

Del Rio

5 of 7

UFO Festival

2015

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00:00:00,000 --> 00:00:04,780

I

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00:00:10,340 --> 00:00:07,460

jim has said that this was like nothing

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00:00:12,049 --> 00:00:10,350

he had ever seen before and to this day

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00:00:14,779 --> 00:00:12,059

I mean obviously we can have a debate

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00:00:16,910 --> 00:00:14,789

about secret prototype spy planes and

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00:00:19,189 --> 00:00:16,920

drones and sure thing they'll be things

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00:00:22,580 --> 00:00:19,199

out there that you won't see publicly

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00:00:24,890 --> 00:00:22,590

declared for 10-15 years but but the

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00:00:27,560 --> 00:00:24,900

Reynolds from forest incident occurred

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00:00:30,710 --> 00:00:27,570

over 30 years ago and to this day Jim

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00:00:32,840 --> 00:00:30,720

Jim is is absolutely steadfast in saying

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00:00:35,000 --> 00:00:32,850

well there's nothing that can come close

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00:00:38,240 --> 00:00:35,010

to this in terms of what it looks like

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00:00:43,330 --> 00:00:38,250

but specifically the maneuvers it did

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00:00:48,700 --> 00:00:43,340

and this thing was on the ground Jim

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00:00:52,580 --> 00:00:48,710

shot off a number of photographs of this

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00:00:55,400 --> 00:00:52,590

he was subsequently told by the base

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00:00:59,870 --> 00:00:55,410

processing lab that his film didn't come

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00:01:03,799 --> 00:00:59,880

out maybe there was radiation maybe the

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00:01:05,660 --> 00:01:03,809

bright light did something maybe the you

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00:01:09,289 --> 00:01:05,670

know whatever he was told the film was

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00:01:12,289 --> 00:01:09,299

fogged whether you believe that or not I

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00:01:15,440 --> 00:01:12,299

don't know but Jim then had the presence

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00:01:19,849 --> 00:01:15,450

of mind after he'd shot off the whole

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00:01:23,809 --> 00:01:19,859

roll of film to take out his his police

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00:01:27,289 --> 00:01:23,819

notebook and he just now started making

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00:01:31,550 --> 00:01:27,299

sketches documenting some thoughts some

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00:01:35,330 --> 00:01:31,560

observations he sketched the craft and

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00:01:42,800 --> 00:01:35,340

he sketched strange symbols on the side

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00:01:46,659 --> 00:01:42,810

of the craft and just to show you what

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00:01:50,809 --> 00:01:46,669

what this thing looked like no well

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00:01:53,690 --> 00:01:50,819

there we are that's that's a sketch that

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00:01:58,339 --> 00:01:53,700

Jim made this is from his original

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00:02:03,149 --> 00:01:58,349

police Nate notebook this is a sketch of

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00:02:09,960 --> 00:02:05,870

you can see what he tried to do was

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00:02:12,809 --> 00:02:09,970

sketch it from the side a kind of from

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00:02:16,530 --> 00:02:12,819

back and slightly disconcerting a sketch

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00:02:19,740 --> 00:02:16,540

of the craft from above now this has led

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00:02:21,869 --> 00:02:19,750

to the question well Jim how would you

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00:02:25,680 --> 00:02:21,879

have seen it from above and this takes

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00:02:28,380 --> 00:02:25,690

us to some fairly potentially

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00:02:30,990 --> 00:02:28,390

disquieting areas that may be Jim's not

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00:02:36,619 --> 00:02:31,000

too comfortable with in speculating

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00:02:45,150 --> 00:02:40,710

John Barros just saw a bright flash of

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00:02:47,640 --> 00:02:45,160

light and kind of hit the deck Jim said

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00:02:51,479 --> 00:02:47,650

he saw John go down he thought he was a

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00:02:54,420 --> 00:02:51,489

casualty John doesn't quite recollect it

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00:02:56,880 --> 00:02:54,430

this way and one of the other witnesses

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00:02:59,009 --> 00:02:56,890

said well John I saw you and this is the

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00:03:02,039 --> 00:02:59,019

phrase and it's a really striking one

51
00:03:06,720 --> 00:03:02,049
it's John I saw you go into the light

52
00:03:09,390 --> 00:03:06,730
and again where was John during all this

53
00:03:11,879 --> 00:03:09,400
wire John's memory is slightly different

54
00:03:14,039 --> 00:03:11,889
from Jim's it's like all these people

55
00:03:16,289 --> 00:03:14,049
went into the forest and encountered

56
00:03:19,530 --> 00:03:16,299
this all of them came back with slightly

57
00:03:23,220 --> 00:03:19,540
different kind of recollections and

58
00:03:25,589 --> 00:03:23,230
experiences for people who initially

59
00:03:30,050 --> 00:03:25,599
speculated that this was some kind of

60
00:03:33,539 --> 00:03:30,060
bizarre hoax oh you know I've kind of

61
00:03:35,849 --> 00:03:33,549
come across in my government UFO work a

62
00:03:37,800 --> 00:03:35,859
few hoaxes and what I tend to find is

63
00:03:40,729 --> 00:03:37,810

that when you're dealing with a hoax

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00:03:42,720 --> 00:03:40,739

everyone's kind of colluded and

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00:03:45,180 --> 00:03:42,730

collaborated on the story and the

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00:03:47,729 --> 00:03:45,190

stories exactly the same when you get

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00:03:49,680 --> 00:03:47,739

these real incidents well people are

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00:03:51,089 --> 00:03:49,690

people there individuals they remember

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00:03:54,120 --> 00:03:51,099

things different way they perceive

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00:03:59,159 --> 00:03:54,130

things different way in a real story you

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00:04:02,670 --> 00:03:59,169

do get the difference is there are a

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00:04:04,589 --> 00:04:02,680

number of other reasons while I this is

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00:04:07,349 --> 00:04:04,599

clearly not a hoax and I'll come on to

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00:04:10,890 --> 00:04:07,359

the physical evidence in a minute but

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00:04:14,849 --> 00:04:10,900

just to show you this is Jim's sketch

76
00:04:16,890 --> 00:04:14,859
from his police notebook of the UH craft

77
00:04:20,009 --> 00:04:16,900
he also saw along the

78
00:04:22,740 --> 00:04:20,019
site of this thing strange symbols on

79
00:04:25,350 --> 00:04:22,750
the hull and I mean you know I used the

80
00:04:27,450 --> 00:04:25,360
word hull because come on this this is

81
00:04:31,909 --> 00:04:27,460
not this isn't aircraft lights or

82
00:04:37,050 --> 00:04:31,919
weather balloon this is a craft and no

83
00:04:44,760 --> 00:04:37,060
these are the the symbols that Jim saw

84
00:04:47,879 --> 00:04:44,770
and this thing was on the ground and Jim

85
00:04:53,550 --> 00:04:47,889
as he made his way along he touched

86
00:04:56,430 --> 00:04:53,560
these symbols and kind of when he

87
00:04:58,500 --> 00:04:56,440
touched the last one it was like

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00:05:04,730 --> 00:04:58,510

suddenly the flash of light and he

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00:05:08,159 --> 00:05:04,740

thought oh and the UFO gradually

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00:05:12,379 --> 00:05:08,169

ascended vertically very very slowly it

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00:05:16,560 --> 00:05:12,389

cleared the canopy this was a very small

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00:05:20,670 --> 00:05:16,570

clearing the trees were maybe 30 40 50

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00:05:24,300 --> 00:05:20,680

feet high the somewhere yeah between

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00:05:29,510 --> 00:05:24,310

that and maybe even taller when the UFO

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00:05:33,110 --> 00:05:29,520

had cleared the treetops it suddenly

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00:05:36,779 --> 00:05:33,120

accelerated away at high speed and Jim

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00:05:38,790 --> 00:05:36,789

just you know I like a lot of these

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00:05:42,750 --> 00:05:38,800

military witnesses that I've interviewed

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00:05:45,480 --> 00:05:42,760

in my government UFO work this is a guy

100

00:05:49,200 --> 00:05:45,490

who saw fast jets on an almost daily

101
00:05:51,300 --> 00:05:49,210
basis and again he said the speed the

102
00:05:53,129 --> 00:05:51,310
acceleration here is just orders of

103
00:05:56,159 --> 00:05:53,139
magnitude above anything he'd seen and

104
00:06:01,110 --> 00:05:56,169
he wrote in his police notebook the

105
00:06:02,310 --> 00:06:01,120
simple phrase speed impossible because

106
00:06:08,670 --> 00:06:02,320
he didn't know what else to say about

107
00:06:12,149 --> 00:06:08,680
this yeah they had some other sightings

108
00:06:14,760 --> 00:06:12,159
of the object in the distance and they

109
00:06:17,159 --> 00:06:14,770
attempted to pursue it again they were

110
00:06:21,000 --> 00:06:17,169
not successfully didn't get close to it

111
00:06:23,700 --> 00:06:21,010
again they went back to the base and I I

112
00:06:25,320 --> 00:06:23,710
don't have time to speculate too much

113
00:06:28,019 --> 00:06:25,330

about this but when they got back they

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00:06:30,330 --> 00:06:28,029

found that there were you know the whole

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00:06:30,990 --> 00:06:30,340

base was in a state of panic and the

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00:06:33,570 --> 00:06:31,000

reason

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00:06:37,170 --> 00:06:33,580

was that they had been gone for longer

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00:06:40,050 --> 00:06:37,180

than they were aware and there was a

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00:06:43,170 --> 00:06:40,060

discrepancy and in the wristwatches and

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00:06:45,990 --> 00:06:43,180

it appeared that both John and Jim had

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00:06:51,300 --> 00:06:46,000

been out there for 45 minutes longer

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00:06:54,120 --> 00:06:51,310

than they were aware and and they were

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00:06:58,260 --> 00:06:54,130

about to send other patrols out to

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00:07:01,740 --> 00:06:58,270

investigate so you know I don't have

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00:07:04,110 --> 00:07:01,750

time to really speculate about that time

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00:07:06,260 --> 00:07:04,120

difference but certainly those people

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00:07:09,480 --> 00:07:06,270

that look at the whole alien abduction

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00:07:11,580 --> 00:07:09,490

mystery and and its interface with the

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00:07:15,390 --> 00:07:11,590

wider UFO phenomenon will be familiar

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00:07:19,230 --> 00:07:15,400

with this concept of missing time and

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00:07:21,180 --> 00:07:19,240

again you probably spotted that I was

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00:07:23,010 --> 00:07:21,190

hinting at that when i talked about how

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00:07:25,770 --> 00:07:23,020

the heck would Jim have a view of the

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00:07:31,320 --> 00:07:25,780

top of the craft how did how did he get

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00:07:34,440 --> 00:07:31,330

that perspective so that's a it's one of

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00:07:36,530 --> 00:07:34,450

many areas with this case that as more

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00:07:41,150 --> 00:07:36,540

and more witnesses come forward

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00:07:43,860 --> 00:07:41,160

investigations are still ongoing now

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00:07:48,540 --> 00:07:43,870

once they got back to base they were

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00:07:51,030 --> 00:07:48,550

debriefed about this and again there are

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00:07:52,980 --> 00:07:51,040

lots of allegations made about the

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00:07:55,230 --> 00:07:52,990

aggressive debriefing that some of these

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00:08:00,570 --> 00:07:55,240

people who were involved in this

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00:08:02,340 --> 00:08:00,580

underwent I'll maybe come back and touch

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00:08:04,080 --> 00:08:02,350

on that but I want to just stay in

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00:08:07,730 --> 00:08:04,090

sequence for the moment and say that

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00:08:15,900 --> 00:08:07,740

there was a second night of activity

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00:08:18,330 --> 00:08:15,910

involving B flight and I few of these B

149

00:08:20,670 --> 00:08:18,340

flight personnel are on the record but

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00:08:23,520 --> 00:08:20,680

there are a couple of them that that did

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00:08:26,300 --> 00:08:23,530

go on the record and again what

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00:08:29,360 --> 00:08:26,310

transpired in the second night is that

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00:08:34,050 --> 00:08:29,370

strange lights were seen and again a

154

00:08:36,959 --> 00:08:34,060

military vehicle with a patrol of cops

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00:08:40,680 --> 00:08:36,969

went out there to look at this and at

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00:08:44,710 --> 00:08:40,690

one point on the second night apparently

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00:08:49,090 --> 00:08:44,720

a ball of light small ball of light

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00:08:53,949 --> 00:08:49,100

passed through the open window on one

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00:08:57,579 --> 00:08:53,959

side of the cab shot in front of the two

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00:09:01,019 --> 00:08:57,589

people who are up front and exited the

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00:09:06,429 --> 00:09:01,029

open window at the other side of the cab

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00:09:08,470 --> 00:09:06,439

causing the lieutenant to be so shocked

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00:09:11,639 --> 00:09:08,480

and distressed that they were

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00:09:16,119 --> 00:09:11,649

subsequently had to be taken off duty

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00:09:19,650 --> 00:09:16,129

and there were several witnesses to this

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00:09:23,350 --> 00:09:19,660

there was a the lieutenant a sergeant

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00:09:27,280 --> 00:09:23,360

and a whole bunch of other Airmen and

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00:09:30,670 --> 00:09:27,290

air women who were there at the time the

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00:09:33,069 --> 00:09:30,680

third night of activity was was kind of

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00:09:36,970 --> 00:09:33,079

you know in a sense the icing on the

171

00:09:39,809 --> 00:09:36,980

cake and what happened there was that

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00:09:48,269 --> 00:09:39,819

there was a there was an award ceremony

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00:09:51,009 --> 00:09:48,279

going on at woodys bar and the senior

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00:09:53,980 --> 00:09:51,019

the base commander and the deputy base

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00:09:57,429 --> 00:09:53,990

commander were essentially just about to

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00:09:59,740 --> 00:09:57,439

present a whole bunch of prizes to to

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00:10:07,540 --> 00:09:59,750

various people for the year's

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00:10:09,420 --> 00:10:07,550

performance and suddenly Colonel Colonel

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00:10:11,619 --> 00:10:09,430

Ted Conrad was the base commander

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00:10:13,119 --> 00:10:11,629

Lieutenant Colonel Charles halt was the

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00:10:18,009 --> 00:10:13,129

deputy base commander they were kind of

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00:10:23,079 --> 00:10:18,019

getting their notes together and Bruce

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00:10:26,019 --> 00:10:23,089

England the lieutenant in charge of

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00:10:30,730 --> 00:10:26,029

security and policing came up and he

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00:10:33,840 --> 00:10:30,740

said you know he was white as a sheet he

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00:10:36,160 --> 00:10:33,850

saluted and he just said sir its back

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00:10:38,579 --> 00:10:36,170

well they were all kind of looking

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00:10:43,179 --> 00:10:38,589

confused and it was like what's bag

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00:10:49,329 --> 00:10:43,189

Bruce England said the UFO sir the UFO

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00:10:51,790 --> 00:10:49,339

has come back well Conrad and halt kind

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00:10:55,629 --> 00:10:51,800

of thought well you know we've got to do

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00:10:58,430 --> 00:10:55,639

something about this and rank having its

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00:11:00,470 --> 00:10:58,440

privileges Colonel Khan

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00:11:03,590 --> 00:11:00,480

rad decided that he was going to stay in

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00:11:06,140 --> 00:11:03,600

the warm and convivial atmosphere of the

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00:11:08,570 --> 00:11:06,150

bar and he would present the awards and

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00:11:10,970 --> 00:11:08,580

the Lieutenant Colonel Charles hold well

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00:11:13,610 --> 00:11:10,980

he would go out into the cold December

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00:11:16,400 --> 00:11:13,620

night on the East Coast and those of you

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00:11:19,010 --> 00:11:16,410

who are ex-military who have ever been

201
00:11:20,570 --> 00:11:19,020
posted to any of those British bases

202
00:11:24,920 --> 00:11:20,580
will know that it gets pretty cold in

203
00:11:28,010 --> 00:11:24,930
the winter so Colonel halt threw

204
00:11:33,710 --> 00:11:28,020
together a small team of individuals to

205
00:11:35,690 --> 00:11:33,720
go out and in his words in in Colonel

206
00:11:39,440 --> 00:11:35,700
Holt's own words he said I want to go

207
00:11:41,510 --> 00:11:39,450
out and debunked this UFO nonsense for

208
00:11:45,650 --> 00:11:41,520
once and for all so that we can put

209
00:11:48,170 --> 00:11:45,660
these wild rumors which clearly with so

210
00:11:50,600 --> 00:11:48,180
many people having experienced UFO

211
00:11:52,060 --> 00:11:50,610
sightings sometimes up close and

212
00:11:54,800 --> 00:11:52,070
personal on the previous two nights

213
00:11:56,450 --> 00:11:54,810

Colonel halt of course like this all the

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00:12:01,310 --> 00:11:56,460

senior officers they wanted this whole

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00:12:04,040 --> 00:12:01,320

thing to go away so Colonel halt threw

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00:12:08,690 --> 00:12:04,050

together a team of four or five people

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00:12:13,580 --> 00:12:08,700

and he went out into the forest to try

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00:12:16,010 --> 00:12:13,590

and debunk all this and to cut a long

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00:12:18,230 --> 00:12:16,020

story short he was not able to debunk

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00:12:23,080 --> 00:12:18,240

this because he ended up encountering

221

00:12:27,260 --> 00:12:23,090

the UFO himself I'll get to that but I

222

00:12:29,120 --> 00:12:27,270

just back up a little while and say that

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00:12:30,950 --> 00:12:29,130

one of the things that Colonel halt

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00:12:35,920 --> 00:12:30,960

wanted to do to get to the bottom of

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00:12:39,860 --> 00:12:35,930

this is he wanted to light up the forest

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00:12:42,050 --> 00:12:39,870

and flush out anything that was there he

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00:12:44,420 --> 00:12:42,060

said if there's something going on I

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00:12:48,579 --> 00:12:44,430

want to put so much light out there that

229

00:12:51,260 --> 00:12:48,589

will flush it out and what he did is he

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00:12:53,990 --> 00:12:51,270

he ordered that a whole bunch of light

231

00:12:58,490 --> 00:12:54,000

all's be driven out there now light

232

00:13:01,670 --> 00:12:58,500

all's are basically powerful banks of

233

00:13:05,210 --> 00:13:01,680

lights mounted on the back of a flatbed

234

00:13:07,610 --> 00:13:05,220

or a truck and they're used a lot in

235

00:13:10,370 --> 00:13:07,620

things like aircraft maintenance in the

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00:13:12,020 --> 00:13:10,380

hangers you put a you know you shine a

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00:13:15,590 --> 00:13:12,030

lot of light on those

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00:13:18,790 --> 00:13:15,600

dark difficult to access spaces so that

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00:13:21,950 --> 00:13:18,800

the mechanics can can get in there and

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00:13:24,920 --> 00:13:21,960

halts idea was to light up the forest

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00:13:30,470 --> 00:13:24,930

with these light all's and see what was

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00:13:33,530 --> 00:13:30,480

was out there so he'd ordered that this

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00:13:37,610 --> 00:13:33,540

happen and then you know just like the

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00:13:40,550 --> 00:13:37,620

radio's the light holes suddenly started

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00:13:42,980 --> 00:13:40,560

to splutter and died you know all these

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00:13:44,780 --> 00:13:42,990

lights were going out and Holt was

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00:13:46,700 --> 00:13:44,790

getting pretty bad tempered and he was

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00:13:52,130 --> 00:13:46,710

screaming into the radio and giving

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00:13:54,860 --> 00:13:52,140

orders left right and center and yeah

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00:13:57,440 --> 00:13:54,870

again like the radio's the people people

251
00:14:00,200 --> 00:13:57,450
I've spoken to who who were familiar

252
00:14:02,780 --> 00:14:00,210
with these these things said that they

253
00:14:04,670 --> 00:14:02,790
at Bentwaters in woodbridge they they

254
00:14:06,710 --> 00:14:04,680
were well serviced the they've never

255
00:14:09,800 --> 00:14:06,720
seen anything like this before it's like

256
00:14:11,570 --> 00:14:09,810
you know it's like are they not fueled

257
00:14:13,730 --> 00:14:11,580
up properly or something so they were

258
00:14:17,330 --> 00:14:13,740
refueled they were sent out but they

259
00:14:21,380 --> 00:14:17,340
they kept malfunctioning and again it

260
00:14:25,370 --> 00:14:21,390
was as if I try not to make too many

261
00:14:27,500 --> 00:14:25,380
assumptions in this I in in when I was

262
00:14:30,650 --> 00:14:27,510
investigating UFOs for the Ministry of

263
00:14:34,100 --> 00:14:30,660

Defence our our policy was always to try

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00:14:36,860 --> 00:14:34,110

and not be conclusion led in our

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00:14:39,950 --> 00:14:36,870

investigations to go where the data take

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00:14:42,470 --> 00:14:39,960

you and not to to make assumptions but

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00:14:44,540 --> 00:14:42,480

one can't help on occasion I mean you

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00:14:48,560 --> 00:14:44,550

know it's just human nature to assume

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00:14:51,740 --> 00:14:48,570

that that when when the radio start

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00:14:55,580 --> 00:14:51,750

malfunctioning when when the film's you

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00:14:58,550 --> 00:14:55,590

know the cameras don't work when when

272

00:15:04,280 --> 00:14:58,560

the light halls don't work it's it's

273

00:15:07,100 --> 00:15:04,290

like a string of events which stretch

274

00:15:09,680 --> 00:15:07,110

credulity a little too much in

275

00:15:15,410 --> 00:15:09,690

suggesting that this is just coincidence

276

00:15:18,980 --> 00:15:15,420

or bad like all these things sometimes

277

00:15:21,470 --> 00:15:18,990

in intelligence 11 again anyone with a

278

00:15:24,140 --> 00:15:21,480

background in intelligence will know

279

00:15:25,970 --> 00:15:24,150

that very often you know it's not quite

280

00:15:28,760 --> 00:15:25,980

like you see in the movies but

281

00:15:31,940 --> 00:15:28,770

a lot of intelligence workers is looking

282

00:15:34,160 --> 00:15:31,950

at data and finding patterns doing trend

283

00:15:37,820 --> 00:15:34,170

analysis trying to put together a

284

00:15:42,640 --> 00:15:37,830

picture of what you think is going on so

285

00:15:45,980 --> 00:15:42,650

you can brief senior commanders and so

286

00:15:50,300 --> 00:15:45,990

while halt was waiting for the light

287

00:15:52,370 --> 00:15:50,310

holes to be you know refueled and for

288

00:15:55,790 --> 00:15:52,380

them to be functioning he thought well I

289

00:15:59,930 --> 00:15:55,800

might as well we we might as well go to

290

00:16:02,780 --> 00:15:59,940

the site of the the encounter on the

291

00:16:06,800 --> 00:16:02,790

first night and and see if we can see

292

00:16:09,050 --> 00:16:06,810

anything and I mentioned the fact that

293

00:16:12,320 --> 00:16:09,060

there was physical evidence and by the

294

00:16:16,400 --> 00:16:12,330

way I'll back up one more time to say

295

00:16:20,300 --> 00:16:16,410

that on the first night just at the time

296

00:16:26,060 --> 00:16:20,310

when the UFO was first seen it later

297

00:16:31,030 --> 00:16:26,070

emerged that radar bases in the UK and

298

00:16:35,330 --> 00:16:31,040

indeed civilian air traffic control

299

00:16:39,050 --> 00:16:35,340

briefly tracked what was referred to

300

00:16:43,820 --> 00:16:39,060

either as an uncorrelated target or in

301
00:16:48,950 --> 00:16:43,830
military parlance a bogey so an unknown

302
00:16:51,080 --> 00:16:48,960
radar target directly over the twin

303
00:16:52,940 --> 00:16:51,090
bases of bent orders in woodbridge right

304
00:16:55,070 --> 00:16:52,950
when the people said you know we're

305
00:16:57,350 --> 00:16:55,080
seeing these strange lights and what

306
00:16:59,690 --> 00:16:57,360
happened was it was there for two or

307
00:17:03,710 --> 00:16:59,700
three sweeps of the radar and then it

308
00:17:08,350 --> 00:17:03,720
disappeared now did it kind of cloak

309
00:17:11,450 --> 00:17:08,360
itself somehow go into stealth mode or

310
00:17:14,540 --> 00:17:11,460
did it disappear because that's the

311
00:17:16,700 --> 00:17:14,550
point at which it actually landed and it

312
00:17:21,680 --> 00:17:16,710
dropped below the radar coverage I don't

313
00:17:24,230 --> 00:17:21,690

know the answer to that but I throw out

314

00:17:26,510 --> 00:17:24,240

the question for what it's worth and I

315

00:17:30,350 --> 00:17:26,520

apologize by the way if my voice is a

316

00:17:32,540 --> 00:17:30,360

bit croaky I have been hit with some bug

317

00:17:34,520 --> 00:17:32,550

it wasn't the government trying to

318

00:17:36,840 --> 00:17:34,530

silence me

319

00:17:38,540 --> 00:17:36,850

you know if it was they would have

320

00:17:41,100 --> 00:17:38,550

probably done a better job than that and

321

00:17:46,730 --> 00:17:41,110

anyway I used to work for them so what

322

00:17:54,480 --> 00:17:50,040

so Colonel halt yeah you know so yeah

323

00:17:56,100 --> 00:17:54,490

the UFO was briefly tracked on radar did

324

00:17:58,640 --> 00:17:56,110

it disappear because it was stealthy or

325

00:18:01,560 --> 00:17:58,650

because it landed or both I don't know

326

00:18:03,600 --> 00:18:01,570

so fast falling again to Colonel halt

327

00:18:05,640 --> 00:18:03,610

and his team can't they come to the

328

00:18:09,950 --> 00:18:05,650

clearing where John Burroughs and Jim

329

00:18:19,050 --> 00:18:09,960

Penniston encountered this this UFO on

330

00:18:20,700 --> 00:18:19,060

the first night and what they find the

331

00:18:26,840 --> 00:18:20,710

first thing they notice is that there

332

00:18:29,480 --> 00:18:26,850

are three indentations on the ground

333

00:18:33,750 --> 00:18:29,490

right in the center of the clearing

334

00:18:35,550 --> 00:18:33,760

exactly exactly at the point where John

335

00:18:37,860 --> 00:18:35,560

and Jim said well that's where the UFO

336

00:18:40,560 --> 00:18:37,870

was kind of sitting probably like on

337

00:18:43,560 --> 00:18:40,570

legs if you if you look at this thing it

338

00:18:45,810 --> 00:18:43,570

doesn't look a million miles similar

339

00:18:49,170 --> 00:18:45,820

from from the sort of space probes that

340

00:18:52,110 --> 00:18:49,180

we've sent to to Mars and the moon you

341

00:18:54,500 --> 00:18:52,120

know a kind of high-tech lunar landing

342

00:18:57,390 --> 00:18:54,510

module or something like that and and

343

00:19:00,990 --> 00:18:57,400

they said yeah this thing seemed to be

344

00:19:03,510 --> 00:19:01,000

on legs or some sort of tripod like

345

00:19:07,800 --> 00:19:03,520

device again interesting i'm probably

346

00:19:09,690 --> 00:19:07,810

kind of poaching on Jim Mars's territory

347

00:19:11,820 --> 00:19:09,700

a little bit but isn't it interesting

348

00:19:15,540 --> 00:19:11,830

how a number three and triangles

349

00:19:18,390 --> 00:19:15,550

pyramids run through a lot of this I

350

00:19:21,990 --> 00:19:18,400

mean the UFO on three legs the

351
00:19:25,860 --> 00:19:22,000
indentations when they plotted them out

352
00:19:28,260 --> 00:19:25,870
formed that the shape of a triangle and

353
00:19:30,990 --> 00:19:28,270
of course when you look at these symbols

354
00:19:33,270 --> 00:19:31,000
the big symbol the the big one the the

355
00:19:35,220 --> 00:19:33,280
one that that caused that the UFO to

356
00:19:37,860 --> 00:19:35,230
light up and then it took off when Jim

357
00:19:42,630 --> 00:19:37,870
touched it was this this one at the

358
00:19:45,300 --> 00:19:42,640
bottom the circle the circles and the

359
00:19:48,450 --> 00:19:45,310
triangle in in the other circle and

360
00:19:51,910 --> 00:19:48,460
again again like I say I'm probably

361
00:19:54,880 --> 00:19:51,920
encroaching on to Jim's territory a

362
00:19:58,510 --> 00:19:54,890
little but I I know there are a whole

363
00:20:02,980 --> 00:19:58,520

bunch of people interested in the

364

00:20:05,950 --> 00:20:02,990

symbolism of this is it occult symbolism

365

00:20:09,130 --> 00:20:05,960

is it you know one can draw parallels

366

00:20:11,890 --> 00:20:09,140

throughout history with the number three

367

00:20:15,760 --> 00:20:11,900

I mean my my goodness you know the

368

00:20:17,590 --> 00:20:15,770

Trinity again but that's that's probably

369

00:20:19,840 --> 00:20:17,600

somebody else's presentation it's not

370

00:20:23,590 --> 00:20:19,850

mine I just throw it out there as as

371

00:20:27,360 --> 00:20:23,600

food for thought so when Colonel halt

372

00:20:30,460 --> 00:20:27,370

and his team see these three

373

00:20:34,270 --> 00:20:30,470

indentations it's kind of like the

374

00:20:36,160 --> 00:20:34,280

validation that yeah well you know there

375

00:20:39,310 --> 00:20:36,170

was something there right where John and

376

00:20:42,070 --> 00:20:39,320

Jim said there was on that first night

377

00:20:44,980 --> 00:20:42,080

and the other point I mentioned a few

378

00:20:48,580 --> 00:20:44,990

moments ago that it's pretty darn cold

379

00:20:52,410 --> 00:20:48,590

in the UK and winter the ground was

380

00:20:58,830 --> 00:20:52,420

really hard and frozen and Colonel halt

381

00:21:01,480 --> 00:20:58,840

speculated estimated that this object

382

00:21:04,150 --> 00:21:01,490

whatever it is to make those

383

00:21:06,460 --> 00:21:04,160

indentations with the ground being as

384

00:21:12,720 --> 00:21:06,470

hard as it was would have made several

385

00:21:15,610 --> 00:21:12,730

tons and part of the investigation later

386

00:21:18,430 --> 00:21:15,620

consisted of it sounds pretty low-tech

387

00:21:23,620 --> 00:21:18,440

but actually it was quite clever pouring

388

00:21:26,260 --> 00:21:23,630

a plaster of Paris into the indentations

389

00:21:30,370 --> 00:21:26,270

and then taking a mold of what they look

390

00:21:34,240 --> 00:21:30,380

like to actually get a reconstruction of

391

00:21:38,080 --> 00:21:34,250

the landing legs of this craft one of

392

00:21:42,280 --> 00:21:38,090

those molds subsequently disappeared but

393

00:21:45,520 --> 00:21:42,290

I believe that either Colonel halt or

394

00:21:47,410 --> 00:21:45,530

Jim Penniston still have one of them so

395

00:21:51,370 --> 00:21:47,420

there is some physical evidence out

396

00:21:57,810 --> 00:21:51,380

there that the government didn't manage

397

00:22:00,550 --> 00:21:57,820

to get maybe they got the other one so

398

00:22:01,810 --> 00:22:00,560

Colonel halt having gone out thinking

399

00:22:03,160 --> 00:22:01,820

this was all nonsense

400

00:22:07,060 --> 00:22:03,170

this is obviously a little bit

401
00:22:09,340 --> 00:22:07,070
disconcerting and even more

402
00:22:11,170 --> 00:22:09,350
disconcerting was what happened next

403
00:22:13,510 --> 00:22:11,180
because one of the people in his team

404
00:22:18,970 --> 00:22:13,520
was the disaster preparedness officer

405
00:22:23,350 --> 00:22:18,980
Monroe nevels Monroe nevels had with him

406
00:22:26,260 --> 00:22:23,360
a Geiger counter and Colonel halt said

407
00:22:29,920 --> 00:22:26,270
well go around the clearing and take

408
00:22:32,920 --> 00:22:29,930
some readings so neville's got out the

409
00:22:35,860 --> 00:22:32,930
Geiger counter and he started poking

410
00:22:39,970 --> 00:22:35,870
around and when he got to the three

411
00:22:45,970 --> 00:22:39,980
indentations suddenly he started getting

412
00:22:48,730 --> 00:22:45,980
some clicks and then and and those

413
00:22:51,300 --> 00:22:48,740

clicks peaked right right in the the

414

00:22:54,400 --> 00:22:51,310

indentations and in the the center of

415

00:22:56,980 --> 00:22:54,410

this where this thing would have come

416

00:23:00,970 --> 00:22:56,990

down and then they kind of looked around

417

00:23:03,430 --> 00:23:00,980

and they had flashlights with them I was

418

00:23:06,850 --> 00:23:03,440

going to say they have torches us Brits

419

00:23:10,090 --> 00:23:06,860

call yeah it's like I I've given this

420

00:23:11,560 --> 00:23:10,100

presentation in them in America before

421

00:23:13,600 --> 00:23:11,570

and I've said and they had their torches

422

00:23:15,910 --> 00:23:13,610

with them and people have said what

423

00:23:18,850 --> 00:23:15,920

these guys weren't carrying torches were

424

00:23:21,550 --> 00:23:18,860

they nuts and I suddenly realized that

425

00:23:26,410 --> 00:23:21,560

oh you you got what what you call a

426

00:23:28,240 --> 00:23:26,420

flashlight we we call a torch you know

427

00:23:32,410 --> 00:23:28,250

what is it they say two countries

428

00:23:34,270 --> 00:23:32,420

divided by a common language it's it's a

429

00:23:36,520 --> 00:23:34,280

good job that they didn't stop for a

430

00:23:47,400 --> 00:23:36,530

cigarette break because the British

431

00:23:51,550 --> 00:23:47,410

slang for a cigarette is a it's a so

432

00:23:55,090 --> 00:23:51,560

are they anyway Carol halt and his team

433

00:23:59,880 --> 00:23:55,100

had flashlights with them and they were

434

00:24:03,520 --> 00:23:59,890

able to see that the sides of the trees

435

00:24:10,300 --> 00:24:03,530

are in this clearing we're all kind of

436

00:24:13,390 --> 00:24:10,310

scorched and burnt and blackened and so

437

00:24:15,630 --> 00:24:13,400

Monroe nevels put his Geiger counter all

438

00:24:20,610 --> 00:24:15,640

sides of the trees and again

439

00:24:23,900 --> 00:24:20,620

peak readings from those those trees but

440

00:24:28,560 --> 00:24:23,910

not from the other side of the trees the

441

00:24:32,960 --> 00:24:28,570

physically visible burn marks and indeed

442

00:24:37,230 --> 00:24:32,970

the the high levels of radioactivity

443

00:24:39,330 --> 00:24:37,240

were only on the inward facing side of

444

00:24:41,220 --> 00:24:39,340

the trees so that you know where this

445

00:24:44,580 --> 00:24:41,230

thing was in the center of the clearing

446

00:24:48,980 --> 00:24:44,590

and whatever it is had had nearly burnt

447

00:24:53,190 --> 00:24:48,990

down those trees and and had caused

448

00:24:58,080 --> 00:24:53,200

radioactivity levels to spike but not on

449

00:25:05,520 --> 00:24:58,090

on the other sides and of course all of

450

00:25:09,090 --> 00:25:05,530

this was documented and later when the

451
00:25:13,260 --> 00:25:09,100
data were sent to the british ministry

452
00:25:17,580 --> 00:25:13,270
of defence the Defence Intelligence

453
00:25:20,880 --> 00:25:17,590
staff an ultra secretive part of the

454
00:25:23,370 --> 00:25:20,890
Ministry of Defence whose role in UFO

455
00:25:27,930 --> 00:25:23,380
research and investigation was only made

456
00:25:30,420 --> 00:25:27,940
public uh very much later and was

457
00:25:32,520 --> 00:25:30,430
certainly not something that that I was

458
00:25:34,470 --> 00:25:32,530
able to talk about at the time but these

459
00:25:38,610 --> 00:25:34,480
scientific and technical intelligence

460
00:25:42,360 --> 00:25:38,620
specialists assess the radioactivity

461
00:25:45,450 --> 00:25:42,370
levels reported by Monroe nevels and

462
00:25:51,000 --> 00:25:45,460
Colonel halt and said that they were

463
00:25:55,200 --> 00:25:51,010

about 7.5 times higher than the average

464

00:25:58,440 --> 00:25:55,210

background and there is a I mean the

465

00:26:01,530 --> 00:25:58,450

great thing about this case and I don't

466

00:26:03,630 --> 00:26:01,540

have slides because documents you know

467

00:26:06,050 --> 00:26:03,640

from the Ministry of Defence don't don't

468

00:26:09,000 --> 00:26:06,060

tend to kind of reproduce very well but

469

00:26:12,450 --> 00:26:09,010

some the great thing about this case is

470

00:26:15,150 --> 00:26:12,460

that we don't just have on the record

471

00:26:17,730 --> 00:26:15,160

testimony from people like Colonel halt

472

00:26:20,340 --> 00:26:17,740

though I think that having on the record

473

00:26:22,590 --> 00:26:20,350

testimony from from you know the deputy

474

00:26:25,020 --> 00:26:22,600

base commander is pretty good in the

475

00:26:26,700 --> 00:26:25,030

scheme of things but we don't just have

476
00:26:29,310 --> 00:26:26,710
that we have an audit trail of

477
00:26:29,580 --> 00:26:29,320
government documents and unlike some of

478
00:26:42,180 --> 00:26:29,590
the

479
00:26:46,080 --> 00:26:42,190
wider collection of Ministry of Defense

480
00:26:48,810 --> 00:26:46,090
UFO files and one of the documents is

481
00:26:51,590 --> 00:26:48,820
the original Defense Intelligence staff

482
00:26:53,600 --> 00:26:51,600
assessment and it uses the phrase

483
00:26:56,070 --> 00:26:53,610
significantly higher than the average

484
00:27:01,529 --> 00:26:56,080
background when it talks about these

485
00:27:04,919 --> 00:27:01,539
levels of radioactivity so they saw the

486
00:27:08,580 --> 00:27:04,929
marks in the ground they saw the burn

487
00:27:11,850 --> 00:27:08,590
marks on the trees they saw the the

488
00:27:13,830 --> 00:27:11,860

levels on on the radioactivity I you

489

00:27:17,519 --> 00:27:13,840

know they saw the radiation levels they

490

00:27:21,630 --> 00:27:17,529

took samples of soil they took samples

491

00:27:23,940 --> 00:27:21,640

of sap from the trees along with control

492

00:27:26,279 --> 00:27:23,950

samples from outside of clearing and and

493

00:27:30,320 --> 00:27:26,289

from trees that were not affected in

494

00:27:34,860 --> 00:27:30,330

this way much of that material

495

00:27:38,789 --> 00:27:34,870

subsequently disappeared for anyone who

496

00:27:42,299 --> 00:27:38,799

thinks that and yeah one of the other

497

00:27:45,990 --> 00:27:42,309

documents in the British file on this

498

00:27:50,630 --> 00:27:46,000

incident says that shortly after the the

499

00:27:53,850 --> 00:27:50,640

sightings occurred general Gabrielle

500

00:27:56,610 --> 00:27:53,860

visited the base was briefed on this and

501
00:28:00,419 --> 00:27:56,620
took various items of evidence back to

502
00:28:03,840 --> 00:28:00,429
his headquarters in Ramstein Germany who

503
00:28:07,860 --> 00:28:03,850
was general Gabrielle general gabrielle

504
00:28:11,610 --> 00:28:07,870
was commander in chief united states air

505
00:28:17,240 --> 00:28:11,620
force in europe he was the senior

506
00:28:22,200 --> 00:28:17,250
youssef officer in europe why was senior

507
00:28:24,240 --> 00:28:22,210
general in Europe flying in specially to

508
00:28:27,120 --> 00:28:24,250
bend autos in woodbridge an immediate

509
00:28:29,549 --> 00:28:27,130
aftermath of this being briefed about

510
00:28:33,240 --> 00:28:29,559
this taking these items back to his

511
00:28:36,990 --> 00:28:33,250
headquarters and why don't we know about

512
00:28:40,919 --> 00:28:37,000
this and wait a minute if you ask the

513
00:28:43,110 --> 00:28:40,929

the government about this isn't the

514

00:28:47,640 --> 00:28:43,120

official line suppose

515

00:28:49,950 --> 00:28:47,650

to be that UFOs are no longer of any

516

00:28:52,020 --> 00:28:49,960

interest to the US government and no

517

00:28:54,240 --> 00:28:52,030

investigations have been undertaken

518

00:28:57,570 --> 00:28:54,250

since Project Blue Book was terminated

519

00:29:00,780 --> 00:28:57,580

at the end of nineteen sixty-nine that's

520

00:29:04,770 --> 00:29:00,790

the official line isn't it well if

521

00:29:07,530 --> 00:29:04,780

that's true why is C&C you say fee

522

00:29:10,820 --> 00:29:07,540

flying in and and being briefed about a

523

00:29:14,670 --> 00:29:10,830

UFO sighting so again food for thought

524

00:29:21,419 --> 00:29:14,680

to get back to Colonel halt and his team

525

00:29:24,060 --> 00:29:21,429

in the clearing at that point something

526
00:29:26,549 --> 00:29:24,070
happens and and one of the men shouts

527
00:29:29,070 --> 00:29:26,559
out sir over a you know its back its

528
00:29:30,810 --> 00:29:29,080
back and halt its is like what and it's

529
00:29:36,290 --> 00:29:30,820
like through the trees look over there

530
00:29:40,320 --> 00:29:36,300
and sure enough through the trees

531
00:29:43,080 --> 00:29:40,330
Colonel halt saw this this strange light

532
00:29:45,390 --> 00:29:43,090
and I don't have it as part of my

533
00:29:47,940 --> 00:29:45,400
presentation but for those of you who

534
00:29:51,510 --> 00:29:47,950
have not come across this go on to

535
00:29:55,680 --> 00:29:51,520
youtube and just search on the phrase

536
00:30:06,180 --> 00:29:55,690
hole to tape and it's h alt by the way

537
00:30:07,740 --> 00:30:06,190
not hol t that and Colonel halt and by

538
00:30:12,660 --> 00:30:07,750

the way the reason this is on tape is

539

00:30:16,260 --> 00:30:12,670

that as the deputy base commander just

540

00:30:18,630 --> 00:30:16,270

like Special Agent Dale Cooper in twin

541

00:30:22,730 --> 00:30:18,640

peaks and how cool is it that that's

542

00:30:25,410 --> 00:30:22,740

coming back on TV Colonel halt

543

00:30:27,930 --> 00:30:25,420

habitually carried with him a handheld

544

00:30:30,960 --> 00:30:27,940

cassette recorder on which to document

545

00:30:33,090 --> 00:30:30,970

his his observations and thoughts so all

546

00:30:36,180 --> 00:30:33,100

this is on tape and if you if you put

547

00:30:38,400 --> 00:30:36,190

the the phrase halt tape into YouTube

548

00:30:42,360 --> 00:30:38,410

you can listen to this and you can

549

00:30:44,460 --> 00:30:42,370

listen to the actual voice of Charles

550

00:30:46,650 --> 00:30:44,470

holt and some of the other people who

551
00:30:49,200 --> 00:30:46,660
are out there you can hear them saying

552
00:30:51,660 --> 00:30:49,210
hey get get the Geiger counter on that

553
00:30:53,580 --> 00:30:51,670
hey we're getting clicks so all this is

554
00:30:55,370 --> 00:30:53,590
kind of on audio tape which is which

555
00:30:58,880 --> 00:30:55,380
quite fun

556
00:31:01,370 --> 00:30:58,890
it's 17 minutes long they were actually

557
00:31:03,980 --> 00:31:01,380
out there for three or four hours but

558
00:31:06,380 --> 00:31:03,990
Colonel halt wasn't recording all the

559
00:31:08,480 --> 00:31:06,390
time and there are allegations that

560
00:31:12,740 --> 00:31:08,490
there are other parts of the tape that

561
00:31:15,050 --> 00:31:12,750
have yet to be made public but you

562
00:31:17,390 --> 00:31:15,060
suddenly here they're saying it's coming

563
00:31:20,390 --> 00:31:17,400

this way it's coming this way no doubt

564

00:31:22,340 --> 00:31:20,400

about it this is weird and you can hear

565

00:31:24,680 --> 00:31:22,350

the fear and tension in these men's

566

00:31:29,870 --> 00:31:24,690

voices as this can thing comes closer

567

00:31:32,780 --> 00:31:29,880

and closer and at at one point this

568

00:31:36,980 --> 00:31:32,790

thing is is moving around rapidly in the

569

00:31:41,390 --> 00:31:36,990

sky conducting what Holt said reminded

570

00:31:46,640 --> 00:31:41,400

him in a way of a grid search and then

571

00:31:49,160 --> 00:31:46,650

at the climax of this encounter this

572

00:31:54,320 --> 00:31:49,170

object is almost directly overhead and

573

00:31:58,820 --> 00:31:54,330

fires a narrow pencil thin beam of light

574

00:32:03,350 --> 00:31:58,830

down that strikes the ground just feet

575

00:32:05,780 --> 00:32:03,360

in front of them and again for those of

576

00:32:07,820 --> 00:32:05,790

you who hurt my presentation yesterday

577

00:32:10,940 --> 00:32:07,830

where I briefly mentioned a case from

578

00:32:13,400 --> 00:32:10,950

the UK in 1993 you'll know that this

579

00:32:15,020 --> 00:32:13,410

idea of UFOs firing these narrow beams

580

00:32:17,450 --> 00:32:15,030

of light is something that comes up

581

00:32:22,610 --> 00:32:17,460

quite a lot in some of the most

582

00:32:25,580 --> 00:32:22,620

compelling incidents that we have and so

583

00:32:28,150 --> 00:32:25,590

the beam of light hits the ground just

584

00:32:31,250 --> 00:32:28,160

in front of Colonel halt and his men and

585

00:32:34,460 --> 00:32:31,260

looking back on it now Colonel halt has

586

00:32:38,300 --> 00:32:34,470

speculated and he said you know was this

587

00:32:42,170 --> 00:32:38,310

a weapon was this a warning was this

588

00:32:48,470 --> 00:32:42,180

communication what was this he didn't

589

00:32:50,720 --> 00:32:48,480

know the beam retracted they they saw

590

00:32:52,790 --> 00:32:50,730

all sorts of strange activity multiple

591

00:32:55,340 --> 00:32:52,800

objects in the sky they didn't get as

592

00:32:58,190 --> 00:32:55,350

close as John and Jim or on the first

593

00:33:00,620 --> 00:32:58,200

night so they didn't really get details

594

00:33:02,810 --> 00:33:00,630

but again hold and and the other

595

00:33:05,240 --> 00:33:02,820

witnesses that I've interviewed about

596

00:33:09,230 --> 00:33:05,250

this say that these speeds and maneuvers

597

00:33:13,760 --> 00:33:09,240

just went above and beyond anything

598

00:33:16,430 --> 00:33:13,770

even got now and these people have a

599

00:33:19,790 --> 00:33:16,440

pretty good idea of what technology is

600

00:33:23,690 --> 00:33:19,800

out there biet friendly you know us or

601
00:33:27,860 --> 00:33:23,700
UK allied nations in NATO or unfriendly

602
00:33:30,730 --> 00:33:27,870
and again they're you know when people

603
00:33:33,380 --> 00:33:30,740
say that the speeds the maneuvers the

604
00:33:36,860 --> 00:33:33,390
acceleration unreal you know would have

605
00:33:39,620 --> 00:33:36,870
killed any human occupant for example

606
00:33:41,900 --> 00:33:39,630
with the sort of g-forces that that

607
00:33:44,030 --> 00:33:41,910
would have been involved in in the turns

608
00:33:46,910 --> 00:33:44,040
that these things were performing I mean

609
00:33:52,720 --> 00:33:46,920
you know again it all I think makes one

610
00:33:57,560 --> 00:33:52,730
wonder what are we dealing with here and

611
00:34:01,280 --> 00:33:57,570
so the last thing that you hear on the

612
00:34:03,320 --> 00:34:01,290
whole tape is they gone off the base out

613
00:34:04,820 --> 00:34:03,330

into the forest they crossed a farmer's

614

00:34:06,710 --> 00:34:04,830

field and they were then looking back

615

00:34:09,560 --> 00:34:06,720

they all the time they were pursuing

616

00:34:11,990 --> 00:34:09,570

these UFOs and at one point like I say

617

00:34:16,430 --> 00:34:12,000

it was directly overhead and then the

618

00:34:19,190 --> 00:34:16,440

very final thing is they say the UFO is

619

00:34:23,180 --> 00:34:19,200

back kind of where they started its

620

00:34:28,250 --> 00:34:23,190

firing light beams down at woodbridge

621

00:34:29,990 --> 00:34:28,260

base and you know I don't have time to

622

00:34:33,800 --> 00:34:30,000

get into any of this but it's it's a

623

00:34:36,380 --> 00:34:33,810

case that's covered on the new serious

624

00:34:37,870 --> 00:34:36,390

UFOs declassified that's going to be

625

00:34:40,340 --> 00:34:37,880

coming here to Smithsonian Channel

626
00:34:42,620 --> 00:34:40,350
fairly soon look out for an episode

627
00:34:45,320 --> 00:34:42,630
called Red Alert which is going to get

628
00:34:48,470 --> 00:34:45,330
into to that it's on a number of other

629
00:34:50,920 --> 00:34:48,480
TV shows too many of you will know their

630
00:34:54,770 --> 00:34:50,930
look there's lots of speculation about

631
00:34:57,530 --> 00:34:54,780
the particular area of the base that

632
00:35:01,970 --> 00:34:57,540
these light beams actually struck and

633
00:35:03,770 --> 00:35:01,980
impacted it was an area which was what i

634
00:35:06,530 --> 00:35:03,780
can say is it's part of the weapons

635
00:35:09,890 --> 00:35:06,540
storage area what i can say is it was

636
00:35:12,920 --> 00:35:09,900
nicknamed hot row for some inexplicable

637
00:35:19,190 --> 00:35:12,930
reason that i couldn't possibly comment

638
00:35:22,920 --> 00:35:19,200

on obviously there is speculation about

639

00:35:29,849 --> 00:35:25,260

I am still bound by the Official Secrets

640

00:35:32,849 --> 00:35:29,859

Act I can neither confirm nor deny the

641

00:35:34,799 --> 00:35:32,859

presence of nuclear weapons at those

642

00:35:36,510 --> 00:35:34,809

bases at the time but there are plenty

643

00:35:38,849 --> 00:35:36,520

of other people out there some of whom

644

00:35:40,829 --> 00:35:38,859

were posted there who are apparently a

645

00:35:43,549 --> 00:35:40,839

bit more free and easy about what they

646

00:35:46,380 --> 00:35:43,559

say so you know good luck to them but

647

00:35:48,540 --> 00:35:46,390

again I throw that out and even though I

648

00:35:50,910 --> 00:35:48,550

have to say neither confirm nor deny I

649

00:35:53,400 --> 00:35:50,920

mean I think you can begin to piece

650

00:35:56,130 --> 00:35:53,410

together maybe the story that's

651
00:36:00,329 --> 00:35:56,140
unfolding here when we talk about the

652
00:36:03,990 --> 00:36:00,339
the light beams impacting this this most

653
00:36:11,339 --> 00:36:04,000
critical area within these these twin

654
00:36:15,240 --> 00:36:11,349
bases well that was the the three nights

655
00:36:17,400 --> 00:36:15,250
of activity that there were subsequent

656
00:36:23,010 --> 00:36:17,410
allegations which Colonel halt has

657
00:36:27,539 --> 00:36:23,020
validated that unmarked aircraft flew in

658
00:36:32,059 --> 00:36:27,549
and out and strange personnel are often

659
00:36:34,950 --> 00:36:32,069
civilians just in in suits were kind of

660
00:36:37,380 --> 00:36:34,960
walking in walking around they were

661
00:36:41,720 --> 00:36:37,390
accessing all areas they were maybe

662
00:36:44,789 --> 00:36:41,730
flying things back they were

663
00:36:47,160 --> 00:36:44,799

interrogating some of the witnesses

664

00:36:49,170 --> 00:36:47,170

maybe even threatening them Colonel halt

665

00:36:51,690 --> 00:36:49,180

has gone on the record to say that

666

00:36:55,829 --> 00:36:51,700

several young Airmen under his command

667

00:36:59,579 --> 00:36:55,839

were harshly interrogated with the both

668

00:37:01,920 --> 00:36:59,589

drugs and hypnosis being used if this is

669

00:37:03,870 --> 00:37:01,930

if this sort of allegation just turned

670

00:37:06,930 --> 00:37:03,880

up anonymously on the internet that's

671

00:37:09,950 --> 00:37:06,940

one thing when the former deputy base

672

00:37:12,630 --> 00:37:09,960

commander of two of the most

673

00:37:14,970 --> 00:37:12,640

strategically important basis in the

674

00:37:17,849 --> 00:37:14,980

entire NATO alliance goes on the record

675

00:37:21,210 --> 00:37:17,859

to say that this happened i think in

676

00:37:24,000 --> 00:37:21,220

evidential terms that takes it to a an

677

00:37:26,190 --> 00:37:24,010

entirely different level and I mean I

678

00:37:30,660 --> 00:37:26,200

think stuff like that you can take it to

679

00:37:33,059 --> 00:37:30,670

the bank so there were allegations of

680

00:37:36,870 --> 00:37:33,069

threats the phrase bullets are cheap

681

00:37:39,120 --> 00:37:36,880

yeah they're a dime a dozen was heard by

682

00:37:41,820 --> 00:37:39,130

several people apparently present at a

683

00:37:44,130 --> 00:37:41,830

briefing when they were told not to talk

684

00:37:48,300 --> 00:37:44,140

about any of their UFO experiences and

685

00:37:50,790 --> 00:37:48,310

it's only really with now the British

686

00:37:52,620 --> 00:37:50,800

government declassifying its files some

687

00:37:55,110 --> 00:37:52,630

of the Blue Book files being more

688

00:37:57,000 --> 00:37:55,120

accessible that that may be the full

689

00:37:59,730 --> 00:37:57,010

story will come out some people are

690

00:38:05,280 --> 00:37:59,740

talking some are still saying I'm not

691

00:38:08,250 --> 00:38:05,290

going to discuss that one aspect of the

692

00:38:10,320 --> 00:38:08,260

case which I did not mention at the time

693

00:38:13,080 --> 00:38:10,330

but of course it's something which is

694

00:38:15,780 --> 00:38:13,090

very controversial at the moment is the

695

00:38:18,060 --> 00:38:15,790

so called binary message or the

696

00:38:23,750 --> 00:38:18,070

Rendlesham code now I mentioned that

697

00:38:27,180 --> 00:38:23,760

when Jim Penniston touched these symbols

698

00:38:30,480 --> 00:38:27,190

particularly with the last one they the

699

00:38:35,910 --> 00:38:30,490

whole thing lit up what he kept to

700

00:38:38,430 --> 00:38:35,920

himself for many years was that when he

701
00:38:41,640 --> 00:38:38,440
touched that craft and there was this

702
00:38:45,210 --> 00:38:41,650
bright flash of light he received what

703
00:38:51,000 --> 00:38:45,220
he could only describe as a telepathic

704
00:38:55,680 --> 00:38:51,010
download and some days later he was

705
00:38:57,750 --> 00:38:55,690
sitting at home and again he suddenly he

706
00:39:01,770 --> 00:38:57,760
said as if as if he was under a

707
00:39:08,550 --> 00:39:01,780
compulsion he reached for his notebook

708
00:39:13,170 --> 00:39:08,560
and he wrote out 16 pages of ones and

709
00:39:15,360 --> 00:39:13,180
zeros and then promptly put the whole

710
00:39:19,830 --> 00:39:15,370
thing away and didn't really think much

711
00:39:22,530 --> 00:39:19,840
about it for years and when I've spoken

712
00:39:24,870 --> 00:39:22,540
to him about this he said yeah it's kind

713
00:39:26,970 --> 00:39:24,880

of like he didn't really know what he

714

00:39:28,740 --> 00:39:26,980

was doing it was under a compulsion he

715

00:39:34,950 --> 00:39:28,750

didn't know that it was necessarily

716

00:39:36,960 --> 00:39:34,960

important well of course needless to say

717

00:39:42,540 --> 00:39:36,970

when when people in the UFO community

718

00:39:45,540 --> 00:39:42,550

first saw this and and saw it in the

719

00:39:47,640 --> 00:39:45,550

police notebook just kind of tucked away

720

00:39:49,950 --> 00:39:47,650

after these sketches people thought well

721

00:39:50,730 --> 00:39:49,960

what the heck's this and when when he

722

00:39:53,730 --> 00:39:50,740

explained the

723

00:39:58,770 --> 00:39:53,740

back story that he received this kind of

724

00:40:00,960 --> 00:39:58,780

download people reached out to computer

725

00:40:03,810 --> 00:40:00,970

programmers and I know that there was

726

00:40:09,120 --> 00:40:03,820

one called Nick Sisk who had a look at

727

00:40:13,109 --> 00:40:09,130

this for a TV production company that

728

00:40:18,870 --> 00:40:13,119

was was looking at this case and there

729

00:40:23,130 --> 00:40:18,880

is a translation of this so called

730

00:40:28,700 --> 00:40:23,140

binary message and the translation reads

731

00:40:34,350 --> 00:40:28,710

as follows exploration of humanity

732

00:40:43,710 --> 00:40:34,360

continuous for planetary advance eyes of

733

00:40:48,060 --> 00:40:43,720

your eyes origin year 8100 now origin

734

00:40:50,600 --> 00:40:48,070

here 8100 does that mean as some people

735

00:40:53,730 --> 00:40:50,610

speculate that we're dealing not with

736

00:40:58,080 --> 00:40:53,740

extraterrestrial visitation but in this

737

00:41:01,500 --> 00:40:58,090

case with time travel or does it mean I

738

00:41:05,310 --> 00:41:01,510

mean again I think Jim Marrs mentioned a

739

00:41:07,859 --> 00:41:05,320

case this morning in involving missing

740

00:41:10,470 --> 00:41:07,869

time and Jim Jim certainly said that in

741

00:41:12,870 --> 00:41:10,480

in you know that the hundreds of people

742

00:41:15,450 --> 00:41:12,880

that have come to him with encounters of

743

00:41:19,590 --> 00:41:15,460

not just UFOs but alien abductions this

744

00:41:23,550 --> 00:41:19,600

whole issue of missing time throws up

745

00:41:25,410 --> 00:41:23,560

that the question of time travel so are

746

00:41:27,050 --> 00:41:25,420

we dealing with human time travelers

747

00:41:28,880 --> 00:41:27,060

from the future are we dealing with

748

00:41:32,550 --> 00:41:28,890

extraterrestrials who can manipulate

749

00:41:35,340 --> 00:41:32,560

space-time remember that space and time

750

00:41:41,099 --> 00:41:35,350

in terms of physics are actually viewed

751
00:41:43,349 --> 00:41:41,109
as a single entity space-time again I

752
00:41:46,800 --> 00:41:43,359
don't know but for anyone that thinks

753
00:41:49,380 --> 00:41:46,810
this is science fiction look at the work

754
00:41:51,780 --> 00:41:49,390
for example being done by Professor

755
00:41:54,030 --> 00:41:51,790
Ronald Mallett again look out that name

756
00:41:58,400 --> 00:41:54,040
Ronald Mallett a professor who's looking

757
00:42:01,080 --> 00:41:58,410
at time travel quite seriously look at

758
00:42:03,990 --> 00:42:01,090
for those of you who think that things

759
00:42:06,000 --> 00:42:04,000
like other dimensions is

760
00:42:09,060 --> 00:42:06,010
science fiction y'all sure a few years

761
00:42:10,740 --> 00:42:09,070
ago it would have been but now look at

762
00:42:13,650 --> 00:42:10,750
the sorts of experiments that are

763
00:42:16,470 --> 00:42:13,660

planned at the Large Hadron Collider

764

00:42:19,200 --> 00:42:16,480

where it's believed that some of the

765

00:42:22,290 --> 00:42:19,210

string theory that you hear about

766

00:42:24,330 --> 00:42:22,300

actually only works in terms of

767

00:42:27,150 --> 00:42:24,340

theoretical physics if there are a

768

00:42:30,510 --> 00:42:27,160

number of so-called hidden dimensions

769

00:42:32,640 --> 00:42:30,520

and it may be this year as the Large

770

00:42:36,000 --> 00:42:32,650

Hadron Collider powers up to

771

00:42:37,680 --> 00:42:36,010

unimaginable levels of power that have

772

00:42:41,190 --> 00:42:37,690

not previously been reached that we

773

00:42:43,940 --> 00:42:41,200

perhaps draw aside the curtain of

774

00:42:47,460 --> 00:42:43,950

mystery and and get a peek into the most

775

00:42:49,980 --> 00:42:47,470

dark and mysterious secrets of the

776

00:42:52,620 --> 00:42:49,990

universe so you know extraterrestrials

777

00:42:54,750 --> 00:42:52,630

time travel other dimensions all these

778

00:42:57,390 --> 00:42:54,760

things that a few years ago skeptics

779

00:42:59,460 --> 00:42:57,400

scoffed at and and scientists maybe

780

00:43:01,380 --> 00:42:59,470

thought well I don't want to do that now

781

00:43:06,830 --> 00:43:01,390

they're doing it and it's happening

782

00:43:09,900 --> 00:43:06,840

right now a postscript to the story of

783

00:43:13,890 --> 00:43:09,910

Jim touching the side of the craft is

784

00:43:16,500 --> 00:43:13,900

that both John and Jim oh and by the way

785

00:43:18,600 --> 00:43:16,510

Bank back to that message exploration of

786

00:43:22,370 --> 00:43:18,610

humanity continuous for planetary

787

00:43:25,710 --> 00:43:22,380

advance eyes of your eyes origin year

788

00:43:29,070 --> 00:43:25,720

8100 as well as that there were a series

789

00:43:31,860 --> 00:43:29,080
of coordinates latitudinal and

790

00:43:34,980 --> 00:43:31,870
longitudinal coordinates which when they

791

00:43:37,140 --> 00:43:34,990
were plotted out just so happen to

792

00:43:40,890 --> 00:43:37,150
coincide with some of the most

793

00:43:43,710 --> 00:43:40,900
mysterious and sacred sites from

794

00:43:48,540 --> 00:43:43,720
humanity's past the Great Pyramids at

795

00:43:52,620 --> 00:43:48,550
Giza the Temple of Apollo on the island

796

00:43:57,210 --> 00:43:52,630
of Naxos in Greece the Nazca lines in

797

00:44:00,090 --> 00:43:57,220
Peru the mysterious lost continent of

798

00:44:05,610 --> 00:44:00,100
high Brazil which is sometimes dubbed

799

00:44:10,110 --> 00:44:05,620
the Celtic Atlantis is it coincidence

800

00:44:14,550 --> 00:44:10,120
that all of these sacred sites are kind

801
00:44:22,310 --> 00:44:18,740
or is it part of a hidden meaning again

802
00:44:25,650 --> 00:44:22,320
for those of you who are fans of the

803
00:44:28,440 --> 00:44:25,660
ancient astronaut ancient alien theory

804
00:44:30,240 --> 00:44:28,450
the idea is not just that some of

805
00:44:33,210 --> 00:44:30,250
humanity's ancient gods were

806
00:44:36,440 --> 00:44:33,220
extraterrestrials but now the idea is

807
00:44:39,720 --> 00:44:36,450
that these God's may be returning and

808
00:44:42,090 --> 00:44:39,730
again some of the ancient texts talk

809
00:44:45,450 --> 00:44:42,100
about the return of the ancient gods and

810
00:44:47,880 --> 00:44:45,460
and now we get the Rendlesham message

811
00:44:51,360 --> 00:44:47,890
the so called binary code whatever you

812
00:44:54,600 --> 00:44:51,370
describe it at again does this mean that

813
00:44:57,900 --> 00:44:54,610

we're building up to something again I

814

00:45:02,520 --> 00:44:57,910

throw it out there John and Jim the ones

815

00:45:04,440 --> 00:45:02,530

who got closest to this have medical

816

00:45:10,280 --> 00:45:04,450

problems which they attribute to their

817

00:45:13,920 --> 00:45:10,290

proximity to the craft they are not able

818

00:45:15,630 --> 00:45:13,930

to access their military medical records

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00:45:19,280 --> 00:45:15,640

which are apparently lodged in a

820

00:45:22,710 --> 00:45:19,290

little-known classified section of the

821

00:45:24,870 --> 00:45:22,720

Veterans Administration where normally

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00:45:27,540 --> 00:45:24,880

people who are involved in Special

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00:45:31,650 --> 00:45:27,550

Forces operations where their records

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00:45:34,830 --> 00:45:31,660

are sent well you know why why are the

825

00:45:37,620 --> 00:45:34,840

two witnesses the two main witnesses to

826

00:45:43,740 --> 00:45:37,630

the rendlesham forest incident why are

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00:45:45,360 --> 00:45:43,750

their medical records still not able to

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00:45:47,880 --> 00:45:45,370

be obtained last year there was an event

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00:45:50,400 --> 00:45:47,890

called the Citizen hearing on disclosure

830

00:45:54,300 --> 00:45:50,410

I don't know how many of you heard about

831

00:45:57,630 --> 00:45:54,310

this but this was private initiative to

832

00:46:01,110 --> 00:45:57,640

say that if Congress won't do its job we

833

00:46:03,690 --> 00:46:01,120

the people will do it for them and steve

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00:46:08,310 --> 00:46:03,700

bassett and his paradigm research group

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00:46:11,160 --> 00:46:08,320

put on a an event where basically some

836

00:46:14,130 --> 00:46:11,170

retired congresspeople some Republican

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00:46:16,950 --> 00:46:14,140

some Democrat some libertarian came

838

00:46:20,520 --> 00:46:16,960

together to hold the sorts of hearings

839

00:46:25,470 --> 00:46:20,530

on UFOs that many people believe should

840

00:46:28,349 --> 00:46:25,480

be held and you'll see the John and Jim

841

00:46:30,900 --> 00:46:28,359

in the middle there their attorney

842

00:46:35,009 --> 00:46:30,910

on the right who has helped them pro

843

00:46:37,380 --> 00:46:35,019

bono a pat Fras cognate great guy who

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00:46:40,440 --> 00:46:37,390

was given hours and hours of pro bono

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00:46:43,440 --> 00:46:40,450

work to try and help John and Jim obtain

846

00:46:48,509 --> 00:46:43,450

their medical records I'm there on the

847

00:46:51,599 --> 00:46:48,519

left the former Congress people who were

848

00:46:55,109 --> 00:46:51,609

there were so outraged by the inability

849

00:46:57,299 --> 00:46:55,119

of John and Jim to access their military

850

00:47:02,460 --> 00:46:57,309

medical records that they wrote about

851

00:47:04,319 --> 00:47:02,470

this directly to the secretary of the VA

852

00:47:08,249 --> 00:47:04,329

and to the President of the United

853

00:47:11,190 --> 00:47:08,259

States to ask that these men were given

854

00:47:14,220 --> 00:47:11,200

so much loyal military service for their

855

00:47:15,809 --> 00:47:14,230

country be given what's due to them so

856

00:47:19,259 --> 00:47:15,819

that their doctors can make a proper

857

00:47:22,739 --> 00:47:19,269

diagnosis and a proper treatment plan to

858

00:47:25,410 --> 00:47:22,749

date these medical medical military

859

00:47:28,259 --> 00:47:25,420

records have yet to be forthcoming work

860

00:47:32,870 --> 00:47:28,269

on that is ongoing work on the

861

00:47:36,120 --> 00:47:32,880

rendlesham code is still ongoing a

862

00:47:38,670 --> 00:47:36,130

esoteric researcher in Engler and called

863

00:47:43,470 --> 00:47:38,680

Gary Osborne is doing a lot of work a

864

00:47:48,690 --> 00:47:43,480

retired US Air Force a guy called Joe

865

00:47:51,059 --> 00:47:48,700

Luciano is doing a lot of work you know

866

00:47:52,410 --> 00:47:51,069

this is a continuing story and we're

867

00:47:54,539 --> 00:47:52,420

trying to get to the bottom of these

868

00:47:58,380 --> 00:47:54,549

issues we're trying to get more

869

00:48:00,269 --> 00:47:58,390

witnesses to afford I apologize for

870

00:48:03,930 --> 00:48:00,279

having encroached a little bit onto the

871

00:48:06,089 --> 00:48:03,940

break time but I was told that I I could

872

00:48:09,660 --> 00:48:06,099

do that because i am not encroaching on

873

00:48:11,519 --> 00:48:09,670

Jim's time which which I won't do but I

874

00:48:16,799 --> 00:48:11,529

will wrap up now because I see him

875

00:48:21,509 --> 00:48:16,809

staring menacingly at me and with with

876

00:48:24,809 --> 00:48:21,519

that i will just thank you very much for

877

00:48:27,420 --> 00:48:24,819

listening i sadly i don't actually have

878

00:48:29,579 --> 00:48:27,430

any copies of my own book go there may

879

00:48:32,819 --> 00:48:29,589

be some kicking around somewhere it's

880

00:48:36,390 --> 00:48:32,829

it's been out in hardback for a while it

881

00:48:38,999 --> 00:48:36,400

comes out in trade paperback i think on

882

00:48:41,770 --> 00:48:39,009

march the third but if there's been a

883

00:48:45,010 --> 00:48:41,780

little bit too much you know name

884

00:48:47,620 --> 00:48:45,020

and you know locations or all of the

885

00:48:50,970 --> 00:48:47,630

information is in the book encounter and

886

00:48:54,160 --> 00:48:50,980

Rendlesham forest i co-wrote it with

887

00:48:58,900 --> 00:48:54,170

John Burroughs and Jim Penniston and

888

00:49:01,990 --> 00:48:58,910

even their attorney frass cognate in a

889

00:49:05,140 --> 00:49:02,000

chapter on on the multiple foi requests

890

00:49:08,410 --> 00:49:05,150

that there are ongoing so we've we've

891

00:49:10,780 --> 00:49:08,420

told the story in that book encounter in

892

00:49:14,910 --> 00:49:10,790

Rendlesham forest there's lots of TV

893

00:49:18,100 --> 00:49:14,920

shows on this I think this does indeed

894

00:49:21,190 --> 00:49:18,110

constitute a case that justifies its

895

00:49:24,370 --> 00:49:21,200

nickname of Britain's Roswell it wasn't

896

00:49:28,150 --> 00:49:24,380

a crash but in terms of everything that

897

00:49:30,940 --> 00:49:28,160

makes a UFO case compelling multiple

898

00:49:34,000 --> 00:49:30,950

witnesses military witnesses radar

899

00:49:36,880 --> 00:49:34,010

physical trace evidence in terms of burn

900

00:49:39,850 --> 00:49:36,890

marks on the trees indentations in the

901
00:49:41,980 --> 00:49:39,860
ground radioactivity levels and an audit

902
00:49:43,840 --> 00:49:41,990
trail of government documents that say

903
00:49:47,470 --> 00:49:43,850
yeah this is exactly what happened all

904
00:49:50,200 --> 00:49:47,480
those things come together in this one

905
00:49:53,050 --> 00:49:50,210
incident it's why I sometimes call it a

906
00:49:56,980 --> 00:49:53,060
perfect storm when it comes to a UFO

907
00:50:00,130 --> 00:49:56,990
case so I I think my voice has just

908
00:50:02,200 --> 00:50:00,140
about held out I'm very grateful to the

909
00:50:04,630 --> 00:50:02,210
conference organizers for giving me this

910
00:50:06,670 --> 00:50:04,640
time and I'm very grateful for you for

911
00:50:08,380 --> 00:50:06,680
having turned up to listen I hope found