

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00:08:34,850 --> 00:08:33,300

this is in the aftermath of the Calvin

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00:08:37,070 --> 00:08:34,860

incident and all the questions in

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00:08:40,010 --> 00:08:37,080

Parliament about where the U.S Air Force

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00:08:43,190 --> 00:08:40,020

fly in a reconnaissance um plane over

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00:08:45,769 --> 00:08:43,200

the UK and also what seems to have been

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00:08:47,870 --> 00:08:45,779

significant with Nick poop is there'd

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00:08:49,970 --> 00:08:47,880

been a lot of speculation a lot of

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00:08:53,930 --> 00:08:49,980

letters written into him about the

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00:08:57,710 --> 00:08:53,940

Belgian flap that had happened in 1990

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00:08:58,970 --> 00:08:57,720

and he makes a link with the things that

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00:09:00,710 --> 00:08:58,980

have been seen in Belgium being

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00:09:02,630 --> 00:09:00,720

triangular shaped he seems to have got

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00:09:06,590 --> 00:09:02,640

it in his head that this thing that had

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00:09:08,210 --> 00:09:06,600

been seen in 1993 was also a triangular

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00:09:10,730 --> 00:09:08,220

um and he and the Belgium flap

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00:09:12,470 --> 00:09:10,740

coincidentally happened on the 30th of

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00:09:15,350 --> 00:09:12,480

March and and I remember when I first

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00:09:19,190 --> 00:09:15,360

read his book open Skies closed minds

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00:09:22,250 --> 00:09:19,200

which was published in 1996 sort of

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00:09:23,269 --> 00:09:22,260

two years after he left the UFO desk and

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00:09:26,389 --> 00:09:23,279

moved on

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00:09:28,670 --> 00:09:26,399

um to another um branch of the mod

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00:09:30,110 --> 00:09:28,680

um and he puts a very peculiar line in

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00:09:32,810 --> 00:09:30,120

there I don't know whether he was joking

229

00:09:34,970 --> 00:09:32,820

or what but he said something about um

230

00:09:37,610 --> 00:09:34,980

um into peculiar that both the Belgium

231

00:09:40,790 --> 00:09:37,620

flap and this cosford flap both happened

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00:09:43,070 --> 00:09:40,800

on the 30th 31st of March almost as if

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00:09:45,290 --> 00:09:43,080

like there was an intelligence that was

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00:09:47,990 --> 00:09:45,300

that was controlling these sightings

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00:09:49,910 --> 00:09:48,000

that knew that the sightings would be

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00:09:51,769 --> 00:09:49,920

reported in the media and the Press on

237

00:09:54,410 --> 00:09:51,779

the 1st of April which as everyone knows

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00:09:57,350 --> 00:09:54,420

is April Fool's Day so no one would take

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00:10:01,329 --> 00:09:57,360

it seriously and I I even to this day I

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00:10:05,090 --> 00:10:01,339

just think was he joking or what

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00:10:08,269 --> 00:10:05,100

some kind of bizarre pun but you know

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00:10:10,670 --> 00:10:08,279

it's just one of those coincidences but

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00:10:12,290 --> 00:10:10,680

he was you can't get away from the fact

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00:10:15,949 --> 00:10:12,300

that Nick poop is the is the person who

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00:10:17,990 --> 00:10:15,959

propelled this this flap into

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00:10:21,170 --> 00:10:18,000

um a classic case and it's been

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00:10:23,090 --> 00:10:21,180

described as such in the in the Tabloid

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00:10:25,310 --> 00:10:23,100

media over and over again you know like

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00:10:27,290 --> 00:10:25,320

in the top three British cases now

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00:10:30,470 --> 00:10:27,300

because this is what Nick poop has said

251  
00:10:32,630 --> 00:10:30,480  
it is yeah um our rendelsham cosford and

252  
00:10:34,009 --> 00:10:32,640  
possibly Calvin now

253  
00:10:36,290 --> 00:10:34,019  
um but

254  
00:10:38,090 --> 00:10:36,300  
I think it's a very poor classic case

255  
00:10:40,670 --> 00:10:38,100  
because as we've just seen it it's it's

256  
00:10:43,850 --> 00:10:40,680  
an Aya food it's an identified flying

257  
00:10:45,769 --> 00:10:43,860  
object not an unidentified one and

258  
00:10:47,930 --> 00:10:45,779  
um what's been forgotten

259  
00:10:50,750 --> 00:10:47,940  
in all the discussion about this is that

260  
00:10:52,090 --> 00:10:50,760  
back in the 1990s we had a very active

261  
00:10:54,829 --> 00:10:52,100  
um National

262  
00:10:57,230 --> 00:10:54,839  
Association the British UFO research

263  
00:10:58,790 --> 00:10:57,240

Association which is still ongoing but

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00:11:00,650 --> 00:10:58,800

in the 90s

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00:11:02,449 --> 00:11:00,660

um it's director of Investigations with

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00:11:05,329 --> 00:11:02,459

Jenny Randalls and she was really really

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00:11:07,970 --> 00:11:05,339

on the case with this one she she was

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00:11:09,710 --> 00:11:07,980

she was inundated with citing reports as

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00:11:12,050 --> 00:11:09,720

well and there was a

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00:11:15,050 --> 00:11:12,060

a chap in South West England called Doug

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00:11:17,509 --> 00:11:15,060

Cooper who collated all a lot of the

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00:11:20,090 --> 00:11:17,519

reports from Devon and Cornwall sent

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00:11:23,269 --> 00:11:20,100

them to Jenny and Jenny had an overview

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00:11:25,190 --> 00:11:23,279

of what had gone on not only in the UK

275

00:11:27,650 --> 00:11:25,200

but she'd also had some of these reports

276

00:11:29,990 --> 00:11:27,660

from Ireland and I'm just reading here

277

00:11:32,690 --> 00:11:30,000

from a report that she did for 14 times

278

00:11:35,150 --> 00:11:32,700

on this and she says

279

00:11:37,370 --> 00:11:35,160

she was coordinating the event of before

280

00:11:38,449 --> 00:11:37,380

her and I soon concluded that the main

281

00:11:40,490 --> 00:11:38,459

sighting

282

00:11:42,710 --> 00:11:40,500

had to be caused by the burn up of the

283

00:11:45,050 --> 00:11:42,720

Space Jam and she'd actually check this

284

00:11:47,509 --> 00:11:45,060

out straight away Russia had launched an

285

00:11:49,670 --> 00:11:47,519

ocean reconnaissance mission from baikon

286

00:11:52,370 --> 00:11:49,680

or around the time of the alleged

287

00:11:53,810 --> 00:11:52,380

sightings and it was known as cosmos

288

00:11:55,670 --> 00:11:53,820

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289

00:11:57,530 --> 00:11:55,680  
than the satellite's twin rocket

290

00:12:00,710 --> 00:11:57,540  
boosters fell to Earth and burnt up just

291

00:12:04,069 --> 00:12:00,720  
after 1am but NORAD you know the north

292

00:12:06,590 --> 00:12:04,079  
North Atlantic command The Links of

293

00:12:08,449 --> 00:12:06,600  
North America with the UK they weren't

294

00:12:11,269 --> 00:12:08,459  
initially aware of it

295

00:12:13,550 --> 00:12:11,279  
so when Nick Pooh made his initial

296

00:12:16,250 --> 00:12:13,560  
inquiries via filing Dales they they

297

00:12:18,110 --> 00:12:16,260  
didn't know about it they it hadn't sort

298

00:12:20,269 --> 00:12:18,120  
of registered on their computer systems

299

00:12:22,190 --> 00:12:20,279  
at that point so that's why I think he

300

00:12:25,370 --> 00:12:22,200  
was sent off on a wrong trail initially

301  
00:12:26,949 --> 00:12:25,380  
and she says in a in a summary this

302  
00:12:30,470 --> 00:12:26,959  
seems to be a highly impressive

303  
00:12:32,990 --> 00:12:30,480  
encounter and

304  
00:12:35,150 --> 00:12:33,000  
um as as as has been speculated the

305  
00:12:36,949 --> 00:12:35,160  
number of witnesses does help prove that

306  
00:12:40,970 --> 00:12:36,959  
the incident was real and clearly it was

307  
00:12:43,129 --> 00:12:40,980  
but ironically in UFO terms the true

308  
00:12:45,170 --> 00:12:43,139  
strangeness of the sighting is often an

309  
00:12:47,629 --> 00:12:45,180  
inverse proportion to the number of

310  
00:12:50,210 --> 00:12:47,639  
witnesses so what she's saying there and

311  
00:12:52,910 --> 00:12:50,220  
I agree with her is the more sightings

312  
00:12:56,090 --> 00:12:52,920  
that you have as in this case the more

313  
00:12:58,069 --> 00:12:56,100

likely it is to be something either a

314

00:12:59,509 --> 00:12:58,079

natural phenomenon like a meteor burning

315

00:13:01,970 --> 00:12:59,519

up or

316

00:13:03,889 --> 00:13:01,980

um space junk the fewer Witnesses you

317

00:13:06,769 --> 00:13:03,899

have the more likely it is to be

318

00:13:09,530 --> 00:13:06,779

something that is genuinely inexplicable

319

00:13:11,930 --> 00:13:09,540

so no absolutely yeah it makes perfect

320

00:13:13,250 --> 00:13:11,940

sense and she'd had a lot of experience

321

00:13:14,930 --> 00:13:13,260

with these kinds of things because

322

00:13:17,150 --> 00:13:14,940

there's a very famous

323

00:13:19,850 --> 00:13:17,160

um case that happened on New Year's Eve

324

00:13:21,350 --> 00:13:19,860

in 1978

325

00:13:23,509 --> 00:13:21,360

um when another Russian rocket body

326

00:13:25,370 --> 00:13:23,519

burnt up over the UK and it was seen by

327

00:13:29,509 --> 00:13:25,380

literally hundreds of people a lot more

328

00:13:31,250 --> 00:13:29,519

than in 1993. and um the mod

329

00:13:33,710 --> 00:13:31,260

um did an entire

330

00:13:37,310 --> 00:13:33,720

um case study of this and so did Buford

331

00:13:40,370 --> 00:13:37,320

and again what happened was people who

332

00:13:41,629 --> 00:13:40,380

reported it you got widely varying times

333

00:13:43,009 --> 00:13:41,639

there were people saying it was half

334

00:13:44,569 --> 00:13:43,019

past nine there were people saying it

335

00:13:46,490 --> 00:13:44,579

was half past ten remember this is New

336

00:13:49,370 --> 00:13:46,500

Year's Eve people are out drinking and

337

00:13:51,410 --> 00:13:49,380

celebrating had a future dream you know

338

00:13:53,629 --> 00:13:51,420

no don't necessarily make a clear note

339

00:13:55,850 --> 00:13:53,639

of when they saw what they saw and this

340

00:13:57,889 --> 00:13:55,860

was like a giant sort of Trail of Light

341

00:14:00,590 --> 00:13:57,899

in the sky again

342

00:14:02,210 --> 00:14:00,600

um rocket body burning up and and if you

343

00:14:04,009 --> 00:14:02,220

read some of the accounts from 1978

344

00:14:06,769 --> 00:14:04,019

people said they saw portholes in it

345

00:14:09,710 --> 00:14:06,779

they saw it as a cigar-shaped object and

346

00:14:12,110 --> 00:14:09,720

of you could make a case that maybe the

347

00:14:13,490 --> 00:14:12,120

UFO intelligence has knew that this

348

00:14:14,930 --> 00:14:13,500

rocket body was going to burn up and

349

00:14:16,269 --> 00:14:14,940

they thought well we'll come in at

350

00:14:18,650 --> 00:14:16,279

exactly the same time in our

351

00:14:19,850 --> 00:14:18,660

cigar-shaped object with part portals

352

00:14:21,889 --> 00:14:19,860

and everybody will

353

00:14:24,230 --> 00:14:21,899

say that it's a rocket body when really

354

00:14:26,150 --> 00:14:24,240

it was a UFO so I mean but what are the

355

00:14:29,350 --> 00:14:26,160

chances of that being well that's it

356

00:14:31,610 --> 00:14:29,360

yeah you know some people will

357

00:14:33,170 --> 00:14:31,620

you know be more likely to believe that

358

00:14:35,509 --> 00:14:33,180

that would be the case than others so

359

00:14:38,930 --> 00:14:35,519

but yeah I don't really buy that

360

00:14:41,210 --> 00:14:38,940

so if you want to bring up the the NASA

361

00:14:43,850 --> 00:14:41,220

uh computer simulation this this really

362

00:14:46,550 --> 00:14:43,860

just put the case to bed really the um

363

00:14:49,370 --> 00:14:46,560

what happened was um Gary Anthony who

364

00:14:50,389 --> 00:14:49,380

was a very active UFO researcher at the

365

00:14:52,430 --> 00:14:50,399

time

366

00:14:54,530 --> 00:14:52,440

um it was a friend of mine

367

00:14:57,230 --> 00:14:54,540

um he was the astronaut astronomy

368

00:15:00,470 --> 00:14:57,240

consultant for Buford and he had some

369

00:15:02,569 --> 00:15:00,480

very um high up contacts in NASA one of

370

00:15:06,410 --> 00:15:02,579

whom was Dr Nick Johnson and he actually

371

00:15:08,090 --> 00:15:06,420

managed to obtain a computer program

372

00:15:11,210 --> 00:15:08,100

um that simulated I mean this is real

373

00:15:14,389 --> 00:15:11,220

high tech for 1997 or whenever he was he

374

00:15:16,009 --> 00:15:14,399

did it and he actually replayed the um

375

00:15:18,050 --> 00:15:16,019

the NASA

376

00:15:20,449 --> 00:15:18,060

um Satellite computer

377

00:15:22,250 --> 00:15:20,459

um images of that particular night and

378

00:15:24,710 --> 00:15:22,260

and managed to get a screen grab which

379

00:15:27,889 --> 00:15:24,720

is what you're looking at here and as

380

00:15:29,269 --> 00:15:27,899

you can see it very clearly shows at 10

381

00:15:31,550 --> 00:15:29,279

10 past

382

00:15:33,590 --> 00:15:31,560

um one in the morning you can see what

383

00:15:35,629 --> 00:15:33,600

looks like a

384

00:15:37,610 --> 00:15:35,639

um the ISS I think they've actually used

385

00:15:40,550 --> 00:15:37,620

the symbol for the ISS

386

00:15:43,610 --> 00:15:40,560

UE here yeah just here yeah slap Bank

387

00:15:46,370 --> 00:15:43,620

over South West England yeah and then I

388

00:15:48,189 --> 00:15:46,380

guess this trajectory line here yeah it

389

00:15:50,269 --> 00:15:48,199

comes over Ireland

390

00:15:53,030 --> 00:15:50,279

and then across sort of Southwest

391

00:15:54,829 --> 00:15:53,040

England but I think as well it says in

392

00:15:55,550 --> 00:15:54,839

some of the documentation I was reading

393

00:15:57,410 --> 00:15:55,560

that

394

00:15:59,329 --> 00:15:57,420

the visibility could have been seen from

395

00:16:01,189 --> 00:15:59,339

a lot further away more more like the

396

00:16:03,710 --> 00:16:01,199

Midlands than that because just

397

00:16:05,810 --> 00:16:03,720

clear views right up into the sky you

398

00:16:08,329 --> 00:16:05,820

know so it's not absolutely across

399

00:16:09,710 --> 00:16:08,339

directly above that trajectory line so I

400

00:16:13,090 --> 00:16:09,720

mean yeah I mean that just shows you

401  
00:16:16,550 --> 00:16:13,100  
right into Europe as well yeah France

402  
00:16:20,449 --> 00:16:16,560  
yeah yeah so disappeared off over North

403  
00:16:25,030 --> 00:16:22,550  
but that's not the end of it is it no

404  
00:16:27,590 --> 00:16:25,040  
it's not it's not that cut and dry

405  
00:16:30,530 --> 00:16:27,600  
no because all these sightings were

406  
00:16:33,410 --> 00:16:30,540  
compiled in this costford incident file

407  
00:16:37,310 --> 00:16:33,420  
which um Nick poop copied to his

408  
00:16:39,470 --> 00:16:37,320  
opposite number in di55 and on this

409  
00:16:42,350 --> 00:16:39,480  
occasion di55 seemed to have played the

410  
00:16:45,829 --> 00:16:42,360  
the more passive role in that Nick did

411  
00:16:48,470 --> 00:16:45,839  
most of the um investigation

412  
00:16:50,870 --> 00:16:48,480  
um well can we even call it an

413  
00:16:53,150 --> 00:16:50,880

investigation because he never left his

414

00:16:56,090 --> 00:16:53,160

desk all of this was just done from

415

00:16:57,650 --> 00:16:56,100

collating Bits of Paper and making the

416

00:16:59,150 --> 00:16:57,660

effect the occasional phone call they

417

00:17:00,949 --> 00:16:59,160

didn't actually open his car and drive

418

00:17:03,050 --> 00:17:00,959

out and speak to anyone

419

00:17:04,730 --> 00:17:03,060

um the best the the if you can call it

420

00:17:06,590 --> 00:17:04,740

an investigation it was done entirely

421

00:17:08,470 --> 00:17:06,600

over the phone and copying Bits of Paper

422

00:17:12,230 --> 00:17:08,480

to all the mod

423

00:17:14,210 --> 00:17:12,240

departments so in actual fact the

424

00:17:16,490 --> 00:17:14,220

civilian ufologists people like Doug

425

00:17:17,990 --> 00:17:16,500

Cooper Jenny Randall's

426  
00:17:19,610 --> 00:17:18,000  
um Peter brooksmith they were the ones

427  
00:17:20,809 --> 00:17:19,620  
who actually did more of an

428  
00:17:23,150 --> 00:17:20,819  
investigation because they were actually

429  
00:17:25,669 --> 00:17:23,160  
out in the field talking to people yeah

430  
00:17:27,949 --> 00:17:25,679  
as did some of the journalists who um

431  
00:17:31,250 --> 00:17:27,959  
who wrote it up at the time

432  
00:17:33,770 --> 00:17:31,260  
so what you got when all this citing

433  
00:17:35,690 --> 00:17:33,780  
reports were all sort of listed and he

434  
00:17:37,549 --> 00:17:35,700  
tried to plot them on a map and draw

435  
00:17:38,870 --> 00:17:37,559  
arrows you can see if you if you

436  
00:17:41,810 --> 00:17:38,880  
download the file from the National

437  
00:17:44,029 --> 00:17:41,820  
Archives website some of those um

438  
00:17:45,890 --> 00:17:44,039

descriptions and and accounts are

439

00:17:47,630 --> 00:17:45,900

actually an error because you've got

440

00:17:48,890 --> 00:17:47,640

people saying that this they said that

441

00:17:51,529 --> 00:17:48,900

they could they thought these things

442

00:17:55,789 --> 00:17:51,539

were you know like a thousand feet a

443

00:17:57,830 --> 00:17:55,799

high or 500 feet I mean and it's anyone

444

00:18:00,169 --> 00:17:57,840

who studied eyewitness testimony

445

00:18:02,990 --> 00:18:00,179

particularly of lights that someone had

446

00:18:05,750 --> 00:18:03,000

seen in the dark of night where you've

447

00:18:07,549 --> 00:18:05,760

got new reference points you see a lie

448

00:18:10,490 --> 00:18:07,559

out on Earth are you going to know

449

00:18:12,289 --> 00:18:10,500

whether it's a five thousand feet fifty

450

00:18:16,549 --> 00:18:12,299

thousand feet you've got you just can't

451  
00:18:17,990 --> 00:18:16,559  
make a so it's all guesstimates really

452  
00:18:21,049 --> 00:18:18,000  
um so not only have you got that problem

453  
00:18:23,390 --> 00:18:21,059  
but you've also got lots of scattered

454  
00:18:26,210 --> 00:18:23,400  
um itty bitty sightings some of them

455  
00:18:29,210 --> 00:18:26,220  
earlier in the same evening so on the

456  
00:18:32,270 --> 00:18:29,220  
night of the 30th I.E before midnight on

457  
00:18:36,230 --> 00:18:32,280  
the 30 um first and you've got someone

458  
00:18:38,570 --> 00:18:36,240  
in the early hours sometime after the

459  
00:18:39,470 --> 00:18:38,580  
big concentration around one in the

460  
00:18:40,730 --> 00:18:39,480  
morning

461  
00:18:42,470 --> 00:18:40,740  
now

462  
00:18:45,110 --> 00:18:42,480  
Nick poop seems to have sort of come

463  
00:18:47,630 --> 00:18:45,120

around to the fact reluctantly that the

464

00:18:49,490 --> 00:18:47,640

main clusterous items can be explained

465

00:18:51,350 --> 00:18:49,500

by the cosmos satellite although it

466

00:18:52,490 --> 00:18:51,360

depends what mood is in and what side of

467

00:18:54,409 --> 00:18:52,500

the bed he's got out of because

468

00:18:56,570 --> 00:18:54,419

sometimes you see him

469

00:18:58,370 --> 00:18:56,580

um interviewed and he he says oh it's

470

00:19:00,110 --> 00:18:58,380

completely inexplicable one of the

471

00:19:02,450 --> 00:19:00,120

classic unexplained sightings and he

472

00:19:05,870 --> 00:19:02,460

knows full well it's not unexplained and

473

00:19:07,610 --> 00:19:05,880

if you read some of the correspondence

474

00:19:10,610 --> 00:19:07,620

um in the actual Ministry of Defense

475

00:19:13,549 --> 00:19:10,620

files there's one particular

476

00:19:16,490 --> 00:19:13,559

um letter from the Vicente Juan the

477

00:19:18,890 --> 00:19:16,500

ballester almost who's um a very

478

00:19:20,630 --> 00:19:18,900

well-known Spanish ufologist and he had

479

00:19:23,270 --> 00:19:20,640

actually received a whole Space of

480

00:19:25,070 --> 00:19:23,280

sightings from Spain and he'd gone down

481

00:19:26,630 --> 00:19:25,080

a similar route to Gary Anthony and got

482

00:19:29,150 --> 00:19:26,640

the NASA trajectory and he'd actually

483

00:19:30,890 --> 00:19:29,160

sent this to Nick Pope at the mod while

484

00:19:32,390 --> 00:19:30,900

he was still on the UFO desk a big

485

00:19:33,590 --> 00:19:32,400

purposely writes back to him and says

486

00:19:35,270 --> 00:19:33,600

yes

487

00:19:37,370 --> 00:19:35,280

um I accept that the vast majority of

488

00:19:40,490 --> 00:19:37,380

these sightings can be explained by the

489

00:19:43,669 --> 00:19:40,500

cosmos re-entry so I I don't understand

490

00:19:46,430 --> 00:19:43,679

how this can be a classic UFO but he

491

00:19:48,950 --> 00:19:46,440

would say yes but it doesn't explain the

492

00:19:50,810 --> 00:19:48,960

low level sightings yeah but that's

493

00:19:53,510 --> 00:19:50,820

earlier in the night and later in the

494

00:19:55,549 --> 00:19:53,520

night yeah I I saw something from him

495

00:19:57,110 --> 00:19:55,559

the other day because it is this 30th

496

00:19:59,029 --> 00:19:57,120

Anniversary you know he said he was

497

00:20:01,370 --> 00:19:59,039

tasked with investigating this incident

498

00:20:03,770 --> 00:20:01,380

and uh by the end of the investigation

499

00:20:05,990 --> 00:20:03,780

it was not there were no you know good

500

00:20:08,750 --> 00:20:06,000

conclusions to that could explain all of

501  
00:20:10,130 --> 00:20:08,760  
the sightings of of that that night yeah

502  
00:20:11,690 --> 00:20:10,140  
so you know I think he's still hanging

503  
00:20:13,970 --> 00:20:11,700  
on to those sightings that fall outside

504  
00:20:16,310 --> 00:20:13,980  
of the hours where you know you can

505  
00:20:19,549 --> 00:20:16,320  
easily say it was this this re-entry so

506  
00:20:21,830 --> 00:20:19,559  
I think that's worth us then switching

507  
00:20:23,570 --> 00:20:21,840  
our attention to because yeah one in

508  
00:20:25,850 --> 00:20:23,580  
particular we I'll let you go which one

509  
00:20:28,789 --> 00:20:25,860  
you wanna yeah the one that gets the

510  
00:20:32,390 --> 00:20:28,799  
most attention is um is a sighting that

511  
00:20:34,669 --> 00:20:32,400  
happened later in the evening now if you

512  
00:20:37,310 --> 00:20:34,679  
read Nick Pope's account of this this is

513  
00:20:39,590 --> 00:20:37,320

the the sighting by the meteorological

514

00:20:41,690 --> 00:20:39,600

officer RAF strawberry which was a

515

00:20:43,549 --> 00:20:41,700

helicopter training base in the West

516

00:20:47,210 --> 00:20:43,559

Midlands in Shropshire

517

00:20:50,029 --> 00:20:47,220

and it's about 20 miles as the crew

518

00:20:53,390 --> 00:20:50,039

flies from cosford so

519

00:20:58,430 --> 00:20:53,400

let me set this up the um the police at

520

00:21:00,529 --> 00:20:58,440

cosford have um this sighting at 1 15.

521

00:21:02,270 --> 00:21:00,539

um of the two Bright Lights

522

00:21:02,930 --> 00:21:02,280

um they're getting and they're getting a

523

00:21:04,669 --> 00:21:02,940

real

524

00:21:06,350 --> 00:21:04,679

tears about this it's it's they

525

00:21:08,330 --> 00:21:06,360

obviously think it's something

526

00:21:10,490 --> 00:21:08,340

um that that needs flagging up that

527

00:21:13,669 --> 00:21:10,500

needs reporting to higher authorities

528

00:21:15,830 --> 00:21:13,679

and they had a call from I think it was

529

00:21:18,110 --> 00:21:15,840

a family living somewhere on cannock

530

00:21:20,510 --> 00:21:18,120

Chase who'd seen what was clearly the

531

00:21:22,669 --> 00:21:20,520

same thing but they'd seen it in an

532

00:21:24,710 --> 00:21:22,679

ordered area and to them it appeared it

533

00:21:26,810 --> 00:21:24,720

landed and they'd obviously got really

534

00:21:30,289 --> 00:21:26,820

worried about it and they'd phoned RAF

535

00:21:31,970 --> 00:21:30,299

cosford who'd their own RAF police had

536

00:21:35,390 --> 00:21:31,980

seen this thing

537

00:21:38,029 --> 00:21:35,400

um so the police at Gosford then rang

538

00:21:39,590 --> 00:21:38,039

um the the cop to base at shorbering

539

00:21:42,470 --> 00:21:39,600

which had actually shut down for the

540

00:21:44,029 --> 00:21:42,480

night so their operations had ended and

541

00:21:46,610 --> 00:21:44,039

shawbury is a base where you've got

542

00:21:50,570 --> 00:21:46,620

gazelles and Wessex helicopters so the

543

00:21:52,130 --> 00:21:50,580

the only person on the base uh after one

544

00:21:54,950 --> 00:21:52,140

o'clock in the morning was this chap

545

00:21:58,190 --> 00:21:54,960

called Wayne Elliott who um was uh the

546

00:22:00,409 --> 00:21:58,200

late meteorological Observer And he as a

547

00:22:02,870 --> 00:22:00,419

meteorological Observer will go out

548

00:22:04,730 --> 00:22:02,880

every half hour every

549

00:22:06,470 --> 00:22:04,740

hour or whatever it is to take

550

00:22:09,409 --> 00:22:06,480

observations and I don't really wanna

551  
00:22:12,409 --> 00:22:09,419  
you can put up his scribbled thing from

552  
00:22:14,990 --> 00:22:12,419  
the log book and he actually records uh

553  
00:22:16,970 --> 00:22:15,000  
the times of the sightings that were

554  
00:22:18,770 --> 00:22:16,980  
made because he then

555  
00:22:20,810 --> 00:22:18,780  
is that the one that says three possible

556  
00:22:23,630 --> 00:22:20,820  
sightings is it yeah that's the one yeah

557  
00:22:25,909 --> 00:22:23,640  
yeah so this is the the Met Office log

558  
00:22:27,950 --> 00:22:25,919  
from RAF strawberry which was compiled

559  
00:22:30,110 --> 00:22:27,960  
by Wayne Elliott

560  
00:22:33,770 --> 00:22:30,120  
um and as you can see there three

561  
00:22:35,090 --> 00:22:33,780  
possible sightings of UFO so

562  
00:22:40,789 --> 00:22:35,100  
he's got

563  
00:22:42,770 --> 00:22:40,799

um zero zero nine z003 is that again the

564

00:22:45,350 --> 00:22:42,780

timings are all out because we know now

565

00:22:47,710 --> 00:22:45,360

that those that isn't in British summer

566

00:22:49,730 --> 00:22:47,720

time it should be an hour later yeah

567

00:22:53,390 --> 00:22:49,740

[Music]

568

00:22:54,890 --> 00:22:53,400

so um so the four people at Stafford is

569

00:22:56,990 --> 00:22:54,900

the family that I've mentioned the two

570

00:23:00,950 --> 00:22:57,000

RAF Personnel at crossford we knew their

571

00:23:03,770 --> 00:23:00,960

sighting was at 1 10 a.m not at not at

572

00:23:07,730 --> 00:23:03,780

half past midnight so you can see where

573

00:23:10,750 --> 00:23:07,740

the confusion yeah is creeping in so his

574

00:23:13,190 --> 00:23:10,760

sighting he's got a 014

575

00:23:15,470 --> 00:23:13,200

0140 but actually that's not being

576

00:23:17,330 --> 00:23:15,480

corrected either that should be 240.

577

00:23:20,630 --> 00:23:17,340

yeah that should be 240 British summer

578

00:23:23,029 --> 00:23:20,640

time so what happened was he got the

579

00:23:24,649 --> 00:23:23,039

call from short from crossford saying oh

580

00:23:26,390 --> 00:23:24,659

we've had this sighting ourselves and

581

00:23:29,330 --> 00:23:26,400

we've had this further report from

582

00:23:30,669 --> 00:23:29,340

Stafford there's a UFO it's coming your

583

00:23:33,529 --> 00:23:30,679

way

584

00:23:35,930 --> 00:23:33,539

so what did he do he went outside to

585

00:23:38,690 --> 00:23:35,940

look yeah and I think he made a couple

586

00:23:40,430 --> 00:23:38,700

of attempts and then he saw what

587

00:23:43,190 --> 00:23:40,440

appeared to be like a cluster of lights

588

00:23:45,350 --> 00:23:43,200

over a hill in the distance

589

00:23:47,990 --> 00:23:45,360

um two red lights and I think a green

590

00:23:49,549 --> 00:23:48,000

light and he watched this thing and it

591

00:23:51,529 --> 00:23:49,559

appeared to be sort of approaching the

592

00:23:53,570 --> 00:23:51,539

air base and it came lower and lower and

593

00:23:55,850 --> 00:23:53,580

lower and it was quite blue and making a

594

00:23:57,890 --> 00:23:55,860

loud humming new noise and he he

595

00:24:00,230 --> 00:23:57,900

described it to Nick poop at the time as

596

00:24:02,870 --> 00:24:00,240

a very large object somewhere somewhere

597

00:24:05,330 --> 00:24:02,880

between the C-130 and the 747 jet so

598

00:24:07,789 --> 00:24:05,340

that is large and it was projecting a

599

00:24:09,470 --> 00:24:07,799

beam of light down onto the um Hillside

600

00:24:11,810 --> 00:24:09,480

as if it was searching for something and

601  
00:24:14,210 --> 00:24:11,820  
this as he came out it went over the

602  
00:24:16,490 --> 00:24:14,220  
over the over the runway and overhead so

603  
00:24:20,390 --> 00:24:16,500  
that's the sighting that um

604  
00:24:21,770 --> 00:24:20,400  
that um he reported and again you might

605  
00:24:23,810 --> 00:24:21,780  
want to bring this up on screen he

606  
00:24:25,970 --> 00:24:23,820  
actually um was interviewed by the Met

607  
00:24:29,149 --> 00:24:25,980  
Office magazine who published an account

608  
00:24:32,930 --> 00:24:29,159  
of it in under the lurid title The Met

609  
00:24:34,970 --> 00:24:32,940  
Ox files because the The X-Files were on

610  
00:24:39,350 --> 00:24:34,980  
TV at the time

611  
00:24:42,289 --> 00:24:39,360  
and although his name is that's the one

612  
00:24:43,970 --> 00:24:42,299  
yeah spooky sightings in Shropshire and

613  
00:24:46,970 --> 00:24:43,980

as you can see although his name has

614

00:24:48,950 --> 00:24:46,980

been blacked out of the official file

615

00:24:51,409 --> 00:24:48,960

they actually name him there so that's

616

00:24:53,029 --> 00:24:51,419

how I found out who he was right his

617

00:24:54,590 --> 00:24:53,039

name is in the public domain I mean the

618

00:24:57,529 --> 00:24:54,600

Met Office magazine is a public

619

00:24:58,490 --> 00:24:57,539

published Magazine with his name in it

620

00:25:00,830 --> 00:24:58,500

um

621

00:25:03,169 --> 00:25:00,840

so as you as you can see he tells the

622

00:25:05,510 --> 00:25:03,179

story there and this was I think

623

00:25:07,430 --> 00:25:05,520

published um

624

00:25:10,370 --> 00:25:07,440

I don't know how long afterwards but not

625

00:25:12,350 --> 00:25:10,380

all that long maybe July August 96. yeah

626  
00:25:15,110 --> 00:25:12,360  
so some years afterwards so obviously

627  
00:25:16,430 --> 00:25:15,120  
this is where the problems of memory

628  
00:25:18,350 --> 00:25:16,440  
start

629  
00:25:21,470 --> 00:25:18,360  
um coming into this and getting times

630  
00:25:23,750 --> 00:25:21,480  
and events in the wrong order and if you

631  
00:25:26,510 --> 00:25:23,760  
listen to Nick poop's retelling of this

632  
00:25:28,430 --> 00:25:26,520  
story you have the cosford police seeing

633  
00:25:29,810 --> 00:25:28,440  
these lights in the sky

634  
00:25:31,909 --> 00:25:29,820  
um they phone

635  
00:25:33,950 --> 00:25:31,919  
um Wayne Elliott Wayne Elliott takes the

636  
00:25:38,330 --> 00:25:33,960  
call there's a UFO coming your way he

637  
00:25:40,430 --> 00:25:38,340  
goes outside and sees the UFO right

638  
00:25:43,430 --> 00:25:40,440

right the same thing that's traveled 20

639

00:25:46,310 --> 00:25:43,440

miles from cosford but when you actually

640

00:25:47,990 --> 00:25:46,320

look at carefully look at the times and

641

00:25:50,750 --> 00:25:48,000

you correct the times for British summer

642

00:25:53,930 --> 00:25:50,760

time the sightings at Gosford are at 1

643

00:25:57,409 --> 00:25:53,940

15 or 1 10 in the morning Wayne Elliot

644

00:26:00,769 --> 00:25:57,419

sighting was at 2 40. I mean one and a

645

00:26:03,230 --> 00:26:00,779

half hours later so this fantastic high

646

00:26:06,590 --> 00:26:03,240

performance UFO took an hour and a half

647

00:26:08,289 --> 00:26:06,600

to travel the 20 miles from Oxford to

648

00:26:12,110 --> 00:26:08,299

Strawberry

649

00:26:13,430 --> 00:26:12,120

so folks yeah we're talking about UFO

650

00:26:14,630 --> 00:26:13,440

here and you're talking about something

651  
00:26:15,649 --> 00:26:14,640  
that was seen at Gosford and you're

652  
00:26:18,049 --> 00:26:15,659  
talking about something in the scene

653  
00:26:20,029 --> 00:26:18,059  
that caught strawberry bought I think

654  
00:26:22,850 --> 00:26:20,039  
any anyone with common sense would

655  
00:26:24,769 --> 00:26:22,860  
conclude based upon that is the two

656  
00:26:27,950 --> 00:26:24,779  
separate things the way that Wayne

657  
00:26:30,049 --> 00:26:27,960  
Elliott saw wasn't the same thing as was

658  
00:26:31,610 --> 00:26:30,059  
seen at cosford and this is where all

659  
00:26:33,230 --> 00:26:31,620  
these things start getting lumped

660  
00:26:36,110 --> 00:26:33,240  
together and particularly when you get

661  
00:26:38,510 --> 00:26:36,120  
tumbling newspapers involved in in

662  
00:26:40,130 --> 00:26:38,520  
writing up stories like this and you get

663  
00:26:42,830 --> 00:26:40,140

TV programs because there was a

664

00:26:44,750 --> 00:26:42,840

notorious Channel 5 program that was

665

00:26:47,990 --> 00:26:44,760

made on cosford that I had The

666

00:26:51,289 --> 00:26:48,000

Misfortune of Being involved in briefly

667

00:26:54,289 --> 00:26:51,299

um but again the way it was presented

668

00:26:55,730 --> 00:26:54,299

didn't point out any of these facts so

669

00:26:57,470 --> 00:26:55,740

you watch the program and you think oh

670

00:26:58,490 --> 00:26:57,480

yeah fantastic yeah there's all these

671

00:27:00,470 --> 00:26:58,500

sightings even though he didn't

672

00:27:02,630 --> 00:27:00,480

interview any Witnesses I think just one

673

00:27:04,250 --> 00:27:02,640

witness

674

00:27:06,529 --> 00:27:04,260

um and you come away from that thinking

675

00:27:08,029 --> 00:27:06,539

oh yeah you know it's you know there was

676

00:27:10,610 --> 00:27:08,039

these sightings it couldn't possibly

677

00:27:12,950 --> 00:27:10,620

have been a satellite

678

00:27:15,049 --> 00:27:12,960

um boosted burn up because that was too

679

00:27:18,409 --> 00:27:15,059

high in the sky and this than the other

680

00:27:20,090 --> 00:27:18,419

but when you as you as you do if you

681

00:27:21,669 --> 00:27:20,100

take the subject seriously you put the

682

00:27:25,909 --> 00:27:21,679

actual documentary evidence under

683

00:27:28,669 --> 00:27:25,919

scrutiny under the microscope it's not

684

00:27:30,590 --> 00:27:28,679

as it's been told there is the the story

685

00:27:33,470 --> 00:27:30,600

as it's been told and there are the

686

00:27:35,990 --> 00:27:33,480

facts and the two diverge

687

00:27:38,149 --> 00:27:36,000

the more you look at them no absolutely

688

00:27:40,450 --> 00:27:38,159

and this is the thing when I first heard

689

00:27:44,090 --> 00:27:40,460

about this case it was this meteor

690

00:27:46,070 --> 00:27:44,100

meteorological officer stood outside

691

00:27:47,390 --> 00:27:46,080

looking up at this giant triangle going

692

00:27:49,490 --> 00:27:47,400

over his head and of course I'm like oh

693

00:27:51,110 --> 00:27:49,500

my goodness that sounds amazing I want

694

00:27:52,970 --> 00:27:51,120

to know more about this case but I I

695

00:27:55,789 --> 00:27:52,980

didn't look into it until a few years

696

00:27:58,490 --> 00:27:55,799

later but that's where this has really

697

00:28:00,110 --> 00:27:58,500

come from this triangular craft and and

698

00:28:02,090 --> 00:28:00,120

the time differences like you say of

699

00:28:04,850 --> 00:28:02,100

this thing shooting

700

00:28:06,169 --> 00:28:04,860

20 miles in what initially people were

701

00:28:08,810 --> 00:28:06,179

saying was a minute or a matter of

702

00:28:10,730 --> 00:28:08,820

seconds but it wasn't and this is why

703

00:28:13,130 --> 00:28:10,740

these cases need to be looked at

704

00:28:14,570 --> 00:28:13,140

properly so that we can put them to one

705

00:28:16,669 --> 00:28:14,580

side and actually go and focus on other

706

00:28:18,649 --> 00:28:16,679

things that that we don't need these

707

00:28:22,789 --> 00:28:18,659

cases hanging around for years and years

708

00:28:26,330 --> 00:28:22,799

so I think it might be worth talking

709

00:28:28,130 --> 00:28:26,340

about Wayne Elliott and the fact that I

710

00:28:30,409 --> 00:28:28,140

contacted him when I was looking into

711

00:28:32,210 --> 00:28:30,419

this in 2005 and he gave it on the

712

00:28:34,310 --> 00:28:32,220

record

713

00:28:37,310 --> 00:28:34,320

um interview about what he remembered

714

00:28:39,590 --> 00:28:37,320

about it and it really opened my eyes

715

00:28:41,269 --> 00:28:39,600

and what what led me to try and track

716

00:28:42,470 --> 00:28:41,279

him down was there was a letter in the

717

00:28:44,870 --> 00:28:42,480

Daily Mail

718

00:28:47,390 --> 00:28:44,880

again you might want to bring this up on

719

00:28:50,210 --> 00:28:47,400

screen Vinnie this is from um

720

00:28:52,730 --> 00:28:50,220

um a military I think an RAF person who

721

00:28:54,769 --> 00:28:52,740

was actually on RAF cost from base at

722

00:28:57,169 --> 00:28:54,779

the time

723

00:28:59,029 --> 00:28:57,179

um and he'd he'd like everyone else and

724

00:29:02,149 --> 00:28:59,039

heard Nick poop's account of this

725

00:29:04,250 --> 00:29:02,159

incredible I I mean I remember listening

726

00:29:06,289 --> 00:29:04,260

to him and I went to see him at the uh

727

00:29:07,909 --> 00:29:06,299

Science Festival in Newcastle and he was

728

00:29:10,730 --> 00:29:07,919

talking about the strawberry sighting

729

00:29:13,010 --> 00:29:10,740

and it was a to use his own words a vast

730

00:29:15,830 --> 00:29:13,020

triangular shaped craft flying at about

731

00:29:18,110 --> 00:29:15,840

200 feet that made a low frequency

732

00:29:20,630 --> 00:29:18,120

humming noise and fired a narrow Beam

733

00:29:22,610 --> 00:29:20,640

with light which swept the ground sounds

734

00:29:24,230 --> 00:29:22,620

impressive but yeah

735

00:29:25,789 --> 00:29:24,240

am I bringing up sorry is it the small

736

00:29:27,710 --> 00:29:25,799

newspaper clipping yeah bring up this

737

00:29:29,570 --> 00:29:27,720

bring up the newspaper cutting yeah this

738

00:29:32,930 --> 00:29:29,580

is this was published in the new Daily

739

00:29:36,289 --> 00:29:32,940

Mail in 2005. in response to her this

740

00:29:38,210 --> 00:29:36,299

one I think yeah a big piece about the

741

00:29:39,230 --> 00:29:38,220

um the strawberry sightings so Norman

742

00:29:41,810 --> 00:29:39,240

Fitch

743

00:29:44,149 --> 00:29:41,820

he got friends at Raf cosford

744

00:29:45,590 --> 00:29:44,159

and he just dropped this in the UFO has

745

00:29:48,889 --> 00:29:45,600

supposedly seen

746

00:29:50,750 --> 00:29:48,899

March 31st 1993 was later identified as

747

00:29:52,850 --> 00:29:50,760

a David Powers police helicopter

748

00:29:55,490 --> 00:29:52,860

following a stolen car down the A5

749

00:29:57,110 --> 00:29:55,500

between the a49 junction and nestless

750

00:29:59,029 --> 00:29:57,120

and anyone who's seen a police

751

00:30:01,070 --> 00:29:59,039

helicopter knows that they use these

752

00:30:03,169 --> 00:30:01,080

some night Suns which can be pretty

753

00:30:05,690 --> 00:30:03,179

dazzling if you've seen them searching

754

00:30:07,730 --> 00:30:05,700

searching fields

755

00:30:09,409 --> 00:30:07,740

um the friend who operates from Aria

756

00:30:10,909 --> 00:30:09,419

strawberry adds the humming noise and

757

00:30:12,590 --> 00:30:10,919

hygiene maneuvering seems to have been

758

00:30:14,450 --> 00:30:12,600

the effect of an overactive imagination

759

00:30:17,350 --> 00:30:14,460

almost certainly fueled by a couple of

760

00:30:20,630 --> 00:30:17,360

snifters in the mess

761

00:30:21,350 --> 00:30:20,640

I'm sure I'm sure he's not talking about

762

00:30:23,750 --> 00:30:21,360

um

763

00:30:24,649 --> 00:30:23,760

the metal the Mets and officer here

764

00:30:26,750 --> 00:30:24,659

because

765

00:30:28,250 --> 00:30:26,760

um Wayne Elliott's account was very

766

00:30:31,669 --> 00:30:28,260

clear and very

767

00:30:33,769 --> 00:30:31,679

um precise and so I I haven't seen this

768

00:30:36,289 --> 00:30:33,779

I just thought this is interesting so I

769

00:30:40,370 --> 00:30:36,299

put in Freedom of Information requests

770

00:30:42,169 --> 00:30:40,380

to both the David Powers police and to I

771

00:30:44,149 --> 00:30:42,179

think it was West Mercier because both

772

00:30:44,750 --> 00:30:44,159

of them operated

773

00:30:47,690 --> 00:30:44,760

um

774

00:30:49,190 --> 00:30:47,700

police helicopters at the time so I

775

00:30:51,350 --> 00:30:49,200

asked them have you got your log books

776  
00:30:52,909 --> 00:30:51,360  
from 1993 and unfortunately as anyone

777  
00:30:55,010 --> 00:30:52,919  
who's tried to to get this kind of

778  
00:30:57,529 --> 00:30:55,020  
information out of the police they don't

779  
00:30:59,029 --> 00:30:57,539  
keep log books and information for that

780  
00:30:59,990 --> 00:30:59,039  
length of time remember I was checking

781  
00:31:03,769 --> 00:31:00,000  
this out

782  
00:31:05,810 --> 00:31:03,779  
in 2005 about an event that happened 12

783  
00:31:09,409 --> 00:31:05,820  
years earlier so

784  
00:31:11,330 --> 00:31:09,419  
although it sounds a good idea

785  
00:31:13,490 --> 00:31:11,340  
um we couldn't we could not

786  
00:31:15,409 --> 00:31:13,500  
um say for definite that that's what was

787  
00:31:16,970 --> 00:31:15,419  
happening so I I thought well right well

788  
00:31:19,250 --> 00:31:16,980

okay I'll phone I'll get in touch with

789

00:31:21,409 --> 00:31:19,260

Wayne Elliott and I'll I'll put this to

790

00:31:23,870 --> 00:31:21,419

him and of course Nick Pope's attitude

791

00:31:25,310 --> 00:31:23,880

was uh this was a helicopter base they

792

00:31:28,250 --> 00:31:25,320

were flying Wessex and gazelle

793

00:31:30,830 --> 00:31:28,260

helicopters how could someone who was

794

00:31:33,470 --> 00:31:30,840

based there who sees helicopters every

795

00:31:35,450 --> 00:31:33,480

day be mistaken if it was a police

796

00:31:37,570 --> 00:31:35,460

helicopter well the same argument was

797

00:31:40,070 --> 00:31:37,580

used at Randall shamonte how could the

798

00:31:41,750 --> 00:31:40,080

Airman who must have seen the flashing

799

00:31:44,750 --> 00:31:41,760

search like on the Orford Nest

800

00:31:46,370 --> 00:31:44,760

Lighthouse spent two hours chasing the

801  
00:31:48,769 --> 00:31:46,380  
flashing light before they realized it

802  
00:31:53,690 --> 00:31:48,779  
was a lighthouse but that is what

803  
00:31:56,330 --> 00:31:53,700  
happened and if you're in a forest at

804  
00:31:58,430 --> 00:31:56,340  
night it's dark and you see a flashing

805  
00:31:59,870 --> 00:31:58,440  
light all kinds of weird things can

806  
00:32:01,610 --> 00:31:59,880  
appear to happen you know if you're

807  
00:32:04,190 --> 00:32:01,620  
disorientated and you don't know the

808  
00:32:04,970 --> 00:32:04,200  
location now

809  
00:32:06,769 --> 00:32:04,980  
um

810  
00:32:09,769 --> 00:32:06,779  
you may want to you may want to read

811  
00:32:12,649 --> 00:32:09,779  
what um Wayne Elliott told me because I

812  
00:32:15,649 --> 00:32:12,659  
took it down in shorthand and um

813  
00:32:17,930 --> 00:32:15,659

transcribed it thereafter and it I was

814

00:32:19,430 --> 00:32:17,940

stunned by what he said it's quite

815

00:32:21,590 --> 00:32:19,440

lengthy but I will read it all because I

816

00:32:22,909 --> 00:32:21,600

think it's important so this is notes

817

00:32:25,070 --> 00:32:22,919

from the phone conversation with Wayne

818

00:32:27,950 --> 00:32:25,080

Elliott from the Met Office 29th of

819

00:32:29,990 --> 00:32:27,960

March 2005. I was an observer at the

820

00:32:31,909 --> 00:32:30,000

station at the time I got a call from

821

00:32:33,590 --> 00:32:31,919

the mod police at cosford to say this

822

00:32:35,450 --> 00:32:33,600

family had seen something land in a

823

00:32:37,549 --> 00:32:35,460

field and had a close look at the craft

824

00:32:39,830 --> 00:32:37,559

which had then shot off and they were

825

00:32:41,510 --> 00:32:39,840

really scared the police at cosford had

826

00:32:43,310 --> 00:32:41,520

also seen this and they had received

827

00:32:46,010 --> 00:32:43,320

dozens of calls from people in the west

828

00:32:47,750 --> 00:32:46,020

country who had seen something similar

829

00:32:50,149 --> 00:32:47,760

at the time I knew nothing of the

830

00:32:52,490 --> 00:32:50,159

existence of Nick Pope or the Mod UFO

831

00:32:54,350 --> 00:32:52,500

unit cosford made the inquiries and

832

00:32:57,110 --> 00:32:54,360

spoke to me about it and my account went

833

00:32:59,149 --> 00:32:57,120

to Pope second hand via them we were

834

00:33:01,130 --> 00:32:59,159

always receiving calls about UFOs and I

835

00:33:03,049 --> 00:33:01,140

didn't think anything of it at all

836

00:33:04,970 --> 00:33:03,059

they alerted me but I had not seen

837

00:33:06,409 --> 00:33:04,980

anything it wasn't until it wasn't until

838

00:33:08,210 --> 00:33:06,419

I went out to take the hourly

839

00:33:10,549 --> 00:33:08,220

observation that I saw two white lights

840

00:33:12,590 --> 00:33:10,559

in the Eastern Sky which would be

841

00:33:14,090 --> 00:33:12,600

towards cosford they stopped to the

842

00:33:15,769 --> 00:33:14,100

north of the Airfield over the hill I

843

00:33:17,630 --> 00:33:15,779

used to make some of my met observations

844

00:33:19,730 --> 00:33:17,640

which was about seven kilometers away

845

00:33:21,710 --> 00:33:19,740

they stayed there for about 10 minutes

846

00:33:23,029 --> 00:33:21,720

and I then saw what appeared to be a

847

00:33:25,070 --> 00:33:23,039

beamer light scanning the hillside

848

00:33:26,630 --> 00:33:25,080

beneath it it stayed there for quite

849

00:33:28,789 --> 00:33:26,640

some time and I was about to give up and

850

00:33:30,590 --> 00:33:28,799

go back in then suddenly the Beamer

851  
00:33:32,330 --> 00:33:30,600  
light switched off and it flew off

852  
00:33:34,669 --> 00:33:32,340  
across the Airfield it would be about a

853  
00:33:35,990 --> 00:33:34,679  
thousand feet the noise was odd I

854  
00:33:37,730 --> 00:33:36,000  
thought it was not what you would hear

855  
00:33:39,409 --> 00:33:37,740  
from a fast jet as I was used to seeing

856  
00:33:41,630 --> 00:33:39,419  
tornadoes and harriers

857  
00:33:43,669 --> 00:33:41,640  
I have also seen military helicopters at

858  
00:33:45,769 --> 00:33:43,679  
strawberry our strawberry was a copter

859  
00:33:47,269 --> 00:33:45,779  
base and it seemed to go too fast for a

860  
00:33:49,730 --> 00:33:47,279  
copter I would have said it was more

861  
00:33:51,409 --> 00:33:49,740  
like a fixed-wing aircraft

862  
00:33:52,970 --> 00:33:51,419  
there was no one else around at the time

863  
00:33:55,610 --> 00:33:52,980

it did not strike me as being something

864

00:33:57,590 --> 00:33:55,620

familiar however looking at the time I

865

00:33:59,450 --> 00:33:57,600

saw it was clearly not the same thing as

866

00:34:01,610 --> 00:33:59,460

we had seen it as was seen at cosford

867

00:34:04,130 --> 00:34:01,620

and elsewhere as it was much later than

868

00:34:05,990 --> 00:34:04,140

I saw it that I saw it

869

00:34:08,450 --> 00:34:06,000

I never made anything of it I just

870

00:34:10,129 --> 00:34:08,460

reported what I had seen but Nick Pope

871

00:34:12,290 --> 00:34:10,139

has made a lot of it and put it in his

872

00:34:14,089 --> 00:34:12,300

book I spoke to him afterwards he rang

873

00:34:15,589 --> 00:34:14,099

me up and he assured me that he had

874

00:34:17,930 --> 00:34:15,599

checked with all the military sources

875

00:34:20,149 --> 00:34:17,940

for aircraft and ruled them out I just

876

00:34:22,129 --> 00:34:20,159

believed him I remember he questioned me

877

00:34:23,570 --> 00:34:22,139

about the shape this was in reference to

878

00:34:25,730 --> 00:34:23,580

what the family and rudely had seen

879

00:34:28,070 --> 00:34:25,740

earlier he said could it have been

880

00:34:30,230 --> 00:34:28,080

triangular and I said it could have been

881

00:34:32,149 --> 00:34:30,240

which was a bit of a leading question I

882

00:34:34,129 --> 00:34:32,159

suppose but I was just a met officer and

883

00:34:36,409 --> 00:34:34,139

this was the guy from the mod

884

00:34:37,849 --> 00:34:36,419

Nick Pope was very excited about it and

885

00:34:39,889 --> 00:34:37,859

made a great deal of the fact that I was

886

00:34:42,050 --> 00:34:39,899

an official Observer Etc which was true

887

00:34:44,089 --> 00:34:42,060

he had been running with it ever since

888

00:34:46,790 --> 00:34:44,099

he said he had checked all the official

889

00:34:48,470 --> 00:34:46,800

records in 1996 when his book came out

890

00:34:50,990 --> 00:34:48,480

everyone was asking questions about it

891

00:34:52,849 --> 00:34:51,000

and a film crew came over from Australia

892

00:34:53,990 --> 00:34:52,859

and filmed me talking about it at the

893

00:34:56,030 --> 00:34:54,000

Met Office

894

00:34:57,710 --> 00:34:56,040

they also filmed Pope at the flat where

895

00:34:59,210 --> 00:34:57,720

he lived with his mum in London but in

896

00:35:00,530 --> 00:34:59,220

the end they never used the footage in

897

00:35:03,050 --> 00:35:00,540

the show

898

00:35:04,670 --> 00:35:03,060

I was always fairly ambivalent about it

899

00:35:06,470 --> 00:35:04,680

I believe what I was told at the time

900

00:35:09,230 --> 00:35:06,480

but now I'm convinced that what I saw

901  
00:35:11,030 --> 00:35:09,240  
has been explained having now seen the

902  
00:35:12,349 --> 00:35:11,040  
letter in the Daily Mail I have to agree

903  
00:35:14,750 --> 00:35:12,359  
it was possible I saw a police

904  
00:35:16,910 --> 00:35:14,760  
helicopter the noise like a humming and

905  
00:35:19,430 --> 00:35:16,920  
the Beamer light are very similar also

906  
00:35:21,170 --> 00:35:19,440  
the a39 road they mentioned was in

907  
00:35:23,990 --> 00:35:21,180  
exactly the same place that I saw the

908  
00:35:25,069 --> 00:35:24,000  
object originally in fact that road Cuts

909  
00:35:27,410 --> 00:35:25,079  
right through the hill where it was

910  
00:35:28,910 --> 00:35:27,420  
hovering what I did not see were red and

911  
00:35:31,069 --> 00:35:28,920  
green lights which you would expect from

912  
00:35:32,329 --> 00:35:31,079  
a helicopter the lights I saw were both

913  
00:35:36,829 --> 00:35:32,339

White

914

00:35:38,990 --> 00:35:36,839

so there you go yeah

915

00:35:40,670 --> 00:35:39,000

this is the witness himself

916

00:35:42,770 --> 00:35:40,680

you know

917

00:35:44,810 --> 00:35:42,780

sort of saying yeah that's that's pretty

918

00:35:47,569 --> 00:35:44,820

much what I saw I suppose yeah you know

919

00:35:50,990 --> 00:35:47,579

if he'd have seen a genuine giant

920

00:35:53,150 --> 00:35:51,000

triangle the size of a 747

921

00:35:55,970 --> 00:35:53,160

he'd still be saying that here no it was

922

00:35:57,710 --> 00:35:55,980

definitely huge and triangular and you

923

00:35:59,630 --> 00:35:57,720

know it seems that

924

00:36:02,990 --> 00:35:59,640

those words were put in his mouth you

925

00:36:04,730 --> 00:36:03,000

know possibly I mean we maybe he did see

926  
00:36:06,530 --> 00:36:04,740  
something inexplicable I mean the the

927  
00:36:09,829 --> 00:36:06,540  
police helicopter is only a theory and

928  
00:36:11,329 --> 00:36:09,839  
there is another possibility and

929  
00:36:13,670 --> 00:36:11,339  
um this is something that Chris flat

930  
00:36:16,010 --> 00:36:13,680  
Fowler was um talking about on them

931  
00:36:18,050 --> 00:36:16,020  
social media a few days ago and I'd

932  
00:36:19,490 --> 00:36:18,060  
completely forgotten about it that I

933  
00:36:22,190 --> 00:36:19,500  
mentioned earlier that Nick poop had

934  
00:36:23,930 --> 00:36:22,200  
asked the RAF to um do it like they

935  
00:36:25,790 --> 00:36:23,940  
actually got the radar tapes from a base

936  
00:36:27,589 --> 00:36:25,800  
called clean Hill which is the nearest

937  
00:36:28,670 --> 00:36:27,599  
radar

938  
00:36:29,690 --> 00:36:28,680

um

939

00:36:31,970 --> 00:36:29,700

ground

940

00:36:35,270 --> 00:36:31,980

um sort of scanning radar in that area

941

00:36:37,370 --> 00:36:35,280

and they that they'd um they'd done like

942

00:36:39,050 --> 00:36:37,380

a rerun of the radar tapes for that

943

00:36:41,329 --> 00:36:39,060

particular evening at Nick poop's

944

00:36:44,030 --> 00:36:41,339

request which is quite an unusual thing

945

00:36:46,430 --> 00:36:44,040

for them to do and they produce like a

946

00:36:48,650 --> 00:36:46,440

big list of things that you could see

947

00:36:50,930 --> 00:36:48,660

from the radar tapes and they were

948

00:36:52,849 --> 00:36:50,940

nothing unusual on there and the

949

00:36:54,770 --> 00:36:52,859

conclusions

950

00:36:56,390 --> 00:36:54,780

um on it read unfortunately I would say

951  
00:36:58,490 --> 00:36:56,400  
there was nothing unusual seen on the

952  
00:37:00,890 --> 00:36:58,500  
radar recall record recordings

953  
00:37:02,630 --> 00:37:00,900  
um and that seems to be a conclusion but

954  
00:37:05,569 --> 00:37:02,640  
if you actually look at it as Gary

955  
00:37:08,270 --> 00:37:05,579  
Anthony did the very last item that

956  
00:37:10,790 --> 00:37:08,280  
they've listed number nine clear Hill

957  
00:37:12,670 --> 00:37:10,800  
there's a squawk which is an actual

958  
00:37:16,370 --> 00:37:12,680  
response from an actual aircraft

959  
00:37:19,310 --> 00:37:16,380  
descending on the a25 overhead

960  
00:37:21,650 --> 00:37:19,320  
strawberry and that's at precisely the

961  
00:37:23,270 --> 00:37:21,660  
time corrected to British summer time

962  
00:37:27,050 --> 00:37:23,280  
that

963  
00:37:30,349 --> 00:37:27,060

um the meteorological officer so is UFO

964

00:37:33,410 --> 00:37:30,359

so actually there on the radar

965

00:37:35,990 --> 00:37:33,420

um display at exactly the time there's

966

00:37:37,310 --> 00:37:36,000

an aircraft on radar descending over

967

00:37:39,470 --> 00:37:37,320

strawberry

968

00:37:43,370 --> 00:37:39,480

now that would have been quite high in

969

00:37:46,190 --> 00:37:43,380

the sky you know several maybe 20 000

970

00:37:48,230 --> 00:37:46,200

feet something like that I don't know

971

00:37:49,490 --> 00:37:48,240

um and again Nick poop when he was

972

00:37:50,990 --> 00:37:49,500

challenged about this I think on the

973

00:37:52,609 --> 00:37:51,000

channel 5 program said oh yeah yeah

974

00:37:55,069 --> 00:37:52,619

because I was aware of that sorry on the

975

00:37:57,050 --> 00:37:55,079

radar thing but you know the the Met

976

00:38:00,170 --> 00:37:57,060

Office guy said he saw this thing really

977

00:38:02,569 --> 00:38:00,180

low in the sky you know 500 feet 2 000

978

00:38:06,109 --> 00:38:02,579

feet but again

979

00:38:09,290 --> 00:38:06,119

um it's so easy to misidentify something

980

00:38:11,210 --> 00:38:09,300

that locks low in the sky that might not

981

00:38:14,569 --> 00:38:11,220

be low in the sky it all depends on

982

00:38:17,150 --> 00:38:14,579

meteorological conditions and you know

983

00:38:19,430 --> 00:38:17,160

um things can be very deceiving even to

984

00:38:22,609 --> 00:38:19,440

someone who is familiar with aircraft

985

00:38:24,770 --> 00:38:22,619

working on an Airfield and what you what

986

00:38:28,550 --> 00:38:24,780

is often not taken into account here is

987

00:38:30,710 --> 00:38:28,560

the UFO state of mind if he'd just

988

00:38:32,990 --> 00:38:30,720

wandered out and seen these lights he'd

989

00:38:35,810 --> 00:38:33,000

probably have just said it's an aircraft

990

00:38:38,690 --> 00:38:35,820

but what we're forgetting there is he'd

991

00:38:40,609 --> 00:38:38,700

had this excited phone call only a short

992

00:38:42,829 --> 00:38:40,619

time before from RAF costlin saying

993

00:38:45,290 --> 00:38:42,839

we've just seen this UFO we've had this

994

00:38:47,030 --> 00:38:45,300

family say they've seen it land so he

995

00:38:49,190 --> 00:38:47,040

was actually primed

996

00:38:51,349 --> 00:38:49,200

when he went out and saw these lights to

997

00:38:53,510 --> 00:38:51,359

think that's the UFO even though it was

998

00:38:55,190 --> 00:38:53,520

an hour and a half later but that's the

999

00:38:57,410 --> 00:38:55,200

thing because they calculated that it

1000

00:38:59,150 --> 00:38:57,420

had flown at Mach 2 plus

1001  
00:39:00,770 --> 00:38:59,160  
when they've got the times wrong so

1002  
00:39:02,569 --> 00:39:00,780  
we've got this giant triangular graph

1003  
00:39:04,910 --> 00:39:02,579  
that's going at Mac two plus that's been

1004  
00:39:07,130 --> 00:39:04,920  
seen by multiple Witnesses yeah this is

1005  
00:39:08,569 --> 00:39:07,140  
a big UFO story building here where if

1006  
00:39:10,490 --> 00:39:08,579  
you look at all the facts when you

1007  
00:39:12,650 --> 00:39:10,500  
actually get them into order

1008  
00:39:14,750 --> 00:39:12,660  
they all trickle away and you're back to

1009  
00:39:16,010 --> 00:39:14,760  
just prosaic explanations and this is

1010  
00:39:18,170 --> 00:39:16,020  
why

1011  
00:39:20,210 --> 00:39:18,180  
I find it frustrating that these things

1012  
00:39:22,010 --> 00:39:20,220  
don't get talked about researched and

1013  
00:39:23,690 --> 00:39:22,020

discussed enough because you know well

1014

00:39:25,970 --> 00:39:23,700

that's right they're 30 odd years ago it

1015

00:39:28,190 --> 00:39:25,980

doesn't matter anymore but it does it

1016

00:39:29,750 --> 00:39:28,200

does finish yeah there's lessons to be

1017

00:39:32,750 --> 00:39:29,760

learned from this I mean if you want to

1018

00:39:34,370 --> 00:39:32,760

investigate UFOs and you believe that

1019

00:39:36,589 --> 00:39:34,380

there is something real and genuinely

1020

00:39:38,329 --> 00:39:36,599

inexplicable as I do

1021

00:39:41,030 --> 00:39:38,339

you've got to be able to show that

1022

00:39:43,550 --> 00:39:41,040

you've got a a very sort of

1023

00:39:46,130 --> 00:39:43,560

um clear methodology for for eliminating

1024

00:39:47,270 --> 00:39:46,140

things that aren't inexplicable that you

1025

00:39:49,730 --> 00:39:47,280

can explain

1026

00:39:52,010 --> 00:39:49,740

and you can almost see a flap like this

1027

00:39:54,530 --> 00:39:52,020

is almost like a training exercise

1028

00:39:56,630 --> 00:39:54,540

whereby you know and and this is what

1029

00:39:58,849 --> 00:39:56,640

before uh Jenny Randall's Gary Anthony

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00:40:01,430 --> 00:39:58,859

it was there was they were a great sort

1031

00:40:03,890 --> 00:40:01,440

of bunch of people back in the 90s and

1032

00:40:05,690 --> 00:40:03,900

you know they were really on this as

1033

00:40:07,970 --> 00:40:05,700

soon as it happened they'd explained it

1034

00:40:10,190 --> 00:40:07,980

the bizarre thing was that Nick Pope and

1035

00:40:11,690 --> 00:40:10,200

the ministry of defense was so baffled

1036

00:40:13,609 --> 00:40:11,700

by it for so long

1037

00:40:15,170 --> 00:40:13,619

and I can only assume it's because they

1038

00:40:17,870 --> 00:40:15,180

had a will to believe

1039

00:40:19,670 --> 00:40:17,880

that might have been sort of generated

1040

00:40:22,490 --> 00:40:19,680

by what had gone on before with the

1041

00:40:24,770 --> 00:40:22,500

Calvin photograph and all the

1042

00:40:26,870 --> 00:40:24,780

speculation about Aurora because when

1043

00:40:28,849 --> 00:40:26,880

Nick Pope writes his report and he Flags

1044

00:40:31,430 --> 00:40:28,859

it up to his head of division and he

1045

00:40:32,750 --> 00:40:31,440

copies it to di55 it's all framed in

1046

00:40:34,609 --> 00:40:32,760

this perhaps we ought to ask the

1047

00:40:37,550 --> 00:40:34,619

Americans about this whether they were

1048

00:40:39,410 --> 00:40:37,560

operating something over the UK that we

1049

00:40:42,109 --> 00:40:39,420

don't know about I mean again if there's

1050

00:40:43,550 --> 00:40:42,119

a couple of extracts from his report you

1051  
00:40:45,589 --> 00:40:43,560  
might want to show

1052  
00:40:50,210 --> 00:40:45,599  
yeah

1053  
00:40:51,890 --> 00:40:50,220  
conclusion given what what he said the

1054  
00:40:53,930 --> 00:40:51,900  
summary of what happened it would not

1055  
00:40:56,150 --> 00:40:53,940  
seem sufficient to Simply write these

1056  
00:40:58,490 --> 00:40:56,160  
sightings off seems that an unidentified

1057  
00:41:00,890 --> 00:40:58,500  
object to the origin was operating in

1058  
00:41:03,230 --> 00:41:00,900  
the UK air defense region without being

1059  
00:41:05,030 --> 00:41:03,240  
detected on radar and it would appear to

1060  
00:41:06,650 --> 00:41:05,040  
be of considerable defense significance

1061  
00:41:09,530 --> 00:41:06,660  
and I recommend that we investigate

1062  
00:41:11,690 --> 00:41:09,540  
further within mod or with the US

1063  
00:41:14,030 --> 00:41:11,700

Authority so again why the U.S

1064

00:41:16,250 --> 00:41:14,040

authorities again it's obviously a

1065

00:41:19,450 --> 00:41:16,260

reference to the suspicion that was

1066

00:41:23,450 --> 00:41:19,460

shared by his head of division

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00:41:26,030 --> 00:41:23,460

yes and by the di55 desk officer that

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00:41:27,170 --> 00:41:26,040

the Americans were flying something

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00:41:29,450 --> 00:41:27,180

um that they weren't telling us about

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00:41:31,250 --> 00:41:29,460

and this again harks back to what had

1071

00:41:33,589 --> 00:41:31,260

gone on before with the Belgian flap and

1072

00:41:35,210 --> 00:41:33,599

the Calvin photographs and the rumors

1073

00:41:36,950 --> 00:41:35,220

about something being based at Raf

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00:41:39,770 --> 00:41:36,960

macrihanish that the Americans are

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00:41:43,370 --> 00:41:39,780

operating in secrecy so it seems to have

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00:41:46,370 --> 00:41:43,380

fed into the cosford flap in 1993. now

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00:41:48,530 --> 00:41:46,380

all that stuff was copied as far as the

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00:41:52,010 --> 00:41:48,540

assistant chief of the air staff

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00:41:54,170 --> 00:41:52,020

a very senior RAF official who basically

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00:41:56,150 --> 00:41:54,180

looked at it and said I've made contact

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00:41:57,650 --> 00:41:56,160

with the Americans and it's they had

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00:42:00,589 --> 00:41:57,660

they didn't have anything fine and you

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00:42:02,810 --> 00:42:00,599

can see someone has said there you can

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00:42:05,270 --> 00:42:02,820

see this the scribble at the top here

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00:42:07,910 --> 00:42:05,280

two lots of scribble one of them is Nick

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00:42:10,430 --> 00:42:07,920

poops handwriting this one's a pope here

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00:42:13,250 --> 00:42:10,440

yeah the far Eyes Nick poops and the one

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00:42:15,470 --> 00:42:13,260

at the side is his um is his boss who is

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00:42:18,349 --> 00:42:15,480

the real head of the UFO desk

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00:42:20,690 --> 00:42:18,359

and as you can see thank you

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00:42:22,730 --> 00:42:20,700

um I suggest you now drop this subject

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00:42:24,770 --> 00:42:22,740

so it's basically saying yeah good good

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00:42:26,470 --> 00:42:24,780

job Nick you've done all you can now

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00:42:28,910 --> 00:42:26,480

let's drop it please

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00:42:30,410 --> 00:42:28,920

absolutely and I mentioned to you before

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00:42:32,410 --> 00:42:30,420

we came on we were talking about it and

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00:42:35,690 --> 00:42:32,420

you know it would it would have been

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00:42:37,430 --> 00:42:35,700

di55 that would have done any proper

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00:42:38,569 --> 00:42:37,440

investigation going out into the field

1100

00:42:40,190 --> 00:42:38,579

but

1101

00:42:43,069 --> 00:42:40,200

they didn't even

1102

00:42:44,750 --> 00:42:43,079

bother no I mean their their file on

1103

00:42:46,849 --> 00:42:44,760

this case was released at the National

1104

00:42:49,670 --> 00:42:46,859

Archives just last year but I'd had a

1105

00:42:51,170 --> 00:42:49,680

copy of it since about 2005 and I was

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00:42:54,250 --> 00:42:51,180

really disappointed when I got it

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00:42:56,569 --> 00:42:54,260

because it's just it's just the

1108

00:42:58,190 --> 00:42:56,579

photocopies of the same stuff that's in

1109

00:43:01,609 --> 00:42:58,200

Nick poops file with a couple of extra

1110

00:43:04,370 --> 00:43:01,619

sheets saying did a UFO visit the UK

1111

00:43:05,569 --> 00:43:04,380

they're clearly not falling down on the

1112

00:43:08,150 --> 00:43:05,579

job a bit on this one they haven't

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00:43:11,270 --> 00:43:08,160

actually done anything more uh with it

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00:43:13,190 --> 00:43:11,280

and and they did contact filing Dales

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00:43:15,770 --> 00:43:13,200

now Aria filing Dale's in North

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00:43:17,329 --> 00:43:15,780

Yorkshire which coincidentally I I drove

1117

00:43:19,790 --> 00:43:17,339

past only a couple of nights ago on my

1118

00:43:21,410 --> 00:43:19,800

way back from Whitby and that that's the

1119

00:43:23,690 --> 00:43:21,420

big sort of early warning station that's

1120

00:43:25,550 --> 00:43:23,700

got the Over the Horizon Radar Radar

1121

00:43:28,190 --> 00:43:25,560

that looks out towards the distant

1122

00:43:31,309 --> 00:43:28,200

Horizon and they're the ones who plot

1123

00:43:33,589 --> 00:43:31,319

objects in orbit and Nick poop you can

1124

00:43:37,010 --> 00:43:33,599

see from the file he did contact them

1125

00:43:40,130 --> 00:43:37,020

and they did confirm that this um

1126

00:43:43,430 --> 00:43:40,140

Cosmos rocket body and burnt up but they

1127

00:43:45,650 --> 00:43:43,440

again they gave him the the time in GMT

1128

00:43:48,470 --> 00:43:45,660

are you just after midnight rather than

1129

00:43:52,970 --> 00:43:48,480

correcting it for British summer time so

1130

00:43:56,510 --> 00:43:52,980

all all the clues to solve this case

1131

00:43:58,010 --> 00:43:56,520

were staring the ministry of Defense in

1132

00:43:59,870 --> 00:43:58,020

their faith and they seem to have

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00:44:02,569 --> 00:43:59,880

completely disregarded them and gone off

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00:44:05,210 --> 00:44:02,579

on this weird tangent that it was either

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00:44:07,069 --> 00:44:05,220

the Aurora spy plane or some mysterious

1136

00:44:09,230 --> 00:44:07,079

craft from outer space

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00:44:12,650 --> 00:44:09,240

and I think there's an element of a wish

1138

00:44:14,870 --> 00:44:12,660

a want to believe going on here and

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00:44:16,250 --> 00:44:14,880

don't forget this is the era just when

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00:44:18,710 --> 00:44:16,260

the when the I think I think it was

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00:44:21,349 --> 00:44:18,720

later in 1993 or was it 94 when the

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00:44:23,150 --> 00:44:21,359

X-Files premiered on British TV I think

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00:44:25,190 --> 00:44:23,160

in the UK it was 94 but I think it was

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00:44:27,589 --> 00:44:25,200

93 us yeah

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00:44:29,569 --> 00:44:27,599

so there was a big buzz about the whole

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00:44:31,430 --> 00:44:29,579

subject of this time and I think um

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00:44:32,990 --> 00:44:31,440

there was a several people at the

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00:44:35,329 --> 00:44:33,000

ministry of Defense who wanted to

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00:44:37,849 --> 00:44:35,339

believe not just Nick Pope at the time

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00:44:40,790 --> 00:44:37,859

and I think that's fed into how this

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00:44:43,430 --> 00:44:40,800

case has been transformed from what is a

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00:44:45,589 --> 00:44:43,440

pretty uninteresting yeah group of

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00:44:48,829 --> 00:44:45,599

sightings of lights in the sky which in

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00:44:50,450 --> 00:44:48,839

any other context even the most seasoned

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00:44:53,450 --> 00:44:50,460

ufologists would have would have

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00:44:55,130 --> 00:44:53,460

concluded this is space junk there's

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00:44:57,890 --> 00:44:55,140

lots of other examples of similar

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00:44:59,990 --> 00:44:57,900

examples of this and of course if you

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00:45:04,250 --> 00:45:00,000

pick up if you pick a night or two

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00:45:06,290 --> 00:45:04,260

nights randomly in any calendar year and

1161

00:45:09,349 --> 00:45:06,300

let's let's let's use the ministry of

1162

00:45:11,870 --> 00:45:09,359

Defense UFO files because if you go and

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00:45:14,329 --> 00:45:11,880

you download those files from there it

1164

00:45:16,910 --> 00:45:14,339

pretty much covers from about 1987 to

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00:45:19,130 --> 00:45:16,920

1997 you can just pick a sample of dates

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00:45:21,650 --> 00:45:19,140

you will find any random Dean you will

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00:45:23,569 --> 00:45:21,660

find that there'll be a site in at eight

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00:45:26,089 --> 00:45:23,579

o'clock in West Midlands there'll be a

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00:45:28,130 --> 00:45:26,099

site in it they're half past 11 in Kent

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00:45:29,450 --> 00:45:28,140

there'll be another one um at midnight

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00:45:31,670 --> 00:45:29,460

in Scotland

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00:45:34,190 --> 00:45:31,680

so what they're all caused by different

1173

00:45:35,930 --> 00:45:34,200

things yeah so in this particular

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00:45:38,329 --> 00:45:35,940

instance you've got this massive cluster

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00:45:40,130 --> 00:45:38,339

of probably 70 or 80 witness reports

1176

00:45:42,770 --> 00:45:40,140

around one in the morning and then

1177

00:45:45,710 --> 00:45:42,780

you've got a few before midnight down in

1178

00:45:47,089 --> 00:45:45,720

the southwest which um I think it's been

1179

00:45:49,910 --> 00:45:47,099

suggested that some of those may have

1180

00:45:52,390 --> 00:45:49,920

been um Royal Navy seeking helicopters

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00:45:55,550 --> 00:45:52,400

and we know we're operating from Europe

1182

00:45:58,370 --> 00:45:55,560

30th of March 93 two seeking helicopters

1183

00:46:00,470 --> 00:45:58,380

flying from our Nas Yeovil turn were

1184

00:46:04,010 --> 00:46:00,480

active in a low-flying area up to up

1185

00:46:05,390 --> 00:46:04,020

until midnight yeah so potentially some

1186

00:46:07,550 --> 00:46:05,400

of the sightings down in the southwest

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00:46:09,770 --> 00:46:07,560

and Doug Cooper collected I think there

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00:46:11,270 --> 00:46:09,780

was um a couple of fishermen who were

1189

00:46:13,250 --> 00:46:11,280

out elving

1190

00:46:14,690 --> 00:46:13,260

um on the in the somerset levels and

1191

00:46:17,329 --> 00:46:14,700

they saw something like a big glass

1192

00:46:20,750 --> 00:46:17,339

bottom thing weirdly shaped object with

1193

00:46:22,970 --> 00:46:20,760

lights in a triangular formation

1194

00:46:25,309 --> 00:46:22,980

um that's one of the ones that Nick poop

1195

00:46:26,809 --> 00:46:25,319

has sort of picked out has been can't be

1196

00:46:29,210 --> 00:46:26,819

explained by the Russian rocket body

1197

00:46:31,550 --> 00:46:29,220

well nobody's suggesting that

1198

00:46:33,109 --> 00:46:31,560

um it was but it could have been one of

1199

00:46:36,109 --> 00:46:33,119

these seeking helicopters or something

1200

00:46:37,609 --> 00:46:36,119

else of that nature it just because it

1201  
00:46:38,930 --> 00:46:37,619  
happened then it doesn't mean say it was

1202  
00:46:41,089 --> 00:46:38,940  
connected with either the cosford

1203  
00:46:43,250 --> 00:46:41,099  
reports or the cosford or the strawberry

1204  
00:46:45,410 --> 00:46:43,260  
one yeah which was later in the evening

1205  
00:46:48,710 --> 00:46:45,420  
so these are all random

1206  
00:46:50,210 --> 00:46:48,720  
see random sightings all caused by lots

1207  
00:46:52,309 --> 00:46:50,220  
of different things have all been lumped

1208  
00:46:55,069 --> 00:46:52,319  
together into what's become known as the

1209  
00:46:58,250 --> 00:46:55,079  
cosford incident yeah and I mean I was

1210  
00:47:00,170 --> 00:46:58,260  
looking at old uh Daily Star and discern

1211  
00:47:02,450 --> 00:47:00,180  
articles because that's where it gets

1212  
00:47:05,089 --> 00:47:02,460  
repeated every few years and it was

1213  
00:47:08,270 --> 00:47:05,099

literally showing maps of triangles

1214

00:47:10,670 --> 00:47:08,280

going triangle plotted going from you

1215

00:47:12,650 --> 00:47:10,680

know North West England down all you

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00:47:14,569 --> 00:47:12,660

know and it's like this is how these

1217

00:47:17,329 --> 00:47:14,579

things get so blown out of proportion

1218

00:47:19,790 --> 00:47:17,339

that this is again I'll reiterate this

1219

00:47:22,069 --> 00:47:19,800

is why these cases need bringing back up

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00:47:23,870 --> 00:47:22,079

looking into again and really setting

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00:47:25,790 --> 00:47:23,880

the record straight because

1222

00:47:27,589 --> 00:47:25,800

it just muddies the Waters of this

1223

00:47:29,390 --> 00:47:27,599

subject which you're muddy enough as it

1224

00:47:32,030 --> 00:47:29,400

is so yeah I think that's that's why we

1225

00:47:33,770 --> 00:47:32,040

needed to I wanted to highlight this so

1226

00:47:36,349 --> 00:47:33,780

yeah I think we've covered everything

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00:47:38,150 --> 00:47:36,359

with regards I think so yeah yeah but as

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00:47:39,710 --> 00:47:38,160

you say really this this is like one of

1229

00:47:41,750 --> 00:47:39,720

those Fair Ground

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00:47:43,069 --> 00:47:41,760

um things into it when you're giving a

1231

00:47:45,230 --> 00:47:43,079

bigger hammer and you have to sort of

1232

00:47:46,609 --> 00:47:45,240

knock the the little guys that are

1233

00:47:49,010 --> 00:47:46,619

sticking up and as soon as you know

1234

00:47:50,809 --> 00:47:49,020

another one comes up so it's like you

1235

00:47:53,390 --> 00:47:50,819

can't kill it this this story because

1236

00:47:55,250 --> 00:47:53,400

it's been in the tabloids and because

1237

00:47:57,650 --> 00:47:55,260

you know the former head of the um

1238

00:48:00,530 --> 00:47:57,660

Ministry of defenses the UFO desk keeps

1239

00:48:02,569 --> 00:48:00,540

banging on about it it's good he's going

1240

00:48:04,970 --> 00:48:02,579

to achieve mythical status yeah it's

1241

00:48:06,170 --> 00:48:04,980

impossible to kill it off even even

1242

00:48:08,390 --> 00:48:06,180

though when you put it under the

1243

00:48:10,069 --> 00:48:08,400

microscope it just Falls to pieces

1244

00:48:13,250 --> 00:48:10,079

yeah and don't get me wrong I'd love it

1245

00:48:15,829 --> 00:48:13,260

to be a general exotic huge triangle but

1246

00:48:17,809 --> 00:48:15,839

you know that wouldn't be me doing what

1247

00:48:19,910 --> 00:48:17,819

I I need to be doing which is looking at

1248

00:48:21,770 --> 00:48:19,920

it properly with the right head on my

1249

00:48:23,930 --> 00:48:21,780

shoulders so you know apologies to

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00:48:27,890 --> 00:48:23,940

anybody out there well no I'm not sorry

1251

00:48:29,030 --> 00:48:27,900

in fact you know I'm just following the

1252

00:48:32,089 --> 00:48:29,040

data and I think that's what everybody

1253

00:48:34,630 --> 00:48:32,099

needs to do on every single case and not

1254

00:48:37,190 --> 00:48:34,640

let their biases and stuff play in in

1255

00:48:39,650 --> 00:48:37,200

you know courses

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00:48:42,710 --> 00:48:39,660

in those files there are plenty of other

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00:48:44,569 --> 00:48:42,720

far more mysterious inexplicable

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00:48:47,630 --> 00:48:44,579

um accounts of sightings and experiences

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00:48:49,190 --> 00:48:47,640

in this one and it just pains me that so

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00:48:51,829 --> 00:48:49,200

much time and energy is wasted on

1261

00:48:55,609 --> 00:48:51,839

something that is that was explained and

1262

00:48:58,370 --> 00:48:55,619

has been explained adequately so it just

1263

00:48:59,690 --> 00:48:58,380

distracts from the really good

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00:49:02,030 --> 00:48:59,700

um case evidence

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00:49:02,990 --> 00:49:02,040

that is there and the tends to get

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00:49:04,970 --> 00:49:03,000

ignored

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00:49:06,589 --> 00:49:04,980

yeah yeah

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00:49:08,329 --> 00:49:06,599

um you know I need to make another visit

1269

00:49:10,010 --> 00:49:08,339

down to the archives and find some of

1270

00:49:11,870 --> 00:49:10,020

these cases because there's some gems in

1271

00:49:13,250 --> 00:49:11,880

there there really is but well listen

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00:49:15,650 --> 00:49:13,260

David thank you so much I really

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00:49:18,230 --> 00:49:15,660

appreciate it and um yeah to everyone

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00:49:20,630 --> 00:49:18,240

who is watching this is the last video

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00:49:24,410 --> 00:49:20,640

that I am making before I head back out

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00:49:26,089 --> 00:49:24,420

to Colombia and but I will be uploading

1277

00:49:28,250 --> 00:49:26,099

some interesting

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00:49:30,230 --> 00:49:28,260

content from Colombia let's say I went I

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00:49:32,030 --> 00:49:30,240

won't say too much and then we've heard

1280

00:49:35,329 --> 00:49:32,040

also rumors of some more hearings

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00:49:37,670 --> 00:49:35,339

happening uh potentially in April uh in

1282

00:49:38,930 --> 00:49:37,680

the US so uh there may be well there may

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00:49:41,390 --> 00:49:38,940

well be some content coming out

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00:49:43,010 --> 00:49:41,400

regarding those again watch this space

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00:49:45,170 --> 00:49:43,020

but for now everyone thank you so much

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00:49:47,930 --> 00:49:45,180

for watching and I'll see you all soon