



**Glimmermen?
Shapeshifters?
Night Crawlers?**

**NOCTURNAL
HUMANOID
ENTITIES?**

BXP

1
00:00:12,880 --> 00:00:10,600

[Music]

2
00:00:17,830 --> 00:00:12,890

[Applause]

3
00:00:21,990 --> 00:00:19,670

welcome to the best of first person

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00:00:24,870 --> 00:00:22,000

episodes of phantoms and monsters

5
00:00:25,429 --> 00:00:24,880

please like subscribe and hit the bell

6
00:00:28,830 --> 00:00:25,439

icon

7
00:00:31,910 --> 00:00:28,840

so you'll be notified of all future

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00:00:36,069 --> 00:00:34,389

glimmer man appears in vet's bedroom i

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00:00:38,790 --> 00:00:36,079

had experience last night

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00:00:40,310 --> 00:00:38,800

sunday may 17th that i thought you two

11
00:00:43,110 --> 00:00:40,320

would love to hear about

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00:00:45,270 --> 00:00:43,120

now a little background on me i'm 36

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00:00:46,470 --> 00:00:45,280

years old and a military police veteran

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00:00:48,389 --> 00:00:46,480

of 10 years

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00:00:50,470 --> 00:00:48,399

i've had some weird things happen to me

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00:00:52,470 --> 00:00:50,480

in my life that i can explain and others

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00:00:54,229 --> 00:00:52,480

i still can't until this day

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00:00:55,910 --> 00:00:54,239

i have a healthy skepticism of the

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00:00:58,150 --> 00:00:55,920

paranormal which is why these

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00:01:00,150 --> 00:00:58,160

experiences bother me so much

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00:01:02,069 --> 00:01:00,160

i don't worry myself about how people

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00:01:03,270 --> 00:01:02,079

may perceive me when i tell others some

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00:01:05,270 --> 00:01:03,280

of my stories

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00:01:07,030 --> 00:01:05,280

because after being a cop for 10 years

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00:01:08,070 --> 00:01:07,040

you know what you see and the facts are

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00:01:10,230 --> 00:01:08,080

the facts

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00:01:11,990 --> 00:01:10,240

i have asked before if you had the

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00:01:14,710 --> 00:01:12,000

chance to see any kind of creature

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00:01:17,109 --> 00:01:14,720

which would it be well last night i'm

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00:01:19,030 --> 00:01:17,119

pretty sure i saw the damn glimmer man

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00:01:20,870 --> 00:01:19,040

now any other night my girlfriend and i

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00:01:22,870 --> 00:01:20,880

would have went to bed at the same time

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00:01:24,710 --> 00:01:22,880

but i end up staying up later due to due

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00:01:25,350 --> 00:01:24,720

to having to get my daughter from work

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00:01:27,429 --> 00:01:25,360

late

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00:01:28,469 --> 00:01:27,439

i got home and stayed up until around

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00:01:30,469 --> 00:01:28,479

1am

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00:01:33,190 --> 00:01:30,479

my girlfriend went to bed maybe an hour

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00:01:35,109 --> 00:01:33,200

earlier went through my usual routine

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00:01:37,190 --> 00:01:35,119

check the doors and windows to make sure

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00:01:39,109 --> 00:01:37,200

they were locked and then laid down

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00:01:41,510 --> 00:01:39,119

i usually toss and turn throughout the

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00:01:43,350 --> 00:01:41,520

night fully waking up for a few minutes

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00:01:45,270 --> 00:01:43,360

before going back to sleep

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00:01:47,030 --> 00:01:45,280

i sleep on the end of the bed furthest

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00:01:49,190 --> 00:01:47,040

away from the bedroom door

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00:01:51,590 --> 00:01:49,200

i have blackout curtains over my window

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00:01:53,590 --> 00:01:51,600

so my corner of the room is very dark

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00:01:55,030 --> 00:01:53,600

our neighbor leaves her porch lights on

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00:01:55,830 --> 00:01:55,040

so some light pours in through our

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00:01:57,990 --> 00:01:55,840

window

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00:01:59,830 --> 00:01:58,000

on my girlfriend's side she prefers to

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00:02:01,990 --> 00:01:59,840

have a little light shine through

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00:02:03,429 --> 00:02:02,000

on her bedside table she plugs in her

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00:02:05,590 --> 00:02:03,439

phone so you can see the light

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00:02:06,550 --> 00:02:05,600

periodically shine when a notification

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00:02:08,630 --> 00:02:06,560

comes in

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00:02:10,710 --> 00:02:08,640

as i turned over to face her side of the

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00:02:12,710 --> 00:02:10,720

room that's when i saw it

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00:02:13,910 --> 00:02:12,720

now this wasn't a let me focus on

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00:02:16,630 --> 00:02:13,920

whatever this is

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00:02:17,350 --> 00:02:16,640

it was an instant what the hell is that

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00:02:18,949 --> 00:02:17,360

now

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00:02:20,710 --> 00:02:18,959

i don't care who you are or what you've

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00:02:21,510 --> 00:02:20,720

done in your life or how bad you think

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00:02:23,110 --> 00:02:21,520

you are

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00:02:24,710 --> 00:02:23,120

when you're in a vulnerable state and

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00:02:25,510 --> 00:02:24,720

face to face with something that

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00:02:27,750 --> 00:02:25,520

shouldn't exist

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00:02:29,030 --> 00:02:27,760

everything goes out the window i've been

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00:02:31,670 --> 00:02:29,040

in convoys

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00:02:34,150 --> 00:02:31,680

high-risk traffic stops and patrols in

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00:02:36,229 --> 00:02:34,160

iraq but no fear compared to this

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00:02:37,270 --> 00:02:36,239

it had to be at least six or seven feet

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00:02:39,750 --> 00:02:37,280

tall maybe

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00:02:41,589 --> 00:02:39,760

and wide i say that because as my

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00:02:43,270 --> 00:02:41,599

girlfriend's phone notification light

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00:02:44,150 --> 00:02:43,280

illuminated the corner next to the head

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00:02:47,110 --> 00:02:44,160

of the bed

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00:02:48,790 --> 00:02:47,120

i could see its right hand shoulder arm

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00:02:50,550 --> 00:02:48,800

and a little bit of its side

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00:02:52,390 --> 00:02:50,560

from what i could see especially in the

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00:02:53,509 --> 00:02:52,400

shoulder area it looks like it had on

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00:02:55,430 --> 00:02:53,519

some kind of

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00:02:56,710 --> 00:02:55,440

i know this sounds silly but small

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00:02:58,790 --> 00:02:56,720

shoulder pads

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00:03:00,710 --> 00:02:58,800

nothing big like football pads but

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00:03:01,509 --> 00:03:00,720

imagine baseball knee pads on your

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00:03:03,990 --> 00:03:01,519

shoulder

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00:03:05,509 --> 00:03:04,000

like that when the light hitted it did

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00:03:07,270 --> 00:03:05,519

have that predator look to it with

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00:03:10,309 --> 00:03:07,280

slight glimpses of reds

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00:03:11,830 --> 00:03:10,319

blues and purples maybe just like it was

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00:03:13,990 --> 00:03:11,840

somehow bending light

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00:03:15,910 --> 00:03:14,000

i couldn't see the legs chester face

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00:03:17,430 --> 00:03:15,920

area cause i guess the light wasn't

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00:03:19,350 --> 00:03:17,440

strong enough to reach it

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00:03:21,190 --> 00:03:19,360

what was even more scary is that it was

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00:03:22,949 --> 00:03:21,200

moving while standing next to my

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00:03:23,750 --> 00:03:22,959

girlfriend like it was touching her in

101
00:03:25,589 --> 00:03:23,760
some way

102
00:03:27,190 --> 00:03:25,599
it would seemingly reach over to her

103
00:03:29,350 --> 00:03:27,200
nightstand and grab things

104
00:03:30,789 --> 00:03:29,360
and then turn back to her doing all of

105
00:03:32,309 --> 00:03:30,799
this pretty fast

106
00:03:34,390 --> 00:03:32,319
maybe there was something else there

107
00:03:34,949 --> 00:03:34,400
that i couldn't see now that i think

108
00:03:36,710 --> 00:03:34,959
about it

109
00:03:39,030 --> 00:03:36,720
imagine laying on a gurney and being

110
00:03:41,030 --> 00:03:39,040
operated on that's what it looked like

111
00:03:42,470 --> 00:03:41,040
it being the doctor i laid there

112
00:03:44,309 --> 00:03:42,480
completely frozen

113
00:03:46,149 --> 00:03:44,319

jumping up crossed my mind then i

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00:03:48,550 --> 00:03:46,159

quickly decided not to

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00:03:50,789 --> 00:03:48,560

if this is real i don't know the risks

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00:03:52,390 --> 00:03:50,799

is this thing capable of reacting

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00:03:54,470 --> 00:03:52,400

would i upset it and something more

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00:03:56,710 --> 00:03:54,480

severe could happen from what i could

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00:03:58,630 --> 00:03:56,720

see my girlfriend would sound asleep

120

00:03:59,990 --> 00:03:58,640

while all this was happening i was still

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00:04:02,309 --> 00:04:00,000

in the same position i was

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00:04:04,630 --> 00:04:02,319

in when i rolled over and saw this thing

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00:04:06,390 --> 00:04:04,640

my entire body was hot and i could feel

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00:04:08,470 --> 00:04:06,400

myself starting to sweat

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00:04:09,910 --> 00:04:08,480

now i work out on the regular and have a

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00:04:11,830 --> 00:04:09,920

pistol on my nightstand

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00:04:14,229 --> 00:04:11,840

and a gun safe full of weapons in my

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00:04:16,229 --> 00:04:14,239

closet no more than 10 feet away

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00:04:18,069 --> 00:04:16,239

i'm not afraid to say as i laid there

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00:04:20,069 --> 00:04:18,079

watching this thing opening and closing

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00:04:21,509 --> 00:04:20,079

my eyes to make sure i wasn't seeing

132

00:04:23,830 --> 00:04:21,519

things that wasn't there

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00:04:25,270 --> 00:04:23,840

a tear ran down my face and it was

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00:04:27,270 --> 00:04:25,280

because of pure fear

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00:04:29,670 --> 00:04:27,280

the whole full sighting lasted about two

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00:04:31,670 --> 00:04:29,680

minutes from there i closed my eyes and

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00:04:32,310 --> 00:04:31,680

began to say the lord's prayer over and

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00:04:33,990 --> 00:04:32,320

over again

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00:04:35,510 --> 00:04:34,000

until i couldn't see it and got the

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00:04:37,590 --> 00:04:35,520

courage to roll over

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00:04:39,909 --> 00:04:37,600

needless to say i slept like crap last

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00:04:41,030 --> 00:04:39,919

night i probably won't mention this to

143

00:04:43,270 --> 00:04:41,040

my girlfriend

144

00:04:45,350 --> 00:04:43,280

it wouldn't help the situation any and i

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00:04:47,350 --> 00:04:45,360

feel like the less she knows the better

146

00:04:49,030 --> 00:04:47,360

either this thing is real or all of us

147

00:04:50,310 --> 00:04:49,040

that have seen it or something like it

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00:04:52,790 --> 00:04:50,320

are going insane

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00:04:53,749 --> 00:04:52,800

hell they said that about ufos and look

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00:05:03,189 --> 00:04:53,759

what happened

151
00:05:06,950 --> 00:05:05,110
unexplained noisy humanoid encountered

152
00:05:08,629 --> 00:05:06,960
in yutazu into mountains

153
00:05:10,870 --> 00:05:08,639
here details and specifics on an

154
00:05:12,230 --> 00:05:10,880
experience let me first clarify that

155
00:05:14,070 --> 00:05:12,240
this was four years ago

156
00:05:15,830 --> 00:05:14,080
when i was 15 on a muzzleloader's mule

157
00:05:16,710 --> 00:05:15,840
deer hunt in the far northeastern part

158
00:05:18,469 --> 00:05:16,720
of utah

159
00:05:20,629 --> 00:05:18,479
which contains some of the most remote

160
00:05:22,230 --> 00:05:20,639
and beautiful places in the state

161
00:05:23,990 --> 00:05:22,240
i've been frequently out in this area

162
00:05:25,909 --> 00:05:24,000
spreading in summit county that cuts in

163
00:05:26,950 --> 00:05:25,919

and out of lower wyoming since before i

164

00:05:29,670 --> 00:05:26,960

can remember

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00:05:30,469 --> 00:05:29,680

this includes lots of hiking backpacking

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00:05:32,150 --> 00:05:30,479

camping

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00:05:33,909 --> 00:05:32,160

hunting and being involved in some of my

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00:05:35,830 --> 00:05:33,919

now retired grandfather's work as a

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00:05:37,510 --> 00:05:35,840

biologist conservation officer and

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00:05:39,350 --> 00:05:37,520

wildlife land manager

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00:05:40,629 --> 00:05:39,360

i am skeptical of things not proven by

172

00:05:42,870 --> 00:05:40,639

methods of science

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00:05:44,629 --> 00:05:42,880

but i don't deny all of those things i

174

00:05:45,990 --> 00:05:44,639

find that it's impossible for science to

175

00:05:47,029 --> 00:05:46,000

know of all that is out there in our

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00:05:49,350 --> 00:05:47,039

vast world

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00:05:50,230 --> 00:05:49,360

my grandfather has seen mountain lions

178

00:05:52,790 --> 00:05:50,240

bears

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00:05:53,749 --> 00:05:52,800

birds of all kinds small mammals

180

00:05:55,270 --> 00:05:53,759

remnants

181

00:05:56,790 --> 00:05:55,280

plants a natural phenomena for a

182

00:05:58,550 --> 00:05:56,800

majority of his life

183

00:06:00,629 --> 00:05:58,560

and he understands so much that many

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00:06:03,029 --> 00:06:00,639

people including myself

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00:06:05,029 --> 00:06:03,039

will never be able to even imagine his

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00:06:07,350 --> 00:06:05,039

scientific comments straightforward

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00:06:09,110 --> 00:06:07,360

level-headed he's agnostic and is not

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00:06:11,189 --> 00:06:09,120

superstitious and often used to

189

00:06:13,110 --> 00:06:11,199

lovingly and respectfully he's a certain

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00:06:13,909 --> 00:06:13,120

conservation officer who thinks certain

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00:06:16,390 --> 00:06:13,919

bigfoot

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00:06:17,830 --> 00:06:16,400

skinwalkers and other beings exist other

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00:06:19,430 --> 00:06:17,840

than this experience

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00:06:21,270 --> 00:06:19,440

he has never encountered an animal that

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00:06:21,909 --> 00:06:21,280

he could not at least partially if not

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00:06:24,230 --> 00:06:21,919

completely

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00:06:25,830 --> 00:06:24,240

identify other than the natural innate

198

00:06:26,230 --> 00:06:25,840

fear of being in close quarters with a

199

00:06:28,070 --> 00:06:26,240

bear

200

00:06:30,550 --> 00:06:28,080

a drinking and belligerent hunter or

201
00:06:32,309 --> 00:06:30,560
incredibly pung tranquilizer medication

202
00:06:33,590 --> 00:06:32,319
he's told me over and over he's never

203
00:06:34,950 --> 00:06:33,600
been terrified of an animal or

204
00:06:37,270 --> 00:06:34,960
experience like this

205
00:06:39,029 --> 00:06:37,280
only curious or surprised it was late

206
00:06:41,029 --> 00:06:39,039
september and we were in a small camp by

207
00:06:42,710 --> 00:06:41,039
a lake in the higher into mountains

208
00:06:44,710 --> 00:06:42,720
hunting both grouse and mule deer with

209
00:06:45,990 --> 00:06:44,720
muzzleloaders the camp was a small

210
00:06:47,430 --> 00:06:46,000
collection of men and women my

211
00:06:49,189 --> 00:06:47,440
grandfather had worked with over the

212
00:06:50,550 --> 00:06:49,199
years as a supervisor biologist

213
00:06:52,629 --> 00:06:50,560

conservation officer

214

00:06:54,309 --> 00:06:52,639

and these were people i grew up with one

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00:06:54,790 --> 00:06:54,319

of the women a new wife to one of the

216

00:06:57,029 --> 00:06:54,800

guys

217

00:06:58,790 --> 00:06:57,039

had shot a buck ear injuring but not

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00:06:59,670 --> 00:06:58,800

culling it immediately and they had lost

219

00:07:01,510 --> 00:06:59,680

track of it

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00:07:03,350 --> 00:07:01,520

devastated by the thought of wasting the

221

00:07:04,550 --> 00:07:03,360

animal she returned to camp in the

222

00:07:06,309 --> 00:07:04,560

afternoon upset

223

00:07:07,749 --> 00:07:06,319

and concerned that the deer had run into

224

00:07:09,350 --> 00:07:07,759

an even more secluded area of the

225

00:07:11,029 --> 00:07:09,360

mountain which was hard to reach from

226

00:07:12,710 --> 00:07:11,039

the trail that she had shot from

227

00:07:14,390 --> 00:07:12,720

this was a place my grandfather was

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00:07:16,390 --> 00:07:14,400

familiar with because it was such a pain

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00:07:17,990 --> 00:07:16,400

in the ass to get to with lots of

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00:07:19,430 --> 00:07:18,000

deadfall and steep terrain

231

00:07:21,189 --> 00:07:19,440

we volunteered to go in the late

232

00:07:22,790 --> 00:07:21,199

afternoon to search for the deer

233

00:07:24,230 --> 00:07:22,800

following a scant blood trail that she

234

00:07:26,469 --> 00:07:24,240

attract for a while before getting

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00:07:28,230 --> 00:07:26,479

fatigued and intimidated by the terrain

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00:07:30,390 --> 00:07:28,240

because both my grandfather and i were

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00:07:32,629 --> 00:07:30,400

in good shape and he was so familiar

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00:07:33,909 --> 00:07:32,639

it didn't seem like a big deal before we

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00:07:35,909 --> 00:07:33,919

left she mentioned hearing what she

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00:07:37,830 --> 00:07:35,919

assumed was coyotes which made her even

241

00:07:39,430 --> 00:07:37,840

more so concerned that if the deer died

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00:07:40,629 --> 00:07:39,440

they would ruin the meat and hide before

243

00:07:42,230 --> 00:07:40,639

she could harvest it

244

00:07:43,830 --> 00:07:42,240

we took off in the early evening

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00:07:45,589 --> 00:07:43,840

expecting to be back within an hour or

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00:07:46,230 --> 00:07:45,599

two after searching and having our guns

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00:07:48,309 --> 00:07:46,240

with us

248

00:07:50,150 --> 00:07:48,319

in case we found the animal still alive

249

00:07:51,189 --> 00:07:50,160

or came across another buck worth trying

250

00:07:53,350 --> 00:07:51,199

to harvest

251
00:07:54,710 --> 00:07:53,360
it was steep in places with lots of

252
00:07:56,469 --> 00:07:54,720
deadfall varying heights

253
00:07:58,629 --> 00:07:56,479
making the hike slower and more tedious

254
00:08:00,150 --> 00:07:58,639
than we had hoped making us understand

255
00:08:01,510 --> 00:08:00,160
the other hunter's fatigue

256
00:08:03,270 --> 00:08:01,520
she had marked the blood trail with

257
00:08:05,110 --> 00:08:03,280
bright orange pieces on the trees which

258
00:08:07,189 --> 00:08:05,120
we followed for maybe 20 minutes

259
00:08:08,629 --> 00:08:07,199
and then it got hard to track the sun

260
00:08:10,150 --> 00:08:08,639
was getting close to setting at this

261
00:08:12,309 --> 00:08:10,160
point and we knew getting out would be

262
00:08:14,150 --> 00:08:12,319
just as long as getting in we had just

263
00:08:15,990 --> 00:08:14,160

about decided to stop when we found a

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00:08:18,070 --> 00:08:16,000

spot near a fallen tree that looked like

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00:08:19,749 --> 00:08:18,080

it had been recently bedded down in

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00:08:21,749 --> 00:08:19,759

followed with spatters of fairly fresh

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00:08:23,430 --> 00:08:21,759

blood and we continued for longer

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00:08:25,029 --> 00:08:23,440

when the sun had just about set and the

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00:08:27,110 --> 00:08:25,039

light had faded from the trees we

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00:08:29,110 --> 00:08:27,120

removed the firing caps from our guns to

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00:08:31,029 --> 00:08:29,120

make them now completely safe as it was

272

00:08:32,870 --> 00:08:31,039

now illegal and irresponsible to hunt in

273

00:08:34,709 --> 00:08:32,880

such absence of decent light

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00:08:36,630 --> 00:08:34,719

my grandfather pulled out his large mag

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00:08:38,469 --> 00:08:36,640

life flashlight from his pack and i put

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00:08:40,709 --> 00:08:38,479

in my headlamp to begin the hike back

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00:08:42,550 --> 00:08:40,719

using our gps to find the trailhead

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00:08:44,149 --> 00:08:42,560

about 10 minutes on the way back we

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00:08:44,870 --> 00:08:44,159

started to hear more movement among the

280

00:08:46,470 --> 00:08:44,880

trees

281

00:08:48,470 --> 00:08:46,480

it was normal for animals to start

282

00:08:50,230 --> 00:08:48,480

moving now that the sun had gone down

283

00:08:51,829 --> 00:08:50,240

as animals would likely be starting to

284

00:08:54,150 --> 00:08:51,839

head towards clearings for water

285

00:08:55,829 --> 00:08:54,160

or to graze in the safety of lower light

286

00:08:56,310 --> 00:08:55,839

small and distant sounds of crunching

287

00:08:58,070 --> 00:08:56,320

leaves

288

00:08:59,750 --> 00:08:58,080

patterns of whose animals are small bits

289

00:09:01,910 --> 00:08:59,760

of movement and the trees from squirrels

290

00:09:03,910 --> 00:09:01,920

or birds were common and expected

291

00:09:05,030 --> 00:09:03,920

we did not expect a deafening disturbing

292

00:09:06,949 --> 00:09:05,040

sound we heard next

293

00:09:09,190 --> 00:09:06,959

which vaguely initially reminded me of a

294

00:09:10,310 --> 00:09:09,200

coyote howl but by a few seconds in it

295

00:09:12,310 --> 00:09:10,320

was unidentifiable

296

00:09:13,670 --> 00:09:12,320

frightening and human-like it started

297

00:09:14,230 --> 00:09:13,680

with what sounded like a person

298

00:09:15,990 --> 00:09:14,240

screaming

299

00:09:17,509 --> 00:09:16,000

but then got louder and more intense

300

00:09:19,750 --> 00:09:17,519

with a screech to it

301
00:09:20,790 --> 00:09:19,760
so unlike any coyote or any animal we

302
00:09:22,310 --> 00:09:20,800
had ever heard

303
00:09:23,829 --> 00:09:22,320
then was the almost tutoring that came

304
00:09:25,910 --> 00:09:23,839
in between the shrieks and the movement

305
00:09:27,829 --> 00:09:25,920
of the trees becoming almost calculated

306
00:09:29,670 --> 00:09:27,839
almost threatening we stopped that in

307
00:09:31,590 --> 00:09:29,680
our tracks frozen as my grandfather

308
00:09:33,269 --> 00:09:31,600
started using the light to look around

309
00:09:35,750 --> 00:09:33,279
i was far more freaked out than him at

310
00:09:37,750 --> 00:09:35,760
this point he just seemed perplexed

311
00:09:39,030 --> 00:09:37,760
curious and a little baffled at what

312
00:09:41,269 --> 00:09:39,040
could make that sound

313
00:09:43,110 --> 00:09:41,279

it sounded human but with no words with

314

00:09:44,550 --> 00:09:43,120

no urge of tone of help or i'm just

315

00:09:46,870 --> 00:09:44,560

screaming to mess with you

316

00:09:48,150 --> 00:09:46,880

we continued on after mostly stop and it

317

00:09:49,829 --> 00:09:48,160

seemed like the other

318

00:09:52,150 --> 00:09:49,839

natural and distant sounds had gone

319

00:09:53,829 --> 00:09:52,160

almost silent i listened intently to the

320

00:09:55,430 --> 00:09:53,839

sound of my boots crunching with the dry

321

00:09:57,030 --> 00:09:55,440

aspen leaves underfoot

322

00:09:58,550 --> 00:09:57,040

trying to tell myself that it was just

323

00:10:00,310 --> 00:09:58,560

some weird coyote with a horribly

324

00:10:01,910 --> 00:10:00,320

deformed larynx or something

325

00:10:03,509 --> 00:10:01,920

maybe 20 minutes from the main trail

326

00:10:05,190 --> 00:10:03,519

that would lead us to the truck

327

00:10:07,350 --> 00:10:05,200

we heard the chattering sound again and

328

00:10:09,190 --> 00:10:07,360

sounds of thumping against dead trees

329

00:10:11,509 --> 00:10:09,200

looking around with our lives in between

330

00:10:13,350 --> 00:10:11,519

deadfall maybe 12 to 15 feet in front of

331

00:10:15,030 --> 00:10:13,360

us was a large human looking thing

332

00:10:16,470 --> 00:10:15,040

it was almost hunched down with long

333

00:10:17,670 --> 00:10:16,480

slender arm around the front of a

334

00:10:19,430 --> 00:10:17,680

standing aspen

335

00:10:21,030 --> 00:10:19,440

the aspen of course was pale white with

336

00:10:22,870 --> 00:10:21,040

the knots being dark brown

337

00:10:25,030 --> 00:10:22,880

and whatever it was had skin almost as

338

00:10:25,990 --> 00:10:25,040

pale i caught a very brief glimpse of

339

00:10:27,590 --> 00:10:26,000

his face

340

00:10:29,269 --> 00:10:27,600

it seemed round and the eyes seemed

341

00:10:29,670 --> 00:10:29,279

sunken and i could not tell you eye

342

00:10:31,350 --> 00:10:29,680

color

343

00:10:33,030 --> 00:10:31,360

other than a flash of reflection on the

344

00:10:34,710 --> 00:10:33,040

eye for my light and that its face

345

00:10:36,870 --> 00:10:34,720

seemed sunken and emaciated

346

00:10:38,710 --> 00:10:36,880

i didn't seen any for her hair i never

347

00:10:40,470 --> 00:10:38,720

felt like it looked right at me more my

348

00:10:41,990 --> 00:10:40,480

grandfather and just in our direction

349

00:10:43,990 --> 00:10:42,000

almost confused and curious

350

00:10:45,509 --> 00:10:44,000

like he was before with a sound for a

351
00:10:45,990 --> 00:10:45,519
mere couple of seconds i caught a

352
00:10:48,230 --> 00:10:46,000
glimpse of

353
00:10:50,150 --> 00:10:48,240
it but that was it i looked down at the

354
00:10:51,829 --> 00:10:50,160
ground holding my eyes shut by trying to

355
00:10:52,470 --> 00:10:51,839
imagine being safe and secure in the

356
00:10:54,310 --> 00:10:52,480
truck

357
00:10:55,990 --> 00:10:54,320
and my grandfather took a few stumbling

358
00:10:57,750 --> 00:10:56,000
steps backward toward me

359
00:10:59,190 --> 00:10:57,760
i heard the thing go off to her side

360
00:11:00,630 --> 00:10:59,200
moving quickly and with purpose through

361
00:11:02,310 --> 00:11:00,640
the trees to the side

362
00:11:03,910 --> 00:11:02,320
and then drop down behind us i would

363
00:11:05,350 --> 00:11:03,920

assume according to the sound

364

00:11:07,509 --> 00:11:05,360

but i hope it went in the opposite

365

00:11:08,630 --> 00:11:07,519

direction my grandfather turned to where

366

00:11:10,790 --> 00:11:08,640

did viewer off

367

00:11:11,670 --> 00:11:10,800

as to follow it but he soon stopped and

368

00:11:13,509 --> 00:11:11,680

looked at me

369

00:11:14,790 --> 00:11:13,519

i had never before and ever since seen

370

00:11:17,910 --> 00:11:14,800

him so confused

371

00:11:19,910 --> 00:11:17,920

baffled horrified curious into naw

372

00:11:21,509 --> 00:11:19,920

i was crying at this point ugly crying

373

00:11:22,310 --> 00:11:21,519

trying to muffle my shaking breath and

374

00:11:24,710 --> 00:11:22,320

voice

375

00:11:25,829 --> 00:11:24,720

and i asked him what was that over and

376

00:11:28,069 --> 00:11:25,839

over i asked

377

00:11:29,190 --> 00:11:28,079

and he had no answer for me he pulled

378

00:11:31,030 --> 00:11:29,200

his gun off his shoulder

379

00:11:33,190 --> 00:11:31,040

sling and put a cap back on the nipple

380

00:11:34,870 --> 00:11:33,200

of the igniter making a gun live and he

381

00:11:35,670 --> 00:11:34,880

then carried it in front of his body in

382

00:11:37,269 --> 00:11:35,680

his arm

383

00:11:39,430 --> 00:11:37,279

he pulled out another headlight to put

384

00:11:40,550 --> 00:11:39,440

on himself we started walking again

385

00:11:42,230 --> 00:11:40,560

towards the trail

386

00:11:44,630 --> 00:11:42,240

as he lifted off as like talking to

387

00:11:46,310 --> 00:11:44,640

himself as to what a w-a-s-n-t

388

00:11:48,150 --> 00:11:46,320

things like couldn't have been a d-rock

389

00:11:50,389 --> 00:11:48,160

or moose it had arms

390

00:11:52,230 --> 00:11:50,399

it was hunched it stood upright or a

391

00:11:53,990 --> 00:11:52,240

bear a very sick bear

392

00:11:56,150 --> 00:11:54,000

it could have been a bear was it the

393

00:11:58,069 --> 00:11:56,160

light we heard the sound the screeching

394

00:11:59,750 --> 00:11:58,079

human hall distantly once more before

395

00:12:00,310 --> 00:11:59,760

reaching the trail which was dirt and

396

00:12:02,470 --> 00:12:00,320

gravel

397

00:12:04,150 --> 00:12:02,480

but fairly flat and no deadfall we

398

00:12:06,310 --> 00:12:04,160

practically jogged to the truck

399

00:12:08,150 --> 00:12:06,320

i locked the doors immediately and sob

400

00:12:10,069 --> 00:12:08,160

and my grandfather turned on music as

401

00:12:11,430 --> 00:12:10,079

loud as possible to try to distract me

402

00:12:13,430 --> 00:12:11,440

on the way back to camp

403

00:12:15,350 --> 00:12:13,440

i was a mess when we arrived back and he

404

00:12:16,949 --> 00:12:15,360

went to talk with the others by the fire

405

00:12:19,350 --> 00:12:16,959

when he got me settled in my sleeping

406

00:12:20,870 --> 00:12:19,360

bag in my bunk he explained some to his

407

00:12:21,430 --> 00:12:20,880

friends but i don't know what all was

408

00:12:23,350 --> 00:12:21,440

said

409

00:12:25,269 --> 00:12:23,360

the next day everyone was extra sweet to

410

00:12:26,949 --> 00:12:25,279

me trying to comfort me and saying it

411

00:12:28,230 --> 00:12:26,959

was probably a sick animal that looked

412

00:12:29,829 --> 00:12:28,240

scary in the dark

413

00:12:31,350 --> 00:12:29,839

the deer the hunter shot was found the

414

00:12:32,870 --> 00:12:31,360

next day in the daylight

415

00:12:34,389 --> 00:12:32,880

scavenged quite harshly by what i

416

00:12:36,550 --> 00:12:34,399

assumed was coyotes

417

00:12:38,550 --> 00:12:36,560

to this day he has no clue what it was

418

00:12:40,310 --> 00:12:38,560

nor what that sound was and before and

419

00:12:41,990 --> 00:12:40,320

since i've heard both coyote and many

420

00:12:43,430 --> 00:12:42,000

other animal sounds that never even

421

00:12:45,509 --> 00:12:43,440

compared to that sound

422

00:12:47,190 --> 00:12:45,519

the scientist in me and in him the

423

00:12:48,949 --> 00:12:47,200

hopeful and blissfully ignorant people i

424

00:12:51,269 --> 00:12:48,959

must hope and speculate it was just a

425

00:12:52,710 --> 00:12:51,279

deformed sick animal and scan life but i

426

00:12:53,430 --> 00:12:52,720

still have no clue of what that thing

427

00:12:55,269 --> 00:12:53,440

was

428

00:13:01,750 --> 00:12:55,279

and i hope i never ever experience it

429

00:13:05,190 --> 00:13:04,310

this is lon strickler if you like this

430

00:13:06,949 --> 00:13:05,200

program

431

00:13:08,310 --> 00:13:06,959

it would help us if you would give it a

432

00:13:11,190 --> 00:13:08,320

thumbs up

433

00:13:11,670 --> 00:13:11,200

then subscribe and click the bell icon

434

00:13:13,990 --> 00:13:11,680

so you

435

00:13:16,150 --> 00:13:14,000

get notification when we upload new

436

00:13:19,269 --> 00:13:16,160

first person encounters

437

00:13:21,670 --> 00:13:19,279

we have many more to come very soon and

438

00:13:24,069 --> 00:13:21,680

by the way if you have a suggestion