



1  
00:00:04,550 --> 00:00:02,990  
first time I saw them was on the 20th of

2  
00:00:08,150 --> 00:00:04,560  
January

3  
00:00:11,450 --> 00:00:08,160  
and were out above that one goal there

4  
00:00:13,249 --> 00:00:11,460  
are four of them together and a fifth

5  
00:00:14,030 --> 00:00:13,259  
one came up and followed them and joined

6  
00:00:16,609 --> 00:00:14,040  
them

7  
00:00:19,070 --> 00:00:16,619  
above the roof of the house and just sat

8  
00:00:22,670 --> 00:00:19,080  
there and sat there and didn't move

9  
00:00:25,250 --> 00:00:22,680  
otherwise enormous orange globes with no

10  
00:00:26,750 --> 00:00:25,260  
sound didn't make a move in as if it

11  
00:00:28,009 --> 00:00:26,760  
just parked up and like took the keys

12  
00:00:29,570 --> 00:00:28,019  
out and cleared off because I just come

13  
00:00:31,730 --> 00:00:29,580

back from the shop and I was driving

14

00:00:32,990 --> 00:00:31,740

around the corner there and they were

15

00:00:34,310 --> 00:00:33,000

just moving across you couldn't miss

16

00:00:36,170 --> 00:00:34,320

them they were so big they were just

17

00:00:38,630 --> 00:00:36,180

there in the corner of my eye and I

18

00:00:40,130 --> 00:00:38,640

bought cracky that helicopters low and

19

00:00:41,869 --> 00:00:40,140

then I realized it wasn't helicopter

20

00:00:43,970 --> 00:00:41,879

because the fifth light was independent

21

00:00:46,010 --> 00:00:43,980

of the other four and came up and joined

22

00:00:47,209 --> 00:00:46,020

the other four and they all just sat

23

00:00:48,709 --> 00:00:47,219

together

24

00:00:49,790 --> 00:00:48,719

and I'll stop for about seven or eight

25

00:00:51,229 --> 00:00:49,800

minutes and I walked through the middle

26

00:00:52,850 --> 00:00:51,239

of the road and I'm looking like this

27

00:00:54,410 --> 00:00:52,860

and there wasn't a sound there was no

28

00:00:56,209 --> 00:00:54,420

noise you could hear the street lights

29

00:00:58,069 --> 00:00:56,219

coming but you can see those lights for

30

00:00:59,569 --> 00:00:58,079

me there's nothing at all there was

31

00:01:00,709 --> 00:00:59,579

nothing behind the lights as if they

32

00:01:02,930 --> 00:01:00,719

were attached to a machine or anything

33

00:01:04,369 --> 00:01:02,940

so I went in the house and I said to my

34

00:01:05,690 --> 00:01:04,379

husband just look out that door quick

35

00:01:07,490 --> 00:01:05,700

and have a look over the garden gate

36

00:01:09,170 --> 00:01:07,500

tell me what you can see

37

00:01:10,789 --> 00:01:09,180

so he comes out and his chin is his

38

00:01:12,469 --> 00:01:10,799

kneecaps he couldn't believe it and he

39

00:01:14,450 --> 00:01:12,479

just does staring at them

40

00:01:16,969 --> 00:01:14,460

and he runs to get John our neighbor

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00:01:19,250 --> 00:01:16,979

here and John came out and there was

42

00:01:20,990 --> 00:01:19,260

still sat there haven't moved

43

00:01:22,850 --> 00:01:21,000

and just as young went back in to get

44

00:01:24,830 --> 00:01:22,860

his telescope and slowly started to move

45

00:01:27,170 --> 00:01:24,840

away to the north but we were only

46

00:01:28,730 --> 00:01:27,180

treated up Heights where batteries at

47

00:01:30,289 --> 00:01:28,740

the back of that down below is how high

48

00:01:32,030 --> 00:01:30,299

they were and we still didn't ring we

49

00:01:33,710 --> 00:01:32,040

didn't do anything about it because I

50

00:01:35,330 --> 00:01:33,720

didn't want to get laughed at and then

51  
00:01:37,249 --> 00:01:35,340  
exactly five weeks and five days later

52  
00:01:39,530 --> 00:01:37,259  
she was on a Thursday the first time was

53  
00:01:40,969 --> 00:01:39,540  
on a Saturday

54  
00:01:42,590 --> 00:01:40,979  
um my husband was on the front he was a

55  
00:01:44,630 --> 00:01:42,600  
little boy on a two-wheeler bag he's

56  
00:01:46,010 --> 00:01:44,640  
only six he can start but can't stop he

57  
00:01:48,170 --> 00:01:46,020  
was running around the back of him like

58  
00:01:49,550 --> 00:01:48,180  
this and instead of being that sound of

59  
00:01:52,249 --> 00:01:49,560  
the road this time they were above this

60  
00:01:55,310 --> 00:01:52,259  
old houses and they just came sailing in

61  
00:01:58,550 --> 00:01:55,320  
from the end of the street right all in

62  
00:02:01,190 --> 00:01:58,560  
a line just in a line and I come flying

63  
00:02:03,950 --> 00:02:01,200

out locked up and saw him above here

64

00:02:05,569 --> 00:02:03,960

with the moon sat behind him shot back

65

00:02:08,770 --> 00:02:05,579

in grab me scope

66

00:02:13,790 --> 00:02:11,270

just couldn't believe what I was seeing

67

00:02:15,470 --> 00:02:13,800

and then just checked all four of them

68

00:02:17,449 --> 00:02:15,480

were okay there was only four at this

69

00:02:19,729 --> 00:02:17,459

time check they were awful it was all

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00:02:23,030 --> 00:02:19,739

right with the same and then sort of

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00:02:24,949 --> 00:02:23,040

locked onto one and by ultimate Skull

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00:02:27,770 --> 00:02:24,959

part against the Lamppost and getting a

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00:02:29,390 --> 00:02:27,780

good solid possession against it so I've

74

00:02:32,030 --> 00:02:29,400

got something that's really supportive

75

00:02:34,610 --> 00:02:32,040

and and then try to get it in my mind's

76

00:02:37,430 --> 00:02:34,620

eye exactly what I'd say a single light

77

00:02:39,350 --> 00:02:37,440

not not any strobing lights not red and

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00:02:41,869 --> 00:02:39,360

green for your wings for the important

79

00:02:43,610 --> 00:02:41,879

star but no strobing lights which you

80

00:02:46,869 --> 00:02:43,620

know you're flushing white lights which

81

00:02:51,530 --> 00:02:46,879

you can see very very clearly for or

82

00:02:54,410 --> 00:02:51,540

well 30 40 miles away at least

83

00:02:56,690 --> 00:02:54,420

um so no no chance I mean

84

00:02:59,390 --> 00:02:56,700

like I've said 30 odd years of spotting

85

00:03:02,869 --> 00:02:59,400

all over the world Spain America Germany

86

00:03:06,949 --> 00:03:05,750

weird I I'd say they were pretty low I

87

00:03:09,350 --> 00:03:06,959

mean guessing that they were looking

88

00:03:11,570 --> 00:03:09,360

through the houses in the distance going

89

00:03:13,790 --> 00:03:11,580

over towards Barrow way

90

00:03:16,790 --> 00:03:13,800

maybe about a thousand feet

91

00:03:18,290 --> 00:03:16,800

something like that distance no idea I

92

00:03:20,270 --> 00:03:18,300

didn't get a clear picture of them at

93

00:03:21,470 --> 00:03:20,280

all you know any idea about estimated

94

00:03:23,330 --> 00:03:21,480

speed

95

00:03:24,949 --> 00:03:23,340

no they're all named that they were

96

00:03:27,530 --> 00:03:24,959

moving away and again they were about

97

00:03:30,229 --> 00:03:27,540

time I got my scope on them to be really

98

00:03:31,190 --> 00:03:30,239

honest I'd just no idea I mean it could

99

00:03:35,449 --> 00:03:31,200

have been going

100

00:03:37,670 --> 00:03:35,459

quicker I just don't know but they were

101  
00:03:39,589 --> 00:03:37,680  
there for a fair bit of time so not

102  
00:03:40,490 --> 00:03:39,599  
answer the guess they were reasonable

103  
00:03:43,550 --> 00:03:40,500  
slow

104  
00:03:45,890 --> 00:03:43,560  
how I went and these things were just

105  
00:03:48,410 --> 00:03:45,900  
right over the top of the house and they

106  
00:03:49,670 --> 00:03:48,420  
were just unbelievable and I mean we've

107  
00:03:50,630 --> 00:03:49,680  
said about the aircraft and everything

108  
00:03:53,030 --> 00:03:50,640  
else

109  
00:03:55,789 --> 00:03:53,040  
no way I mean they weren't hard to have

110  
00:03:57,649 --> 00:03:55,799  
balloons or anything my very first and

111  
00:03:59,149 --> 00:03:57,659  
I'll be honest with me very first

112  
00:04:00,410 --> 00:03:59,159  
instinct was

113  
00:04:03,170 --> 00:04:00,420

otter everline

114

00:04:04,309 --> 00:04:03,180

as I first got a lot of throat and this

115

00:04:07,190 --> 00:04:04,319

scope at it

116

00:04:09,350 --> 00:04:07,200

but then I started checking off there

117

00:04:12,170 --> 00:04:09,360

were five of them uh I think they're

118

00:04:13,250 --> 00:04:12,180

five now again my memory starting going

119

00:04:15,830 --> 00:04:13,260

um

120

00:04:18,229 --> 00:04:15,840

but they were I checked a lot I checked

121

00:04:19,550 --> 00:04:18,239

in each individual one and then I

122

00:04:22,370 --> 00:04:19,560

checked

123

00:04:24,590 --> 00:04:22,380

and one in particular and they all look

124

00:04:26,990 --> 00:04:24,600

the same they all were like a big

125

00:04:29,570 --> 00:04:27,000

cylinder white cylinder like a parachute

126  
00:04:33,490 --> 00:04:29,580  
material as you might say the moon was

127  
00:04:36,650 --> 00:04:33,500  
set behind and so it was showing through

128  
00:04:39,530 --> 00:04:36,660  
the this material as you might just call

129  
00:04:43,310 --> 00:04:39,540  
it and then in the base was um like what

130  
00:04:45,350 --> 00:04:43,320  
you might call a candle light bulb there

131  
00:04:48,409 --> 00:04:45,360  
was no Flame or anything it was just

132  
00:04:50,030 --> 00:04:48,419  
like a a glow and that was attached it

133  
00:04:52,730 --> 00:04:50,040  
was like that and it was attached to the

134  
00:04:55,070 --> 00:04:52,740  
bottom of these this cylinder and then

135  
00:04:58,610 --> 00:04:55,080  
it was like it was like shaped like that

136  
00:05:00,890 --> 00:04:58,620  
in four separate segments

137  
00:05:02,930 --> 00:05:00,900  
open at the top open at the bottom so

138  
00:05:04,610 --> 00:05:02,940

there was no it was that ruled out the

139

00:05:07,070 --> 00:05:04,620

the utter air balloon Theory straight

140

00:05:10,249 --> 00:05:07,080

out the window and then the 23rd of

141

00:05:12,530 --> 00:05:10,259

March was the last time we saw them

142

00:05:14,090 --> 00:05:12,540

and I'm looking through my window

143

00:05:16,189 --> 00:05:14,100

because now I sit with my vertical

144

00:05:17,990 --> 00:05:16,199

blinds set so I can see straight down

145

00:05:19,909 --> 00:05:18,000

straight and I'm just sat like this

146

00:05:21,530 --> 00:05:19,919

looking out the window and it was

147

00:05:23,390 --> 00:05:21,540

quarter to eight was when the adverts

148

00:05:25,909 --> 00:05:23,400

were on for Coronation Street

149

00:05:29,150 --> 00:05:25,919

and I looked out the window and I saw in

150

00:05:31,550 --> 00:05:29,160

the distance to the north North West

151  
00:05:34,670 --> 00:05:31,560  
sorry North Northeast that's right North

152  
00:05:36,110 --> 00:05:34,680  
Northeast this orange light coming this

153  
00:05:38,150 --> 00:05:36,120  
way

154  
00:05:39,409 --> 00:05:38,160  
and I said I call my husband Danny and I

155  
00:05:41,029 --> 00:05:39,419  
said just have a look at that is it a

156  
00:05:42,830 --> 00:05:41,039  
plane or is it one of them

157  
00:05:44,390 --> 00:05:42,840  
and he looks and he said no it's a play

158  
00:05:46,670 --> 00:05:44,400  
definitely and I said well it's orange

159  
00:05:49,370 --> 00:05:46,680  
and it's not strobing so I went outside

160  
00:05:51,230 --> 00:05:49,380  
and walked down the the driveway and yes

161  
00:05:54,110 --> 00:05:51,240  
it was one of them and I shot back in

162  
00:05:56,150 --> 00:05:54,120  
and said camcord quick photograph soup

163  
00:05:57,650 --> 00:05:56,160

and it was okay both came running out at

164

00:06:00,469 --> 00:05:57,660

which point John next door had come out

165

00:06:01,790 --> 00:06:00,479

as well I'm right next door but one Jill

166

00:06:03,890 --> 00:06:01,800

the policeman's wife from over there or

167

00:06:06,409 --> 00:06:03,900

everybody was all out again

168

00:06:08,270 --> 00:06:06,419

I managed to get them on camera uh take

169

00:06:10,550 --> 00:06:08,280

photographs of them and my husband got

170

00:06:11,749 --> 00:06:10,560

the video and he filmed them all we

171

00:06:13,670 --> 00:06:11,759

don't know what it was we can't tell you

172

00:06:15,710 --> 00:06:13,680

what it was but then they just sort of

173

00:06:16,800 --> 00:06:15,720

pulled sated stroll popped and

174

00:06:18,050 --> 00:06:16,810

disappeared

175

00:06:19,370 --> 00:06:18,060

[Music]

176

00:06:21,050 --> 00:06:19,380

what do you think it might have been

177

00:06:23,029 --> 00:06:21,060

that you filmed

178

00:06:24,110 --> 00:06:23,039

I'm not quite sure

179

00:06:27,469 --> 00:06:24,120

um

180

00:06:30,529 --> 00:06:27,479

I I said before I'd missed the previous

181

00:06:32,390 --> 00:06:30,539

occasion uh and because there weren't

182

00:06:35,090 --> 00:06:32,400

you know quite impressive they weren't

183

00:06:36,770 --> 00:06:35,100

as close as last time I didn't feel that

184

00:06:39,110 --> 00:06:36,780

nervous and that's why I managed to keep

185

00:06:41,930 --> 00:06:39,120

a straight hand

186

00:06:44,090 --> 00:06:41,940

um but to tell the truth to know what

187

00:06:46,249 --> 00:06:44,100

they were I haven't got a clue I mean we

188

00:06:48,950 --> 00:06:46,259

have helicopters around here the other

189

00:06:51,230 --> 00:06:48,960

one goes out uh because we're so close

190

00:06:52,670 --> 00:06:51,240

to the coast here and people get in

191

00:06:55,909 --> 00:06:52,680

trouble so we know what helicopter

192

00:06:58,969 --> 00:06:55,919

sounds like um looks like and we get

193

00:07:01,809 --> 00:06:58,979

plenty of aircraft crossing over

194

00:07:03,650 --> 00:07:01,819

um but what this was was

195

00:07:06,469 --> 00:07:03,660

extraordinary that's why everyone came

196

00:07:08,029 --> 00:07:06,479

up in the street and to see what they

197

00:07:11,809 --> 00:07:08,039

were because they were going so slowly

198

00:07:14,390 --> 00:07:11,819

these big orange balls

199

00:07:16,309 --> 00:07:14,400

um that people never seen them before in

200

00:07:18,770 --> 00:07:16,319

their life and they'd like to know what

201

00:07:21,350 --> 00:07:18,780

it was there's people we've met have

202

00:07:23,350 --> 00:07:21,360

around here have seen the lights there's

203

00:07:26,029 --> 00:07:23,360

something very common

204

00:07:30,290 --> 00:07:26,039

but it's just this little Nick this

205

00:07:32,510 --> 00:07:30,300

little area which is strange oh the

206

00:07:34,610 --> 00:07:32,520

battery is always on charge now at least

207

00:07:38,990 --> 00:07:34,620

definitely not helicopters

208

00:07:40,670 --> 00:07:39,000

it's definitely not a mechanical plane

209

00:07:42,469 --> 00:07:40,680

I don't know of any other kind of plane

210

00:07:45,529 --> 00:07:42,479

that we make down here that doesn't make

211

00:07:48,469 --> 00:07:46,969

it wasn't there weren't balloons because

212

00:07:51,050 --> 00:07:48,479

balloons can't take up formation

213

00:07:53,089 --> 00:07:51,060

whatever it was was under some kind of

214

00:07:55,610 --> 00:07:53,099

control to be able to take up formation

215

00:07:57,830 --> 00:07:55,620

like they did and just stop in the sky

216

00:08:00,230 --> 00:07:57,840

and not move and then just set off again

217

00:08:02,510 --> 00:08:00,240

willy-nilly you know they were under

218

00:08:03,890 --> 00:08:02,520

some kind of control it wasn't balloons

219

00:08:06,290 --> 00:08:03,900

wasn't