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EXPLORING THE BIZARRE
**STRANGEST
OF ALL**

A NEW COLLECTION OF THE INCREDIBLE,
THE EERIE, THE AMAZING, FANTASTIC

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00:00:37,360 --> 00:00:21,830

[Music]

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00:00:44,280 --> 00:00:42,370

explore the bazaar or e-ticket ride into

3
00:00:47,590 --> 00:00:44,290

the world of the paranormal

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00:00:51,900 --> 00:00:47,600

strap yourself in as we traverse the

5
00:00:56,320 --> 00:00:51,910

universe exploring the unexplained UFO s

6
00:01:00,490 --> 00:00:56,330

ghosts Lost Worlds cryptozoology waters

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00:01:04,960 --> 00:01:00,500

as well as other dimensions it's time to

8
00:01:07,210 --> 00:01:04,970

take back the night now your

9
00:01:12,960 --> 00:01:07,220

electrifying hosts of exploring the

10
00:01:19,090 --> 00:01:16,960

hey Tim what's with the Jim Dandy garb

11
00:01:22,150 --> 00:01:19,100

looks like you're gonna step out on

12
00:01:25,150 --> 00:01:22,160

Broadway - you know how attend some sort

13
00:01:26,230 --> 00:01:25,160

of formal affair well thanks for the

14

00:01:28,719 --> 00:01:26,240

compliment pal

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00:01:31,840 --> 00:01:28,729

but actually on my way to a reunion of

16

00:01:35,499 --> 00:01:31,850

teenage ufologist you got to go back to

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00:01:38,920 --> 00:01:35,509

the mid 1960s there was Rick hilberg

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00:01:41,650 --> 00:01:38,930

gene Steinberg Allen Greenfield and our

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00:01:44,230 --> 00:01:41,660

guest tonight Dave Halperin we all met

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00:01:46,809 --> 00:01:44,240

each other through the pages of Ray

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00:01:49,779 --> 00:01:46,819

Palmer's flying saucers magazine he had

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00:01:51,309 --> 00:01:49,789

a column in their flying saucer news we

23

00:01:54,100 --> 00:01:51,319

started exchanging mimeograph

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00:01:57,400 --> 00:01:54,110

newsletters and organizing conferences

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00:02:02,050 --> 00:01:57,410

we became friends over the years well

26
00:02:05,400 --> 00:02:02,060
that's right there was the the Congress

27
00:02:07,600 --> 00:02:05,410
of scientific ufologist first held in

28
00:02:10,719 --> 00:02:07,610
Cleveland I think or around that time

29
00:02:11,550 --> 00:02:10,729
hey I see you even trimmed your hair for

30
00:02:13,839 --> 00:02:11,560
the occasion

31
00:02:16,570 --> 00:02:13,849
and I didn't want to give that

32
00:02:18,100 --> 00:02:16,580
impression I've over Sid Meier's the

33
00:02:20,140 --> 00:02:18,110
space brothers known as or thought and

34
00:02:22,600 --> 00:02:20,150
he had down his hair down to his

35
00:02:24,430 --> 00:02:22,610
shoulders if I remember the photo still

36
00:02:28,600 --> 00:02:24,440
in my collection taking a gym Mosley's

37
00:02:31,540 --> 00:02:28,610
UFO conference in New York City in 1967

38
00:02:34,089 --> 00:02:31,550

okay well um you have fun

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00:02:37,570 --> 00:02:34,099

say hello to everyone while I head out

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00:02:41,229 --> 00:02:37,580

to the case er our studios with Tina for

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00:02:42,970 --> 00:02:41,239

tonight's tale of wonder I think I think

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00:02:45,130 --> 00:02:42,980

we do have a wig around here somewhere

43

00:02:49,720 --> 00:02:45,140

well you want to have your hair long

44

00:02:51,160 --> 00:02:49,730

again let me fix the blonde one if the

45

00:02:58,210 --> 00:02:51,170

blonde was fine one

46

00:03:01,839 --> 00:02:58,220

okay I can't find it too well well it'll

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00:03:05,250 --> 00:03:01,849

it'll it'll do it'll do but how are you

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00:03:09,820 --> 00:03:05,260

tonight out there in Jasper Indiana I'm

49

00:03:14,140 --> 00:03:09,830

doing fantastic Tim were were hard at

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00:03:18,610 --> 00:03:14,150

work with the the new Ashtar biography

51
00:03:22,509 --> 00:03:18,620
oh my goodness yes yes soon soon be hid

52
00:03:27,460 --> 00:03:22,519
in a bookstore near you and and followed

53
00:03:30,520 --> 00:03:27,470
that pretty quickly by a book on area 51

54
00:03:32,860 --> 00:03:30,530
that I've been actually meaning to put

55
00:03:34,750 --> 00:03:32,870
together for a long time now and what

56
00:03:40,000 --> 00:03:34,760
with all the the people expected out

57
00:03:43,110 --> 00:03:40,010
there at the pearly gates of area 51

58
00:03:46,600 --> 00:03:43,120
it's a it'll be another timely a book so

59
00:03:49,770 --> 00:03:46,610
we're keeping to our two or three books

60
00:03:53,380 --> 00:03:49,780
a month even though I'm semi-retired

61
00:03:55,630 --> 00:03:53,390
anyway Tim go ahead and tell us about

62
00:03:58,720 --> 00:03:55,640
our wonderful guests for the evening who

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00:04:00,849 --> 00:03:58,730

I have known since the days of teenage

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00:04:03,099 --> 00:04:00,859

ufology I'm not sure there are any more

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00:04:07,330 --> 00:04:03,109

teenagers in ufology anymore and I don't

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00:04:09,940 --> 00:04:07,340

think that any of us it could consider

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00:04:13,960 --> 00:04:09,950

ourselves the teenagers although I do

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00:04:19,330 --> 00:04:13,970

consider myself a bright 30-something or

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00:04:22,029 --> 00:04:19,340

whatever anyway well Tim I'm really

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00:04:24,909 --> 00:04:22,039

happy to say that tonight our guest is

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00:04:28,150 --> 00:04:24,919

David Halperin now back in the 1960s

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00:04:30,310 --> 00:04:28,160

David was a teenage you apologist is

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00:04:32,890 --> 00:04:30,320

like yourself later he became a

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00:04:34,930 --> 00:04:32,900

professor of Religious Studies at the

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00:04:37,540 --> 00:04:34,940

University of North Carolina at Chapel

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00:04:40,510 --> 00:04:37,550

Hill where he taught until his

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00:04:43,480 --> 00:04:40,520

retirement in 2000 his specialty

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00:04:46,330 --> 00:04:43,490

religious traditions of heavenly ascent

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00:04:48,520 --> 00:04:46,340

and otherworldly journeys he's the

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00:04:51,629 --> 00:04:48,530

author of five books on Jewish mysticism

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00:04:55,390 --> 00:04:51,639

and assonance ism and a novel journey

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00:04:59,200 --> 00:04:55,400

journal of a UFO investigator published

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00:05:02,930 --> 00:04:59,210

in 2011 book by Viking press his

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00:05:05,270 --> 00:05:02,940

non-fiction book intimate alien

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00:05:07,550 --> 00:05:05,280

hidden story of the UFO will be

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00:05:11,210 --> 00:05:07,560

published hopefully next year by

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00:05:13,520 --> 00:05:11,220

Stanford University Press so uh I

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00:05:15,800 --> 00:05:13,530

contain that also he blogs on UFOs

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00:05:18,380 --> 00:05:15,810

religion and other subjects dear to his

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00:05:22,340 --> 00:05:18,390

heart and his website which is David

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00:05:25,250 --> 00:05:22,350

Halpern dotnet well Dave you know it is

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00:05:29,830 --> 00:05:25,260

good to talk to you we haven't spoken in

93

00:05:33,980 --> 00:05:29,840

a while and when do we fir first that

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00:05:38,020 --> 00:05:33,990

hookup it would have been one about 1966

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00:05:42,320 --> 00:05:38,030

or 67 oh I think it was even before that

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00:05:47,690 --> 00:05:42,330

62 or 63 oh Jesus Vica would through

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00:05:52,570 --> 00:05:47,700

Edie Babcock oh yes now ed Babcock had

98

00:05:56,000 --> 00:05:52,580

the njaa P it was the New Jersey

99

00:05:59,750 --> 00:05:56,010

Association on aerial phenomena out of a

100

00:06:04,010 --> 00:05:59,760

Kendall apart and he used to have little

101
00:06:06,620 --> 00:06:04,020
little meetings there at the VFW a post

102
00:06:09,290 --> 00:06:06,630
and we would come out and salute the

103
00:06:12,440 --> 00:06:09,300
flag and then give an hour or so a talk

104
00:06:16,250 --> 00:06:12,450
on the on the topic yeah I would I would

105
00:06:19,580 --> 00:06:16,260
have probably been maybe 15 or 16 at the

106
00:06:21,860 --> 00:06:19,590
at the time I would I would say well

107
00:06:23,870 --> 00:06:21,870
what what got you interested in the in

108
00:06:26,840 --> 00:06:23,880
the subject I mean did you have an

109
00:06:34,130 --> 00:06:26,850
experience were you abducted or have sex

110
00:06:40,010 --> 00:06:34,140
with an alien into a picked up a bug of

111
00:06:43,850 --> 00:06:40,020
some sort no I said it started in the

112
00:06:47,659 --> 00:06:43,860
fall of 1960 when I was 12 going on 13

113
00:06:52,190 --> 00:06:47,669

and a friend of mine said about writing

114

00:06:53,750 --> 00:06:52,200

a paper for a science class and we were

115

00:06:58,190 --> 00:06:53,760

gonna write about life on other planets

116

00:07:00,500 --> 00:06:58,200

and as part of studying life on other

117

00:07:04,750 --> 00:07:00,510

planets we decided to read about flying

118

00:07:08,140 --> 00:07:04,760

saucers so we went to the library and we

119

00:07:10,730 --> 00:07:08,150

looked up in the card catalog which I

120

00:07:14,960 --> 00:07:10,740

imagine your younger listeners have

121

00:07:16,460 --> 00:07:14,970

never seen a card catalog we do doing

122

00:07:20,030 --> 00:07:16,470

decimals do we

123

00:07:24,230 --> 00:07:20,040

decimals yeah I can't remember if we

124

00:07:26,870 --> 00:07:24,240

used to eat decimal or or the the

125

00:07:29,630 --> 00:07:26,880

Library of Congress classification but

126

00:07:31,820 --> 00:07:29,640

anyway I went home that night with gray

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00:07:36,580 --> 00:07:31,830

Barker's they knew too much about flying

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00:07:41,240 --> 00:07:36,590

whoa you started out on the right track

129

00:07:45,020 --> 00:07:41,250

well it was the track that set my life

130

00:07:47,030 --> 00:07:45,030

in the course that a talk that I took

131

00:07:51,140 --> 00:07:47,040

the book home and I started reading it

132

00:07:53,740 --> 00:07:51,150

and pretty soon I was so scared I wanted

133

00:07:57,350 --> 00:07:53,750

to hide under the bed

134

00:08:00,230 --> 00:07:57,360

shall we tell your listeners what what I

135

00:08:01,460 --> 00:08:00,240

would have read about in that book yes

136

00:08:04,790 --> 00:08:01,470

go ahead

137

00:08:08,690 --> 00:08:04,800

well it starts out with a seven-foot

138

00:08:13,960 --> 00:08:08,700

monster worse than Frankenstein who

139

00:08:18,770 --> 00:08:13,970

terrifies seven West Virginia people a

140

00:08:21,620 --> 00:08:18,780

woman and some sir some boys so badly

141

00:08:25,520 --> 00:08:21,630

that as Barker says they had to clean

142

00:08:29,000 --> 00:08:25,530

one of them like a baby and from there

143

00:08:32,870 --> 00:08:29,010

it gets into the seriously scary shaver

144

00:08:38,050 --> 00:08:32,880

mystery of the evil beings that dwell

145

00:08:41,209 --> 00:08:38,060

under the ground in here oh yeah zero

146

00:08:44,270 --> 00:08:41,219

and have commerce with evil beings from

147

00:08:47,180 --> 00:08:44,280

other planets which explains the flying

148

00:08:49,900 --> 00:08:47,190

saucers but then we get to the heart of

149

00:08:53,630 --> 00:08:49,910

the book which is the bender mystery

150

00:08:56,440 --> 00:08:53,640

well then what was it that Albert K

151
00:09:01,130 --> 00:08:56,450
bender of Bridgeport Connecticut

152
00:09:05,390 --> 00:09:01,140
discovered in the fall of 1953 that

153
00:09:11,079 --> 00:09:05,400
brought three men in black knocking at

154
00:09:15,050 --> 00:09:11,089
his door to fry twelve into silence

155
00:09:18,280 --> 00:09:15,060
supposedly he came across the answer to

156
00:09:21,050 --> 00:09:18,290
the UFO mystery through some

157
00:09:23,900 --> 00:09:21,060
correspondence and immediately it shut

158
00:09:27,440 --> 00:09:23,910
down his his

159
00:09:30,440 --> 00:09:27,450
and put a halt to hit the publication of

160
00:09:33,530 --> 00:09:30,450
his little magazine I

161
00:09:37,220 --> 00:09:33,540
was called space review or space view

162
00:09:41,030 --> 00:09:37,230
yeah and for many years would not talk

163
00:09:44,120 --> 00:09:41,040

to anybody about his experience but of

164

00:09:48,110 --> 00:09:44,130

course the legend of the men in black

165

00:09:51,079 --> 00:09:48,120

grew and grew and grew until it was

166

00:09:54,139 --> 00:09:51,089

picked up by Hollywood and made it into

167

00:09:56,240 --> 00:09:54,149

a movie franchise not exactly the same

168

00:09:59,329 --> 00:09:56,250

experiences of course that Albert a

169

00:10:03,620 --> 00:09:59,339

bender went through but still the the

170

00:10:05,590 --> 00:10:03,630

name has lived on in in legend so how

171

00:10:08,030 --> 00:10:05,600

did you do how did you do on that

172

00:10:10,220 --> 00:10:08,040

particular review in school do you

173

00:10:15,710 --> 00:10:10,230

remember your grade I don't think we

174

00:10:18,829 --> 00:10:15,720

ever rode it by well we it was a paper

175

00:10:21,110 --> 00:10:18,839

for extra credit I think yes well you

176
00:10:24,530 --> 00:10:21,120
know it that happened to be the book

177
00:10:27,379 --> 00:10:24,540
that I picked as well I believe it was

178
00:10:31,009 --> 00:10:27,389
in the third or fourth grade to review

179
00:10:34,189 --> 00:10:31,019
and I actually got a b-minus I think

180
00:10:37,610 --> 00:10:34,199
that's the only B I ever got on anything

181
00:10:41,389 --> 00:10:37,620
and of course a Curie it curiously

182
00:10:43,880 --> 00:10:41,399
enough gray Barker who was the author of

183
00:10:47,540 --> 00:10:43,890
the book was responsible for publishing

184
00:10:49,430 --> 00:10:47,550
my first a couple of works we're now up

185
00:10:51,710 --> 00:10:49,440
to like three hundred and nine titles

186
00:10:57,350 --> 00:10:51,720
that we've published and kind of

187
00:11:01,100 --> 00:10:57,360
initiated me into the UFO feel of the

188
00:11:03,439 --> 00:11:01,110

full-time as a as a writer and when he

189

00:11:05,900 --> 00:11:03,449

passed away we actually bought the last

190

00:11:10,850 --> 00:11:05,910

fifty copies from his estate of the

191

00:11:13,880 --> 00:11:10,860

hardcover edition of Frank they knew too

192

00:11:16,220 --> 00:11:13,890

much about flying saucers so if that

193

00:11:18,290 --> 00:11:16,230

isn't they at turnaround I don't know

194

00:11:20,840 --> 00:11:18,300

what is and I guess you could say that

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00:11:23,180 --> 00:11:20,850

the book also had a pretty big impact of

196

00:11:27,400 --> 00:11:23,190

influence not only on my life is

197

00:11:31,490 --> 00:11:27,410

certainly on my career it has to be

198

00:11:35,629 --> 00:11:31,500

probably one of the more titillating and

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00:11:38,180 --> 00:11:35,639

and frightening books certainly if

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00:11:40,490 --> 00:11:38,190

you're in your early teens that have

201
00:11:43,809 --> 00:11:40,500
ever been written on the subject so how

202
00:11:46,790 --> 00:11:43,819
did you progressed from there Dave well

203
00:11:51,829 --> 00:11:46,800
said I became convinced reading the book

204
00:11:54,170 --> 00:11:51,839
that UFOs existed they had to exist

205
00:11:58,009 --> 00:11:54,180
because otherwise what were the men in

206
00:12:00,769 --> 00:11:58,019
black trying to suppress so I believed

207
00:12:05,179 --> 00:12:00,779
in UFOs because I believed in the men in

208
00:12:10,150 --> 00:12:05,189
black but now we have to ask why did I

209
00:12:14,900 --> 00:12:10,160
believe in the men in black why did I

210
00:12:20,179 --> 00:12:14,910
read this surely rather fantastic and

211
00:12:24,050 --> 00:12:20,189
implausible book and let it set the

212
00:12:26,240 --> 00:12:24,060
course for my adolescence and I thought

213
00:12:31,309 --> 00:12:26,250

about I spent many years thinking about

214

00:12:35,720 --> 00:12:31,319

this and I think I have the answer which

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00:12:40,400 --> 00:12:35,730

was that I knew the men in black from

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00:12:43,429 --> 00:12:40,410

personal experience what in what way

217

00:12:46,360 --> 00:12:43,439

wait yeah yeah in what way yeah what do

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00:12:50,900 --> 00:12:46,370

I mean by this and that is that in our

219

00:12:55,069 --> 00:12:50,910

rather ordinary looking little suburban

220

00:12:57,079 --> 00:12:55,079

house we had a dreadful secret just as

221

00:13:00,590 --> 00:12:57,089

awful as the secret of the flying

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00:13:04,009 --> 00:13:00,600

saucers that been there supposedly

223

00:13:08,540 --> 00:13:04,019

discovered this secret was that my

224

00:13:12,530 --> 00:13:08,550

mother was slowly dying it was a secret

225

00:13:15,559 --> 00:13:12,540

we couldn't talk about my father my

226

00:13:18,710 --> 00:13:15,569

mother and I all had to keep up the

227

00:13:21,910 --> 00:13:18,720

pretense that she was just a semi

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00:13:26,240 --> 00:13:21,920

invalid widow with a heart condition and

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00:13:29,600 --> 00:13:26,250

we would not face what we all knew to be

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00:13:34,540 --> 00:13:29,610

true which is that her which was that

231

00:13:39,470 --> 00:13:34,550

her life was ebbing so the notion of

232

00:13:46,100 --> 00:13:39,480

three men in black who terrify you so

233

00:13:50,030 --> 00:13:46,110

much that you can't speak of some awful

234

00:13:53,809 --> 00:13:50,040

reality was something that made sense to

235

00:13:56,000 --> 00:13:53,819

me something that I knew from my

236

00:13:59,510 --> 00:13:56,010

personal experience

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00:14:02,480 --> 00:13:59,520

but I had no idea not only how to put it

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00:14:06,920 --> 00:14:02,490

in words I had no idea even how to put

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00:14:11,570 --> 00:14:06,930

it into images and grey Barker gave me

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00:14:16,550 --> 00:14:11,580

the words and gray Barker gave me the

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00:14:19,460 --> 00:14:16,560

images that is very Pro that is very

242

00:14:23,660 --> 00:14:19,470

profound ok but it's it's still quite a

243

00:14:28,970 --> 00:14:23,670

step from reading a book on the men in

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00:14:30,970 --> 00:14:28,980

black and having it influenced you till

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00:14:35,360 --> 00:14:30,980

the point where you actually go out and

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00:14:40,400 --> 00:14:35,370

meet others who share the same rather

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00:14:42,590 --> 00:14:40,410

unique and and peculiar belief system I

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00:14:46,730 --> 00:14:42,600

mean certainly more so perhaps in those

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00:14:52,700 --> 00:14:46,740

days than today how did you come upon

250

00:14:55,430 --> 00:14:52,710

all our mutual friends who we've grown

251

00:14:58,850 --> 00:14:55,440

up with I guess over the years Rick

252

00:15:02,260 --> 00:14:58,860

hilberg and Ed beebie and hi Jean

253

00:15:04,940 --> 00:15:02,270

Steinberg and and a few of the others

254

00:15:08,840 --> 00:15:04,950

more or less the way you described from

255

00:15:12,530 --> 00:15:08,850

I don't know that I that I learned about

256

00:15:15,350 --> 00:15:12,540

you or about Ed Babcock from Ray

257

00:15:17,870 --> 00:15:15,360

Palmer's flying saucers but from some

258

00:15:21,620 --> 00:15:17,880

publication like that yeah you see its

259

00:15:24,830 --> 00:15:21,630

face magazine oh yeah and that I was a

260

00:15:29,270 --> 00:15:24,840

boy with a mission my mission was to

261

00:15:33,500 --> 00:15:29,280

uncover the secret of the flying discs

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00:15:37,220 --> 00:15:33,510

which I now know to translate into the

263

00:15:40,790 --> 00:15:37,230

secret of the alien that had invaded our

264

00:15:41,450 --> 00:15:40,800

airspace an alien had invaded our

265

00:15:49,640 --> 00:15:41,460

airspace

266

00:15:53,650 --> 00:15:49,650

the aliens name was death okay so now

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00:15:58,160 --> 00:15:53,660

you you were one of the original

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00:16:01,760 --> 00:15:58,170

organizers or on the board of directors

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00:16:03,290 --> 00:16:01,770

of the Congress of scientific ufologists

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00:16:04,760 --> 00:16:03,300

I think that's what it was called in

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00:16:08,090 --> 00:16:04,770

those days all right

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00:16:09,590 --> 00:16:08,100

yeah that came a little bit later yeah I

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00:16:12,740 --> 00:16:09,600

wasn't I wasn't really one of

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00:16:15,889 --> 00:16:12,750

the organizers I was I was an attendee

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00:16:20,449 --> 00:16:15,899

that was recognized really by our

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00:16:24,590 --> 00:16:20,459

Greenfield and Rick hilberg and Alan al

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00:16:26,740 --> 00:16:24,600

Manac yeah al Manac he would see he was

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00:16:29,689 --> 00:16:26,750

fairly prominent but not one of the

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00:16:33,019 --> 00:16:29,699

major organizers that the three

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00:16:35,720 --> 00:16:33,029

organizers were were were Ricky hilberg

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00:16:39,410 --> 00:16:35,730

and Al Greenfield and the late Dale

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00:16:42,620 --> 00:16:39,420

Redick yeah that's correct yes yes and I

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00:16:45,620 --> 00:16:42,630

guess Jim Jim Mosley came along at some

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00:16:47,540 --> 00:16:45,630

point there early on because I remember

285

00:16:50,720 --> 00:16:47,550

I didn't attend the first thick

286

00:16:52,999 --> 00:16:50,730

conference they were being held pretty

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00:16:56,960 --> 00:16:53,009

much in Cleveland in those days but we

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00:16:59,629 --> 00:16:56,970

had a caravan of cars caravan being

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00:17:02,780 --> 00:16:59,639

maybe two or three cars leaving from the

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00:17:07,610 --> 00:17:02,790

New York New Jersey area driving out to

291

00:17:09,740 --> 00:17:07,620

I believe it was Parma Ohio which would

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00:17:14,539 --> 00:17:09,750

have been there one of the or still is

293

00:17:17,059 --> 00:17:14,549

one of the suburbs of Cleveland and you

294

00:17:20,120 --> 00:17:17,069

know we were taken even despite our a

295

00:17:23,449 --> 00:17:20,130

rather tender age at a time I do think

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00:17:26,059 --> 00:17:23,459

we would treat it rather seriously by

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00:17:29,299 --> 00:17:26,069

the media and and certainly we had the

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00:17:32,870 --> 00:17:29,309

opportunity to appear on many a great

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00:17:36,250 --> 00:17:32,880

local radio and TV shows there in the

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00:17:41,000 --> 00:17:36,260

Cleveland area and we pulled the quite a

301

00:17:44,299 --> 00:17:41,010

quite a few members of the public to

302

00:17:48,710 --> 00:17:44,309

attend the conferences now did you speak

303

00:17:52,190 --> 00:17:48,720

at any of those events yes not in 1964

304

00:17:57,080 --> 00:17:52,200

the first one yeah but in 1965 I did

305

00:18:00,350 --> 00:17:57,090

that I debated Eugene Steinberg about

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00:18:03,649 --> 00:18:00,360

whether they were really a UFO had

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00:18:06,200 --> 00:18:03,659

landed in Glassboro New Jersey oh my

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00:18:09,490 --> 00:18:06,210

goodness yes you remember the Glassboro

309

00:18:11,720 --> 00:18:09,500

incident well I I remember it vaguely

310

00:18:14,000 --> 00:18:11,730

why don't you give us a little detail

311

00:18:17,299 --> 00:18:14,010

now was that something that left some an

312

00:18:20,330 --> 00:18:17,309

impression in the in the ground yes

313

00:18:22,300 --> 00:18:20,340

there was a sort of a central crater and

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00:18:25,300 --> 00:18:22,310

then three

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00:18:29,250 --> 00:18:25,310

holes around it which apparently had

316

00:18:31,900 --> 00:18:29,260

been poked into the ground by a tripod

317

00:18:35,170 --> 00:18:31,910

mm-hmm now I do not want to keep your

318

00:18:38,290 --> 00:18:35,180

listeners in suspense we know we know

319

00:18:40,300 --> 00:18:38,300

exactly what the Glassboro UFO was it

320

00:18:43,030 --> 00:18:40,310

was a college student at Glassboro State

321

00:18:45,580 --> 00:18:43,040

College who dug the hole set off

322

00:18:49,390 --> 00:18:45,590

firecrackers or something in them and

323

00:18:51,700 --> 00:18:49,400

that's correct yes and then found a

324

00:18:54,880 --> 00:18:51,710

couple of kids who were who were fishing

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00:19:00,970 --> 00:18:54,890

the next day and said they had seen a

326

00:19:04,600 --> 00:19:00,980

UFO land the the previous night and and

327

00:19:07,480 --> 00:19:04,610

these were the impressions of it now

328

00:19:11,980 --> 00:19:07,490

it wasn't until January of 19 this

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00:19:17,020 --> 00:19:11,990

happened in September of 1964 mm-hmm it

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00:19:19,750 --> 00:19:17,030

wasn't until January of 1965 that it was

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00:19:23,560 --> 00:19:19,760

revealed that other that apparently the

332

00:19:25,390 --> 00:19:23,570

kid who had done this Oakes tried to

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00:19:28,480 --> 00:19:25,400

sell his story to a Philadelphia

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00:19:32,080 --> 00:19:28,490

newspaper and the Glassboro police

335

00:19:35,340 --> 00:19:32,090

caught him but in Paris and it was so

336

00:19:37,660 --> 00:19:35,350

obvious that it was a hoax that

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00:19:40,750 --> 00:19:37,670

ufologists just dropped the whole thing

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00:19:44,680 --> 00:19:40,760

with with the exception of me I kept

339

00:19:48,330 --> 00:19:44,690

insisting it was for real and I'm afraid

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00:19:55,270 --> 00:19:48,340

Jean Steinberg made mincemeat out of me

341

00:19:57,190 --> 00:19:55,280

at the at the 1965 Congress but what

342

00:20:00,460 --> 00:19:57,200

what is really interesting I mean it's

343

00:20:03,730 --> 00:20:00,470

been so thoroughly forgotten that we

344

00:20:06,490 --> 00:20:03,740

lose track of what a great deal of

345

00:20:11,590 --> 00:20:06,500

attention has got at the time

346

00:20:15,730 --> 00:20:11,600

wor radio had a little news news report

347

00:20:20,230 --> 00:20:15,740

on it dozens of newspapers in New Jersey

348

00:20:24,640 --> 00:20:20,240

and Pennsylvania reported on it the

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00:20:26,860 --> 00:20:24,650

night cap investigator your listeners

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00:20:29,860 --> 00:20:26,870

probably don't remember nycap the

351
00:20:32,260 --> 00:20:29,870
national investigations committee we've

352
00:20:35,420 --> 00:20:32,270
mentioned he's mentioned we've mentioned

353
00:20:39,200 --> 00:20:35,430
the group of many times over the year

354
00:20:41,210 --> 00:20:39,210
years certainly but you you know I think

355
00:20:44,420 --> 00:20:41,220
one of the the thing the reasons that

356
00:20:47,060 --> 00:20:44,430
that particular incident got so much

357
00:20:49,790 --> 00:20:47,070
attention over the ensuing years is that

358
00:20:52,910 --> 00:20:49,800
there were some legitimate incidents

359
00:20:54,590 --> 00:20:52,920
that did take place in New Jersey and

360
00:20:56,300 --> 00:20:54,600
the state of Pennsylvania

361
00:20:59,830 --> 00:20:56,310
there was of course the Waunakee

362
00:21:03,200 --> 00:20:59,840
reservoir sightings which seemed to be a

363
00:21:05,900 --> 00:21:03,210

pretty solid where this thing came down

364

00:21:07,790 --> 00:21:05,910

over the reservoir was seen by the

365

00:21:10,880 --> 00:21:07,800

security and the local police and I

366

00:21:13,010 --> 00:21:10,890

think even the the mayor of the town and

367

00:21:17,240 --> 00:21:13,020

then there's a lesser-known

368

00:21:18,590 --> 00:21:17,250

flap that took place around the same

369

00:21:24,950 --> 00:21:18,600

time I don't know whether it was a year

370

00:21:27,170 --> 00:21:24,960

after her so over the Oradell New Jersey

371

00:21:32,600 --> 00:21:27,180

a reservoir which is very very difficult

372

00:21:35,270 --> 00:21:32,610

to find any real information on but New

373

00:21:41,570 --> 00:21:35,280

Jersey at one point it did get quite a

374

00:21:43,670 --> 00:21:41,580

few serious of sightings of UFOs and of

375

00:21:48,290 --> 00:21:43,680

course a Howard mentor who was a

376

00:21:50,960 --> 00:21:48,300

frequent guest on the Long John show was

377

00:21:54,020 --> 00:21:50,970

discussing his supposed meetings with

378

00:21:55,900 --> 00:21:54,030

the extraterrestrials and his apple

379

00:21:59,330 --> 00:21:55,910

orchard behind his home there in

380

00:22:02,450 --> 00:21:59,340

Highbridge New Jersey there's no

381

00:22:07,520 --> 00:22:02,460

question that that my home state did get

382

00:22:10,400 --> 00:22:07,530

a fair amount of UFO attention were

383

00:22:13,850 --> 00:22:10,410

there any cases that you actually went

384

00:22:16,490 --> 00:22:13,860

out and investigated firsthand well the

385

00:22:19,070 --> 00:22:16,500

the Glassboro case which is yeah which

386

00:22:24,880 --> 00:22:19,080

is how I was so utterly devoted to it I

387

00:22:27,830 --> 00:22:24,890

mean yes yes excuse me you tend to get a

388

00:22:30,260 --> 00:22:27,840

proprietary attachment to these cases I

389

00:22:33,350 --> 00:22:30,270

mean it was a wonderful adventure I was

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00:22:35,960 --> 00:22:33,360

16 years old I took a bus to

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00:22:42,410 --> 00:22:35,970

Philadelphia and from Philadelphia out

392

00:22:45,650 --> 00:22:42,420

to glasper on I I came with really faked

393

00:22:47,990 --> 00:22:45,660

credential saying that I was a reporter

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00:22:51,100 --> 00:22:48,000

for a Trenton radio station

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00:22:54,140 --> 00:22:51,110

and at age 16 just marched into the

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00:22:56,930 --> 00:22:54,150

police station and was was treated like

397

00:23:00,980 --> 00:22:56,940

a visiting dignitary I mean you remark

398

00:23:03,590 --> 00:23:00,990

on the incredible seriousness with which

399

00:23:07,010 --> 00:23:03,600

we were taken and I can remember that

400

00:23:09,980 --> 00:23:07,020

they they actually in a police car they

401
00:23:12,290 --> 00:23:09,990
drove me out to the landing site which

402
00:23:16,640 --> 00:23:12,300
something like four thousand people had

403
00:23:19,940 --> 00:23:16,650
already visited and and I walked to the

404
00:23:24,800 --> 00:23:19,950
site in rain which started out as a

405
00:23:29,090 --> 00:23:24,810
drizzle but we became a downpour and I

406
00:23:31,040 --> 00:23:29,100
was I took photographs trying to imagine

407
00:23:33,710 --> 00:23:31,050
this was where an extraterrestrial

408
00:23:39,410 --> 00:23:33,720
vehicle had landed in search of soil

409
00:23:41,870 --> 00:23:39,420
samples and I was taken under wing by an

410
00:23:45,500 --> 00:23:41,880
absolutely lovely family in Glassboro

411
00:23:48,920 --> 00:23:45,510
that brought me home for dinner well I

412
00:23:52,550 --> 00:23:48,930
know it was just a it was just an

413
00:23:54,590 --> 00:23:52,560

amazing adventure and I was going I was

414

00:23:56,990 --> 00:23:54,600

going to write a monograph about it as

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00:23:58,700 --> 00:23:57,000

being one of the most important

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00:24:00,410 --> 00:23:58,710

developments in ufology

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00:24:02,030 --> 00:24:00,420

alright gentlemen I'm going to have to

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00:24:04,130 --> 00:24:02,040

interrupt you here because we have to

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00:24:05,330 --> 00:24:04,140

take our bottom of the hour break when

420

00:24:07,970 --> 00:24:05,340

we come back we'll continue our

421

00:24:16,920 --> 00:24:07,980

conversation with Gloria Copeland right

422

00:24:23,650 --> 00:24:21,070

now back to exploring the bazaars with

423

00:24:26,950 --> 00:24:23,660

two of the most electrifying researchers

424

00:24:32,950 --> 00:24:26,960

in the Paranoid your hosts Timothy Becky

425

00:24:34,810 --> 00:24:32,960

Lee and tinsmiths welcome back to

426

00:24:38,350 --> 00:24:34,820

exploring the bazaar on Tim Schwarz

427

00:24:44,230 --> 00:24:38,360

tonight our guest is David Halperin and

428

00:24:49,020 --> 00:24:44,240

David why don't you tell us I know that

429

00:24:52,780 --> 00:24:49,030

like a lot of people who are UFO

430

00:24:54,850 --> 00:24:52,790

researchers that as a teenager you

431

00:24:57,190 --> 00:24:54,860

started out possibly with the idea that

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00:24:59,350 --> 00:24:57,200

that UFOs could be you know

433

00:25:02,020 --> 00:24:59,360

nuts-and-bolts spaceships and that's

434

00:25:07,240 --> 00:25:02,030

from other planets can you talk about

435

00:25:12,010 --> 00:25:07,250

how your your ideas have have changed

436

00:25:17,710 --> 00:25:12,020

and evolved over the years yeah we put

437

00:25:20,710 --> 00:25:17,720

it okay I'm gonna I've already kind of

438

00:25:26,440 --> 00:25:20,720

hinted about this that the function of

439

00:25:30,910 --> 00:25:26,450

UFOs for me was to help me deal with my

440

00:25:35,650 --> 00:25:30,920

mother's impending death okay I like to

441

00:25:40,170 --> 00:25:35,660

think of UFOs in terms of the Greek myth

442

00:25:44,380 --> 00:25:40,180

of Perseus and Medusa that if Perseus

443

00:25:45,160 --> 00:25:44,390

looks directly at Medusa who looks into

444

00:25:48,910 --> 00:25:45,170

her face

445

00:25:53,800 --> 00:25:48,920

he's gonna be turned to stone but he can

446

00:25:58,710 --> 00:25:53,810

fight her if he looks at her only in a

447

00:26:02,200 --> 00:25:58,720

mirror I had to look death in the face

448

00:26:03,880 --> 00:26:02,210

which I could not do without being

449

00:26:09,960 --> 00:26:03,890

turned to stone

450

00:26:13,800 --> 00:26:09,970

I used a mirror UFOs were my mirror

451

00:26:18,280 --> 00:26:13,810

which was why I wanted so badly to

452

00:26:22,420 --> 00:26:18,290

believe in them now when I was 16 my

453

00:26:23,480 --> 00:26:22,430

mother died and if what I've just said

454

00:26:27,799 --> 00:26:23,490

is true

455

00:26:31,820 --> 00:26:27,809

we would expect that the UFOs would lose

456

00:26:34,310 --> 00:26:31,830

their importance for me after her death

457

00:26:38,450 --> 00:26:34,320

that make sense so far

458

00:26:43,730 --> 00:26:38,460

yes and that is very much what happened

459

00:26:50,840 --> 00:26:43,740

I became a ufologist through a sudden

460

00:26:53,630 --> 00:26:50,850

conversion reading grey Barker my exit

461

00:26:56,389 --> 00:26:53,640

from ufology or what I thought was my

462

00:26:58,570 --> 00:26:56,399

eggs from ufology that'll become clear

463

00:27:01,669 --> 00:26:58,580

in a moment that it was no such thing

464

00:27:05,560 --> 00:27:01,679

but what I thought was my exit from

465

00:27:08,180 --> 00:27:05,570

ufology took place much more gradually

466

00:27:10,850 --> 00:27:08,190

there wasn't like I woke up one morning

467

00:27:13,909 --> 00:27:10,860

and said hey it's not true were not

468

00:27:16,940 --> 00:27:13,919

being visited from outer space it's just

469

00:27:20,690 --> 00:27:16,950

I sort of found I was interested in

470

00:27:23,779 --> 00:27:20,700

other things actually I found that was

471

00:27:29,120 --> 00:27:23,789

interested in girls which I might have

472

00:27:31,580 --> 00:27:29,130

put on ice before that and I decided

473

00:27:33,139 --> 00:27:31,590

that although UFOs certainly existed and

474

00:27:35,210 --> 00:27:33,149

were for certainly from outer space

475

00:27:37,909 --> 00:27:35,220

there was no way we could possibly

476

00:27:39,980 --> 00:27:37,919

figure out what they are so we might as

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00:27:44,240 --> 00:27:39,990

well devote ourselves to different

478

00:27:47,240 --> 00:27:44,250

things and so I went to college I

479

00:27:52,610 --> 00:27:47,250

majored in Semitic Studies I learned

480

00:27:56,840 --> 00:27:52,620

Hebrew I began to research things like

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00:28:00,380 --> 00:27:56,850

Ezekiel's visions hmm and things like

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00:28:03,649 --> 00:28:00,390

ancient religious traditions of heavenly

483

00:28:06,700 --> 00:28:03,659

a sense and otherworldly journeys which

484

00:28:13,480 --> 00:28:06,710

I was only very dimly aware at the time

485

00:28:18,169 --> 00:28:13,490

were ufology in a respectable disguise

486

00:28:20,299 --> 00:28:18,179

now in the course of this getting into

487

00:28:26,419 --> 00:28:20,309

Ezekiel getting into otherworldly

488

00:28:29,029 --> 00:28:26,429

journeys I met Jacques Vallee I was at

489

00:28:30,980 --> 00:28:29,039

the time living in California I was

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00:28:35,240 --> 00:28:30,990

doing research work for a Stanford

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00:28:35,779 --> 00:28:35,250

professor and he introduced me to one of

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00:28:39,349 --> 00:28:35,789

the

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00:28:42,310 --> 00:28:39,359

great innovators in computer science who

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00:28:46,909 --> 00:28:42,320

was valet and who had just recently

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00:28:48,710 --> 00:28:46,919

published his groundbreaking passport -

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00:28:52,729 --> 00:28:48,720

magana mm-hmm

497

00:28:58,909 --> 00:28:52,739

in which he had he had pointed out the

498

00:29:03,200 --> 00:28:58,919

parallels between UFOs and traditional

499

00:29:06,710 --> 00:29:03,210

beliefs like in the fairy folk and in

500

00:29:12,440 --> 00:29:06,720

other worlds that intersect with our own

501
00:29:16,960 --> 00:29:12,450
and he opened the door to seeing UFOs

502
00:29:23,299 --> 00:29:16,970
not as space visitors but as something

503
00:29:28,940 --> 00:29:23,309
essentially human and once again I felt

504
00:29:32,690 --> 00:29:28,950
a certain new revelation a sense that a

505
00:29:36,710 --> 00:29:32,700
doorway into something tremendously

506
00:29:39,799 --> 00:29:36,720
exciting had opened I had read some

507
00:29:44,989 --> 00:29:39,809
years before Carl Jung's book on flying

508
00:29:47,239 --> 00:29:44,999
saucers but I really didn't understand

509
00:29:50,960 --> 00:29:47,249
it at age 13 I don't know how you

510
00:29:52,909 --> 00:29:50,970
managed to understand Carl Jung and I

511
00:29:55,519 --> 00:29:52,919
didn't grasp the most essential thing

512
00:29:57,919 --> 00:29:55,529
about it which is that when you called

513
00:30:01,129 --> 00:29:57,929

UFOs a modern myth

514

00:30:03,649 --> 00:30:01,139

it wasn't trying to put them down quite

515

00:30:06,409 --> 00:30:03,659

the contrary he was trying to say boy

516

00:30:10,820 --> 00:30:06,419

these are important these are exciting

517

00:30:14,719 --> 00:30:10,830

these are myths by which Jung did not

518

00:30:17,509 --> 00:30:14,729

mean Blanc or nonsense but something

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00:30:20,839 --> 00:30:17,519

tremendously significant a kind of

520

00:30:27,139 --> 00:30:20,849

collective dream of the human species

521

00:30:33,680 --> 00:30:27,149

and I came through valet to see that

522

00:30:37,070 --> 00:30:33,690

Jung had a point and since then that's

523

00:30:40,719 --> 00:30:37,080

the line that I've operated on mm-hmm

524

00:30:43,970 --> 00:30:40,729

I've come to be to be convinced that the

525

00:30:48,120 --> 00:30:43,980

ufologists are right about the most

526

00:30:50,970 --> 00:30:48,130

important thing that UFOs

527

00:30:53,730 --> 00:30:50,980

are tremendously significant that

528

00:30:57,480 --> 00:30:53,740

attention has to be paid to them they

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00:31:05,670 --> 00:30:57,490

cannot be dismissed as nonsense or bunk

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00:31:08,430 --> 00:31:05,680

or claptrap and in some ways the fact as

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00:31:12,330 --> 00:31:08,440

I believe it to be that they have no

532

00:31:16,740 --> 00:31:12,340

physical existence makes them all the

533

00:31:20,720 --> 00:31:16,750

more interesting they have a power that

534

00:31:29,700 --> 00:31:20,730

comes not from some other solar system

535

00:31:33,420 --> 00:31:29,710

but from who we are and the aspect of

536

00:31:35,760 --> 00:31:33,430

saying that that UFOs don't have a

537

00:31:39,120 --> 00:31:35,770

physical existence

538

00:31:44,700 --> 00:31:39,130

I know drives a lot of of UFO

539

00:31:47,210 --> 00:31:44,710

researchers crazy so could you maybe you

540

00:31:50,340 --> 00:31:47,220

know try and I and I know I mean it's

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00:31:53,490 --> 00:31:50,350

yeah we need two or three hours to

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00:31:56,280 --> 00:31:53,500

really get into this discussion but I

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00:31:59,450 --> 00:31:56,290

mean recent revelations say like the

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00:32:02,760 --> 00:31:59,460

Navy films and things like that of

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00:32:05,220 --> 00:32:02,770

purported UFOs seemed to show you know

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00:32:09,440 --> 00:32:05,230

some kind of actual physical objects so

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00:32:12,720 --> 00:32:09,450

if UFOs don't have a physical reality

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00:32:16,910 --> 00:32:12,730

then what are we experiencing I mean is

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00:32:20,430 --> 00:32:16,920

this you know you know like a archetype

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00:32:22,440 --> 00:32:20,440

from the collective human consciousness

551
00:32:25,310 --> 00:32:22,450
made into reality

552
00:32:27,930 --> 00:32:25,320
yeah funny um that's the same question

553
00:32:29,960 --> 00:32:27,940
that at the end of his book he said well

554
00:32:33,060 --> 00:32:29,970
you know if they are psychic projection

555
00:32:36,960 --> 00:32:33,070
then how come they appear on radar and

556
00:32:39,750 --> 00:32:36,970
how come they're photographed and I

557
00:32:44,220 --> 00:32:39,760
think it's possible to give answers in

558
00:32:51,300 --> 00:32:44,230
general terms to both questions hmm that

559
00:32:52,780 --> 00:32:51,310
the photographs are not let's say beyond

560
00:32:56,320 --> 00:32:52,790
question

561
00:33:00,160 --> 00:32:56,330
and if they are photographable it

562
00:33:03,280 --> 00:33:00,170
becomes a very good question which the

563
00:33:09,760 --> 00:33:03,290

skeptics always ask how come with all

564

00:33:11,920 --> 00:33:09,770

the technical capacity we have now for

565

00:33:15,130 --> 00:33:11,930

taking photographs that everybody can do

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00:33:17,860 --> 00:33:15,140

it with his or her telephone how come we

567

00:33:20,410 --> 00:33:17,870

don't have really good UFO photographs

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00:33:25,630 --> 00:33:20,420

and to me that's an unanswerable

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00:33:28,840 --> 00:33:25,640

question the radar that will radar you

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00:33:31,210 --> 00:33:28,850

you can get false radar returns and it's

571

00:33:35,140 --> 00:33:31,220

very interesting that according to the

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00:33:39,760 --> 00:33:35,150

report of the worlds that they the the

573

00:33:43,870 --> 00:33:39,770

UFOs that were picked up in in in 2014

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00:33:48,250 --> 00:33:43,880

and 2015 that they appeared after a new

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00:33:51,160 --> 00:33:48,260

radar system had been installed as it is

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00:33:53,980 --> 00:33:51,170

if this is a glitch of the new system

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00:33:56,980 --> 00:33:53,990

now I offer this only as a very

578

00:34:00,160 --> 00:33:56,990

tentative gas I don't know what people

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00:34:04,330 --> 00:34:00,170

were experiencing I don't know what they

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00:34:07,930 --> 00:34:04,340

were photographing but I do not think

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00:34:10,659 --> 00:34:07,940

that this is enough to establish that

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00:34:13,240 --> 00:34:10,669

we've got visitors that at most what it

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00:34:16,540 --> 00:34:13,250

establishes is that there are very odd

584

00:34:20,409 --> 00:34:16,550

things happening in the sky and we don't

585

00:34:24,669 --> 00:34:20,419

know what they are sharp charles fort

586

00:34:27,909 --> 00:34:24,679

came up with four huge books with

587

00:34:31,800 --> 00:34:27,919

nothing but reports that he had jotted

588

00:34:35,500 --> 00:34:31,810

down from scientific journals and from

589

00:34:38,320 --> 00:34:35,510

early newspapers you have odd things i

590

00:34:41,680 --> 00:34:38,330

mean that i mean the classic 40 an event

591

00:34:45,070 --> 00:34:41,690

is the fall of fish or tadpoles from the

592

00:34:47,950 --> 00:34:45,080

sky and i don't know if we can give an

593

00:34:50,230 --> 00:34:47,960

explanation for any of them the one

594

00:34:54,890 --> 00:34:50,240

thing that seems clear is that they're

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00:35:01,040 --> 00:34:58,400

the one fascinating thing about the

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00:35:07,270 --> 00:35:01,050

whole UFO phenomena and this really does

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00:35:10,070 --> 00:35:07,280

seem to go with your suggestions is how

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00:35:13,460 --> 00:35:10,080

human it actually is

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00:35:17,090 --> 00:35:13,470

I mean you when people report these

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00:35:19,580 --> 00:35:17,100

sightings they report a lot of times you

601
00:35:24,080 --> 00:35:19,590
know structured craft I mean the 1950s

602
00:35:25,640 --> 00:35:24,090
they almost look like cars that were

603
00:35:28,130 --> 00:35:25,650
very popular they had a lot of time you

604
00:35:31,400 --> 00:35:28,140
some of these UFOs even had fins like

605
00:35:34,430 --> 00:35:31,410
some of the popular cars the the

606
00:35:37,040 --> 00:35:34,440
occupants generally always are described

607
00:35:41,380 --> 00:35:37,050
as very human looking I mean even the

608
00:35:43,880 --> 00:35:41,390
ones that are humanoid still have human

609
00:35:46,600 --> 00:35:43,890
characteristics two eyes two legs two

610
00:35:50,380 --> 00:35:46,610
arms something you really wouldn't think

611
00:35:55,270 --> 00:35:50,390
would happen if we were being visited by

612
00:35:59,720 --> 00:35:55,280
a race of means that evolved on a planet

613
00:36:03,740 --> 00:35:59,730

light-years away absolutely and and the

614

00:36:06,770 --> 00:36:03,750

the description of these beings changes

615

00:36:10,880 --> 00:36:06,780

from decade to decade I mean our current

616

00:36:13,820 --> 00:36:10,890

image of the grey you know with you know

617

00:36:17,930 --> 00:36:13,830

the light bulb shaped head and the

618

00:36:22,100 --> 00:36:17,940

enormous oval eyes that that was unknown

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00:36:25,460 --> 00:36:22,110

before January 9th of 1987 when Whitley

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00:36:28,610 --> 00:36:25,470

Strieber published communion and that

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00:36:32,350 --> 00:36:28,620

picture on the cover of communion sent a

622

00:36:36,890 --> 00:36:32,360

book flying into the bestseller charts

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00:36:43,430 --> 00:36:36,900

or we could point to the to the airship

624

00:36:45,170 --> 00:36:43,440

of an 1896 1897 that that over I will

625

00:36:47,480 --> 00:36:45,180

say all over the country initially in

626

00:36:50,080 --> 00:36:47,490

California and then moving to the

627

00:36:54,800 --> 00:36:50,090

Midwest there were sightings of these

628

00:36:57,700 --> 00:36:54,810

dirigible shaped objects apparently by

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00:37:00,950 --> 00:36:57,710

reliable people and some people

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00:37:04,190 --> 00:37:00,960

including one rabbi as claimed to have

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00:37:05,990 --> 00:37:04,200

actually met the pilots only they

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00:37:09,410 --> 00:37:06,000

weren't

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00:37:11,330 --> 00:37:09,420

small creatures from other galaxies they

634

00:37:16,070 --> 00:37:11,340

were American inventors with an odd

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00:37:20,030 --> 00:37:16,080

tendency to be named Wilson now it seems

636

00:37:24,680 --> 00:37:20,040

clear that the that the airship of 1896

637

00:37:27,140 --> 00:37:24,690

1897 was a reflection of the technology

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00:37:30,230 --> 00:37:27,150

or the the technology that was just

639

00:37:32,570 --> 00:37:30,240

about to be developed in at the end of

640

00:37:39,220 --> 00:37:32,580

the 19th century so I think it's

641

00:37:46,609 --> 00:37:42,800

descriptions the forms that the UFOs

642

00:37:54,130 --> 00:37:46,619

take are reflections of what's going on

643

00:37:57,800 --> 00:37:54,140

in in human society it used to be

644

00:38:02,330 --> 00:37:57,810

centuries ago people believed in angels

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00:38:06,800 --> 00:38:02,340

and demons and there were lots of

646

00:38:11,589 --> 00:38:06,810

reports of personal experiences with

647

00:38:15,140 --> 00:38:11,599

these types of beans now people don't

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00:38:19,550 --> 00:38:15,150

most people don't believe in those sort

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00:38:21,710 --> 00:38:19,560

of things though most people now instead

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00:38:24,620 --> 00:38:21,720

they believe that there could be the

651

00:38:26,870 --> 00:38:24,630

possibility of extraterrestrial life and

652

00:38:32,060 --> 00:38:26,880

lo and behold that's what we're seeing

653

00:38:35,300 --> 00:38:32,070

yeah and I would put it a little bit in

654

00:38:37,790 --> 00:38:35,310

almost the same way that each each

655

00:38:42,160 --> 00:38:37,800

generation each culture has its own

656

00:38:45,589 --> 00:38:42,170

conventional ization of the unknown and

657

00:38:48,710 --> 00:38:45,599

are saying they are visitors from other

658

00:38:53,200 --> 00:38:48,720

planets is just as much a conventional

659

00:38:58,690 --> 00:38:53,210

ization as saying that they're angels I

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00:39:02,359 --> 00:38:58,700

do think there is some experience that

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00:39:10,130 --> 00:39:02,369

underlies all of this an experience that

662

00:39:12,680 --> 00:39:10,140

people sense as being alien and my the

663

00:39:15,470 --> 00:39:12,690

the mystery that intrigues me it's

664

00:39:18,449 --> 00:39:15,480

precisely what that experience is and

665

00:39:21,909 --> 00:39:18,459

how it functions

666

00:39:27,459 --> 00:39:21,919

now Dave you mentioned that the the

667

00:39:29,979 --> 00:39:27,469

rabbi was one of the witnesses in a

668

00:39:35,609 --> 00:39:29,989

particular case and I know that you did

669

00:39:40,749 --> 00:39:35,619

study Judaism and and all is there

670

00:39:43,419 --> 00:39:40,759

outside of Ezekiel anything in biblical

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00:39:46,749 --> 00:39:43,429

reference in the Old Testament or any

672

00:39:48,999 --> 00:39:46,759

other of the Jewish religious texts that

673

00:39:51,819 --> 00:39:49,009

would refer to something that you think

674

00:39:54,249 --> 00:39:51,829

might be a UFO nothing quite like

675

00:39:57,009 --> 00:39:54,259

Ezekiel but I'll tell you in one of

676

00:40:02,529 --> 00:39:57,019

Paul's letters he describes an

677

00:40:06,059 --> 00:40:02,539

experience of being snatched up and the

678

00:40:10,569 --> 00:40:06,069

Greek word can be used can mean abducted

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00:40:13,929 --> 00:40:10,579

caught up into the third Evan and coming

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00:40:18,549 --> 00:40:13,939

back with an implant they calls it a

681

00:40:21,039 --> 00:40:18,559

thorn of Satan in my flesh now don't

682

00:40:23,439 --> 00:40:21,049

misunderstand me here I'm not saying

683

00:40:28,779 --> 00:40:23,449

Paul was kidnapped by extraterrestrials

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00:40:32,620 --> 00:40:28,789

I'm saying that Paul it's underwent a

685

00:40:36,279 --> 00:40:32,630

human experience that we have to I think

686

00:40:39,609 --> 00:40:36,289

call a religious experience that is

687

00:40:44,909 --> 00:40:39,619

comparable to the experience that people

688

00:40:48,329 --> 00:40:44,919

have when they remember being abducted

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00:40:56,669 --> 00:40:48,339

when they remember coming away with

690

00:41:00,299 --> 00:40:56,679

implants also to Enoch that he'd not

691

00:41:03,809 --> 00:41:00,309

supposedly have some sort of out-of-body

692

00:41:07,120 --> 00:41:03,819

experience or travel to some other place

693

00:41:10,029 --> 00:41:07,130

yeah he describes how it's a really

694

00:41:12,429 --> 00:41:10,039

interesting story he described and he is

695

00:41:15,279 --> 00:41:12,439

not Enoch himself who I think never

696

00:41:18,219 --> 00:41:15,289

existed I mean he knock in the Bible

697

00:41:20,649 --> 00:41:18,229

lives he lived he was a great

698

00:41:23,229 --> 00:41:20,659

I think the great-grandfather of Noah he

699

00:41:25,389 --> 00:41:23,239

lived long before the flood but there

700

00:41:29,439 --> 00:41:25,399

was a Jewish literature that flourished

701
00:41:31,280 --> 00:41:29,449
around the second century BCE in which

702
00:41:34,820 --> 00:41:31,290
Enoch was like a science

703
00:41:39,290 --> 00:41:34,830
Action Hero a narrator and he describes

704
00:41:43,460 --> 00:41:39,300
how the Fallen Angels the angels who

705
00:41:46,370 --> 00:41:43,470
came down from heaven because they were

706
00:41:51,680 --> 00:41:46,380
driven mad by lust for the daughters of

707
00:41:54,500 --> 00:41:51,690
humans that they beg Enoch to reverse

708
00:41:57,110 --> 00:41:54,510
their journey go up to heaven and

709
00:41:59,810 --> 00:41:57,120
intercede for them and he takes their

710
00:42:02,780 --> 00:41:59,820
petition and he reads their petition

711
00:42:05,990 --> 00:42:02,790
until he falls asleep and then he says

712
00:42:09,590 --> 00:42:06,000
behold what does he say wins called me

713
00:42:14,840 --> 00:42:09,600

and lightning summoned me and I was

714

00:42:18,550 --> 00:42:14,850

carried up on the wind into heaven now

715

00:42:21,920 --> 00:42:18,560

there's no way to say that he's actually

716

00:42:25,100 --> 00:42:21,930

being given a ride on a spaceship

717

00:42:29,470 --> 00:42:25,110

because their heaven that he experiences

718

00:42:33,050 --> 00:42:29,480

is not outerspace as we think of it now

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00:42:36,950 --> 00:42:33,060

but heaven as the ancient Jews thought

720

00:42:42,710 --> 00:42:36,960

of it as sort of like a dome over a flat

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00:42:45,650 --> 00:42:42,720

earth but it does seem that the people

722

00:42:50,210 --> 00:42:45,660

who were writing these stories in Enochs

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00:42:55,130 --> 00:42:50,220

name were able to imagine that kind of

724

00:42:58,330 --> 00:42:55,140

journey which can be compared to what

725

00:43:00,860 --> 00:42:58,340

the modern contactees imagined

726

00:43:02,150 --> 00:43:00,870

well now the car you mentioned the

727

00:43:06,530 --> 00:43:02,160

contactees

728

00:43:09,670 --> 00:43:06,540

and that's a I guess a something in

729

00:43:12,260 --> 00:43:09,680

ufology that that always fascinated me

730

00:43:15,080 --> 00:43:12,270

not so much because I believed in the

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00:43:18,320 --> 00:43:15,090

stories of a Georgia damn skis and the

732

00:43:21,650 --> 00:43:18,330

others but they I think in in a sense

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00:43:24,350 --> 00:43:21,660

though they were sort of responsible to

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00:43:26,660 --> 00:43:24,360

some degree for bringing in interest in

735

00:43:30,140 --> 00:43:26,670

the space agent for us since these

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00:43:31,820 --> 00:43:30,150

visitors could come from afar to here it

737

00:43:35,680 --> 00:43:31,830

would only seemed natural that we should

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00:43:38,930 --> 00:43:35,690

be able to duplicate the their journeys

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00:43:40,970 --> 00:43:38,940

do you see something mystical in the in

740

00:43:45,109 --> 00:43:40,980

these early contact these stories I

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00:43:47,450 --> 00:43:45,119

don't know I mean the the quick end

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00:43:51,499 --> 00:43:47,460

to say that identity was just a crook

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00:43:53,630 --> 00:43:51,509

and a liar and he's supposed to at least

744

00:43:56,930 --> 00:43:53,640

quoted as saying that I never would have

745

00:44:00,890 --> 00:43:56,940

gotten into this flying saucer crap if I

746

00:44:03,410 --> 00:44:00,900

think he had some from some others some

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00:44:06,980 --> 00:44:03,420

other impediment that kept him from

748

00:44:11,539 --> 00:44:06,990

making a living in other ways and yet in

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00:44:13,849 --> 00:44:11,549

Jerry Clark in his UFO encyclopedia in

750

00:44:16,609 --> 00:44:13,859

the article on a damn ski bring down

751

00:44:21,529 --> 00:44:16,619

some evidence that Adamski seems to have

752

00:44:24,289 --> 00:44:21,539

had some some real belief in himself so

753

00:44:29,509 --> 00:44:24,299

I don't well he well we did find

754

00:44:31,999 --> 00:44:29,519

clippings going back as early as 1935

755

00:44:34,549 --> 00:44:32,009

that were published and like the the Los

756

00:44:37,519 --> 00:44:34,559

Angeles Times where he had actually

757

00:44:40,130 --> 00:44:37,529

started I guess with what would be we

758

00:44:42,470 --> 00:44:40,140

would refer today as a New Age commune

759

00:44:45,559 --> 00:44:42,480

and they were building a pyramid on the

760

00:44:49,009 --> 00:44:45,569

property and of course a years later he

761

00:44:51,319 --> 00:44:49,019

was at an organization the royal order

762

00:44:52,880 --> 00:44:51,329

of Tibet he claimed that he had been to

763

00:44:55,970 --> 00:44:52,890

the bed and of course we know he was

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00:44:58,069 --> 00:44:55,980

never in Tibet his life perhaps by

765

00:45:05,059 --> 00:44:58,079

astral travel but certainly not by a

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00:45:07,670 --> 00:45:05,069

physical journeyman and then in 1947 and

767

00:45:11,239 --> 00:45:07,680

we have our own edition of this he wrote

768

00:45:15,739 --> 00:45:11,249

a book called pioneers from space which

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00:45:20,029 --> 00:45:15,749

some people say or Thawne was was Jesus

770

00:45:22,670 --> 00:45:20,039

in that book he claims to have met Jesus

771

00:45:25,519 --> 00:45:22,680

and later on Jesus may have become or

772

00:45:27,620 --> 00:45:25,529

Athan but I Tim and I worked on that

773

00:45:29,960 --> 00:45:27,630

book doing a little bit of editing and

774

00:45:32,930 --> 00:45:29,970

putting it together and I'm not sure

775

00:45:34,640 --> 00:45:32,940

that that's quite the the case and then

776

00:45:37,609 --> 00:45:34,650

there were some photographs even though

777

00:45:39,130 --> 00:45:37,619

Jim Mosley exposed a great deal of him

778

00:45:42,339 --> 00:45:39,140

there were some of the early pictures

779

00:45:44,509 --> 00:45:42,349

that were taken of the the background of

780

00:45:46,819 --> 00:45:44,519

spaceships supposed to spaceships

781

00:45:48,410 --> 00:45:46,829

against the moon and all where not only

782

00:45:51,259 --> 00:45:48,420

did he have some pretty good pictures

783

00:45:54,920 --> 00:45:51,269

but there were other witnesses present I

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00:45:57,920 --> 00:45:54,930

mean as many as maybe at 12 or 15 people

785

00:45:58,910 --> 00:45:57,930

that watched these aerial displays but

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00:46:00,920 --> 00:45:58,920

again you

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00:46:02,630 --> 00:46:00,930

could be a contactee and not have a

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00:46:04,069 --> 00:46:02,640

legitimate experience it happened to be

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00:46:06,740 --> 00:46:04,079

at the right time it's the right place

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00:46:10,700 --> 00:46:06,750

but then on the other hand are also some

791

00:46:13,609 --> 00:46:10,710

people who seem to be able to bring down

792

00:46:17,269 --> 00:46:13,619

these objects or materialize them we've

793

00:46:18,230 --> 00:46:17,279

done a book called the UFO repeaters the

794

00:46:20,990 --> 00:46:18,240

camera doesn't lie

795

00:46:23,089 --> 00:46:21,000

but you know we're running short on time

796

00:46:25,160 --> 00:46:23,099

here Dave so what why don't you tell us

797

00:46:27,440 --> 00:46:25,170

about what your plans are for the future

798

00:46:31,069 --> 00:46:27,450

you are all right working on another

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00:46:35,109 --> 00:46:31,079

book apparently well the Stanford

800

00:46:38,960 --> 00:46:35,119

University Press is putting out my

801
00:46:43,450 --> 00:46:38,970
non-fiction book on UFOs the intimate

802
00:46:46,730 --> 00:46:43,460
alien the hidden story of the UFO and

803
00:46:52,250 --> 00:46:46,740
I've been for the past year and a half

804
00:46:56,740 --> 00:46:52,260
pretty working pretty single-mindedly on

805
00:46:59,299 --> 00:46:56,750
this and what what is what is the

806
00:47:01,039 --> 00:46:59,309
approach that you're in taking what can

807
00:47:02,230 --> 00:47:01,049
you kind of give away at this early

808
00:47:05,809 --> 00:47:02,240
stage

809
00:47:09,829 --> 00:47:05,819
okay well that UFOs are essentially a

810
00:47:14,089 --> 00:47:09,839
human phenomenon they are a religious

811
00:47:18,920 --> 00:47:14,099
phenomenon they are visitors not from

812
00:47:22,630 --> 00:47:18,930
outer space but from inner space which

813
00:47:25,849 --> 00:47:22,640

means inside my skull and inside yours

814

00:47:30,380 --> 00:47:25,859

where there's enough alienness to fill a

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00:47:33,650 --> 00:47:30,390

universe and perhaps to take another

816

00:47:36,349 --> 00:47:33,660

step in direction of young that would be

817

00:47:42,640 --> 00:47:36,359

inside of your skull when the insides of

818

00:47:46,309 --> 00:47:42,650

mine are likely to draw on images and

819

00:47:48,859 --> 00:47:46,319

patta that we share with the rest of

820

00:47:52,730 --> 00:47:48,869

humanity well they are coming to get us

821

00:47:55,370 --> 00:47:52,740

I hear the the ending coming in here now

822

00:47:56,660 --> 00:47:55,380

and I want to remind people go to our

823

00:48:00,349 --> 00:47:56,670

YouTube channel

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00:48:03,109 --> 00:48:00,359

mr. UFO secret files and they listen to

825

00:48:04,789 --> 00:48:03,119

the show on the kco our archives and

826

00:48:07,670 --> 00:48:04,799

thank you one and all and thank you Dave

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00:48:10,990 --> 00:48:07,680

for being on our show it's nice to speak

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00:48:17,470 --> 00:48:11,000

to you again after many many years

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00:48:19,890 --> 00:48:17,480

thank you for having me veteran you've

830

00:48:24,240 --> 00:48:19,900

been listening to exploring the bazaar

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00:48:27,040 --> 00:48:24,250

with hosts Timothy Becky panty Swartz

832

00:48:29,950 --> 00:48:27,050

they're taking back the night by jetting

833

00:48:32,020 --> 00:48:29,960

non-stop across the cosmos in search of

834

00:48:35,640 --> 00:48:32,030

the truly bizarre and totally

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00:48:38,340 --> 00:48:35,650

unexplained with you as their combined

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00:48:42,100 --> 00:48:38,350

Thursday nights at 7:00 p.m. Pacific

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00:48:44,030 --> 00:48:42,110

10:00 p.m. Eastern on the kco our

838

00:48:46,610 --> 00:48:44,040

digital radio

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00:48:49,910 --> 00:48:46,620

for more information on exploring the

840

00:48:52,790 --> 00:48:49,920

bazaar and hosts timothy Beckley and tim

841

00:48:55,880 --> 00:48:52,800

Swartz check out their kco our digital

842

00:49:01,460 --> 00:48:55,890

radio network follow their YouTube

843

00:49:12,500 --> 00:49:01,470

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