

CIA'S UFO PAPERS

DAN WRIGHT



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00:00:13,220 --> 00:00:34,280

[Music]

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00:00:39,540 --> 00:00:37,170

hello and welcome to the show on Martin

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00:00:41,180 --> 00:00:39,550

will usher host and we have a great show

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00:00:43,979 --> 00:00:41,190

tonight first of all I got to say that

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00:00:47,579 --> 00:00:43,989

Alejandro Rojas will not be joining us

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00:00:49,229 --> 00:00:47,589

this evening however we didn't just

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00:00:52,889 --> 00:00:49,239

leave it like that we got the one and

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00:00:54,990 --> 00:00:52,899

only jordan bonaparte from canada runs a

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00:00:56,429 --> 00:00:55,000

great show up there called nighttime

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00:00:57,899 --> 00:00:56,439

podcasts we'll talk a little bit about

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00:01:01,020 --> 00:00:57,909

that but he's going to do some UFO

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00:01:03,899 --> 00:01:01,030

updates with us our guest today is dan

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00:01:06,990 --> 00:01:03,909

write down dan has a book that just came

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00:01:09,929 --> 00:01:07,000

out September 1st he's a longtime UFO

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00:01:12,539 --> 00:01:09,939

researcher will talk about that going

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00:01:15,569 --> 00:01:12,549

way back to I believe he started in 1978

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00:01:21,510 --> 00:01:15,579

or so something like that and in MUFON

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00:01:25,020 --> 00:01:21,520

so his book is called CIA UFO do I have

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00:01:27,359 --> 00:01:25,030

this right CIA UFOs papers 50 years of

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00:01:28,830 --> 00:01:27,369

government secrets and cover-ups if I

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00:01:31,169 --> 00:01:28,840

cut that off just a little bit but I

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00:01:34,559 --> 00:01:31,179

think it's CIA's UFO Papers is a main

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00:01:36,239 --> 00:01:34,569

title and it looks like a great book I

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00:01:40,919 --> 00:01:36,249

have not seen again I can't wait to

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00:01:42,450 --> 00:01:40,929

actually read it so that that is are

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00:01:44,340 --> 00:01:42,460

going to be our conversation this

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00:01:46,950 --> 00:01:44,350

evening I thank everyone that helps out

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00:01:49,499 --> 00:01:46,960

with the show and I also want to thank

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00:01:52,020 --> 00:01:49,509

you the supporters of the show and all

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00:01:54,599 --> 00:01:52,030

the listeners but anyone can support us

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00:01:58,349 --> 00:01:54,609

all you have to do is go over to podcast

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00:02:01,319 --> 00:01:58,359

UFO comm and you'll see the support page

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00:02:02,999 --> 00:02:01,329

we also have patreon you can support us

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00:02:06,539 --> 00:02:03,009

there as well and with that you get the

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00:02:09,059 --> 00:02:06,549

full 2 hour or 1 hour and 50 minutes or

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00:02:11,760 --> 00:02:09,069

so show that you can listen to on your

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00:02:15,540 --> 00:02:11,770

media player and that includes all the

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00:02:18,270 --> 00:02:15,550

archives we have over 370 shows now on

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00:02:20,430 --> 00:02:18,280

our website the two-hour shows only go

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00:02:23,280 --> 00:02:20,440

back about a couple hundred shows or so

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00:02:27,830 --> 00:02:23,290

we started doing them about 200 shows

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00:02:31,290 --> 00:02:27,840

before that it was just one hour and so

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00:02:33,500 --> 00:02:31,300

let's see oh yes we have a blog Charles

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00:02:37,280 --> 00:02:33,510

Lear has written a blog and it's called

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00:02:41,160 --> 00:02:37,290

UFO 911

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00:02:44,760 --> 00:02:41,170

9-1-1 calls police calls recordings

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00:02:46,350 --> 00:02:44,770

about UFOs and in that group he also

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00:02:47,700 --> 00:02:46,360

talks about Rendlesham forest we're

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00:02:51,180 --> 00:02:47,710

going to be talking to our guests as

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00:02:53,280 --> 00:02:51,190

well about that this evening but for

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00:02:55,500 --> 00:02:53,290
right now we'll bring in Jordan from

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00:02:57,840 --> 00:02:55,510
Canada welcome to the show Jordan thanks

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00:02:59,640 --> 00:02:57,850
for filling in thanks for having me

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00:03:02,960 --> 00:02:59,650
Martin like a big shoes to fill with

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00:03:04,860 --> 00:03:02,970
Alejandro to here but yeah

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00:03:06,240 --> 00:03:04,870
Alejandro is moving that's why he

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00:03:07,170 --> 00:03:06,250
couldn't be with us tonight I'm trying I

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00:03:10,020 --> 00:03:07,180
can't really remember if I mentioned

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00:03:11,460 --> 00:03:10,030
that or not but anyway yeah it wasn't a

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00:03:14,010 --> 00:03:11,470
fight there's no bad blood or and I

61
00:03:16,830 --> 00:03:14,020
think we need to not yet yeah there's

62
00:03:19,800 --> 00:03:16,840
still time for that but okay yeah but

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00:03:22,740 --> 00:03:19,810

anyway you have the night time podcast

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00:03:24,930 --> 00:03:22,750
up in Canada and you've been on the show

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00:03:26,760 --> 00:03:24,940
we've filled in a number of times over

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00:03:28,350 --> 00:03:26,770
the years and actually was a guest at

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00:03:30,210 --> 00:03:28,360
one time and where I was guest on your

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00:03:32,280 --> 00:03:30,220
show it's been it's been a really good

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00:03:33,930 --> 00:03:32,290
connection and we can't forget to talk

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00:03:37,080 --> 00:03:33,940
about our nice little meeting up in shag

71
00:03:38,700 --> 00:03:37,090
harbour that was yeah well that's in

72
00:03:40,920 --> 00:03:38,710
we're on a boat I think the one-year

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00:03:44,160 --> 00:03:40,930
anniversary of that cuz the shag harbour

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00:03:45,660 --> 00:03:44,170
UFO festival is I think in two weeks two

75
00:03:47,700 --> 00:03:45,670
years right

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00:03:49,320 --> 00:03:47,710

well is it yeah two years well time

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00:03:51,030 --> 00:03:49,330

flies you know like you just said you

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00:03:53,640 --> 00:03:51,040

got you know two hundred two hour-long

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00:03:55,860 --> 00:03:53,650

episodes you don't have time like

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00:03:56,550 --> 00:03:55,870

between those two kind of feel time

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00:03:58,910 --> 00:03:56,560

passing

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00:04:02,010 --> 00:03:58,920

that's right know if you get that but I

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00:04:06,540 --> 00:04:02,020

really do yeah i undertow to get that

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00:04:07,920 --> 00:04:06,550

yeah but anyway I so that's I can't

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00:04:10,320 --> 00:04:07,930

believe it's been two years are they

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00:04:12,150 --> 00:04:10,330

still doing the festival up there yeah

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00:04:13,980 --> 00:04:12,160

I'm actually I'm going to I'm going to

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00:04:15,540 --> 00:04:13,990

be a speaker at this year's it's in it's

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00:04:17,310 --> 00:04:15,550

in two weeks and they're kind of doing

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00:04:20,670 --> 00:04:17,320

doing a similar thing that have kind of

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00:04:24,120 --> 00:04:20,680

a schedule of guest speakers myself

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00:04:27,480 --> 00:04:24,130

Chris Stiles will be speaking several

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00:04:29,160 --> 00:04:27,490

others they're doing the boat tour where

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00:04:31,350 --> 00:04:29,170

some of the eyewitnesses from the

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00:04:33,270 --> 00:04:31,360

original shag Harbor UFO event are going

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00:04:35,010 --> 00:04:33,280

to go on a boat with some guests of the

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00:04:38,370 --> 00:04:35,020

area where the UFO was said to have

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00:04:40,140 --> 00:04:38,380

crashed also I've heard rumors that

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00:04:42,750 --> 00:04:40,150

there's going to be a big announcement

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00:04:45,210 --> 00:04:42,760

at the shag Harbor Festival this year by

101
00:04:46,800 --> 00:04:45,220
the Royal Canadian Mint

102
00:04:49,830 --> 00:04:46,810
who are the people who make coins and

103
00:04:50,910 --> 00:04:49,840
stuff oh oh it sounds like they're gonna

104
00:04:53,520 --> 00:04:50,920
be making some

105
00:04:55,560 --> 00:04:53,530
thing probably hey Jordan you know I

106
00:04:58,200 --> 00:04:55,570
have so many I know we're gonna get into

107
00:05:00,360 --> 00:04:58,210
you know UFO news and all that but I

108
00:05:02,760 --> 00:05:00,370
have so many new listeners to this show

109
00:05:04,230 --> 00:05:02,770
because people are actually taking more

110
00:05:06,420 --> 00:05:04,240
people are taking interests in this all

111
00:05:07,800 --> 00:05:06,430
the time just if you can and a quick

112
00:05:10,110 --> 00:05:07,810
nutshell for the person who's never

113
00:05:13,440 --> 00:05:10,120

heard of the shag harbour event can you

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00:05:15,840 --> 00:05:13,450

talk about that yeah so [h__h] the Shang

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00:05:18,480 --> 00:05:15,850

Harbor UFO event people will often refer

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00:05:24,600 --> 00:05:18,490

to it as Canada's Roswell because it's a

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00:05:27,690 --> 00:05:24,610

it's a UFO incident in 1964 or seven in

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00:05:31,670 --> 00:05:27,700

a small fishing village basically in

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00:05:34,830 --> 00:05:31,680

Nova Scotia were a large group of people

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00:05:36,840 --> 00:05:34,840

sighted what appeared to be at the time

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00:05:40,680 --> 00:05:36,850

thought to be a commercial airplane

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00:05:42,450 --> 00:05:40,690

crashing into the water they thought it

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00:05:45,420 --> 00:05:42,460

appeared to be like three lights kind of

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00:05:49,050 --> 00:05:45,430

passing over this small community called

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00:05:52,170 --> 00:05:49,060

shag harbour and again into the water I

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00:05:54,930 --> 00:05:52,180
think 11 calls were made to emergency

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00:05:58,140 --> 00:05:54,940
basically to the police which led to

128
00:06:00,690 --> 00:05:58,150
search and rescue going out into the

129
00:06:03,210 --> 00:06:00,700
water expecting to scoop up a bunch of

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00:06:05,550 --> 00:06:03,220
people basically fighting for their life

131
00:06:06,090 --> 00:06:05,560
after a plane crash but they didn't find

132
00:06:08,070 --> 00:06:06,100
anything

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00:06:11,100 --> 00:06:08,080
divers were sent down for days

134
00:06:13,800 --> 00:06:11,110
afterwards nothing was ever found there

135
00:06:15,750 --> 00:06:13,810
was never a plane reported missing the

136
00:06:18,390 --> 00:06:15,760
only thing really they found was some

137
00:06:21,720 --> 00:06:18,400
thick sulfurous smelling foam on the

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00:06:22,770 --> 00:06:21,730

water but sadly samples were never taken

139

00:06:27,230 --> 00:06:22,780

to that so that's never been identified

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00:06:29,870 --> 00:06:27,240

but the event had been the subject of

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00:06:32,610 --> 00:06:29,880

several levels of government doing

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00:06:34,860 --> 00:06:32,620

research and investigation into what it

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00:06:38,520 --> 00:06:34,870

could have been it's never been

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00:06:40,980 --> 00:06:38,530

conclusively said what what was

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00:06:42,510 --> 00:06:40,990

responsible for this sighting and and

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00:06:44,160 --> 00:06:42,520

again just to be clear it's not the kind

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00:06:46,640 --> 00:06:44,170

of thing where a small group of people

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00:06:49,650 --> 00:06:46,650

together had seen this this was um

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00:06:51,660 --> 00:06:49,660

several groups I think 11 or 12 separate

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00:06:53,280 --> 00:06:51,670

groups of people had had witnessed this

151
00:06:56,790 --> 00:06:53,290
so there's without any question

152
00:06:58,970 --> 00:06:56,800
something has happened but at this point

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00:07:03,660 --> 00:06:58,980
people refer to it as Canada's Roswell

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00:07:04,590 --> 00:07:03,670
inconsiderate the or one of several of

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00:07:07,800 --> 00:07:04,600
Canada's mo

156
00:07:08,430 --> 00:07:07,810
well-known UFO events oh yeah right

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00:07:12,480 --> 00:07:08,440
right

158
00:07:16,020 --> 00:07:12,490
can you let's see can you give the

159
00:07:18,870 --> 00:07:16,030
listener out there just uh also a little

160
00:07:22,440 --> 00:07:18,880
quick you know nutshell about what you

161
00:07:25,230 --> 00:07:22,450
do for the nighttime podcast yeah so I

162
00:07:28,020 --> 00:07:25,240
actually don't live too far from shag

163
00:07:31,800 --> 00:07:28,030

harbour but I I host a show called the

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00:07:34,710 --> 00:07:31,810

nighttime podcast where unlike Martin

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00:07:36,270 --> 00:07:34,720

show where it's more interview like you

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00:07:38,460 --> 00:07:36,280

know you and a guest discussing

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00:07:41,640 --> 00:07:38,470

something mine is it's it's more like a

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00:07:45,360 --> 00:07:41,650

documentary style telling of Canadian

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00:07:48,060 --> 00:07:45,370

based crime missing-persons cases or

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00:07:50,280 --> 00:07:48,070

just plain odd or unusual stories but

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00:07:52,620 --> 00:07:50,290

one thing I have a personal passion

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00:07:56,010 --> 00:07:52,630

about is the UFO phenomenon and that

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00:07:59,550 --> 00:07:56,020

topic so as much as often as as much as

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00:08:02,930 --> 00:07:59,560

I can I'll take Canadian UFO events get

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00:08:05,160 --> 00:08:02,940

in touch with witnesses investigators

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00:08:07,650 --> 00:08:05,170

ufologists or even just people like

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00:08:10,170 --> 00:08:07,660

Martin and and chat it out so throughout

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00:08:12,420 --> 00:08:10,180

the I guess I've done probably 80 or 90

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00:08:14,520 --> 00:08:12,430

episodes of the nighttime podcast at

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00:08:17,760 --> 00:08:14,530

this point and I've covered quite a few

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00:08:19,710 --> 00:08:17,770

UFO events so people who are into kind

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00:08:22,860 --> 00:08:19,720

of hearing the background or hearing the

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00:08:24,420 --> 00:08:22,870

story of lesser-known UFO events if you

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00:08:26,040 --> 00:08:24,430

tuned in to my show or go through my

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00:08:29,160 --> 00:08:26,050

back catalogue you'll probably find some

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00:08:31,440 --> 00:08:29,170

interesting stuff yeah the one you have

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00:08:34,050 --> 00:08:31,450

up there recently is called the Bell

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00:08:35,820 --> 00:08:34,060

Island boom and I listened to that two

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00:08:38,490 --> 00:08:35,830

episodes of that that's really a bizarre

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00:08:41,400 --> 00:08:38,500

situation where this but they don't

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00:08:43,110 --> 00:08:41,410

under it's sounds like it could be may be

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00:08:45,450 --> 00:08:43,120

a natural phenomenon but then it just

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00:08:48,060 --> 00:08:45,460

did such bizarre things to this one home

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00:08:50,280 --> 00:08:48,070

you know I mean burn the burn the copper

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00:08:53,760 --> 00:08:50,290

wires right out of the the wires and

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00:08:55,500 --> 00:08:53,770

fuses shot across and made dents in the

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wall and you know I mean just really

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00:08:59,880 --> 00:08:57,550

weird weird stuff that's a great story

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00:09:02,850 --> 00:08:59,890

that one yeah and there's and there's

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00:09:04,140 --> 00:09:02,860

really no question about it like all of

201
00:09:05,520 --> 00:09:04,150
the things that happened during the Bell

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00:09:07,980 --> 00:09:05,530
Island boom are well documented

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00:09:09,750 --> 00:09:07,990
photographed a lot of the witnesses have

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00:09:12,660 --> 00:09:09,760
spoke several times about what had

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00:09:15,300 --> 00:09:12,670
happened including the fire marshal who

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00:09:16,950 --> 00:09:15,310
was sent to investigate but it kind of

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00:09:18,030 --> 00:09:16,960
the official explanation for the Bell

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00:09:19,860 --> 00:09:18,040
Island boom

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00:09:22,920 --> 00:09:19,870
for people who are unfamiliar with that

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00:09:25,440 --> 00:09:22,930
one it was basically an aerial explosion

211
00:09:28,920 --> 00:09:25,450
like the sound basically a loud

212
00:09:30,870 --> 00:09:28,930
explosion in the sky but for some reason

213
00:09:33,150 --> 00:09:30,880

it seemed to create an incredibly

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00:09:37,320 --> 00:09:33,160

bizarre amount of electrical

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00:09:40,950 --> 00:09:37,330

disturbances in this one area of a small

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island in Newfoundland in kind of the

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00:09:45,270 --> 00:09:42,700

electrical disturbances were things like

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00:09:47,970 --> 00:09:45,280

television sets exploding so much

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00:09:50,120 --> 00:09:47,980

electricity passing through the the

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00:09:52,890 --> 00:09:50,130

powerlines like out on the street that

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00:09:54,570 --> 00:09:52,900

there was a trail of ash below the

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00:09:56,760 --> 00:09:54,580

powerlines from like the rubber

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insulation or the rubble rubber casing

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it all melted several homes had to be

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00:10:05,220 --> 00:10:01,900

completely rewired a barn full of

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00:10:07,080 --> 00:10:05,230

chickens that was was collapsed and all

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00:10:09,630 --> 00:10:07,090

of the chickens inside were basically

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00:10:11,970 --> 00:10:09,640

just fried oh the the efficient yeah

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it's a really strange stuff the official

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explanation is that it was a very rare

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type of super-powerful Lightning called

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ball lightning and the official

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00:10:26,910 --> 00:10:23,830

explanation says that the ball lightning

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was amplified even further due to the

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fact that Bell Island has a lot of iron

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deposits so I don't know if it's Caniff

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00:10:36,330 --> 00:10:34,270

that's conductive for electricity or

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00:10:39,450 --> 00:10:36,340

whatnot but that's the official story

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but there's been years and years of

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rumors that it could be anything from a

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UFO event to government testing of

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electromagnetic energy type weapons

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oh yeah the Russians yeah yeah there's

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00:10:57,480 --> 00:10:55,660

been after the original investigation

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00:10:59,370 --> 00:10:57,490

after the Bell Island boom occurred were

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where the government had announced it

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was this ball lightning

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there's bit there were several groups of

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Canadian American and Russian military

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people interviewing and taking

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00:11:15,840 --> 00:11:13,990
photographs and poking around the island

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and the people the Americans were from

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Los Alamos which I guess has a history

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00:11:23,490 --> 00:11:21,790
for testing of experimental weapons and

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00:11:24,780 --> 00:11:23,500
and again there's there's no question

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00:11:26,520 --> 00:11:24,790
about whether or not they were there

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00:11:28,740 --> 00:11:26,530
they were photographed and filmed there

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00:11:30,030 --> 00:11:28,750
then you know that they were there doing

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00:11:31,530 --> 00:11:30,040
that so there's been several

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00:11:33,689 --> 00:11:31,540
documentaries about it and if you go

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00:11:35,790 --> 00:11:33,699
YouTube and just search Bell Island boom

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00:11:38,400 --> 00:11:35,800
you'll find some really fascinating

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00:11:39,720 --> 00:11:38,410

stuff and my episodes are up there

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00:11:41,160 --> 00:11:39,730

there's there's now three of them the

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third one I released features an

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00:11:46,740 --> 00:11:44,079

interview with a woman named Cynthia

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Beckford who was 25 years old at the

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time and she lived in the home where was

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00:11:53,009 --> 00:11:51,310

thought to be Ground Zero she still

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00:11:54,780 --> 00:11:53,019

lives there and still owns the house and

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00:11:56,790 --> 00:11:54,790

so she came kind of out of the shadows

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00:11:58,230 --> 00:11:56,800

and told her story for the first time

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00:12:00,749 --> 00:11:58,240

about what she remembers from that

274

00:12:02,069 --> 00:12:00,759

bizarre day Wow hey you know I can't

275

00:12:05,670 --> 00:12:02,079

believe how much time we've eaten up

276

00:12:07,410 --> 00:12:05,680

already so do you have yeah what do we

277

00:12:10,800 --> 00:12:07,420

have any current events you want to talk

278

00:12:12,569 --> 00:12:10,810

about in the UFO world well the big talk

279

00:12:17,100 --> 00:12:12,579

right now there's really two things one

280

00:12:20,879 --> 00:12:17,110

is the the storm area 51

281

00:12:22,499 --> 00:12:20,889

oh yeah debacle and I'm sure you've said

282

00:12:24,960 --> 00:12:22,509

so much about that on your show at this

283

00:12:27,210 --> 00:12:24,970

point but at the same time that that's

284

00:12:29,519 --> 00:12:27,220

being covered we also have kind of the

285

00:12:32,189 --> 00:12:29,529

opposite side of the spectrum is the the

286

00:12:33,389 --> 00:12:32,199

Navy admitting that a lot of the UFO

287

00:12:37,620 --> 00:12:33,399

footage that has come out and been

288

00:12:39,240 --> 00:12:37,630

released lately is is legit and I find I

289

00:12:42,300 --> 00:12:39,250

kind of find it interesting to see those

290

00:12:45,629 --> 00:12:42,310

stories juggled on the press by the

291

00:12:47,309 --> 00:12:45,639

press one being really making ufology

292

00:12:49,500 --> 00:12:47,319

and this whole thing look bad which is

293

00:12:51,600 --> 00:12:49,510

the whole storm area51 thing and then

294

00:12:53,129 --> 00:12:51,610

the other adding you know credibility to

295

00:12:54,870 --> 00:12:53,139

it so I kind of find it interesting to

296

00:12:57,629 --> 00:12:54,880

see how that's all handled right right

297

00:12:59,069 --> 00:12:57,639

now john greenwald actually is the one

298

00:13:01,019 --> 00:12:59,079

that kind of spawned that whole

299

00:13:03,000 --> 00:13:01,029

conversation with the navy which i think

300

00:13:05,879 --> 00:13:03,010

is pretty amazing i don't know how much

301
00:13:08,040 --> 00:13:05,889
credit he has been given but basically

302
00:13:11,069 --> 00:13:08,050
it was his communication with the the

303
00:13:14,790 --> 00:13:11,079
navy they admitted it with him and in a

304
00:13:16,530 --> 00:13:14,800
document so good for him for he's really

305
00:13:18,240 --> 00:13:16,540
shaking some branches and some

306
00:13:20,370 --> 00:13:18,250
interesting stuff pulling up he's

307
00:13:22,590 --> 00:13:20,380
shaking some interesting branches yes

308
00:13:24,750 --> 00:13:22,600
there's a lot of people that have

309
00:13:27,749 --> 00:13:24,760
different opinions about some of the

310
00:13:29,309 --> 00:13:27,759
documents but you know i have a feeling

311
00:13:31,259 --> 00:13:29,319
you know he's just looking for the truth

312
00:13:33,079 --> 00:13:31,269
that's that's what i you know that's my

313
00:13:36,840 --> 00:13:33,089

thoughts about what John's doing but

314

00:13:39,090 --> 00:13:36,850

anyway about the storm area 51 what type

315

00:13:41,670 --> 00:13:39,100

of have you looked into it you know what

316

00:13:44,009 --> 00:13:41,680

type of turnout I know it was in several

317

00:13:45,240 --> 00:13:44,019

different places did you find out about

318

00:13:47,269 --> 00:13:45,250

that

319

00:13:49,980 --> 00:13:47,279

yeah I was watching it all as it

320

00:13:51,990 --> 00:13:49,990

unfolded basically since since the very

321

00:13:53,910 --> 00:13:52,000

beginning of the whole movement or

322

00:13:56,850 --> 00:13:53,920

whatever you want to call it but there

323

00:13:59,369 --> 00:13:56,860

was a lot of infighting between the the

324

00:14:01,889 --> 00:13:59,379

original person who started the Facebook

325

00:14:04,650 --> 00:14:01,899

group or Facebook event that had the

326
00:14:07,559 --> 00:14:04,660
million people agreeing to storm area 51

327
00:14:10,679 --> 00:14:07,569
and find the aliens the guy who started

328
00:14:13,410 --> 00:14:10,689
that had partnered with a local business

329
00:14:16,980 --> 00:14:13,420
basically to organize an event to

330
00:14:19,019 --> 00:14:16,990
basically like a UFO type festival sort

331
00:14:20,670 --> 00:14:19,029
of like a Woodstock thing but it seemed

332
00:14:22,650 --> 00:14:20,680
like they had a pretty big falling out

333
00:14:24,720 --> 00:14:22,660
eventually there was kind of three

334
00:14:25,499 --> 00:14:24,730
separate events planned one was in Las

335
00:14:29,550 --> 00:14:25,509
Vegas

336
00:14:31,980 --> 00:14:29,560
but in the end on at area 51 a couple

337
00:14:34,530 --> 00:14:31,990
hundred people showed up a lot of the

338
00:14:36,660 --> 00:14:34,540

photos I saw were almost embarrassing a

339

00:14:39,749 --> 00:14:36,670

big parking lot with you know basically

340

00:14:41,069 --> 00:14:39,759

empty save for a few cars and you know

341

00:14:43,679 --> 00:14:41,079

it seemed like everybody that was there

342

00:14:45,660 --> 00:14:43,689

was more like kind of like a youtuber

343

00:14:47,160 --> 00:14:45,670

type there was you know any pictures you

344

00:14:48,840 --> 00:14:47,170

see it's like everybody has a camera out

345

00:14:51,600 --> 00:14:48,850

filming themselves so I think a lot of

346

00:14:53,610 --> 00:14:51,610

the people showed up you know it were

347

00:14:55,619 --> 00:14:53,620

more so people showing up to kind of

348

00:14:57,449 --> 00:14:55,629

document what was happening and you know

349

00:15:00,389 --> 00:14:57,459

the million or so people on Facebook who

350

00:15:02,490 --> 00:15:00,399

were gonna go you know it's just to do

351
00:15:04,980 --> 00:15:02,500
something they they didn't seem to show

352
00:15:06,749 --> 00:15:04,990
up but I think it's it's definitely for

353
00:15:08,929 --> 00:15:06,759
the better while I do too and I think

354
00:15:11,340 --> 00:15:08,939
there was enough people you know saying

355
00:15:14,220 --> 00:15:11,350
putting the warnings out there of what

356
00:15:16,860 --> 00:15:14,230
could happen and you know plea actually

357
00:15:18,689 --> 00:15:16,870
there's was many pleads don't go

358
00:15:20,100 --> 00:15:18,699
you know don't come here Rachel said you

359
00:15:22,379 --> 00:15:20,110
know they really didn't want anyone

360
00:15:24,150 --> 00:15:22,389
there a town of fifty people you know

361
00:15:26,189 --> 00:15:24,160
they have no infrastructure for to

362
00:15:27,780 --> 00:15:26,199
handle anything like that so I guess

363
00:15:29,939 --> 00:15:27,790

that's good but I do know there were

364

00:15:33,119 --> 00:15:29,949

some you know music fest there was even

365

00:15:36,119 --> 00:15:33,129

in Las Vegas not just not just the area

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00:15:37,410 --> 00:15:36,129

around area 51 there was a couple of

367

00:15:39,540 --> 00:15:37,420

events going on I just haven't heard

368

00:15:42,269 --> 00:15:39,550

what the turnout I think one of the

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00:15:44,009 --> 00:15:42,279

turnouts was about 3,000 people but I

370

00:15:47,999 --> 00:15:44,019

don't know of the other I think there

371

00:15:50,540 --> 00:15:48,009

were two more other events that you know

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00:15:54,179 --> 00:15:50,550

that's celebrating all of them were

373

00:15:55,620 --> 00:15:54,189

disappointing turnouts and it's it's

374

00:15:57,900 --> 00:15:55,630

kind of a shame because you know there's

375

00:15:59,100 --> 00:15:57,910

so many UFO conventions and festivals

376

00:16:01,199 --> 00:15:59,110

and stuff across

377

00:16:03,960 --> 00:16:01,209

Canada than the United States it would

378

00:16:06,329 --> 00:16:03,970

be really cool if there was one event

379

00:16:08,120 --> 00:16:06,339

that kind of everybody agreed to and you

380

00:16:10,680 --> 00:16:08,130

know and it was really something special

381

00:16:12,509 --> 00:16:10,690

I don't think that event should be held

382

00:16:16,860 --> 00:16:12,519

in the middle of the desert near a you

383

00:16:19,290 --> 00:16:16,870

know US military base but it's a you

384

00:16:20,819 --> 00:16:19,300

know it had it would have needed to take

385

00:16:24,840 --> 00:16:20,829

a different direction from the very

386

00:16:26,400 --> 00:16:24,850

beginning and this was um you know just

387

00:16:28,620 --> 00:16:26,410

I think it was kind of an embarrassment

388

00:16:31,170 --> 00:16:28,630

and it's one of those things that when

389

00:16:32,790 --> 00:16:31,180

you talk to people that are kind of like

390

00:16:35,699 --> 00:16:32,800

the layman to the topic and you talk

391

00:16:38,370 --> 00:16:35,709

about being interested in UFOs and you

392

00:16:39,990 --> 00:16:38,380

know all these related topics hopefully

393

00:16:41,519 --> 00:16:40,000

they don't think about you know you hope

394

00:16:45,329 --> 00:16:41,529

you're one of those nuts that were going

395

00:16:47,960 --> 00:16:45,339

to storm area 51 yeah you know it's

396

00:16:50,250 --> 00:16:47,970

funny I've had a couple of relatives

397

00:16:52,139 --> 00:16:50,260

because they know I'm into the UFO topic

398

00:16:54,060 --> 00:16:52,149

like well what do you think about that

399

00:16:56,310 --> 00:16:54,070

and you know and and it's like I think

400

00:16:58,500 --> 00:16:56,320

it's actually I think it's foolish for

401
00:17:01,590 --> 00:16:58,510
if someone actually thought they were

402
00:17:05,699 --> 00:17:01,600
going to storm area 50 you know area 51

403
00:17:07,740 --> 00:17:05,709
and actually break in it just was not it

404
00:17:09,750 --> 00:17:07,750
was not a good call and you know after

405
00:17:12,210 --> 00:17:09,760
Facebook took down the site and then

406
00:17:14,340 --> 00:17:12,220
they put it back up because you know the

407
00:17:16,220 --> 00:17:14,350
the person who initiated was saying you

408
00:17:18,809 --> 00:17:16,230
know really let's make it something else

409
00:17:20,429 --> 00:17:18,819
than that but I mean I was glad that

410
00:17:22,100 --> 00:17:20,439
actually Facebook took it down because

411
00:17:23,909 --> 00:17:22,110
they were there was someone asking

412
00:17:26,789 --> 00:17:23,919
everyone to do something illegal

413
00:17:28,799 --> 00:17:26,799

basically yeah

414

00:17:30,659 --> 00:17:28,809

what I thought was interesting and the

415

00:17:33,870 --> 00:17:30,669

story hasn't really been told very much

416

00:17:36,299 --> 00:17:33,880

as you know there's so much discussion

417

00:17:39,210 --> 00:17:36,309

around bob lazar and whether or not he's

418

00:17:41,640 --> 00:17:39,220

legit or whatnot but it turns out he

419

00:17:44,130 --> 00:17:41,650

really had a lot to do with this whole

420

00:17:46,620 --> 00:17:44,140

storm area51 thing which is a you know

421

00:17:49,470 --> 00:17:46,630

in the storm area 51 is a massive story

422

00:17:52,560 --> 00:17:49,480

but it seemed like that documentary

423

00:17:55,289 --> 00:17:52,570

jeremy Korbelt did with bob lazar that

424

00:17:57,930 --> 00:17:55,299

came out and that generated some buzz

425

00:18:00,210 --> 00:17:57,940

but then when jeremy Korbelt and bob

426
00:18:03,450 --> 00:18:00,220
lazar went on the Joe Rogan podcast I

427
00:18:07,440 --> 00:18:03,460
know I I don't know if that was what led

428
00:18:09,419 --> 00:18:07,450
to all of this action but I was I'd

429
00:18:12,060 --> 00:18:09,429
listen to that podcast just recently to

430
00:18:12,810 --> 00:18:12,070
hear bob lazarus talk to Joe Rogan and

431
00:18:16,230 --> 00:18:12,820
near the

432
00:18:17,669 --> 00:18:16,240
end of the interview Bob Lazar said you

433
00:18:19,710 --> 00:18:17,679
know like I don't know if it's a good

434
00:18:20,999 --> 00:18:19,720
idea for me to even have done this like

435
00:18:23,940 --> 00:18:21,009
everything every time I open my mouth

436
00:18:25,889 --> 00:18:23,950
that it creates problems and Joe Rogan

437
00:18:27,360 --> 00:18:25,899
said in response like no this is

438
00:18:28,710 --> 00:18:27,370

different this is going to be good you

439

00:18:29,399 --> 00:18:28,720

know people are gonna hear your side of

440

00:18:31,049 --> 00:18:29,409

the story

441

00:18:32,430 --> 00:18:31,059

and you know and I was just listening to

442

00:18:33,990 --> 00:18:32,440

that a couple days ago and I'm thinking

443

00:18:37,200 --> 00:18:34,000

like Bob Lazar is probably looking at

444

00:18:40,080 --> 00:18:37,210

this storm area51 nonsense and yeah you

445

00:18:42,060 --> 00:18:40,090

know I should have shut up yeah well I

446

00:18:44,539 --> 00:18:42,070

know I hope our guest is being patient

447

00:18:46,950 --> 00:18:44,549

we're at least we're skipping the first

448

00:18:48,720 --> 00:18:46,960

commercial break so he'll have we'll

449

00:18:52,830 --> 00:18:48,730

have some extra minutes there but anyway

450

00:18:55,289 --> 00:18:52,840

I personally thought that you know I

451
00:18:56,490 --> 00:18:55,299
always get email after I say something

452
00:18:58,289 --> 00:18:56,500
like this but I'm gonna say it anyway I

453
00:19:01,409 --> 00:18:58,299
personally thought that you know Joe

454
00:19:04,499 --> 00:19:01,419
Rogan was buying Bob Lazar 100% and I I

455
00:19:07,830 --> 00:19:04,509
just feel like Bob Lazar is being pushed

456
00:19:10,409 --> 00:19:07,840
at us to believe his story which I still

457
00:19:12,389 --> 00:19:10,419
don't and I just don't buy his story but

458
00:19:15,090 --> 00:19:12,399
that's my own personal opinion I know

459
00:19:17,759 --> 00:19:15,100
there's a lot of things that have rung

460
00:19:20,430 --> 00:19:17,769
true that he has been involved in that

461
00:19:22,409 --> 00:19:20,440
he talked about but overall I just feel

462
00:19:25,499 --> 00:19:22,419
like we're being forced to believe his

463
00:19:28,230 --> 00:19:25,509

story and I don't buy it

464

00:19:29,789 --> 00:19:28,240

I just don't buy it it's got to me it's

465

00:19:33,330 --> 00:19:29,799

got a bit of the almost like the

466

00:19:35,369 --> 00:19:33,340

Nostradamus of ufology where he said so

467

00:19:37,860 --> 00:19:35,379

much stuff that every so often you know

468

00:19:40,379 --> 00:19:37,870

things it just works out I think comes

469

00:19:42,450 --> 00:19:40,389

true so if you cherry pick what he got

470

00:19:44,639 --> 00:19:42,460

right you're he's doing pretty good yeah

471

00:19:47,070 --> 00:19:44,649

excellent that's a very good point

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00:19:48,570 --> 00:19:47,080

Jordan as always it's always fun to talk

473

00:19:51,360 --> 00:19:48,580

to you whether we're talking on the

474

00:19:53,340 --> 00:19:51,370

phone or on a podcast it's always a lot

475

00:19:54,690 --> 00:19:53,350

of fun thank you so much and once your

476
00:19:57,480 --> 00:19:54,700
throw out there where people can listen

477
00:19:59,970 --> 00:19:57,490
to your show if you search the nighttime

478
00:20:02,009 --> 00:19:59,980
podcast or go to nighttime podcast calm

479
00:20:03,389 --> 00:20:02,019
them anywhere you can get podcast UFO

480
00:20:07,830 --> 00:20:03,399
you can get my show with the exception

481
00:20:09,600 --> 00:20:07,840
of kgr a radio that's not gonna happen

482
00:20:12,119 --> 00:20:09,610
because you are under contract but

483
00:20:14,430 --> 00:20:12,129
anyway thanks so much thanks for having

484
00:20:16,759 --> 00:20:14,440
me man all right you take care you do

485
00:20:20,669 --> 00:20:16,769
all right our guest of this evening is

486
00:20:24,180 --> 00:20:20,679
Dan right and Dan joined the mutual UFO

487
00:20:26,580 --> 00:20:24,190
network MUFON back in 1978 thereafter he

488
00:20:28,710 --> 00:20:26,590

served variously on its

489

00:20:30,840 --> 00:20:28,720

and board of directors as the

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00:20:33,299 --> 00:20:30,850

organization's deputy director he

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00:20:34,919 --> 00:20:33,309

oversaw thousands of UFO investigations

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00:20:37,649 --> 00:20:34,929

across North America we're going to talk

493

00:20:39,419 --> 00:20:37,659

a little bit about that he wrote three

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00:20:41,580 --> 00:20:39,429

chapters for the MUFON field

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00:20:43,919 --> 00:20:41,590

investigators manual so that's

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00:20:46,710 --> 00:20:43,929

interesting and for five years he

497

00:20:49,529 --> 00:20:46,720

conducted a MUFON project to transcribe

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00:20:52,470 --> 00:20:49,539

and analyze regressive hypnosis sessions

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00:20:54,180 --> 00:20:52,480

related to possible alien abductions I

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00:20:57,570 --> 00:20:54,190

find that very interesting as well

501
00:20:59,880 --> 00:20:57,580
welcome to the show Dan thanks it's

502
00:21:02,370 --> 00:20:59,890
really good to be with you and thanks

503
00:21:05,010 --> 00:21:02,380
for being patient as I mentioned before

504
00:21:08,039 --> 00:21:05,020
we are gonna sail all the way through to

505
00:21:10,740 --> 00:21:08,049
our hour one for a break so we have no

506
00:21:12,600 --> 00:21:10,750
break so it's a little bit extra of a

507
00:21:14,639 --> 00:21:12,610
show and again I thank you for your

508
00:21:19,070 --> 00:21:14,649
patience waiting in the background for

509
00:21:23,490 --> 00:21:19,080
us so Dan I was curious about the area51

510
00:21:26,430 --> 00:21:23,500
discussion folks should know that years

511
00:21:30,029 --> 00:21:26,440
ago all of the saucers and beings and

512
00:21:34,289 --> 00:21:30,039
everything were moved to Utah to a place

513
00:21:38,389 --> 00:21:34,299

that's now called area 52 I could I

514

00:21:42,149 --> 00:21:38,399

thought that's what happened I love that

515

00:21:43,529 --> 00:21:42,159

yeah that's that's really good yeah yeah

516

00:21:48,600 --> 00:21:43,539

all right I like the way this is

517

00:21:51,269 --> 00:21:48,610

starting already Dan so what is your

518

00:21:52,710 --> 00:21:51,279

what what got you involved in the UFO

519

00:21:55,980 --> 00:21:52,720

topic what's what sparked your interest

520

00:21:59,690 --> 00:21:55,990

to begin with okay I'll take a deep

521

00:22:02,100 --> 00:21:59,700

breath this goes back to my father and

522

00:22:05,700 --> 00:22:02,110

1967 he was a truck driver

523

00:22:09,840 --> 00:22:05,710

he drove an 18-wheeler but hauling bread

524

00:22:11,639 --> 00:22:09,850

two terminals outlets were and from

525

00:22:15,210 --> 00:22:11,649

there they were taken to grocery stores

526

00:22:19,680 --> 00:22:15,220

but he was full fledged 18-wheel truck

527

00:22:23,340 --> 00:22:19,690

driver and he very routinely like three

528

00:22:25,320 --> 00:22:23,350

times a week went up the Lake Michigan

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00:22:27,630 --> 00:22:25,330

coast

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00:22:29,850 --> 00:22:27,640

we're from Michigan were the only ones

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00:22:33,840 --> 00:22:29,860

in America who can show you where we

532

00:22:37,889 --> 00:22:33,850

live by holding up a right hand the

533

00:22:40,120 --> 00:22:37,899

mitten facing your face so he'd be going

534

00:22:42,400 --> 00:22:40,130

up the outside

535

00:22:46,200 --> 00:22:42,410

my hand up the little finger and it was

536

00:22:48,910 --> 00:22:46,210

a US highway 131 he had done this

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00:22:51,970 --> 00:22:48,920

literally hundreds of times if not a

538

00:22:55,330 --> 00:22:51,980

thousand he knew every yard light every

539

00:22:57,640 --> 00:22:55,340

tractor path off the road on this

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00:23:00,940 --> 00:22:57,650

particular night he had dumped his load

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00:23:04,720 --> 00:23:00,950

and was coming back down us 131 going

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00:23:06,700 --> 00:23:04,730

south when he noticed he had earlier

543

00:23:09,280 --> 00:23:06,710

noticed that there was a full moon kind

544

00:23:12,610 --> 00:23:09,290

of a Harvest Moon out to the west over

545

00:23:15,340 --> 00:23:12,620

Lake Michigan but now to the east he saw

546

00:23:20,350 --> 00:23:15,350

something that was kind of mimicking

547

00:23:25,660 --> 00:23:20,360

that moon it was spherical and it was

548

00:23:28,990 --> 00:23:25,670

amber to orange coloration it he was

549

00:23:31,900 --> 00:23:29,000

trying to judge how far away it was so

550

00:23:35,290 --> 00:23:31,910

he could tell how big it was he took it

551
00:23:38,110 --> 00:23:35,300
to be like how sized and by that he

552
00:23:43,060 --> 00:23:38,120
would mean his own bungalow which was

553
00:23:46,600 --> 00:23:43,070
about 25 30 feet and in diameter and it

554
00:23:50,950 --> 00:23:46,610
was pulsating over about seven seconds

555
00:23:53,230 --> 00:23:50,960
it would go from very bright to dimming

556
00:23:55,330 --> 00:23:53,240
dimming dimming until there was just a

557
00:23:58,000 --> 00:23:55,340
ring of light around the outside with a

558
00:24:00,100 --> 00:23:58,010
dark Center and then in another seven

559
00:24:03,190 --> 00:24:00,110
seconds it would go back to brightness

560
00:24:05,770 --> 00:24:03,200
and he thought that was pretty strange

561
00:24:08,050 --> 00:24:05,780
he's the only one on the road and he was

562
00:24:10,000 --> 00:24:08,060
hoping that he'd come across another

563
00:24:14,470 --> 00:24:10,010

motorist that he could flash his lights

564

00:24:17,380 --> 00:24:14,480

to and but he didn't and finally after

565

00:24:19,990 --> 00:24:17,390

about 15 miles this thing has stayed

566

00:24:22,240 --> 00:24:20,000

right even with his truck and he thinks

567

00:24:25,090 --> 00:24:22,250

about a quarter mile away going over

568

00:24:28,540 --> 00:24:25,100

farm fields and just oh maybe 20 feet

569

00:24:30,550 --> 00:24:28,550

off the ground he finally decided to

570

00:24:36,100 --> 00:24:30,560

pull his truck over to under the

571

00:24:39,070 --> 00:24:36,110

shoulder and just sat in his cab with

572

00:24:41,770 --> 00:24:39,080

his with the window down staring at this

573

00:24:44,110 --> 00:24:41,780

thing which was doing nothing but this

574

00:24:46,840 --> 00:24:44,120

brightening and dimming when there was a

575

00:24:48,670 --> 00:24:46,850

huge pounding on the rider door of his

576

00:24:51,190 --> 00:24:48,680

truck that set his head to the ceiling

577

00:24:54,040 --> 00:24:51,200

it was a motorist who had been trying to

578

00:24:55,900 --> 00:24:54,050

catch up with this ball of light

579

00:24:59,020 --> 00:24:55,910

and he had pulled up behind my dad's

580

00:25:01,420 --> 00:24:59,030

truck so they got out by the side of it

581

00:25:04,450 --> 00:25:01,430

and just stared for a couple minutes

582

00:25:06,700 --> 00:25:04,460

my dad finally said I've got a gun in

583

00:25:10,720 --> 00:25:06,710

the truck I carry money sometimes so I'm

584

00:25:13,000 --> 00:25:10,730

authorized and I don't think I could

585

00:25:15,040 --> 00:25:13,010

pull my truck into it but I know just up

586

00:25:17,650 --> 00:25:15,050

here 50 yards there's a tractor pass

587

00:25:20,140 --> 00:25:17,660

into that field we could get into your

588

00:25:22,630 --> 00:25:20,150

car and get really close to this thing

589

00:25:26,190 --> 00:25:22,640

and the other guy said you know I think

590

00:25:29,290 --> 00:25:26,200

I'm about as close as I want right now

591

00:25:32,110 --> 00:25:29,300

he just barely had those words out of

592

00:25:34,030 --> 00:25:32,120

his mouth when in an instant it

593

00:25:37,990 --> 00:25:34,040

approached from a quarter mile away to

594

00:25:40,390 --> 00:25:38,000

within a hundred yards silently old

595

00:25:42,700 --> 00:25:40,400

pulsating well that put the other guy

596

00:25:46,630 --> 00:25:42,710

over the edge he threw gravel with his

597

00:25:48,820 --> 00:25:46,640

tires getting out of there my dad he had

598

00:25:53,080 --> 00:25:48,830

been a world war two veteran he was a

599

00:25:55,090 --> 00:25:53,090

kind of a tough guy and but with the

600

00:25:57,550 --> 00:25:55,100

other guy gone he didn't have quite

601
00:26:01,450 --> 00:25:57,560
enough courage to walk into that field

602
00:26:04,750 --> 00:26:01,460
by himself so he finally started up the

603
00:26:07,060 --> 00:26:04,760
truck again went up over a long hill and

604
00:26:10,120 --> 00:26:07,070
he looked in his rearview mirror as he

605
00:26:13,750 --> 00:26:10,130
reached the crest and it had stayed over

606
00:26:15,640 --> 00:26:13,760
that field so a dockworker back at the

607
00:26:16,980 --> 00:26:15,650
bakery said you look like you've seen a

608
00:26:20,680 --> 00:26:16,990
ghost

609
00:26:22,540 --> 00:26:20,690
that morning instead of his standard

610
00:26:23,530 --> 00:26:22,550
routine of eating breakfast and then

611
00:26:25,690 --> 00:26:23,540
going to bed

612
00:26:28,630 --> 00:26:25,700
he ate breakfast and then went to a

613
00:26:32,350 --> 00:26:28,640

bookstore and he bought every UFO book

614

00:26:34,980 --> 00:26:32,360

on their shelves well over the years he

615

00:26:38,020 --> 00:26:34,990

started passing them on to me I was a

616

00:26:39,910 --> 00:26:38,030

junior in college when this occurred I

617

00:26:41,410 --> 00:26:39,920

was home a couple of weeks later and I

618

00:26:44,830 --> 00:26:41,420

heard the story and I thought well

619

00:26:49,150 --> 00:26:44,840

that's that's strange but I didn't have

620

00:26:51,490 --> 00:26:49,160

any compelling notion about it but over

621

00:26:53,860 --> 00:26:51,500

the years he was passing these books on

622

00:26:57,100 --> 00:26:53,870

to me and I was reading them and finally

623

00:26:59,620 --> 00:26:57,110

by 78 I said you know I think I want to

624

00:27:03,250 --> 00:26:59,630

be part of the solution to this thing so

625

00:27:05,530 --> 00:27:03,260

I joined MUFON because unlike the Center

626
00:27:07,100 --> 00:27:05,540
for UFO studies MUFON did actual

627
00:27:09,799 --> 00:27:07,110
investigations

628
00:27:12,259 --> 00:27:09,809
and I started as a local investigator

629
00:27:14,659 --> 00:27:12,269
and became a state director for several

630
00:27:17,630 --> 00:27:14,669
years and then I was appointed to the

631
00:27:18,680 --> 00:27:17,640
MUFON board of directors and it carried

632
00:27:24,200 --> 00:27:18,690
on from there

633
00:27:27,769 --> 00:27:24,210
Wow ah that same year of 78 I had two

634
00:27:30,940 --> 00:27:27,779
close encounters of my own just 19 days

635
00:27:34,940 --> 00:27:30,950
apart I'll try to handle these quickly

636
00:27:39,730 --> 00:27:34,950
the first one occurred as I was driving

637
00:27:42,950 --> 00:27:39,740
with a I was riding with a driver on

638
00:27:48,350 --> 00:27:42,960

i-94 which connects Detroit and Chicago

639

00:27:51,440 --> 00:27:48,360

and we were in the cornfields near not

640

00:27:53,600 --> 00:27:51,450

too far from Battle Creek just moving

641

00:27:55,310 --> 00:27:53,610

along headed toward Kalamazoo where we

642

00:27:57,970 --> 00:27:55,320

were going to pick up on some work the

643

00:28:02,180 --> 00:27:57,980

next day when I saw something

644

00:28:04,850 --> 00:28:02,190

approaching us it was beyond the

645

00:28:07,639 --> 00:28:04,860

eastbound lanes and kind of a line of

646

00:28:10,970 --> 00:28:07,649

trees that so often interstates have but

647

00:28:14,029 --> 00:28:10,980

I could tell is with glimpses of it that

648

00:28:17,060 --> 00:28:14,039

this wasn't a regular aircraft it had

649

00:28:19,490 --> 00:28:17,070

two red lights as if you would have a

650

00:28:23,509 --> 00:28:19,500

red light on each wingtip well that

651
00:28:27,620 --> 00:28:23,519
would violate FAA rules so I told her to

652
00:28:29,899 --> 00:28:27,630
stop the car and she pulled off and I'll

653
00:28:32,750 --> 00:28:29,909
always think until the day I died that

654
00:28:36,320 --> 00:28:32,760
this thing reacted to our stopping the

655
00:28:39,250 --> 00:28:36,330
car because it made a very tight left

656
00:28:43,129 --> 00:28:39,260
turn and came right down over us just

657
00:28:46,009 --> 00:28:43,139
maybe 200 feet above us it was what some

658
00:28:48,529 --> 00:28:46,019
people call a boomerang others say a

659
00:28:50,539 --> 00:28:48,539
triangle and I understand why because

660
00:28:53,750 --> 00:28:50,549
the shape of it it kind of splits the

661
00:28:58,039 --> 00:28:53,760
difference the the back side of it is

662
00:29:01,340 --> 00:28:58,049
kind of indented but it was Oh as big or

663
00:29:04,639 --> 00:29:01,350

bigger than a b-52 in this triangle

664

00:29:08,149 --> 00:29:04,649

shape it was all black kind of a

665

00:29:12,740 --> 00:29:08,159

charcoal black there was no door no

666

00:29:16,250 --> 00:29:12,750

window no insignia it was just a mass

667

00:29:18,950 --> 00:29:16,260

and as it passed over us a couple

668

00:29:20,640 --> 00:29:18,960

hundred feet up it was only doing maybe

669

00:29:23,880 --> 00:29:20,650

20 miles an hour

670

00:29:27,570 --> 00:29:23,890

it went over a a farm field that had

671

00:29:31,320 --> 00:29:27,580

just been harvested from corn and it did

672

00:29:35,160 --> 00:29:31,330

such an incredible turnaround there of

673

00:29:37,590 --> 00:29:35,170

us a circular motion but using only a

674

00:29:41,610 --> 00:29:37,600

matter of several feet almost like a

675

00:29:45,270 --> 00:29:41,620

ballerinas pirouette and by now it's

676
00:29:47,850 --> 00:29:45,280
doing jogging speed and it moved over a

677
00:29:50,540 --> 00:29:47,860
little clump of trees in the middle of

678
00:29:54,270 --> 00:29:50,550
that field and just stopped and hovered

679
00:29:57,870 --> 00:29:54,280
silent well as it was in the midst of

680
00:30:02,250 --> 00:29:57,880
performing that the woman shouted at me

681
00:30:05,549 --> 00:30:02,260
run Dan run after it at the time I was a

682
00:30:08,460 --> 00:30:05,559
road runner so I thought yeah great idea

683
00:30:10,950 --> 00:30:08,470
and I'm looking kind of up at it as I

684
00:30:14,460 --> 00:30:10,960
start running forward forgetting that

685
00:30:16,970 --> 00:30:14,470
every interstate has a wire fence and I

686
00:30:20,340 --> 00:30:16,980
bound it off that like a trampoline

687
00:30:23,040 --> 00:30:20,350
landed on my butt and my first thought

688
00:30:26,760 --> 00:30:23,050

was great I just really impressed those

689

00:30:28,919 --> 00:30:26,770

people whoever's in the tip beam us up

690

00:30:33,090 --> 00:30:28,929

Scotty there's no intelligent life down

691

00:30:35,610 --> 00:30:33,100

here but at the same time as that

692

00:30:39,410 --> 00:30:35,620

embarrassment I was getting a queasy

693

00:30:42,540 --> 00:30:39,420

feeling that was certainly it wasn't

694

00:30:46,049 --> 00:30:42,550

external it was just me feeling like I

695

00:30:48,690 --> 00:30:46,059

don't know if I should try to climb this

696

00:30:51,330 --> 00:30:48,700

fence and walk over to it it's I'm not

697

00:30:54,530 --> 00:30:51,340

supposed to do that I'm supposed to just

698

00:30:57,419 --> 00:30:54,540

stand here and watch this finally I saw

699

00:30:59,370 --> 00:30:57,429

taillights of a car on a dirt road that

700

00:31:02,250 --> 00:30:59,380

was set back a couple of hundred yards

701
00:31:06,000 --> 00:31:02,260
from the interstate and I took a chance

702
00:31:08,850 --> 00:31:06,010
that that was also somebody taking in

703
00:31:14,430 --> 00:31:08,860
this event I raced down that corn roll

704
00:31:17,310 --> 00:31:14,440
and found a 40-ish man and his

705
00:31:19,950 --> 00:31:17,320
adolescent son outside their car and

706
00:31:23,280 --> 00:31:19,960
looking at this same boomerang if you

707
00:31:26,040 --> 00:31:23,290
will so I as I was telling them the

708
00:31:29,730 --> 00:31:26,050
early part of this how the woman and I

709
00:31:33,600 --> 00:31:29,740
came to encounter it it very slowly

710
00:31:34,140 --> 00:31:33,610
started moving jogging speed and then 15

711
00:31:36,900 --> 00:31:34,150
or

712
00:31:39,510 --> 00:31:36,910
and so on picked up speed staying very

713
00:31:42,660 --> 00:31:39,520

close to the ground until it was out of

714

00:31:45,630 --> 00:31:42,670

sight that was the end of event one

715

00:31:49,800 --> 00:31:45,640

number two happened two weeks and five

716

00:31:51,960 --> 00:31:49,810

days later it's a Friday night and I was

717

00:31:54,900 --> 00:31:51,970

hooked up at that point early on I'm

718

00:31:56,850 --> 00:31:54,910

very green and as an investigator only

719

00:31:59,430 --> 00:31:56,860

been with MUFON for a matter of months

720

00:32:03,000 --> 00:31:59,440

but I was hooked up with the local

721

00:32:06,990 --> 00:32:03,010

police departments and and State

722

00:32:09,870 --> 00:32:07,000

Department airports they don't want

723

00:32:12,840 --> 00:32:09,880

these calls and MUFON does so it's a

724

00:32:15,600 --> 00:32:12,850

nice arrangement I got three calls

725

00:32:18,180 --> 00:32:15,610

through the Lansing Police in about ten

726

00:32:21,000 --> 00:32:18,190

minutes on this Friday evening they were

727

00:32:24,240 --> 00:32:21,010

all talking about an individual red

728

00:32:28,080 --> 00:32:24,250

light like volleyball or basketball size

729

00:32:31,080 --> 00:32:28,090

that was floating and hovering around a

730

00:32:34,950 --> 00:32:31,090

major river that goes through Lansing

731

00:32:38,190 --> 00:32:34,960

the capital I lived in a town about ten

732

00:32:41,370 --> 00:32:38,200

miles west of Lansing so I went out into

733

00:32:45,360 --> 00:32:41,380

my backyard as dusk was falling thinking

734

00:32:48,060 --> 00:32:45,370

maybe I'll get lucky or I'll figure out

735

00:32:50,010 --> 00:32:48,070

that this is something normal that's you

736

00:32:53,880 --> 00:32:50,020

know where most of our investigations

737

00:32:57,570 --> 00:32:53,890

lead something that I can explain to

738

00:32:59,970 --> 00:32:57,580

them so as I was watching and stars are

739

00:33:03,350 --> 00:32:59,980

starting to pop out as the darkness is

740

00:33:07,530 --> 00:33:03,360

falling what I thought were two stars

741

00:33:09,900 --> 00:33:07,540

suddenly started moving one looked like

742

00:33:13,620 --> 00:33:09,910

it was going down but actually in

743

00:33:16,320 --> 00:33:13,630

retrospect it was moving away and so the

744

00:33:18,840 --> 00:33:16,330

the appearance was that it was lowering

745

00:33:20,880 --> 00:33:18,850

in the sky the other one looked like it

746

00:33:23,810 --> 00:33:20,890

was rising and that's because it was

747

00:33:27,990 --> 00:33:23,820

coming closer to where I lived and

748

00:33:31,200 --> 00:33:28,000

rising up in and my from my perspective

749

00:33:34,080 --> 00:33:31,210

as it got closer I could tell this is

750

00:33:37,800 --> 00:33:34,090

not one light this is four lights and

751

00:33:41,250 --> 00:33:37,810

they're in a square about ten feet to a

752

00:33:44,040 --> 00:33:41,260

side at opposite corners were two red

753

00:33:47,910 --> 00:33:44,050

lights and two green lights and they

754

00:33:52,490 --> 00:33:47,920

were blinking at just about this pace

755

00:33:55,200 --> 00:33:52,500

blink blink they went past my town and

756

00:33:57,150 --> 00:33:55,210

continued west well again

757

00:33:59,670 --> 00:33:57,160

I didn't know a whole lot about the UFO

758

00:34:02,610 --> 00:33:59,680

subject but I knew that every airplane

759

00:34:04,740 --> 00:34:02,620

in the world could have only one green

760

00:34:09,690 --> 00:34:04,750

light this head - mm-hmm

761

00:34:14,460 --> 00:34:09,700

so I shouted in to my then wife who is

762

00:34:19,890 --> 00:34:14,470

so taken by this subject that she went

763

00:34:23,159 --> 00:34:19,900

back in to do the dishes she she was

764

00:34:26,310 --> 00:34:23,169

really envious of my interest in this

765

00:34:28,590 --> 00:34:26,320

and people out there are nodding yeah

766

00:34:31,130 --> 00:34:28,600

those who have been involved in UFO

767

00:34:33,150 --> 00:34:31,140

investigations it can strain a

768

00:34:36,090 --> 00:34:33,160

relationship mm-hmm

769

00:34:39,390 --> 00:34:36,100

so I shouted in I've got a drive and I

770

00:34:43,680 --> 00:34:39,400

jumped into my Mustang and tore out onto

771

00:34:47,220 --> 00:34:43,690

the road going farther west by now these

772

00:34:51,150 --> 00:34:47,230

lights are most of a half-mile ahead of

773

00:34:53,310 --> 00:34:51,160

me and I'm straining with my eyes I did

774

00:34:56,010 --> 00:34:53,320

have good vision trying to figure out

775

00:34:58,260 --> 00:34:56,020

what these lights were attached to and I

776
00:35:00,960 --> 00:34:58,270
finally realized they're not attached to

777
00:35:03,870 --> 00:35:00,970
anything they're just for volleyball

778
00:35:08,070 --> 00:35:03,880
sighs lights at about ten feet apart

779
00:35:11,550 --> 00:35:08,080
that are floating along down over this

780
00:35:14,940 --> 00:35:11,560
road as we got close to an another

781
00:35:17,670 --> 00:35:14,950
village some seven miles west of my

782
00:35:20,400 --> 00:35:17,680
house suddenly as we were approaching

783
00:35:23,430 --> 00:35:20,410
that the lights shot across the road at

784
00:35:26,820 --> 00:35:23,440
an angle this little village is set back

785
00:35:29,520 --> 00:35:26,830
from from the road about 50 yards or so

786
00:35:33,030 --> 00:35:29,530
and as it went over that little one

787
00:35:37,170 --> 00:35:33,040
block Business District as it were of

788
00:35:40,530 --> 00:35:37,180

the village the whole sky from the

789

00:35:44,340 --> 00:35:40,540

ground to many thousands of feet up lit

790

00:35:46,650 --> 00:35:44,350

up for an instant that gave me the

791

00:35:49,260 --> 00:35:46,660

impression well he just took a flash

792

00:35:52,800 --> 00:35:49,270

photo of this village which is just a

793

00:35:54,870 --> 00:35:52,810

nothing place but the lights kept going

794

00:35:57,270 --> 00:35:54,880

on a Northwest direction and I knew

795

00:35:58,950 --> 00:35:57,280

there were road went straight West so I

796

00:36:01,650 --> 00:35:58,960

didn't it's going to have to get off it

797

00:36:04,049 --> 00:36:01,660

if I was still gonna chase these things

798

00:36:05,970 --> 00:36:04,059

so I found a gravel road to the north

799

00:36:09,140 --> 00:36:05,980

and then one to the west and another

800

00:36:12,240 --> 00:36:09,150

north and so on but in the process I'm

801
00:36:14,910 --> 00:36:12,250
falling farther and farther behind these

802
00:36:17,370 --> 00:36:14,920
lights they're doing as they say how the

803
00:36:20,759 --> 00:36:17,380
crow flies that the lights were going

804
00:36:23,940 --> 00:36:20,769
straight and I wasn't the roads were

805
00:36:26,370 --> 00:36:23,950
very rollin I'm doing way too fast

806
00:36:30,839 --> 00:36:26,380
hoping I don't encounter another car

807
00:36:33,329 --> 00:36:30,849
coming the other way when after several

808
00:36:35,130 --> 00:36:33,339
minutes of this and I'm questioning Dan

809
00:36:38,730 --> 00:36:35,140
you putting your life at risk now is

810
00:36:41,789 --> 00:36:38,740
this worth it and I'm thinking that over

811
00:36:45,660 --> 00:36:41,799
when I came into a clearing and there

812
00:36:48,509 --> 00:36:45,670
they were hovering over a farm field and

813
00:36:50,819 --> 00:36:48,519

I pulled off onto a driveway there was a

814

00:36:55,859 --> 00:36:50,829

farmhouse way back that was dark

815

00:36:59,519 --> 00:36:55,869

I put pulled my car into an angle to

816

00:37:02,279 --> 00:36:59,529

face these lights and I knew nothing

817

00:37:05,099 --> 00:37:02,289

about Morse code but I started flashing

818

00:37:07,970 --> 00:37:05,109

my headlights over and over in the same

819

00:37:10,710 --> 00:37:07,980

pattern kind of mimicking Morse code

820

00:37:14,339 --> 00:37:10,720

thinking I want to get something other

821

00:37:18,420 --> 00:37:14,349

than this monotonous red green blinking

822

00:37:20,249 --> 00:37:18,430

but that did no good so after some three

823

00:37:23,190 --> 00:37:20,259

minutes or five minutes of that I

824

00:37:25,680 --> 00:37:23,200

thought well it's time to do what you

825

00:37:28,499 --> 00:37:25,690

always said you do on the interstate you

826

00:37:32,069 --> 00:37:28,509

didn't walk over to him walk over to

827

00:37:34,349 --> 00:37:32,079

this so I opened the door of my Mustang

828

00:37:39,509 --> 00:37:34,359

and I stood up between the body and the

829

00:37:42,390 --> 00:37:39,519

car door and like BAM my, my mind went

830

00:37:44,940 --> 00:37:42,400

blank I don't know how long I stood

831

00:37:46,920 --> 00:37:44,950

there in that same spot between the body

832

00:37:47,460 --> 00:37:46,930

and the door of my car could have been a

833

00:37:51,049 --> 00:37:47,470

minute

834

00:37:54,359 --> 00:37:51,059

could have been an hour when I came to

835

00:37:56,670 --> 00:37:54,369

consciousness again I'm you know I'm

836

00:37:59,519 --> 00:37:56,680

confused thinking what the hell was that

837

00:38:01,730 --> 00:37:59,529

weird the lights go they're not in front

838

00:38:04,620 --> 00:38:01,740

of me anymore and I whirled around

839

00:38:08,069 --> 00:38:04,630

instinctively and now they're behind me

840

00:38:11,910 --> 00:38:08,079

in an adjacent field still just over the

841

00:38:15,549 --> 00:38:11,920

ground 1012 feet up still blink blinking

842

00:38:18,449 --> 00:38:15,559

red and green the thought of walking

843

00:38:22,269 --> 00:38:18,459

over to them does not occur to me again

844

00:38:25,420 --> 00:38:22,279

instead I got another queasy feeling I'm

845

00:38:28,029 --> 00:38:25,430

intruding on something whoever's behind

846

00:38:31,479 --> 00:38:28,039

these lights they've got an agenda and

847

00:38:34,839 --> 00:38:31,489

I'm holding them up I've got to drive

848

00:38:38,799 --> 00:38:34,849

home started my car and drove away

849

00:38:41,469 --> 00:38:38,809

and I've probably been asked by jaw a

850

00:38:46,829 --> 00:38:41,479

gate people a hundred times since then

851
00:38:49,989 --> 00:38:46,839
you confronted a UFO and you drove away

852
00:38:54,339 --> 00:38:49,999
yes yes I did

853
00:38:58,299 --> 00:38:54,349
Wow but that while it was visually it

854
00:39:01,029 --> 00:38:58,309
was less stunning and then that original

855
00:39:03,160 --> 00:39:01,039
boomerang or triangle the same one that

856
00:39:07,329 --> 00:39:03,170
was responsible for the Hudson Valley

857
00:39:10,799 --> 00:39:07,339
sightings and 81 82 83 I just happened

858
00:39:16,420 --> 00:39:10,809
to see it a little earlier in 78 but

859
00:39:21,489 --> 00:39:16,430
yeah that was the second one really

860
00:39:25,359 --> 00:39:21,499
played on me it bothered me to the point

861
00:39:29,469 --> 00:39:25,369
I had to stay in in this application for

862
00:39:32,769 --> 00:39:29,479
the rest of my life Wow interesting you

863
00:39:35,289 --> 00:39:32,779

know you talk about this square I had a

864

00:39:40,089 --> 00:39:35,299

friend that had an account encounter of

865

00:39:42,609 --> 00:39:40,099

like a square like box shaped object now

866

00:39:46,059 --> 00:39:42,619

that started out as looking like a craft

867

00:39:49,120 --> 00:39:46,069

and then he he basically said it

868

00:39:52,749 --> 00:39:49,130

eventually looked like it exploded into

869

00:39:55,179 --> 00:39:52,759

I think he said five lights that made a

870

00:39:57,549 --> 00:39:55,189

formation and and were reacting to each

871

00:40:00,669 --> 00:39:57,559

other which is such a bizarre story but

872

00:40:03,429 --> 00:40:00,679

you don't hear of too many like square

873

00:40:06,249 --> 00:40:03,439

type objects I think Jan Harrison had

874

00:40:07,359 --> 00:40:06,259

had something of the orange thing Square

875

00:40:09,069 --> 00:40:07,369

or something like that but you don't

876

00:40:11,739 --> 00:40:09,079

hear of a lot of square type objects

877

00:40:13,479 --> 00:40:11,749

right right in Lansing when I was

878

00:40:16,779 --> 00:40:13,489

starting out investigating there was a

879

00:40:21,189 --> 00:40:16,789

family that had a an encounter with a

880

00:40:26,489 --> 00:40:21,199

shoebox as they put it shaped it was

881

00:40:29,260 --> 00:40:26,499

perhaps 20 feet by 30 feet it was big

882

00:40:32,920 --> 00:40:29,270

the one of there

883

00:40:35,920 --> 00:40:32,930

children was outside feeding one of

884

00:40:38,530 --> 00:40:35,930

their dogs and noticed a reflection in

885

00:40:40,600 --> 00:40:38,540

the dog's eyes and looked up and this

886

00:40:43,870 --> 00:40:40,610

thing is going right overhead the bottom

887

00:40:46,690 --> 00:40:43,880

of it was hundreds they thought of

888

00:40:49,300 --> 00:40:46,700

lights but it was shoebox shaped and

889

00:40:53,170 --> 00:40:49,310

belongs on the west side of Lansing and

890

00:40:55,810 --> 00:40:53,180

continued very slowly to a GM plant that

891

00:40:58,420 --> 00:40:55,820

was there and it was last seen hovering

892

00:41:00,550 --> 00:40:58,430

over one of the buildings of that GM

893

00:41:02,680 --> 00:41:00,560

factory interesting

894

00:41:04,960 --> 00:41:02,690

no we haven't even talked ordinary

895

00:41:06,340 --> 00:41:04,970

people with extraordinary accounts

896

00:41:08,230 --> 00:41:06,350

that's right you know we haven't even

897

00:41:10,240 --> 00:41:08,240

really touched on anything about what

898

00:41:12,730 --> 00:41:10,250

your books about yet I definitely want

899

00:41:16,750 --> 00:41:12,740

to get into that but before I do just a

900

00:41:20,500 --> 00:41:16,760

question you started MUFON back in 1978

901
00:41:23,080 --> 00:41:20,510
what was MUFON like then compared to now

902
00:41:24,880 --> 00:41:23,090
was it basically the same you know if

903
00:41:26,860 --> 00:41:24,890
you took away all that yeah it worked it

904
00:41:31,720 --> 00:41:26,870
wasn't a lot different it had been

905
00:41:35,980 --> 00:41:31,730
founded in 69 by Walt Andrus was an

906
00:41:39,340 --> 00:41:35,990
engineer I believe from Motorola first

907
00:41:42,880 --> 00:41:39,350
in near Missouri I think in Illinois but

908
00:41:46,030 --> 00:41:42,890
near Missouri and then his job got

909
00:41:49,450 --> 00:41:46,040
switched to Texas and so he took the

910
00:41:52,810 --> 00:41:49,460
organization with him there it it had

911
00:41:55,240 --> 00:41:52,820
grown rather quickly up to about a

912
00:41:58,480 --> 00:41:55,250
thousand or so and then it just stayed

913
00:42:02,230 --> 00:41:58,490

about that same number for any number of

914

00:42:04,120 --> 00:42:02,240

years now I think there's about 3,500 in

915

00:42:08,230 --> 00:42:04,130

the organization but it's never been

916

00:42:11,200 --> 00:42:08,240

huge right from the very beginning they

917

00:42:14,320 --> 00:42:11,210

had an annual conference that they call

918

00:42:16,900 --> 00:42:14,330

a symposium it's more formal than a lot

919

00:42:19,630 --> 00:42:16,910

of conferences where there are 10 or a

920

00:42:23,620 --> 00:42:19,640

dozen speakers they they would do this

921

00:42:25,890 --> 00:42:23,630

every year but other than that it was

922

00:42:27,160 --> 00:42:25,900

left to the individual state

923

00:42:30,340 --> 00:42:27,170

organizations

924

00:42:33,300 --> 00:42:30,350

I had an organization that was I got up

925

00:42:37,030 --> 00:42:33,310

to about 50 members I guess and and it

926

00:42:39,480 --> 00:42:37,040

advanced from there after I left it and

927

00:42:43,060 --> 00:42:39,490

we had quarterly meetings you know you

928

00:42:46,470 --> 00:42:43,070

don't want to overwhelm people with this

929

00:42:50,230 --> 00:42:46,480

but they want to get together frequently

930

00:42:53,260 --> 00:42:50,240

MUFON always had a monthly periodical

931

00:42:55,630 --> 00:42:53,270

called the UFO journal and that is still

932

00:42:58,930 --> 00:42:55,640

going now after we just celebrated our

933

00:42:59,500 --> 00:42:58,940

50th anniversary as an organization this

934

00:43:02,320 --> 00:42:59,510

summer

935

00:43:04,510 --> 00:43:02,330

yeah that's oh it's the short answer is

936

00:43:08,290 --> 00:43:04,520

it's not a lot different than it ever

937

00:43:10,620 --> 00:43:08,300

was uh-huh and let's let's talk about

938

00:43:14,440 --> 00:43:10,630

your book because I I would like to know

939

00:43:16,510 --> 00:43:14,450

the genesis of what made you what made

940

00:43:20,080 --> 00:43:16,520

you you know dive into this first of all

941

00:43:22,870 --> 00:43:20,090

Bert let's talk about you know what the

942

00:43:25,890 --> 00:43:22,880

CIA lead that yeah idle is the title it

943

00:43:32,190 --> 00:43:25,900

starts with a though and there's no

944

00:43:34,990 --> 00:43:32,200

possessive word in it it's the CIA UFO

945

00:43:37,720 --> 00:43:35,000

papers I'm sorry I got that it's on

946

00:43:40,120 --> 00:43:37,730

Amazon its eldest some bookstores now

947

00:43:43,750 --> 00:43:40,130

but you can find it on Amazon I don't

948

00:43:48,580 --> 00:43:43,760

have the ISBN on me right now but just

949

00:43:52,060 --> 00:43:48,590

my name dan right and the UFO I mean the

950

00:43:54,960 --> 00:43:52,070

CIA UFO papers I got you saying it wrong

951

00:43:58,180 --> 00:43:54,970

so I just I just put it up I don't I

952

00:44:03,340 --> 00:43:58,190

just put it up on the genesis of that is

953

00:44:07,090 --> 00:44:03,350

I will always thank Barack Obama that in

954

00:44:11,740 --> 00:44:07,100

the final week of his presidency he

955

00:44:16,630 --> 00:44:11,750

directed the CIA to go to the National

956

00:44:20,800 --> 00:44:16,640

Archives where they had put UFO CIA

957

00:44:23,590 --> 00:44:20,810

related UFO research papers for many

958

00:44:26,320 --> 00:44:23,600

years this were documents that had once

959

00:44:30,370 --> 00:44:26,330

been classified had been released under

960

00:44:33,070 --> 00:44:30,380

FOIA but to view them you had to go to

961

00:44:36,190 --> 00:44:33,080

the National Archives and use one of

962

00:44:40,200 --> 00:44:36,200

their four desktop computers you

963

00:44:45,490 --> 00:44:40,210

couldn't copy anything it was just

964

00:44:48,250 --> 00:44:45,500

cumbersome and so Obama directed them to

965

00:44:52,510 --> 00:44:48,260

put all the stuff on their own website

966

00:44:56,650 --> 00:44:52,520

the CIA website which they did and then

967

00:45:02,620 --> 00:44:56,660

some I heard about this it was

968

00:45:07,930 --> 00:45:02,630

January 17 of of of 2017 when this all

969

00:45:10,450 --> 00:45:07,940

that transfer occurred I phoned Jan

970

00:45:12,690 --> 00:45:10,460

Harrison now the international director

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00:45:15,279 --> 00:45:12,700

or the executive director of MUFON and

972

00:45:18,819 --> 00:45:15,289

figuring that he was already putting a

973

00:45:22,210 --> 00:45:18,829

group together I would join the effort

974

00:45:25,089 --> 00:45:22,220

to see what there was to be seen from

975

00:45:27,190 --> 00:45:25,099

these files and Jan said well actually

976
00:45:30,220 --> 00:45:27,200
there is no such group but you're free

977
00:45:32,260 --> 00:45:30,230
to create one hmm so I thought well

978
00:45:35,079 --> 00:45:32,270
before I start prevailing on other

979
00:45:36,670 --> 00:45:35,089
people to put in a great deal of effort

980
00:45:41,500 --> 00:45:36,680
on this I'd better get the lay of the

981
00:45:44,740 --> 00:45:41,510
land I opened up now the CIA had said

982
00:45:48,789 --> 00:45:44,750
that they had just released a million

983
00:45:51,069 --> 00:45:48,799
pages on UFOs well it wasn't a million

984
00:45:53,829 --> 00:45:51,079
pages of anything it was about a hundred

985
00:45:57,400 --> 00:45:53,839
and twenty thousand maybe pages of

986
00:46:01,660 --> 00:45:57,410
something but as I started pouring into

987
00:46:05,490 --> 00:46:01,670
him I started shaking my head everything

988
00:46:08,650 --> 00:46:05,500

under the Sun was in these files

989

00:46:11,680 --> 00:46:08,660

virtually none of it 2% of it was

990

00:46:15,190 --> 00:46:11,690

actually ufo-related if you wanted to

991

00:46:21,460 --> 00:46:15,200

know all about Bulgaria's rail tonnage

992

00:46:24,460 --> 00:46:21,470

in 1956 it was there UFO's not so much

993

00:46:28,150 --> 00:46:24,470

so it took me five months of just

994

00:46:30,730 --> 00:46:28,160

sorting and reading to get all through

995

00:46:34,599 --> 00:46:30,740

all the chaff and find the wheat and I

996

00:46:38,410 --> 00:46:34,609

ended up with 550 documents that at

997

00:46:41,589 --> 00:46:38,420

least in part were UFO related most of

998

00:46:44,349 --> 00:46:41,599

these were reports sent in from various

999

00:46:47,170 --> 00:46:44,359

places in Europe and North Africa on

1000

00:46:54,880 --> 00:46:47,180

what was happening locally what locals

1001
00:46:58,210 --> 00:46:54,890
had seen in the sky so I called back to

1002
00:47:00,519 --> 00:46:58,220
Jan arson has said you know it's not

1003
00:47:01,660 --> 00:47:00,529
such a big deal that I have to have a

1004
00:47:04,539 --> 00:47:01,670
group for this

1005
00:47:07,240 --> 00:47:04,549
I think I'll since I'm already started

1006
00:47:09,710 --> 00:47:07,250
I'll just go ahead with it and see where

1007
00:47:15,109 --> 00:47:11,660
the book came together quite quickly

1008
00:47:19,450 --> 00:47:15,119
from there I I was a career researcher

1009
00:47:23,540 --> 00:47:19,460
and and technical writer and so a

1010
00:47:26,540 --> 00:47:23,550
writing of a book that way wasn't a big

1011
00:47:30,320 --> 00:47:26,550
deal for me and in seven months I got it

1012
00:47:34,270 --> 00:47:30,330
finished and Jan found us a publisher of

1013
00:47:37,849 --> 00:47:34,280

esoteric material and it went from there

1014

00:47:40,400 --> 00:47:37,859

and what's your response since you've

1015

00:47:45,050 --> 00:47:40,410

had the book out have you had a lot of

1016

00:47:47,599 --> 00:47:45,060

good feedback since it's been out and

1017

00:47:48,920 --> 00:47:47,609

nobody has written to me or phoned me to

1018

00:47:52,960 --> 00:47:48,930

say Wow

1019

00:47:57,440 --> 00:47:52,970

well a couple of friends I've been doing

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00:48:00,800 --> 00:47:57,450

podcasts and AM radio since then and I

1021

00:48:03,470 --> 00:48:00,810

don't know what the what the audience is

1022

00:48:06,560 --> 00:48:03,480

I you know I guess they say sure this is

1023

00:48:08,359 --> 00:48:06,570

this is cool this is strange but it

1024

00:48:11,450 --> 00:48:08,369

wasn't anything that they didn't already

1025

00:48:14,270 --> 00:48:11,460

suspect of the CIA now did you were

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00:48:16,310 --> 00:48:14,280

there any any big surprises that you

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00:48:24,500 --> 00:48:16,320

found in those five hundred plus

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00:48:27,290 --> 00:48:24,510

documents yes one the major surprise for

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00:48:30,140 --> 00:48:27,300

me I shouldn't have been surprised there

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00:48:33,380 --> 00:48:30,150

was an office within the CIA called the

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00:48:38,570 --> 00:48:33,390

office of scientific intelligence OSI

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00:48:41,000 --> 00:48:38,580

and they were made responsible for all

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00:48:43,700 --> 00:48:41,010

things you have low related over the

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00:48:47,420 --> 00:48:43,710

years that when it first formed in the

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00:48:52,370 --> 00:48:47,430

early fifties the CIA formed in the late

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00:48:56,300 --> 00:48:52,380

40s and by the early 50s this OSI is up

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00:49:00,849 --> 00:48:56,310

and running roughshod we were also in a

1038

00:49:05,000 --> 00:49:00,859

cold war with the Russians OSI was

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00:49:07,790 --> 00:49:05,010

mostly if you count up the heads mostly

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00:49:10,970 --> 00:49:07,800

cynical about the CIA about the UFO

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00:49:14,210 --> 00:49:10,980

subject but there were always a few and

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00:49:17,390 --> 00:49:14,220

in decision-making capacities that

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00:49:20,829 --> 00:49:17,400

wanted to know more so they never got

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00:49:23,089 --> 00:49:20,839

out of the business but they insisted

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00:49:26,150 --> 00:49:23,099

always on anonymity

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00:49:28,969 --> 00:49:26,160

t-they they saw what was happening to

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00:49:31,940 --> 00:49:28,979

project Bluebook and the air force being

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00:49:34,700 --> 00:49:31,950

made into a laughingstock over UFOs and

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00:49:37,900 --> 00:49:34,710

the CIA was not about to be the

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00:49:41,529 --> 00:49:37,910

intelligence community's Bluebook so

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00:49:47,779 --> 00:49:41,539

while they were interested in in fact in

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00:49:53,170 --> 00:49:47,789

53 set up a group of scientists mainly

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00:49:56,349 --> 00:49:53,180

to look at a series of prominent cases

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00:50:02,630 --> 00:49:56,359

and these were all quote-unquote

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00:50:07,190 --> 00:50:02,640

non-believers they insisted that the

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00:50:10,130 --> 00:50:07,200

name CIA or any mention of the agency be

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00:50:12,380 --> 00:50:10,140

kept out of any written material that

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00:50:15,559 --> 00:50:12,390

has never wavered

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00:50:18,979 --> 00:50:15,569

I'll bet - even today the CIA has

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00:50:21,799 --> 00:50:18,989

somebody or a few somebodies looking at

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00:50:24,499 --> 00:50:21,809

the latest evidence they won't let it go

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00:50:28,219 --> 00:50:24,509

but they will deny in court that they've

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00:50:31,759 --> 00:50:28,229

ever been interested mmm yeah I don't

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00:50:35,839 --> 00:50:31,769

doubt that at all 1952 a lot was going

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00:50:39,700 --> 00:50:35,849

on what why is that considered a pivotal

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00:50:43,339 --> 00:50:39,710

year when it comes to yeah see after

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00:50:46,339 --> 00:50:43,349

after Roswell and Kenneth Arnold

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00:50:49,999 --> 00:50:46,349

sighting in the Cascades that coined the

1069

00:50:53,120 --> 00:50:50,009

term flying saucers the rest of 47 had

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00:50:55,910 --> 00:50:53,130

all kinds of reports coming in from the

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00:51:01,940 --> 00:50:55,920

public about saucers and other kinds of

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00:51:07,150 --> 00:51:01,950

craft mostly saucers but after say early

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00:51:11,180 --> 00:51:07,160

48 the whole subject just died down 49

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00:51:16,069 --> 00:51:11,190

50 51 there were virtually no reports

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00:51:20,450 --> 00:51:16,079

from the public and so the CIA could

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00:51:22,670 --> 00:51:20,460
breathe a sigh of relief like man we

1077
00:51:26,479 --> 00:51:22,680
don't have to shut these things down

1078
00:51:30,739 --> 00:51:26,489
with cynical talk the public has just

1079
00:51:34,009 --> 00:51:30,749
learned that they're not UFOs at all

1080
00:51:37,009 --> 00:51:34,019
there is Oh is there identifiable flying

1081
00:51:41,109 --> 00:51:37,019
objects they are Venus

1082
00:51:44,719 --> 00:51:41,119
Mars their conventional aircrafts and

1083
00:51:48,889 --> 00:51:44,729
meteors and ball lightning and the whole

1084
00:51:51,949 --> 00:51:48,899
nine yards of IFOS but they felt that

1085
00:51:57,139 --> 00:51:51,959
they had a good handle on the whole

1086
00:51:59,569 --> 00:51:57,149
thing and then 52 occurred all over the

1087
00:52:01,279 --> 00:51:59,579
world there was suddenly a whole bunch

1088
00:52:05,929 --> 00:52:01,289

of activity

1089

00:52:09,919 --> 00:52:05,939

it started in March by now the the OSI

1090

00:52:13,009 --> 00:52:09,929

had put together a report of a form

1091

00:52:18,609 --> 00:52:13,019

called information from foreign

1092

00:52:21,919 --> 00:52:18,619

documents or radio broadcasts I FDR be a

1093

00:52:25,579 --> 00:52:21,929

classic stumbling over themselves to

1094

00:52:29,479 --> 00:52:25,589

name a form but and these would be

1095

00:52:32,120 --> 00:52:29,489

filled out by operatives around the

1096

00:52:35,630 --> 00:52:32,130

world mostly in Europe again and North

1097

00:52:39,949 --> 00:52:35,640

Africa operatives otherwise known as

1098

00:52:42,709 --> 00:52:39,959

spooks or spies when they weren't busy

1099

00:52:47,599 --> 00:52:42,719

with something russia-related they would

1100

00:52:51,469 --> 00:52:47,609

pass along that locals had seen UFOs on

1101
00:52:54,889 --> 00:52:51,479
in late April on the same day there were

1102
00:52:57,979 --> 00:52:54,899
all of these are multiple witness events

1103
00:53:01,039 --> 00:52:57,989
in Roseville Michigan which is a suburb

1104
00:53:04,569 --> 00:53:01,049
of Detroit as well as Yuma Arizona

1105
00:53:07,879 --> 00:53:04,579
they were looking at odd things tumbling

1106
00:53:10,039 --> 00:53:07,889
rocket shaped things and the low in the

1107
00:53:12,949 --> 00:53:10,049
sky on May 1st

1108
00:53:15,279 --> 00:53:12,959
George Air Force Base in California and

1109
00:53:19,509 --> 00:53:15,289
then also in the first week of May

1110
00:53:23,419 --> 00:53:19,519
Keesler Air Force Base and Mississippi

1111
00:53:27,039 --> 00:53:23,429
multiple Airmen and officers were seeing

1112
00:53:32,089 --> 00:53:27,049
things very close to the ground it

1113
00:53:36,289 --> 00:53:32,099

continued late May in San Antonio there

1114

00:53:40,479 --> 00:53:36,299

was a ship at Port in a West African

1115

00:53:44,179 --> 00:53:40,489

country named Gabon where the ship's

1116

00:53:47,389 --> 00:53:44,189

master and his first mate saw something

1117

00:53:49,270 --> 00:53:47,399

rise up from the ground do multiple

1118

00:53:53,100 --> 00:53:49,280

90-degree turns and

1119

00:53:56,320 --> 00:53:53,110

finally move off into the sunset a

1120

00:53:58,720 --> 00:53:56,330

really cool case occurred in July and

1121

00:53:59,440 --> 00:53:58,730

East German father and his adult

1122

00:54:05,920 --> 00:53:59,450

daughter

1123

00:54:09,040 --> 00:54:05,930

riding his motorcycle when a tire blew

1124

00:54:10,690 --> 00:54:09,050

as he's starting to attend to that the

1125

00:54:13,990 --> 00:54:10,700

daughter called his attention to

1126
00:54:16,600 --> 00:54:14,000
something that was stirring in the woods

1127
00:54:18,940 --> 00:54:16,610
they were interested enough that they

1128
00:54:22,030 --> 00:54:18,950
walked into the woods to see what that

1129
00:54:24,640 --> 00:54:22,040
was about and as they got well into it

1130
00:54:28,510 --> 00:54:24,650
and saw that there was a clearing within

1131
00:54:30,820 --> 00:54:28,520
the woods there was a very unusual I

1132
00:54:35,470 --> 00:54:30,830
guess you'd call it a saucer

1133
00:54:40,480 --> 00:54:35,480
it was round be bound read in a circle

1134
00:54:47,290 --> 00:54:40,490
but above a small compartment there was

1135
00:54:51,940 --> 00:54:47,300
a 10-foot black cone outside it were two

1136
00:54:55,570 --> 00:54:51,950
small entities wearing metallic kind of

1137
00:54:58,720 --> 00:54:55,580
suits and had lamps on their waste that

1138
00:55:00,910 --> 00:54:58,730

would flash from time to time they stood

1139

00:55:03,790 --> 00:55:00,920

there just 30 feet away from the scene

1140

00:55:05,650 --> 00:55:03,800

taking it in when the daughter said

1141

00:55:08,920 --> 00:55:05,660

something to her father and that was

1142

00:55:12,610 --> 00:55:08,930

overheard the two entities raced back

1143

00:55:16,950 --> 00:55:12,620

inside and momentarily it rose up with a

1144

00:55:18,970 --> 00:55:16,960

fiery noisy exit and they found a

1145

00:55:21,610 --> 00:55:18,980

depression in the ground where it had

1146

00:55:23,590 --> 00:55:21,620

rested so I thought that was kind of a

1147

00:55:25,660 --> 00:55:23,600

cool thing they they were in East

1148

00:55:28,600 --> 00:55:25,670

Germany then and later on made their

1149

00:55:30,870 --> 00:55:28,610

escape to West Germany Algeria

1150

00:55:33,880 --> 00:55:30,880

throughout the month of July had

1151
00:55:36,670 --> 00:55:33,890
multiple reports there was one in the

1152
00:55:40,080 --> 00:55:36,680
Netherlands that involved a mother and

1153
00:55:44,770 --> 00:55:40,090
four adolescence and all this led up to

1154
00:55:50,710 --> 00:55:44,780
July 19 and 20 that night and then a

1155
00:55:52,810 --> 00:55:50,720
week later July 26 at Andrews Air Force

1156
00:55:56,640 --> 00:55:52,820
Base which is where Air Force One has

1157
00:56:00,550 --> 00:55:56,650
parked in Maryland as well as Washington

1158
00:56:02,810 --> 00:56:00,560
National Airport the radars at both were

1159
00:56:04,310 --> 00:56:02,820
picking up unknowns that

1160
00:56:07,270 --> 00:56:04,320
shouldn't have been there and as

1161
00:56:10,760 --> 00:56:07,280
airliners were coming in to land at

1162
00:56:13,840 --> 00:56:10,770
national they're on board radars were

1163
00:56:16,790 --> 00:56:13,850

also picking up these unknowns

1164

00:56:21,140 --> 00:56:16,800

unfortunately they didn't have any way

1165

00:56:23,930 --> 00:56:21,150

to chase them down because what Andrews

1166

00:56:26,870 --> 00:56:23,940

was going through I'm sorry it was

1167

00:56:29,290 --> 00:56:26,880

another Air Base nearby that was going

1168

00:56:32,450 --> 00:56:29,300

through construction as all of his

1169

00:56:35,600 --> 00:56:32,460

runways were being repaved and the

1170

00:56:38,870 --> 00:56:35,610

squadron of fighter pilots and jets had

1171

00:56:40,820 --> 00:56:38,880

been sent to Delaware well as this kept

1172

00:56:45,260 --> 00:56:40,830

going for a while

1173

00:56:47,780 --> 00:56:45,270

Andrews and Washington made a call to to

1174

00:56:50,710 --> 00:56:47,790

the Delaware base and said get over here

1175

00:56:54,050 --> 00:56:50,720

find what's going on here

1176

00:56:56,480 --> 00:56:54,060

then they really drop all the Jets don't

1177

00:56:59,710 --> 00:56:56,490

arrive until 3:00 in the morning

1178

00:57:03,470 --> 00:56:59,720

the the unknowns are still there

1179

00:57:06,080 --> 00:57:03,480

meandering around in the sky but as the

1180

00:57:09,710 --> 00:57:06,090

Jets got within radar range of

1181

00:57:11,900 --> 00:57:09,720

Washington DC the unknowns boogied all

1182

00:57:14,810 --> 00:57:11,910

right in a way and gone right we're

1183

00:57:16,400 --> 00:57:14,820

gonna have to pass yeah I'm sorry we're

1184

00:57:18,200 --> 00:57:16,410

late for the breaks we have to we have

1185

00:57:20,510 --> 00:57:18,210

to take our break here and we'll jump

1186

00:57:23,420 --> 00:57:20,520

back we'll jump back on this top because

1187

00:57:26,300 --> 00:57:23,430

since we're back so so everyone just

1188

00:57:30,170 --> 00:57:26,310

hang in there over at YouTube we'll be

1189

00:57:31,820 --> 00:57:30,180

right back right after these home all

1190

00:57:34,370 --> 00:57:31,830

right everyone welcome back to the show

1191

00:57:38,600 --> 00:57:34,380

my guest this evening is Dan right and

1192

00:57:41,570 --> 00:57:38,610

we're talking about his book the CIA UFO

1193

00:57:43,850 --> 00:57:41,580

papers and I had that wrong I think I

1194

00:57:46,880 --> 00:57:43,860

had CIA's UFO papers or something like

1195

00:57:48,890 --> 00:57:46,890

that and the subtitle is 50 years of

1196

00:57:50,360 --> 00:57:48,900

government secrets and cover-ups and

1197

00:57:53,900 --> 00:57:50,370

just before the break we were talking

1198

00:57:56,690 --> 00:57:53,910

about Andrews Air Force Base about 3:00

1199

00:57:59,300 --> 00:57:56,700

a.m. the Jets came in believe that's

1200

00:58:01,460 --> 00:57:59,310

kind of where you were at Dan if we want

1201
00:58:07,040 --> 00:58:01,470
to continue on with what was going on

1202
00:58:09,910 --> 00:58:07,050
that that great encounter the pilots saw

1203
00:58:14,990 --> 00:58:09,920
nothing because the bogeys had boogied

1204
00:58:16,700 --> 00:58:15,000
they headed back to Delaware and as soon

1205
00:58:19,280 --> 00:58:16,710
as they arrived a radar range

1206
00:58:22,640 --> 00:58:19,290
back came the unknowns going up and down

1207
00:58:25,150 --> 00:58:22,650
and sideways all kinds of maneuvers that

1208
00:58:28,309 --> 00:58:25,160
aircraft just wouldn't be capable of and

1209
00:58:31,339 --> 00:58:28,319
so they they directed the pilots to come

1210
00:58:35,480 --> 00:58:31,349
back and as they approached DC once

1211
00:58:40,370 --> 00:58:35,490
again the unknowns left and so it was a

1212
00:58:46,400 --> 00:58:40,380
wash for the Air Force but 14 days after

1213
00:58:49,190 --> 00:58:46,410

the second of these it was July 26th I

1214

00:58:52,760 --> 00:58:49,200

guess it was more than 14 but on August

1215

00:58:56,510 --> 00:58:52,770

14 the National Security Agency director

1216

00:58:59,359 --> 00:58:56,520

the NSA who is an Air Force general

1217

00:59:01,670 --> 00:58:59,369

named John Sanford he told the press

1218

00:59:04,720 --> 00:59:01,680

that everything that had happened on DC

1219

00:59:08,059 --> 00:59:04,730

that night were temperature inversions

1220

00:59:13,040 --> 00:59:08,069

yeah and much of the public back then

1221

00:59:17,030 --> 00:59:13,050

was dumb enough to believe that so with

1222

00:59:21,650 --> 00:59:17,040

the Cold War under way and all attention

1223

00:59:25,069 --> 00:59:21,660

of course being given their OSI Offices

1224

00:59:28,970 --> 00:59:25,079

of scientific intelligence came to the

1225

00:59:31,640 --> 00:59:28,980

conclusion that they were never going to

1226

00:59:34,819 --> 00:59:31,650

be able to quiet the public's outcry

1227

00:59:37,549 --> 00:59:34,829

about UFO ISM and these reports found

1228

00:59:40,940 --> 00:59:37,559

practically a daily basis unless they

1229

00:59:43,430 --> 00:59:40,950

brought in some hard science to bear and

1230

00:59:46,280 --> 00:59:43,440

so they prevailed upon a fellow named

1231

00:59:50,569 --> 00:59:46,290

Robertson who was a physicist at Caltech

1232

00:59:52,670 --> 00:59:50,579

to put together a small group to look at

1233

00:59:55,760 --> 00:59:52,680

the best evidence he found a radar

1234

00:59:57,530 --> 00:59:55,770

expert a couple of astronomers you might

1235

01:00:02,450 --> 00:59:57,540

have heard the name of one of them J

1236

01:00:05,359 --> 01:00:02,460

Allen Hynek and another physicist and

1237

01:00:08,270 --> 01:00:05,369

the missile expert they looked at what

1238

01:00:12,170 --> 01:00:08,280

they thought was the best evidence in a

1239

01:00:17,960 --> 01:00:12,180

total of 12 hours over four days at the

1240

01:00:21,349 --> 01:00:17,970

CIA's OSI offices again the OSI wanted

1241

01:00:24,339 --> 01:00:21,359

to be completely anonymous in all of

1242

01:00:30,440 --> 01:00:24,349

this but it was happening at their place

1243

01:00:35,030 --> 01:00:30,450

they came together in January of 53

1244

01:00:39,010 --> 01:00:35,040

and they looked at at Remington Utah

1245

01:00:43,430 --> 01:00:39,020

film that was taken by a career Navy

1246

01:00:49,280 --> 01:00:43,440

photographer on a best of equipment for

1247

01:00:54,880 --> 01:00:49,290

its time movie camera as well as and

1248

01:00:57,290 --> 01:00:54,890

this guy the photographer said he had 12

1249

01:01:02,030 --> 01:00:57,300

polyethylene boot

1250

01:01:04,400 --> 01:01:02,040

he had 12 saucers in his viewfinder but

1251

01:01:06,920 --> 01:01:04,410

the group decided no it couldn't have

1252

01:01:10,510 --> 01:01:06,930

been that because it couldn't be UFOs

1253

01:01:13,069 --> 01:01:10,520

what was it they decided it was either

1254

01:01:16,370 --> 01:01:13,079

polyethylene balloons I don't know why

1255

01:01:19,970 --> 01:01:16,380

so many would be traveling in a group or

1256

01:01:21,490 --> 01:01:19,980

it was reflections off seagulls hmm I

1257

01:01:24,859 --> 01:01:21,500

remember that yeah

1258

01:01:28,280 --> 01:01:24,869

there was a Great Falls Montana film

1259

01:01:31,040 --> 01:01:28,290

taken by a minor league baseball manager

1260

01:01:33,079 --> 01:01:31,050

when he was tending his field a couple

1261

01:01:36,079 --> 01:01:33,089

of objects went overhead and he had a

1262

01:01:39,010 --> 01:01:36,089

movie camera handy and he took some

1263

01:01:42,680 --> 01:01:39,020

footage of that he was naive enough to

1264

01:01:45,530 --> 01:01:42,690

lend it to the Air Force and months

1265

01:01:48,980 --> 01:01:45,540

later when he got back all the best

1266

01:01:53,599 --> 01:01:48,990

frames showing these objects very

1267

01:01:56,569 --> 01:01:53,609

clearly were missing and so what the

1268

01:01:59,030 --> 01:01:56,579

shortened version I guess the selected

1269

01:02:02,420 --> 01:01:59,040

short subject I used to call cartoons is

1270

01:02:05,089 --> 01:02:02,430

what the the Robertson panel looked at

1271

01:02:09,589 --> 01:02:05,099

and they decided that that was a couple

1272

01:02:14,780 --> 01:02:09,599

of f94 jets reflecting the Sun off their

1273

01:02:17,839 --> 01:02:14,790

fuselage geez they made the Robertson

1274

01:02:20,540 --> 01:02:17,849

panel had six overall conclusions and

1275

01:02:23,750 --> 01:02:20,550

this set the tone for the next few

1276

01:02:30,400 --> 01:02:23,760

decades UFOs were no threat to national

1277

01:02:34,990 --> 01:02:30,410

security in a true crisis though mass

1278

01:02:38,690 --> 01:02:35,000

low-grade UFO reports could overload

1279

01:02:42,260 --> 01:02:38,700

communications and hide real hostile

1280

01:02:43,790 --> 01:02:42,270

acts by Russia or someone else and it

1281

01:02:46,520 --> 01:02:43,800

would create maths

1282

01:02:49,670 --> 01:02:46,530

area their third conclusion was that

1283

01:02:51,590 --> 01:02:49,680

trying to solve most or all of the

1284

01:02:55,730 --> 01:02:51,600

incoming reports from the public would

1285

01:02:58,880 --> 01:02:55,740

be a huge waste of effort a fourth was

1286

01:03:01,880 --> 01:02:58,890

that they decided they needed to train

1287

01:03:06,620 --> 01:03:01,890

the public that they were looking at

1288

01:03:09,050 --> 01:03:06,630

IFOS not UFOs and any new substantial

1289

01:03:12,410 --> 01:03:09,060

report that came in the airforce

1290

01:03:14,510 --> 01:03:12,420

the CIA directed the Air Force to debunk

1291

01:03:20,690 --> 01:03:14,520

those and that gets him into trouble

1292

01:03:24,350 --> 01:03:20,700

later on a fifth conclusion was that the

1293

01:03:28,040 --> 01:03:24,360

national security agencies should take

1294

01:03:30,320 --> 01:03:28,050

immediate steps to strip the UFOs of the

1295

01:03:32,840 --> 01:03:30,330

special status they have been given and

1296

01:03:36,410 --> 01:03:32,850

the aura of mystery they have

1297

01:03:39,530 --> 01:03:36,420

unfortunately acquired and also then a

1298

01:03:42,020 --> 01:03:39,540

sixth conclusion was that civilian

1299

01:03:44,750 --> 01:03:42,030

groups of UFO buffs

1300

01:03:46,790 --> 01:03:44,760

underway like a PR role the aerial

1301
01:03:49,960 --> 01:03:46,800
phenomena research organization that was

1302
01:03:52,520 --> 01:03:49,970
choral and Jim Lorenz ins group and

1303
01:03:55,370 --> 01:03:52,530
NICAP the National investigations

1304
01:04:00,340 --> 01:03:55,380
committee on aerial phenomena should be

1305
01:04:02,840 --> 01:04:00,350
surveilled monitored yeah using spies

1306
01:04:06,950 --> 01:04:02,850
and that went over like a lead balloon

1307
01:04:09,020 --> 01:04:06,960
when it came became known so that was

1308
01:04:12,800 --> 01:04:09,030
the Robertson report there was much

1309
01:04:16,640 --> 01:04:12,810
ballyhooed it turned out to be a very

1310
01:04:20,240 --> 01:04:16,650
scant effort reaching absurd conclusions

1311
01:04:23,300 --> 01:04:20,250
right right so that that was in 1953

1312
01:04:26,240 --> 01:04:23,310
right then when that was 43 and then

1313
01:04:28,040 --> 01:04:26,250

yeah but it was 1952 that Project Blue

1314

01:04:32,060 --> 01:04:28,050

Book started of course it was the third

1315

01:04:36,230 --> 01:04:32,070

you know of its type and so basically

1316

01:04:38,240 --> 01:04:36,240

wasn't Project Blue Book used as part of

1317

01:04:43,730 --> 01:04:38,250

that tool of what you were talking about

1318

01:04:46,010 --> 01:04:43,740

identifying objects yeah it was a UFO

1319

01:04:48,500 --> 01:04:46,020

debunking effort from the very beginning

1320

01:04:50,900 --> 01:04:48,510

but what a lot of listeners don't know

1321

01:04:53,780 --> 01:04:50,910

and I didn't know this for years Blue

1322

01:04:57,560 --> 01:04:53,790

Book was minuscule you know you think of

1323

01:05:00,800 --> 01:04:57,570

a a battalion or something of in this

1324

01:05:04,600 --> 01:05:00,810

the Gators there was at best - and

1325

01:05:08,960 --> 01:05:04,610

usually one low ranking officer a

1326

01:05:11,870 --> 01:05:08,970

lieutenant or captain plus a sergeant

1327

01:05:14,870 --> 01:05:11,880

and a secretary and they had a file

1328

01:05:18,710 --> 01:05:14,880

drawer that was Project Blue Book for

1329

01:05:21,470 --> 01:05:18,720

the 17 years of its existence it was no

1330

01:05:24,650 --> 01:05:21,480

more than that they were supposed to be

1331

01:05:28,550 --> 01:05:24,660

covering a hundred bases around the

1332

01:05:31,370 --> 01:05:28,560

country plus anything coming in from

1333

01:05:34,040 --> 01:05:31,380

Washington and then reports by the

1334

01:05:36,890 --> 01:05:34,050

public they did none of that all they

1335

01:05:39,710 --> 01:05:36,900

did was put together statistics for an

1336

01:05:43,820 --> 01:05:39,720

annual report that made him look busy

1337

01:05:45,260 --> 01:05:43,830

Wow interesting with project yeah you

1338

01:05:48,290 --> 01:05:45,270

know while we're on this subject I just

1339

01:05:50,960 --> 01:05:48,300

wanted to talk real real quickly because

1340

01:05:55,280 --> 01:05:50,970

uh I hung out quite a bit with Paul

1341

01:05:57,200 --> 01:05:55,290

Hynek J Allen Hynek son oh yeah yeah

1342

01:05:59,330 --> 01:05:57,210

he's a great guy he's actually got a

1343

01:06:00,020 --> 01:05:59,340

really good sense of humor - real funny

1344

01:06:02,540 --> 01:06:00,030

guy huh

1345

01:06:05,540 --> 01:06:02,550

so I was hanging out with him and I

1346

01:06:08,600 --> 01:06:05,550

asked him about you know the next season

1347

01:06:11,480 --> 01:06:08,610

of the TV series because he does some

1348

01:06:12,980 --> 01:06:11,490

consulting and he said for the first

1349

01:06:15,050 --> 01:06:12,990

time he had to put his foot down

1350

01:06:18,940 --> 01:06:15,060

completely on something that they were

1351

01:06:22,160 --> 01:06:18,950

going to have and next season basically

1352

01:06:24,440 --> 01:06:22,170

I hope it's okay that I share this but

1353

01:06:26,090 --> 01:06:24,450

he didn't say that I shouldn't or

1354

01:06:28,040 --> 01:06:26,100

anything but he was saying that they

1355

01:06:30,860 --> 01:06:28,050

wanted to run something along the lines

1356

01:06:34,040 --> 01:06:30,870

of his father J Allen Hynek in the

1357

01:06:37,280 --> 01:06:34,050

series saying making a statement a

1358

01:06:39,110 --> 01:06:37,290

scientific statement and so Paul said

1359

01:06:41,150 --> 01:06:39,120

it's a it's a false statement and I'm

1360

01:06:43,310 --> 01:06:41,160

not going to allow that he's basically

1361

01:06:45,920 --> 01:06:43,320

you know telling them he said you know

1362

01:06:48,080 --> 01:06:45,930

you hit you can't do it and so they

1363

01:06:50,510 --> 01:06:48,090

rewrote the script and basically are

1364

01:06:52,760 --> 01:06:50,520

doing it as he's suggesting a

1365

01:06:54,710 --> 01:06:52,770

possibility instead of a scientific

1366

01:06:56,510 --> 01:06:54,720

which I think that's good that you know

1367

01:07:00,680 --> 01:06:56,520

I know they go off the rails a bit in

1368

01:07:03,650 --> 01:07:00,690

that show and he knows it too and he's

1369

01:07:06,350 --> 01:07:03,660

basically okay with it as long as they

1370

01:07:08,720 --> 01:07:06,360

don't you know portray his father you

1371

01:07:11,330 --> 01:07:08,730

know in a real false way like they were

1372

01:07:13,970 --> 01:07:11,340

almost dead in that particular scene

1373

01:07:15,950 --> 01:07:13,980

but have you watched any of that I've

1374

01:07:18,860 --> 01:07:15,960

seen a couple of those I may have seen

1375

01:07:22,330 --> 01:07:18,870

that episode where Hynek appears to be

1376

01:07:25,010 --> 01:07:22,340

pondering something seriously and I was

1377

01:07:27,410 --> 01:07:25,020

comparing that with what I knew from his

1378

01:07:30,080 --> 01:07:27,420

real work in the early 50s he was a

1379

01:07:33,380 --> 01:07:30,090

total d bunker right and it was only

1380

01:07:34,880 --> 01:07:33,390

because he kept getting one report after

1381

01:07:37,610 --> 01:07:34,890

another through the years

1382

01:07:39,860 --> 01:07:37,620

via blue book that he frankly couldn't

1383

01:07:43,760 --> 01:07:39,870

it couldn't explain and when he had a

1384

01:07:46,340 --> 01:07:43,770

whole arm load of those his own thinking

1385

01:07:50,720 --> 01:07:46,350

began to change to the point where by

1386

01:07:54,020 --> 01:07:50,730

about 67 he had made the break with the

1387

01:07:56,840 --> 01:07:54,030

air force and of course in 73 then he

1388

01:08:00,620 --> 01:07:56,850

founded his own agency or organization

1389

01:08:03,050 --> 01:08:00,630

the Center for UFO studies that right

1390

01:08:05,210 --> 01:08:03,060

now carries his name he was a good man I

1391

01:08:09,650 --> 01:08:05,220

had the great pleasure of spending an

1392

01:08:13,310 --> 01:08:09,660

entire evening with him and regaled him

1393

01:08:13,670 --> 01:08:13,320

with local investigation aha wow that's

1394

01:08:16,340 --> 01:08:13,680

great

1395

01:08:20,300 --> 01:08:16,350

yeah I was I was glad and he told us

1396

01:08:22,550 --> 01:08:20,310

another fellow and I when he first got

1397

01:08:25,760 --> 01:08:22,560

out into the world after college as a

1398

01:08:28,150 --> 01:08:25,770

scientist like every other scientist he

1399

01:08:32,150 --> 01:08:28,160

knew they thought UFOs were just hogwash

1400

01:08:35,599 --> 01:08:32,160

and he gave them that attitude until all

1401

01:08:37,910 --> 01:08:35,609

of these the like drip drip drip all

1402

01:08:39,680 --> 01:08:37,920

these reports coming in to the point

1403

01:08:42,260 --> 01:08:39,690

where he couldn't ignore them anymore

1404

01:08:45,620 --> 01:08:42,270

that's right and I think from what I

1405

01:08:47,300 --> 01:08:45,630

understand I can't remember if Paul

1406

01:08:49,880 --> 01:08:47,310

actually agreed with this or not but I

1407

01:08:53,180 --> 01:08:49,890

think he did was that Socorro was like

1408

01:08:55,490 --> 01:08:53,190

one of the turning points that that

1409

01:08:57,380 --> 01:08:55,500

incident in particular was like a

1410

01:09:00,920 --> 01:08:57,390

turning point and there was a few others

1411

01:09:03,650 --> 01:09:00,930

that kind of you know made him really

1412

01:09:05,120 --> 01:09:03,660

start paying attention and really

1413

01:09:07,670 --> 01:09:05,130

realizing that there's something to it

1414

01:09:11,240 --> 01:09:07,680

but he found Lonnie Zamora so credible

1415

01:09:12,950 --> 01:09:11,250

in that in the succour ins yep that he

1416

01:09:16,280 --> 01:09:12,960

really thought there was really might be

1417

01:09:18,050 --> 01:09:16,290

something to it but anyway it's really

1418

01:09:20,840 --> 01:09:18,060

great we know how to first start looking

1419

01:09:23,360 --> 01:09:20,850

into this topic I was totally confused

1420

01:09:25,579 --> 01:09:23,370

at who J Allen Hynek was because I

1421

01:09:27,800 --> 01:09:25,589

watched these videos of him

1422

01:09:29,479 --> 01:09:27,810

you know talking about swamp gas and you

1423

01:09:31,760 --> 01:09:29,489

know everything else and then you know

1424

01:09:34,010 --> 01:09:31,770

then I found you know later that he he

1425

01:09:37,070 --> 01:09:34,020

actually as they say went to the other

1426

01:09:39,019 --> 01:09:37,080

side yes yes is he

1427

01:09:42,760 --> 01:09:39,029

I'm sure the Air Force didn't appreciate

1428

01:09:46,280 --> 01:09:42,770

him appreciate his turning cold on them

1429

01:09:48,829 --> 01:09:46,290

those the swamp gas business happened in

1430

01:09:51,979 --> 01:09:48,839

Michigan where I was raised and spent my

1431

01:09:56,050 --> 01:09:51,989

adult life until moving down to Georgia

1432

01:09:59,750 --> 01:09:56,060

after retirement and the second of those

1433

01:10:03,939 --> 01:09:59,760

just a couple of nights apart happened

1434

01:10:07,939 --> 01:10:03,949

at Hillsdale College for a dorm full of

1435

01:10:10,550 --> 01:10:07,949

coeds 87 of them in total plus a couple

1436

01:10:13,850 --> 01:10:10,560

of administrators from the college saw

1437

01:10:17,330 --> 01:10:13,860

this long event that happened over a

1438

01:10:20,810 --> 01:10:17,340

couple of hours and for Hynek then he

1439

01:10:23,060 --> 01:10:20,820

said when he was dispatched there to

1440

01:10:25,939 --> 01:10:23,070

come up with an answer and the answer

1441

01:10:29,600 --> 01:10:25,949

better not be UFOs he said it was a

1442

01:10:31,640 --> 01:10:29,610

chaotic couple of days and as soon as he

1443

01:10:34,189 --> 01:10:31,650

uttered the phrase swamp gas he

1444

01:10:36,770 --> 01:10:34,199

regretted it but he was stuck with it

1445

01:10:39,290 --> 01:10:36,780

and he became a laughingstock just like

1446

01:10:41,540 --> 01:10:39,300

the rest of Project Blue Book but that

1447

01:10:44,300 --> 01:10:41,550

was a real turning point in his thinking

1448

01:10:48,979 --> 01:10:44,310

and I've got to take this seriously

1449

01:10:53,540 --> 01:10:48,989

right now when you were looking into

1450

01:10:56,600 --> 01:10:53,550

this topic of the CIA was there ever any

1451

01:11:03,290 --> 01:10:56,610

cooperation between the agency and

1452

01:11:11,899 --> 01:11:03,300

civilian UFO groups like MUFON yes in 65

1453

01:11:15,560 --> 01:11:11,909

I believe the CIA director called in the

1454

01:11:18,410 --> 01:11:15,570

within the agency the OSI director to

1455

01:11:21,080 --> 01:11:18,420

say are you staying on top of of this

1456

01:11:24,050 --> 01:11:21,090

material because 65 after all another

1457

01:11:26,870 --> 01:11:24,060

long law was starting to pick up with

1458

01:11:32,050 --> 01:11:26,880

UFO reports and then all hell broke

1459

01:11:34,790 --> 01:11:32,060

loose in 66 and 67 was a continuation of

1460

01:11:39,410 --> 01:11:34,800

nightly reports and making the major

1461

01:11:41,540 --> 01:11:39,420

media and stuff and so the CIA

1462

01:11:44,570 --> 01:11:41,550

dressed the OSI director you're staying

1463

01:11:46,850 --> 01:11:44,580

on top of this right well actually he

1464

01:11:50,030 --> 01:11:46,860

had not been and his people had not been

1465

01:11:53,540 --> 01:11:50,040

in quite a few years so they approached

1466

01:11:56,990 --> 01:11:53,550

the national in investigations committee

1467

01:12:01,100 --> 01:11:57,000

on aerial phenomena the private NICAP

1468

01:12:03,500 --> 01:12:01,110

group and borrowed over 100 of their

1469

01:12:07,400 --> 01:12:03,510

investigative reports to kind of get up

1470

01:12:10,100 --> 01:12:07,410

to speed so yes was there cooperation at

1471

01:12:13,100 --> 01:12:10,110

one time there was out of necessity on

1472

01:12:15,200 --> 01:12:13,110

the CIA's part wow that's really

1473

01:12:17,840 --> 01:12:15,210

interesting I saw in your notes

1474

01:12:22,430 --> 01:12:17,850

something about the word ham sandwich

1475

01:12:24,470 --> 01:12:22,440

what does that actually mean it was my

1476

01:12:29,810 --> 01:12:24,480

cute way of conveying that there were a

1477

01:12:34,040 --> 01:12:29,820

couple of of thorns in the CIA's

1478

01:12:37,100 --> 01:12:34,050

backside one of them was guy named Leon

1479

01:12:40,580 --> 01:12:37,110

Davidson he was just a nondescript

1480

01:12:43,250 --> 01:12:40,590

chemist but at a famous laboratory Los

1481

01:12:47,600 --> 01:12:43,260

Alamos that was handling very sensitive

1482

01:12:51,290 --> 01:12:47,610

stuff and he got wind in his private

1483

01:12:55,510 --> 01:12:51,300

hours of something that had occurred in

1484

01:12:59,450 --> 01:12:55,520

the Chicago area that involved a code

1485

01:13:03,439 --> 01:12:59,460

over ham radio band and he decided this

1486

01:13:06,080 --> 01:13:03,449

had to be space aliens communicating

1487

01:13:10,400 --> 01:13:06,090

with earthlings and he approached the

1488

01:13:13,400 --> 01:13:10,410

CIA over and over with letters and phone

1489

01:13:20,090 --> 01:13:13,410
calls and personal visits over five

1490

01:13:23,900 --> 01:13:20,100
years he followed this ham radio problem

1491

01:13:26,570 --> 01:13:23,910
until the point where officers within

1492

01:13:28,729 --> 01:13:26,580
the CIA would were on record as saying

1493

01:13:30,800 --> 01:13:28,739
get rid of this guy please don't send

1494

01:13:33,260 --> 01:13:30,810
him back to us we can't stand this

1495

01:13:36,650 --> 01:13:33,270
anymore he wasted hundreds if not

1496

01:13:39,380 --> 01:13:36,660
thousands of hours of CIA staff time oh

1497

01:13:46,130 --> 01:13:39,390
so he was one half of the sandwich and

1498

01:13:51,260 --> 01:13:46,140
the other was was down Donald keyhole

1499

01:13:53,240 --> 01:13:51,270
who in 56 took over nycap as its

1500

01:13:57,470 --> 01:13:53,250
executive director

1501

01:14:00,980 --> 01:13:57,480

he was a retired marine major so he had

1502

01:14:03,830 --> 01:14:00,990

some creds that way and from the second

1503

01:14:07,550 --> 01:14:03,840

he became the NICAP director he began

1504

01:14:11,360 --> 01:14:07,560

shouting cover up to the media the press

1505

01:14:15,320 --> 01:14:11,370

wherever he could find a voice over and

1506

01:14:18,710 --> 01:14:15,330

overand and the CIA came to really find

1507

01:14:22,280 --> 01:14:18,720

discussed at the mention of his name in

1508

01:14:27,020 --> 01:14:22,290

the end after that had all quieted down

1509

01:14:30,140 --> 01:14:27,030

after some years the CIA in retrospect

1510

01:14:33,110 --> 01:14:30,150

regarded Leon Davidson as just a kook

1511

01:14:36,380 --> 01:14:33,120

you know thinking that Morse code I was

1512

01:14:39,290 --> 01:14:36,390

a kid at that time and I remember ham

1513

01:14:42,860 --> 01:14:39,300

radio bands having Morse code on them it

1514

01:14:44,900 --> 01:14:42,870

was commonplace but he certainly thought

1515

01:14:47,660 --> 01:14:44,910

it was Oh in the middle of this he

1516

01:14:51,110 --> 01:14:47,670

decided no this wasn't space aliens

1517

01:14:56,180 --> 01:14:51,120

after all but it was our own military

1518

01:15:01,040 --> 01:14:56,190

intelligence conveying secret stuff

1519

01:15:05,660 --> 01:15:01,050

about our secret you to kind of spy

1520

01:15:08,600 --> 01:15:05,670

planes and he demanded more material on

1521

01:15:13,550 --> 01:15:08,610

that basis they regarded him as simply a

1522

01:15:17,510 --> 01:15:13,560

kook but keyhole he was a menace and

1523

01:15:20,860 --> 01:15:17,520

they not only distrusted him but feared

1524

01:15:24,920 --> 01:15:20,870

him I really liked anytime I've ever

1525

01:15:26,660 --> 01:15:24,930

watched interviews with Kehoe actually

1526

01:15:29,000 --> 01:15:26,670

there's one with I'm trying to remember

1527

01:15:31,120 --> 01:15:29,010

not Mike Wallace but I'm trying to

1528

01:15:34,130 --> 01:15:31,130

remember who it was an old interview

1529

01:15:36,350 --> 01:15:34,140

really he was really good I mean he he

1530

01:15:38,960 --> 01:15:36,360

really believed that there was something

1531

01:15:44,120 --> 01:15:38,970

going on and and he stood his ground

1532

01:15:47,720 --> 01:15:44,130

so yeah yeah now keyhole recruited a

1533

01:15:50,750 --> 01:15:47,730

very important individual to NICAP his

1534

01:15:54,260 --> 01:15:50,760

name was Roscoe Hill encoder he was a

1535

01:15:57,590 --> 01:15:54,270

retired Navy admiral and more important

1536

01:16:00,020 --> 01:15:57,600

than that in the years just after World

1537

01:16:04,550 --> 01:16:00,030

War two for a year or so

1538

01:16:07,100 --> 01:16:04,560

he was the CIA director well but he

1539

01:16:10,670 --> 01:16:07,110

joined nycap and was on its

1540

01:16:13,160 --> 01:16:10,680

and he made a issued a statement to the

1541

01:16:16,280 --> 01:16:13,170

press at one point saying behind the

1542

01:16:20,300 --> 01:16:16,290

scenes high-ranking Air Force officers

1543

01:16:22,880 --> 01:16:20,310

are soberly concerned about the UFOs but

1544

01:16:25,730 --> 01:16:22,890

through official secrecy and ridicule

1545

01:16:29,180 --> 01:16:25,740

many citizens are led to believe the

1546

01:16:31,190 --> 01:16:29,190

unknown flying objects are nonsense the

1547

01:16:33,710 --> 01:16:31,200

Air Force has assumed the right to

1548

01:16:37,820 --> 01:16:33,720

decide what the American people should

1549

01:16:40,700 --> 01:16:37,830

or should not know quite a statement Wow

1550

01:16:43,130 --> 01:16:40,710

I guess the phone lines are open if

1551

01:16:48,110 --> 01:16:43,140

anyone would like to call in that number

1552

01:16:51,800 --> 01:16:48,120

is 85kg are a live or that's eight five

1553

01:16:54,350 --> 01:16:51,810

five four seven two five four eight

1554

01:16:57,770 --> 01:16:54,360

three the phone lines are open if you'd

1555

01:17:03,050 --> 01:16:57,780

like to call in and ask our guest a

1556

01:17:04,880 --> 01:17:03,060

question James McDonald were going back

1557

01:17:08,060 --> 01:17:04,890

I thought yeah he passed away

1558

01:17:10,700 --> 01:17:08,070

unfortunately yes in the 1970s or 80s

1559

01:17:14,150 --> 01:17:10,710

when did when did he pass well good

1560

01:17:20,420 --> 01:17:14,160

about just about 69 I believe Oh was it

1561

01:17:24,440 --> 01:17:20,430

that early yeah oh he was he was an

1562

01:17:29,360 --> 01:17:24,450

atmospheric physicist at University of

1563

01:17:33,410 --> 01:17:29,370

Arizona and he became quite forceful

1564

01:17:35,690 --> 01:17:33,420

looking at the 53 Robertson panel report

1565

01:17:38,480 --> 01:17:35,700

he went to wright-patterson Air Force

1566

01:17:42,710 --> 01:17:38,490

Base where all of Project Blue Book's

1567

01:17:45,290 --> 01:17:42,720

vials were held and he was able at that

1568

01:17:47,890 --> 01:17:45,300

point they trusted him I guess to read

1569

01:17:53,300 --> 01:17:47,900

through a lot of the Robertson panel

1570

01:17:55,820 --> 01:17:53,310

pages and he noticed a memo attached to

1571

01:17:59,840 --> 01:17:55,830

this report the final Robertson panel

1572

01:18:03,770 --> 01:17:59,850

report a memo from the CIA directing the

1573

01:18:08,180 --> 01:18:03,780

Air Force to debunk future UFO sightings

1574

01:18:10,850 --> 01:18:08,190

and he started making huge noise about

1575

01:18:13,090 --> 01:18:10,860

that first to faculty and staff and

1576

01:18:16,420 --> 01:18:13,100

parents at at the University of Arizona

1577

01:18:20,480 --> 01:18:16,430

but then to a National Weather Service

1578

01:18:24,610 --> 01:18:20,490

conference and any public Stan

1579

01:18:28,570 --> 01:18:24,620

he could find saying that the CIA was

1580

01:18:31,640 --> 01:18:28,580

responsible for covering up and and

1581

01:18:40,870 --> 01:18:31,650

orchestrating these debunking efforts by

1582

01:18:44,110 --> 01:18:40,880

the Air Force he after several months of

1583

01:18:47,540 --> 01:18:44,120

chiding the Air Force and the CIA

1584

01:18:51,830 --> 01:18:47,550

especially about an Air Force regulation

1585

01:18:56,120 --> 01:18:51,840

that had come out in 62 commanding that

1586

01:18:59,690 --> 01:18:56,130

airbase commanders could no longer talk

1587

01:19:02,270 --> 01:18:59,700

to the public or the press about UFO

1588

01:19:05,090 --> 01:19:02,280

reports unless they were resolved if

1589

01:19:07,550 --> 01:19:05,100

they were IFOS the base commander could

1590

01:19:09,470 --> 01:19:07,560

talk about him otherwise all they would

1591

01:19:11,510 --> 01:19:09,480

be able to say was it's under

1592

01:19:13,550 --> 01:19:11,520

investigation we'll get back to you of

1593

01:19:19,370 --> 01:19:13,560

course they never do

1594

01:19:22,870 --> 01:19:19,380

so he kept raising this as see you can't

1595

01:19:26,150 --> 01:19:22,880

believe anything that the Air Force says

1596

01:19:29,750 --> 01:19:26,160

eventually dr. McDonald got in trouble

1597

01:19:33,290 --> 01:19:29,760

because of being so boisterous with his

1598

01:19:35,720 --> 01:19:33,300

own university officials that created

1599

01:19:41,510 --> 01:19:35,730

tensions at home and his wife left him

1600

01:19:43,250 --> 01:19:41,520

and he was found himself just out in the

1601

01:19:46,190 --> 01:19:43,260

wilderness by himself

1602

01:19:48,980 --> 01:19:46,200

and he took his own life yeah so I ended

1603

01:19:51,740 --> 01:19:48,990

one of them that one chapter by saying

1604

01:19:57,140 --> 01:19:51,750

rest in peace dr. McDonald you did some

1605

01:20:01,490 --> 01:19:57,150

good yeah and unfortunately you know he

1606

01:20:04,040 --> 01:20:01,500

was looked at oh yeah you know he he you

1607

01:20:06,500 --> 01:20:04,050

know because of that you know his UFO

1608

01:20:09,770 --> 01:20:06,510

work didn't mean anything but I will

1609

01:20:14,000 --> 01:20:09,780

tell you the University there has has

1610

01:20:17,060 --> 01:20:14,010

really they saved his archives oh really

1611

01:20:19,790 --> 01:20:17,070

you know preserving his papers and you

1612

01:20:24,800 --> 01:20:19,800

know taking that as a big deal so I

1613

01:20:26,870 --> 01:20:24,810

didn't yeah yeah yeah yeah it was the

1614

01:20:29,060 --> 01:20:26,880

work he did was really good we have a

1615

01:20:30,860 --> 01:20:29,070

caller I'm gonna wait here in just a

1616

01:20:34,010 --> 01:20:30,870

second before I ask you another question

1617

01:20:37,970 --> 01:20:34,020

and it's a it's not in the in

1618

01:20:42,430 --> 01:20:37,980

q ready yet but again if you'd like to

1619

01:20:47,320 --> 01:20:42,440

call in that number is eight five five

1620

01:20:50,030 --> 01:20:47,330

four seven two five four eight three and

1621

01:20:52,390 --> 01:20:50,040

I'm just waiting for that call to be in

1622

01:20:56,450 --> 01:20:52,400

the slot and I'm going to pick it up and

1623

01:20:58,010 --> 01:20:56,460

we are going to I'm going to just bring

1624

01:21:02,870 --> 01:20:58,020

that call and unfortunately I don't have

1625

01:21:04,400 --> 01:21:02,880

a name up there yet well I'm just gonna

1626

01:21:06,820 --> 01:21:04,410

bring the caller and it's been screened

1627

01:21:10,930 --> 01:21:06,830

oh here it is

1628

01:21:18,560 --> 01:21:10,940

Steve from Las Vegas welcome to the show

1629

01:21:21,010 --> 01:21:18,570

hi hi Martin in done I read a lot about

1630

01:21:22,970 --> 01:21:21,020

the you know bullseye so many years now

1631

01:21:26,360 --> 01:21:22,980

but when I understand

1632

01:21:30,740 --> 01:21:26,370

two men signed the National Security Act

1633

01:21:33,410 --> 01:21:30,750

in 1947 right after Roswell with me

1634

01:21:35,570 --> 01:21:33,420

believe that maybe that that's the whole

1635

01:21:39,170 --> 01:21:35,580

purpose whether he established the CIA

1636

01:21:42,380 --> 01:21:39,180

was to cover up this Roswell incident in

1637

01:21:48,260 --> 01:21:42,390

the long term and through the history

1638

01:21:50,510 --> 01:21:48,270

the C San Fermin took I was at the CIA

1639

01:21:52,850 --> 01:21:50,520

nice to create the court kind of get

1640

01:21:57,590 --> 01:21:52,860

documents and he got some but they're

1641

01:22:00,650 --> 01:21:57,600

all blacked out but I've always found I

1642

01:22:07,520 --> 01:22:00,660

stayed on the case for a number of years

1643

01:22:09,950 --> 01:22:07,530

the Roswell crash yes and so I've always

1644

01:22:16,070 --> 01:22:09,960

believed that CIA or the both front up

1645

01:22:18,350 --> 01:22:16,080

covering up this UFO cover-up and I was

1646

01:22:20,660 --> 01:22:18,360

wondering do you think how involved are

1647

01:22:24,680 --> 01:22:20,670

they are now and covering up and are

1648

01:22:28,280 --> 01:22:24,690

they involved in these videos t SS a

1649

01:22:30,830 --> 01:22:28,290

releasing these videos you know how much

1650

01:22:33,140 --> 01:22:30,840

involved are they are now was in the

1651

01:22:36,950 --> 01:22:33,150

well I can tell you they haven't become

1652

01:22:40,040 --> 01:22:36,960

a whole lot more open and candid about

1653

01:22:42,800 --> 01:22:40,050

the whole thing by announcing that they

1654

01:22:46,970 --> 01:22:42,810

were spilling their guts sending out of

1655

01:22:49,430 --> 01:22:46,980

a million pages of UFO documents to

1656

01:22:52,880 --> 01:22:49,440

it's website well that was just a crock

1657

01:22:54,830 --> 01:22:52,890

of you-know-what no there they have no

1658

01:22:59,630 --> 01:22:54,840

better attitude now than they ever did

1659

01:23:02,030 --> 01:22:59,640

the CIA never wanted to step near the

1660

01:23:05,330 --> 01:23:02,040

UFO subject I knew it was a loser

1661

01:23:07,760 --> 01:23:05,340

because most of them were cynical but

1662

01:23:09,979 --> 01:23:07,770

they knew that they could not prove a

1663

01:23:13,460 --> 01:23:09,989

negative they would have to say in every

1664

01:23:17,650 --> 01:23:13,470

case no this was a weather balloon this

1665

01:23:21,440 --> 01:23:17,660

was a conventional aircraft it was Venus

1666

01:23:24,050 --> 01:23:21,450

there that would get so old they knew

1667

01:23:27,410 --> 01:23:24,060

that couldn't it was just a losing

1668

01:23:29,570 --> 01:23:27,420

proposition and so they tried their very

1669

01:23:32,120 --> 01:23:29,580

best to get out of the business but they

1670

01:23:36,290 --> 01:23:32,130

kept being dragged back in by the air

1671

01:23:37,729 --> 01:23:36,300

force in a soil that's as close of an

1672

01:23:40,840 --> 01:23:37,739

answer as I can get you I don't think

1673

01:23:44,840 --> 01:23:40,850

your attitude has changed Oh whit today

1674

01:23:46,610 --> 01:23:44,850

well Steve thank you for the call thank

1675

01:23:49,670 --> 01:23:46,620

you very much all right have a good one

1676

01:23:52,100 --> 01:23:49,680

all right so the line is open again that

1677

01:23:54,890 --> 01:23:52,110

phone number is eight five five four

1678

01:23:57,140 --> 01:23:54,900

seven two five four eight three and bill

1679

01:24:01,850 --> 01:23:57,150

is screening the calls over there say hi

1680

01:24:03,860 --> 01:24:01,860

to Bill and so what well I couldn't

1681

01:24:06,229 --> 01:24:03,870

offer here something to fill with just a

1682

01:24:12,050 --> 01:24:06,239

minute or so uh sure yeah in the late

1683

01:24:14,690 --> 01:24:12,060

60s the CIA tried one more time to put

1684

01:24:18,020 --> 01:24:14,700

this whole thing to bed and they formed

1685

01:24:22,130 --> 01:24:18,030

a group under Edward u Condon who was a

1686

01:24:24,800 --> 01:24:22,140

physicist University physicist deceit

1687

01:24:29,810 --> 01:24:24,810

they're the the air force was ready to

1688

01:24:31,940 --> 01:24:29,820

punt by late 66 and they had this Condon

1689

01:24:34,670 --> 01:24:31,950

put together a group of I believe five

1690

01:24:38,030 --> 01:24:34,680

physicists and three psychologists and

1691

01:24:40,400 --> 01:24:38,040

they were going to take 18 months and a

1692

01:24:43,490 --> 01:24:40,410

few hundred thousand dollar contract and

1693

01:24:44,979 --> 01:24:43,500

really do it right well it didn't turn

1694

01:24:48,200 --> 01:24:44,989

out quite like that

1695

01:24:50,960 --> 01:24:48,210

before they actually got underway the

1696

01:24:54,670 --> 01:24:50,970

another physicist who was their chief of

1697

01:24:57,290 --> 01:24:54,680

staff named Robert Lowe said to

1698

01:24:59,900 --> 01:24:57,300

university officials that University of

1699

01:25:00,890 --> 01:24:59,910

Colorado our study would be conducted

1700

01:25:04,610 --> 01:25:00,900

almost

1701
01:25:07,010 --> 01:25:04,620
lucify non-believers who would add an

1702
01:25:09,770 --> 01:25:07,020
impressive body of evidence that there

1703
01:25:14,510 --> 01:25:09,780
is no reality to the observations and

1704
01:25:18,320 --> 01:25:14,520
then he used this 50 cent word the trick

1705
01:25:20,630 --> 01:25:18,330
would be I think to describe it so that

1706
01:25:23,479 --> 01:25:20,640
to the public it would appear a totally

1707
01:25:26,330 --> 01:25:23,489
objective study but to the scientific

1708
01:25:28,850 --> 01:25:26,340
community it would present the image of

1709
01:25:31,250 --> 01:25:28,860
a group of non-believers trying their

1710
01:25:34,130 --> 01:25:31,260
best to be objective but having an

1711
01:25:37,250 --> 01:25:34,140
almost zero expectation of finding a

1712
01:25:39,860 --> 01:25:37,260
saucer now a couple of months into this

1713
01:25:42,979 --> 01:25:39,870

18-month contract Condon himself

1714

01:25:45,830 --> 01:25:42,989

declared to the press I won't believe in

1715

01:25:48,530 --> 01:25:45,840

outer space saucers until I see one

1716

01:25:51,320 --> 01:25:48,540

touch one haul it into a laboratory and

1717

01:25:51,919 --> 01:25:51,330

get some competent people to go over it

1718

01:25:55,189 --> 01:25:51,929

with me

1719

01:25:58,010 --> 01:25:55,199

he further told the press it is my

1720

01:26:00,200 --> 01:25:58,020

inclination right now to recommend that

1721

01:26:02,930 --> 01:26:00,210

the government get out of this business

1722

01:26:05,870 --> 01:26:02,940

my attitude right now is that there is

1723

01:26:09,439 --> 01:26:05,880

nothing to it but I'm not supposed to

1724

01:26:11,270 --> 01:26:09,449

reach a conclusion for another year so

1725

01:26:13,360 --> 01:26:11,280

that was the objectivity of the two

1726
01:26:16,580 --> 01:26:13,370
people running the Condon committee

1727
01:26:19,970 --> 01:26:16,590
didn't someone leave to like they they

1728
01:26:22,790 --> 01:26:19,980
were all right straighten up yeah yes

1729
01:26:27,439 --> 01:26:22,800
there was a near mutiny in February of

1730
01:26:29,740 --> 01:26:27,449
68 two people two of the scientists were

1731
01:26:34,189 --> 01:26:29,750
going to go to the press with this

1732
01:26:36,790 --> 01:26:34,199
comment by Robert Lowell about playing a

1733
01:26:39,620 --> 01:26:36,800
trick on the public they were fired

1734
01:26:42,530 --> 01:26:39,630
supposedly for being incompetent but

1735
01:26:49,370 --> 01:26:42,540
that caused almost the entire staff to

1736
01:26:52,100 --> 01:26:49,380
mutiny against them and oh let's see

1737
01:26:54,620 --> 01:26:52,110
we're on February 9 the Condon committee

1738
01:26:57,380 --> 01:26:54,630

experienced a near mutiny by several

1739

01:26:59,300 --> 01:26:57,390

staffers the dismissal of to the

1740

01:27:01,729 --> 01:26:59,310

resignation of the administrative

1741

01:27:04,100 --> 01:27:01,739

assistant the two who were fired

1742

01:27:06,950 --> 01:27:04,110

intended to make public Robert Louis

1743

01:27:09,620 --> 01:27:06,960

earlier comments they hung together

1744

01:27:12,439 --> 01:27:09,630

loosely but you know the damage was done

1745

01:27:13,719 --> 01:27:12,449

and the Condon committee just kind of

1746

01:27:16,569 --> 01:27:13,729

faded from view

1747

01:27:20,489 --> 01:27:16,579

didn't didn't finish out its contract

1748

01:27:24,279 --> 01:27:20,499

that would just it was a total disaster

1749

01:27:27,759 --> 01:27:24,289

now so this is very similar in a way to

1750

01:27:30,699 --> 01:27:27,769

the Robertson panel wouldn't you get yes

1751

01:27:35,290 --> 01:27:30,709

yeah who major attempts to study the

1752

01:27:37,089 --> 01:27:35,300

subject to disastrous finishes purposely

1753

01:27:41,949 --> 01:27:37,099

no wonder you don't want to handle it

1754

01:27:44,379 --> 01:27:41,959

today so I know this is a going off

1755

01:27:48,160 --> 01:27:44,389

topic of your book but what do you think

1756

01:27:49,839 --> 01:27:48,170

about you know I think during the during

1757

01:27:52,149 --> 01:27:49,849

the news segment we were talking about

1758

01:27:54,209 --> 01:27:52,159

you know the US Navy actually admitting

1759

01:27:57,279 --> 01:27:54,219

that what these videos are are

1760

01:28:00,759 --> 01:27:57,289

unidentified objects you know it's kind

1761

01:28:04,060 --> 01:28:00,769

of like the first really intriguing of

1762

01:28:07,299 --> 01:28:04,070

course these are to someone in the UFO

1763

01:28:09,609 --> 01:28:07,309

business these are strictly nocturnal

1764

01:28:11,640 --> 01:28:09,619

lights you can't tell what the shape of

1765

01:28:14,319 --> 01:28:11,650

this is it's in the distance it's just

1766

01:28:17,580 --> 01:28:14,329

something glowing that ought not to be

1767

01:28:22,509 --> 01:28:17,590

there and is on the on the jet aircraft

1768

01:28:25,540 --> 01:28:22,519

radar and on their camera footage I for

1769

01:28:28,779 --> 01:28:25,550

now you know in MUFON would consider

1770

01:28:32,020 --> 01:28:28,789

this yeah cool subject I mean a cool

1771

01:28:34,390 --> 01:28:32,030

sighting but not really very helpful or

1772

01:28:35,560 --> 01:28:34,400

relevant to answering what you have

1773

01:28:38,680 --> 01:28:35,570

always are all about

1774

01:28:41,199 --> 01:28:38,690

they're just nocturnal lights I know you

1775

01:28:42,250 --> 01:28:41,209

might be confusing what I'm saying the

1776

01:28:47,410 --> 01:28:42,260

Navy

1777

01:28:49,449 --> 01:28:47,420

videos the three videos that were

1778

01:28:53,620 --> 01:28:49,459

released whether they had permission to

1779

01:28:57,699 --> 01:28:53,630

be released or not that were you know

1780

01:29:02,859 --> 01:28:57,709

Navy videos of UFOs one called the

1781

01:29:05,290 --> 01:29:02,869

gimbal one called fast Walker and the

1782

01:29:06,609 --> 01:29:05,300

third called tick-tock those three

1783

01:29:08,259 --> 01:29:06,619

videos that were released

1784

01:29:13,509 --> 01:29:08,269

you know the Navy was actually calling

1785

01:29:14,890 --> 01:29:13,519

them UFOs and I saw those words attached

1786

01:29:17,140 --> 01:29:14,900

to a two and they were more or less

1787

01:29:21,459 --> 01:29:17,150

saying they're credible but again it's

1788

01:29:23,529 --> 01:29:21,469

nothing close up this is all put camera

1789

01:29:25,810 --> 01:29:23,539

footage from on a jet that's why

1790

01:29:27,520 --> 01:29:25,820

something maybe a couple of miles into

1791

01:29:29,890 --> 01:29:27,530

the distance

1792

01:29:31,870 --> 01:29:29,900

that's right I I still like there yeah

1793

01:29:34,720 --> 01:29:31,880

they're intriguing but they're not very

1794

01:29:37,570 --> 01:29:34,730

useful yeah well I don't know if there's

1795

01:29:39,400 --> 01:29:37,580

if there's do you think that Navy

1796

01:29:42,160 --> 01:29:39,410

actually has better footage because I

1797

01:29:44,020 --> 01:29:42,170

know the Nimitz case by the way I do I

1798

01:29:46,210 --> 01:29:44,030

do have I will have someone back on

1799

01:29:47,620 --> 01:29:46,220

about the Nimitz case coming up maybe

1800

01:29:49,690 --> 01:29:47,630

and it would not at all

1801
01:29:51,940 --> 01:29:49,700
surprise me if they had something close

1802
01:29:53,710 --> 01:29:51,950
up but that's all they're releasing to

1803
01:29:56,320 --> 01:29:53,720
the public that's where I was surprised

1804
01:29:59,110 --> 01:29:56,330
at just that much that the Navy was

1805
01:30:01,540 --> 01:29:59,120
saying yeah we got a few things here

1806
01:30:03,670 --> 01:30:01,550
that could be credible that's the first

1807
01:30:06,430 --> 01:30:03,680
time anybody in the military or

1808
01:30:10,290 --> 01:30:06,440
intelligence establishment has owned up

1809
01:30:13,450 --> 01:30:10,300
to the reality of UFOs and decades

1810
01:30:16,870 --> 01:30:13,460
importantly that way yeah absolutely

1811
01:30:20,050 --> 01:30:16,880
and I know that people have seen some

1812
01:30:23,920 --> 01:30:20,060
witnesses have seen the footage of the

1813
01:30:26,200 --> 01:30:23,930

tic-tock UFO off the Nimitz that was

1814

01:30:28,540 --> 01:30:26,210

actually in color and it wasn't radar or

1815

01:30:30,880 --> 01:30:28,550

anything you know wasn't the infrared it

1816

01:30:32,860 --> 01:30:30,890

was actually a very very clear video

1817

01:30:36,670 --> 01:30:32,870

that has been seen but of course that

1818

01:30:40,570 --> 01:30:36,680

has that we won't see that film as far

1819

01:30:45,610 --> 01:30:40,580

as I know no oh and by tick-tack I

1820

01:30:48,390 --> 01:30:45,620

assume that like the candy of yes um but

1821

01:30:53,110 --> 01:30:48,400

from my youth really yes it's an

1822

01:30:56,770 --> 01:30:53,120

elongated oval yeah not quite a cylinder

1823

01:31:00,220 --> 01:30:56,780

but it's certainly not a saucer and it

1824

01:31:04,720 --> 01:31:00,230

may or may not at times be shrouded in a

1825

01:31:07,270 --> 01:31:04,730

you know kind of a fog whatever that's

1826

01:31:08,080 --> 01:31:07,280

all about sometimes they are sometimes

1827

01:31:10,990 --> 01:31:08,090

they're not

1828

01:31:12,160 --> 01:31:11,000

but yeah the ticktick and it's of

1829

01:31:15,210 --> 01:31:12,170

substantial size

1830

01:31:18,550 --> 01:31:15,220

this is not something tiny it's not

1831

01:31:21,580 --> 01:31:18,560

right automobile-sized it would be much

1832

01:31:23,530 --> 01:31:21,590

larger yeah according to david flavor

1833

01:31:25,900 --> 01:31:23,540

the pilot that actually saw it

1834

01:31:29,010 --> 01:31:25,910

you know witnessed it he's saying that

1835

01:31:31,810 --> 01:31:29,020

he thought it was about 45 feet which is

1836

01:31:35,890 --> 01:31:31,820

substantial you're right yeah yeah yeah

1837

01:31:38,260 --> 01:31:35,900

yeah okay so let me just see if we have

1838

01:31:40,450 --> 01:31:38,270

any calls in there also I will try to

1839

01:31:41,379 --> 01:31:40,460

look for simple well we actually do we

1840

01:31:44,319 --> 01:31:41,389

have and

1841

01:31:44,949 --> 01:31:44,329

be calling from Connecticut Andy you're

1842

01:31:48,729 --> 01:31:44,959

on the air

1843

01:31:51,759 --> 01:31:48,739

welcome to the show hi guys

1844

01:31:55,919 --> 01:31:51,769

my question for Dan is what are his

1845

01:31:59,529 --> 01:31:55,929

thoughts on the idea that the CIA's

1846

01:32:01,000 --> 01:31:59,539

attempts to control the narrative we're

1847

01:32:03,520 --> 01:32:01,010

doomed from the start

1848

01:32:08,229 --> 01:32:03,530

just based solely on the fact that it

1849

01:32:10,540 --> 01:32:08,239

seems as though that all the encounters

1850

01:32:13,870 --> 01:32:10,550

and sightings and things are far beyond

1851

01:32:15,969 --> 01:32:13,880

their control and I'll take your hanser

1852

01:32:16,989 --> 01:32:15,979

off the air and a good show is always

1853

01:32:23,979 --> 01:32:16,999

Martin thank you

1854

01:32:24,520 --> 01:32:23,989

thanks Andy if if first you practice to

1855

01:32:30,100 --> 01:32:24,530

deceive

1856

01:32:32,439 --> 01:32:30,110

yeah yeah the CIA got in over its head

1857

01:32:34,120 --> 01:32:32,449

thinking they could control this and

1858

01:32:37,389 --> 01:32:34,130

when they couldn't they tried to get out

1859

01:32:40,600 --> 01:32:37,399

but the because of thanks to the Air

1860

01:32:43,810 --> 01:32:40,610

Force the CIA kept being dragged back

1861

01:32:46,989 --> 01:32:43,820

into this to put out a fire or put out a

1862

01:32:50,379 --> 01:32:46,999

report to say again there's nothing to

1863

01:32:53,409 --> 01:32:50,389

this they did not know what to do about

1864

01:32:56,409 --> 01:32:53,419

UFOs and they ended up doing virtually

1865

01:32:59,159 --> 01:32:56,419

nothing but they they really gave

1866

01:33:02,139 --> 01:32:59,169

themselves a black eye in the process

1867

01:33:05,250 --> 01:33:02,149

didn't do them themselves any favors and

1868

01:33:08,979 --> 01:33:05,260

I won't be joining them any time soon

1869

01:33:11,500 --> 01:33:08,989

you know I think along those lines you

1870

01:33:14,620 --> 01:33:11,510

know I mean what I understand why the

1871

01:33:17,979 --> 01:33:14,630

Air Force wants to drag about anybody in

1872

01:33:21,399 --> 01:33:17,989

because when they don't have control of

1873

01:33:23,979 --> 01:33:21,409

their skies and they can't give answers

1874

01:33:26,919 --> 01:33:23,989

to what these things are you know yeah

1875

01:33:30,040 --> 01:33:26,929

that's the youth struck upon it the Air

1876

01:33:32,290 --> 01:33:30,050

Force and the CIA both believe that if

1877

01:33:35,379 --> 01:33:32,300

they offered to the public that there

1878

01:33:38,469 --> 01:33:35,389

was any credence to these reports well

1879

01:33:41,290 --> 01:33:38,479

what would that say about the u.s. it

1880

01:33:43,659 --> 01:33:41,300

would not be invincible anymore there's

1881

01:33:46,540 --> 01:33:43,669

something out there that that moves

1882

01:33:48,520 --> 01:33:46,550

around and does what it wants and we

1883

01:33:51,189 --> 01:33:48,530

can't do anything about it that doesn't

1884

01:33:53,409 --> 01:33:51,199

make us sound very powerful and if for

1885

01:33:55,629 --> 01:33:53,419

no other reason that was enough to keep

1886

01:33:59,530 --> 01:33:55,639

this all quiet

1887

01:34:02,830 --> 01:33:59,540

and debunked wow I can't believe where

1888

01:34:05,050 --> 01:34:02,840

our next guest is calling from okay I'm

1889

01:34:07,990 --> 01:34:05,060

gonna take our next phone guest that is

1890

01:34:11,399 --> 01:34:08,000

I'm going to take him Gil calling from

1891

01:34:14,490 --> 01:34:11,409

Roswell is it Roswell New Mexico or

1892

01:34:18,520 --> 01:34:14,500

Roswell Georgia where you calling from

1893

01:34:22,030 --> 01:34:18,530

you got me makes you go yeah Wow you are

1894

01:34:29,200 --> 01:34:22,040

our first Roswell caller are you at the

1895

01:34:30,640 --> 01:34:29,210

debris field Dexter a matter of fact out

1896

01:34:32,500 --> 01:34:30,650

on the ranch uh-huh

1897

01:34:35,979 --> 01:34:32,510

Wow thanks for the call you have a

1898

01:34:37,720 --> 01:34:35,989

question for our guest tonight yeah I

1899

01:34:39,550 --> 01:34:37,730

was wondering if he knows anything about

1900

01:34:41,700 --> 01:34:39,560

or remembers anything about this

1901

01:34:44,760 --> 01:34:41,710

Stephenville elides

1902

01:34:51,189 --> 01:34:44,770

no I'm sorry I'm not familiar with that

1903

01:34:55,930 --> 01:34:51,199

yeah I mean when was it suddenly when

1904

01:34:59,129 --> 01:34:55,940

was it you never 2007-2008 when they had

1905

01:35:03,010 --> 01:34:59,139

the big the big triangle over there

1906

01:35:05,410 --> 01:35:03,020

quite a few witnesses by the bush ranch

1907

01:35:09,640 --> 01:35:05,420

frankly I was not with MUFON at that

1908

01:35:11,859 --> 01:35:09,650

time I kind of semi retired in 2003 and

1909

01:35:15,870 --> 01:35:11,869

didn't pick it up again until this

1910

01:35:20,649 --> 01:35:15,880

project in 2017 and I really didn't I

1911

01:35:24,430 --> 01:35:20,659

had reached a point after 35 years in

1912

01:35:27,970 --> 01:35:24,440

this business of or 25 I guess it was of

1913

01:35:31,959 --> 01:35:27,980

thinking you know I can go on till the

1914

01:35:34,000 --> 01:35:31,969

final hours of my life and really I

1915

01:35:37,750 --> 01:35:34,010

won't have accomplished this much

1916

01:35:41,669 --> 01:35:37,760

because we still haven't found out what

1917

01:35:44,200 --> 01:35:41,679

they are yeah where they're from and

1918

01:35:46,120 --> 01:35:44,210

anything that I've accomplished is

1919

01:35:49,180 --> 01:35:46,130

probably just a drop in the bucket

1920

01:35:52,689 --> 01:35:49,190

because this could be a thousand year or

1921

01:35:55,930 --> 01:35:52,699

a 10,000 year observation of the earth I

1922

01:35:58,240 --> 01:35:55,940

don't think to anything exciting you

1923

01:36:00,189 --> 01:35:58,250

know nothing's going to land on the

1924

01:36:03,490 --> 01:36:00,199

Pentagon lawn or anything within the

1925

01:36:07,030 --> 01:36:03,500

next couple of months and so I felt that

1926

01:36:09,460 --> 01:36:07,040

all the hours this had cost me a couple

1927

01:36:11,980 --> 01:36:09,470

of marriages frankly

1928

01:36:15,280 --> 01:36:11,990

and the thousands and thousands of hours

1929

01:36:16,930 --> 01:36:15,290

I put into it would really be just drop

1930

01:36:19,540 --> 01:36:16,940

in the bucket and that was discouraging

1931

01:36:25,360 --> 01:36:19,550

so I left the business and didn't come

1932

01:36:26,950 --> 01:36:25,370

back until this CIA file dump came known

1933

01:36:28,720 --> 01:36:26,960

and early 17

1934

01:36:31,300 --> 01:36:28,730

well you know if you didn't call Gil I

1935

01:36:33,370 --> 01:36:31,310

would never have all this information

1936

01:36:35,230 --> 01:36:33,380

and I will tell you that if you're

1937

01:36:38,050 --> 01:36:35,240

really interested in listening to a show

1938

01:36:39,820 --> 01:36:38,060

in that I did a show back you can find

1939

01:36:40,560 --> 01:36:39,830

it on YouTube I'm sure with Robert

1940

01:36:43,960 --> 01:36:40,570

Powell

1941

01:36:45,700 --> 01:36:43,970

about that Stephenville sighting that's

1942

01:36:50,560 --> 01:36:45,710

really interesting he really looked into

1943

01:36:53,050 --> 01:36:50,570

it but thank thank you for Lee call well

1944

01:36:55,210 --> 01:36:53,060

thank you I was will Martin the reason

1945

01:36:57,790 --> 01:36:55,220

why I was calling is because I say it

1946

01:37:01,030 --> 01:36:57,800

was a might have had a little bit of a

1947

01:37:04,960 --> 01:37:01,040

would witness to a part of that that

1948

01:37:07,960 --> 01:37:04,970

that main night the one that the pilot

1949

01:37:09,730 --> 01:37:07,970

actually seen the craft mm-hm

1950

01:37:12,490 --> 01:37:09,740

I was actually out here at the ranch

1951

01:37:16,530 --> 01:37:12,500

here east of Roswell out in the middle

1952

01:37:21,430 --> 01:37:16,540

of nowhere out by the cap rocks here and

1953

01:37:24,990 --> 01:37:21,440

two f-22s from Holloman come over the

1954

01:37:29,200 --> 01:37:25,000

ranch which is a very rare rarity they

1955

01:37:30,700 --> 01:37:29,210

there was a you know they had been over

1956

01:37:33,520 --> 01:37:30,710

there at the Holloman Air Force Base

1957

01:37:36,910 --> 01:37:33,530

just not they'd been stationed there not

1958

01:37:39,820 --> 01:37:36,920

too long before before that so that was

1959

01:37:44,830 --> 01:37:39,830

pretty pretty new over there right after

1960

01:37:47,260 --> 01:37:44,840

they F what that was an empty as a FAC

1961

01:37:48,910 --> 01:37:47,270

like they had over there yeah they're

1962

01:37:52,360 --> 01:37:48,920

not that stealth fighters they had a

1963

01:37:55,710 --> 01:37:52,370

mission but anyway they come over and

1964

01:38:00,040 --> 01:37:55,720

with their afterburners on at rear low

1965

01:38:03,580 --> 01:38:00,050

elevation altitude I should say headed

1966

01:38:05,470 --> 01:38:03,590

straight east toward Lubbock and it was

1967

01:38:07,240 --> 01:38:05,480

the night to date because I was sitting

1968

01:38:10,420 --> 01:38:07,250

here doing some homework I was going to

1969

01:38:12,640 --> 01:38:10,430

Eastern over here and I mean it little

1970

01:38:16,150 --> 01:38:12,650

rattler rattled the trailer that I was

1971

01:38:17,260 --> 01:38:16,160

in and it was headed toward there and

1972

01:38:18,790 --> 01:38:17,270

that was happened to be the night

1973

01:38:23,329 --> 01:38:18,800

because I was listening to coast to

1974

01:38:27,619 --> 01:38:23,339

coast and a night or two after that and

1975

01:38:30,199 --> 01:38:27,629

and Wow Jorge someone and was talking

1976

01:38:32,869 --> 01:38:30,209

about that so I don't know that would

1977

01:38:35,389 --> 01:38:32,879

had and was too poor but they never come

1978

01:38:37,159 --> 01:38:35,399

over on that down this flight line

1979

01:38:39,409 --> 01:38:37,169

through here

1980

01:38:42,619 --> 01:38:39,419

in born and raised out here you never

1981

01:38:46,899 --> 01:38:42,629

see them go in that that direction it's

1982

01:38:51,889 --> 01:38:46,909

usually to Clovis and then to Lubbock or

1983

01:38:53,959 --> 01:38:51,899

Amarillo that way toward those air bases

1984

01:38:56,209 --> 01:38:53,969

that they have one through two that way

1985

01:38:58,219 --> 01:38:56,219

but this this night they went straight

1986

01:39:02,809 --> 01:38:58,229

that way and they could've been over 400

1987

01:39:05,229 --> 01:39:02,819

feet Wow up that's actually I think you

1988

01:39:07,879 --> 01:39:05,239

have to be military to fly that low

1989

01:39:09,739 --> 01:39:07,889

commercial or private airline now

1990

01:39:13,129 --> 01:39:09,749

airplanes can't fly that low I believe

1991

01:39:14,689 --> 01:39:13,139

it has to be five above 500 feet but you

1992

01:39:16,399 --> 01:39:14,699

know you may want to contact Robert

1993

01:39:19,729 --> 01:39:16,409

Powell because I know he did a lot of

1994

01:39:23,389 --> 01:39:19,739

work on that case but I really

1995

01:39:24,739 --> 01:39:23,399

appreciate the call Gil oh you're

1996

01:39:26,409 --> 01:39:24,749

welcome Martin thank you and always a

1997

01:39:30,829 --> 01:39:26,419

great show that's what you always

1998

01:39:34,459 --> 01:39:30,839

excellent thanks a lot thank you okay so

1999

01:39:37,069 --> 01:39:34,469

incidentally this last Saturday for the

2000

01:39:39,829 --> 01:39:37,079

national anthem for the University of

2001

01:39:44,209 --> 01:39:39,839

Georgia a Notre Dame game here in Athens

2002

01:39:46,969 --> 01:39:44,219

of a formation of four f-18s went over

2003

01:39:49,790 --> 01:39:46,979

as they often do for big games but then

2004

01:39:52,609 --> 01:39:49,800

they went right over my neighborhood and

2005

01:39:55,909 --> 01:39:52,619

they couldn't have been even 400 feet up

2006

01:39:58,689 --> 01:39:55,919

it was more like 200 and just shook the

2007

01:40:00,290 --> 01:39:58,699

window oh yeah people went oh my god

2008

01:40:03,529 --> 01:40:00,300

what was that

2009

01:40:05,659 --> 01:40:03,539

yeah yeah hey I'd like to talk I'd like

2010

01:40:06,709 --> 01:40:05,669

to talk to you about what you just said

2011

01:40:08,599 --> 01:40:06,719

a few minutes ago

2012

01:40:10,399 --> 01:40:08,609

and the lines are still open if anyone

2013

01:40:13,040 --> 01:40:10,409

wants to call in again that number eight

2014

01:40:17,029 --> 01:40:13,050

five five four seven two five four eight

2015

01:40:19,520 --> 01:40:17,039

three I totally get what you said about

2016

01:40:22,059 --> 01:40:19,530

you know following away because I've

2017

01:40:24,500 --> 01:40:22,069

talked to a number of people who have

2018

01:40:26,299 --> 01:40:24,510

you know have gotten discouraged for

2019

01:40:29,059 --> 01:40:26,309

various reasons and you know had to take

2020

01:40:31,399 --> 01:40:29,069

a step back I get that and I also have

2021

01:40:33,500 --> 01:40:31,409

said on the show many times that you

2022

01:40:35,479 --> 01:40:33,510

know I've been doing this since coming

2023

01:40:36,830 --> 01:40:35,489

up on the eighth year anniversary here

2024

01:40:39,350 --> 01:40:36,840

and another

2025

01:40:41,600 --> 01:40:39,360

a couple months actually for you yeah

2026

01:40:43,459 --> 01:40:41,610

but I've said I said I think was just

2027

01:40:47,300 --> 01:40:43,469

the last show I said I think I know less

2028

01:40:52,520 --> 01:40:47,310

about UFOs now than when I started you

2029

01:40:54,709 --> 01:40:52,530

know and I'm not really sure if you know

2030

01:40:57,200 --> 01:40:54,719

if that's something that we're going to

2031

01:40:59,240 --> 01:40:57,210

see a change in or I don't expect it I

2032

01:41:02,030 --> 01:40:59,250

don't expect even though I feel as

2033

01:41:03,589 --> 01:41:02,040

though right now it feels like we're

2034

01:41:06,200 --> 01:41:03,599

really close to something I bet you had

2035

01:41:09,290 --> 01:41:06,210

that feeling in the past right sure

2036

01:41:12,109 --> 01:41:09,300

at any number of times in the past with

2037

01:41:14,149 --> 01:41:12,119

MUFON thinking there's there's going to

2038

01:41:18,080 --> 01:41:14,159

be we're going to turn a corner and the

2039

01:41:20,629 --> 01:41:18,090

the Air Force and and Washington are

2040

01:41:23,660 --> 01:41:20,639

going to come clean that they've been

2041

01:41:26,030 --> 01:41:23,670

baffled all these years well know here

2042

01:41:28,729 --> 01:41:26,040

we are you know 40 years after I got

2043

01:41:31,760 --> 01:41:28,739

into the business and we're no closer to

2044

01:41:34,430 --> 01:41:31,770

an admission then then we were uh huh

2045

01:41:36,410 --> 01:41:34,440

and you know I I also want to make a

2046

01:41:38,450 --> 01:41:36,420

comment too about you said all your

2047

01:41:41,959 --> 01:41:38,460

thousands of hours of work or drop in

2048

01:41:44,229 --> 01:41:41,969

the bucket you have to you have to take

2049

01:41:47,780 --> 01:41:44,239

a little bit of credit for that because

2050

01:41:49,040 --> 01:41:47,790

you know you have you know in your bio

2051

01:41:51,800 --> 01:41:49,050

it says you know you wrote three

2052

01:41:54,830 --> 01:41:51,810

chapters to the MUFON you know you know

2053

01:41:57,620 --> 01:41:54,840

basically you have you have helped I bet

2054

01:42:00,379 --> 01:41:57,630

you've helped hundreds of people in one

2055

01:42:03,530 --> 01:42:00,389

way or another involved in UFO sightings

2056

01:42:05,660 --> 01:42:03,540

that just wanted someone to talk to I

2057

01:42:11,240 --> 01:42:05,670

bet you were helpful in that way that's

2058

01:42:13,209 --> 01:42:11,250

true son dad yeah but you know that and

2059

01:42:17,200 --> 01:42:13,219

two bucks will get me a cup of coffee

2060

01:42:18,979 --> 01:42:17,210

but but it's not always that it's also

2061

01:42:22,850 --> 01:42:18,989

you know I mean there was this a

2062

01:42:26,570 --> 01:42:22,860

situation here with I'm sure you heard

2063

01:42:30,080 --> 01:42:26,580

of the Pascagoula case oh yeah and

2064

01:42:34,959 --> 01:42:30,090

Calvin Parker you know I had a situation

2065

01:42:37,459 --> 01:42:34,969

were through him and and helping him a

2066

01:42:39,800 --> 01:42:37,469

family connection a lost family member

2067

01:42:42,740 --> 01:42:39,810

it's just one little thing that I did

2068

01:42:45,140 --> 01:42:42,750

here that made me feel really good it

2069

01:42:48,140 --> 01:42:45,150

has nothing to do with money has nothing

2070

01:42:49,910 --> 01:42:48,150

to do with UFOs but it has to do with

2071

01:42:50,780 --> 01:42:49,920

people and helping people and I think

2072

01:42:55,880 --> 01:42:50,790

that

2073

01:42:59,390 --> 01:42:55,890

have done a lot of I can tell okay I'll

2074

01:43:02,420 --> 01:42:59,400

take that one okay very good

2075

01:43:06,560 --> 01:43:02,430

our line still open we have about eight

2076

01:43:08,450 --> 01:43:06,570

or nine minutes left and was you you

2077

01:43:10,370 --> 01:43:08,460

mentioned there was a what was of the oh

2078

01:43:14,120 --> 01:43:10,380

I can't remember they have the four

2079

01:43:19,960 --> 01:43:14,130

initials the OSI or something what part

2080

01:43:23,630 --> 01:43:19,970

of the CIA actually they were it cease

2081

01:43:27,230 --> 01:43:23,640

don't think of just an office this was

2082

01:43:30,020 --> 01:43:27,240

like a couple of floors of the Pentagon

2083

01:43:33,500 --> 01:43:30,030

where oh s I was alas our Office of

2084

01:43:37,130 --> 01:43:33,510

Scientific intelligence yeah and it was

2085

01:43:39,920 --> 01:43:37,140

a sprawling office quote-unquote with

2086

01:43:42,860 --> 01:43:39,930

multiple divisions within it and it's

2087

01:43:45,730 --> 01:43:42,870

curious and I'm reminded now that over

2088

01:43:48,920 --> 01:43:45,740

the years that the CIA was trying to

2089

01:43:53,450 --> 01:43:48,930

stay out but kept being pulled back into

2090

01:43:56,660 --> 01:43:53,460

this each time they were yanked back a

2091

01:43:59,840 --> 01:43:56,670

different division within OSI would be

2092

01:44:03,080 --> 01:43:59,850

charged with by the director of the

2093

01:44:06,530 --> 01:44:03,090

agency with responsibility for putting

2094

01:44:09,380 --> 01:44:06,540

the kibosh on all of these new incoming

2095

01:44:12,650 --> 01:44:09,390

reports and I'm sure it was an oh my god

2096

01:44:14,630 --> 01:44:12,660

moment for whoever got named but and

2097

01:44:17,090 --> 01:44:14,640

they got rid of the responsibility as

2098

01:44:19,820 --> 01:44:17,100

soon as they could when it came back yet

2099

01:44:25,480 --> 01:44:19,830

another division would be named so they

2100

01:44:34,610 --> 01:44:29,930

intelligence with as it were within OSI

2101
01:44:36,980 --> 01:44:34,620
they kept losing the experience that the

2102
01:44:39,230 --> 01:44:36,990
last division had and had accumulated

2103
01:44:42,050 --> 01:44:39,240
and so they were spinning their wheels

2104
01:44:45,560 --> 01:44:42,060
partly because of that no one wanted it

2105
01:44:50,110 --> 01:44:45,570
and no one wanted to work hard on it hmm

2106
01:44:51,710 --> 01:44:50,120
Wow now what about the Soviet during the

2107
01:44:54,560 --> 01:44:51,720
Cold War

2108
01:44:58,180 --> 01:44:54,570
what type of I know that you know there

2109
01:45:00,800 --> 01:44:58,190
was so much the CIA was involved in were

2110
01:45:04,040 --> 01:45:00,810
there ever any moments that you're aware

2111
01:45:04,520 --> 01:45:04,050
of that the CIA was working on that

2112
01:45:05,750 --> 01:45:04,530
angle

2113
01:45:09,350 --> 01:45:05,760

that it might have something to do with

2114

01:45:14,419 --> 01:45:09,360

this with were asked that yeah they were

2115

01:45:17,089 --> 01:45:14,429

asked that and sometime in 52 when the

2116

01:45:18,560 --> 01:45:17,099

CIA director put the word out that he

2117

01:45:21,439 --> 01:45:18,570

wanted to know where the Russians

2118

01:45:24,500 --> 01:45:21,449

responsible for all of this or any of it

2119

01:45:25,189 --> 01:45:24,510

the answer came back no from what we've

2120

01:45:29,109 --> 01:45:25,199

learned

2121

01:45:32,060 --> 01:45:29,119

no foreign government can have such

2122

01:45:33,799 --> 01:45:32,070

advanced vehicles as as have been

2123

01:45:36,350 --> 01:45:33,809

reported the Russians are not

2124

01:45:40,010 --> 01:45:36,360

responsible but neither are the French

2125

01:45:42,700 --> 01:45:40,020

or the Chinese or anybody else they all

2126

01:45:46,069 --> 01:45:42,710

but said yeah it's got to be offworld

2127

01:45:49,370 --> 01:45:46,079

but they never would but they did say

2128

01:45:51,709 --> 01:45:49,380

matter-of-factly to the CIA director

2129

01:45:55,250 --> 01:45:51,719

no sorry wish we could pin this on the

2130

01:46:00,500 --> 01:45:55,260

Russians but we can't mm-hmm you were

2131

01:46:02,299 --> 01:46:00,510

talking earlier about the two panels

2132

01:46:05,120 --> 01:46:02,309

basically the Robertson panel in the

2133

01:46:09,410 --> 01:46:05,130

condom Committee on and in committee did

2134

01:46:11,750 --> 01:46:09,420

they was there like a certain amount of

2135

01:46:14,060 --> 01:46:11,760

UFO cases that they were told they had

2136

01:46:16,279 --> 01:46:14,070

to look into or did they have a did

2137

01:46:19,220 --> 01:46:16,289

panel have a broad scope of anything

2138

01:46:21,200 --> 01:46:19,230

they wanted yeah as far as I know they

2139

01:46:24,410 --> 01:46:21,210

picked out whatever they wanted no one

2140

01:46:26,720 --> 01:46:24,420

told them to look at anything the I

2141

01:46:32,839 --> 01:46:26,730

don't know how it is that they came that

2142

01:46:36,140 --> 01:46:32,849

the Robertson panel looked at the trem

2143

01:46:38,450 --> 01:46:36,150

inton Utah film taken by the Navy

2144

01:46:40,669 --> 01:46:38,460

photographer it was these things just

2145

01:46:44,299 --> 01:46:40,679

popped up you know to the reader you

2146

01:46:47,060 --> 01:46:44,309

have no idea how they came to acquire

2147

01:46:50,060 --> 01:46:47,070

this stuff or what led them to one case

2148

01:46:52,669 --> 01:46:50,070

or another but having gotten it didn't

2149

01:46:54,589 --> 01:46:52,679

matter how credible it was it was kind

2150

01:46:58,549 --> 01:46:54,599

of it was going to get the fickle finger

2151
01:47:01,359 --> 01:46:58,559
of fate from the CIA and how about the

2152
01:47:05,510 --> 01:47:01,369
national photographic interpretation

2153
01:47:07,549 --> 01:47:05,520
Center NPA I see what was there how did

2154
01:47:11,180 --> 01:47:07,559
they get involved in did they get

2155
01:47:15,049 --> 01:47:11,190
involved was yeah yeah yeah it was

2156
01:47:17,569 --> 01:47:15,059
always an arm of the CIA but it was only

2157
01:47:18,080 --> 01:47:17,579
really in like the 50s when cameras

2158
01:47:21,200 --> 01:47:18,090
started

2159
01:47:25,580 --> 01:47:21,210
to become sophisticated and and camera

2160
01:47:27,790 --> 01:47:25,590
film processing that did this n pick the

2161
01:47:31,730 --> 01:47:27,800
national photographic interpretation

2162
01:47:35,930 --> 01:47:31,740
Center became involved the Robertson

2163
01:47:39,200 --> 01:47:35,940

group went to visit a doctor Arthur lund

2164

01:47:43,910 --> 01:47:39,210

all who headed this end pic and he

2165

01:47:47,210 --> 01:47:43,920

showed them some new whiz-bang photo

2166

01:47:49,960 --> 01:47:47,220

analysis techniques that they had where

2167

01:47:51,890 --> 01:47:49,970

you could take a 2-dimensional image and

2168

01:47:54,710 --> 01:47:51,900

actually turn it into a

2169

01:47:58,460 --> 01:47:54,720

three-dimensional projection of angles

2170

01:48:02,630 --> 01:47:58,470

and what not photogrammetry that's

2171

01:48:04,250 --> 01:48:02,640

called and Robertson was hugely

2172

01:48:08,390 --> 01:48:04,260

impressed by that

2173

01:48:11,060 --> 01:48:08,400

and so they after a first visit to n

2174

01:48:14,270 --> 01:48:11,070

pick they came back and a couple of

2175

01:48:17,840 --> 01:48:14,280

times with some material to have it

2176
01:48:21,710 --> 01:48:17,850
analyzed it never became the center of

2177
01:48:25,310 --> 01:48:21,720
any aspect of this but it really was

2178
01:48:28,420 --> 01:48:25,320
important to Robertson he thought for

2179
01:48:31,910 --> 01:48:28,430
the first time he had a technique to

2180
01:48:33,500 --> 01:48:31,920
absolutely put the kibosh on somebody's

2181
01:48:38,750 --> 01:48:33,510
claim of a UFO

2182
01:48:40,640 --> 01:48:38,760
or you know conversely he could find out

2183
01:48:44,360 --> 01:48:40,650
very easily that it was totally

2184
01:48:45,890 --> 01:48:44,370
unexplainable right you know maybe they

2185
01:48:47,480 --> 01:48:45,900
weren't going there yeah they weren't

2186
01:48:49,640 --> 01:48:47,490
showing that they weren't perfect we're

2187
01:48:52,550 --> 01:48:49,650
not going to go there no yeah it's just

2188
01:48:56,440 --> 01:48:52,560

like I've accused the Air Force of for

2189

01:49:00,710 --> 01:48:56,450

decades their attitude was it cannot be

2190

01:49:02,900 --> 01:49:00,720

therefore it isn't yeah do you think you

2191

01:49:05,390 --> 01:49:02,910

know with today's technology that

2192

01:49:07,250 --> 01:49:05,400

they're really looking at things closely

2193

01:49:09,590 --> 01:49:07,260

I mean I've one of the we only have a

2194

01:49:12,380 --> 01:49:09,600

couple minutes left here but I've said

2195

01:49:13,910 --> 01:49:12,390

on the show probably too many times that

2196

01:49:16,130 --> 01:49:13,920

I don't think that the government really

2197

01:49:18,830 --> 01:49:16,140

knows much more if anything more than we

2198

01:49:22,040 --> 01:49:18,840

actually do correct

2199

01:49:24,320 --> 01:49:22,050

I'm I'm convinced partly because they

2200

01:49:27,260 --> 01:49:24,330

have not put the proper resources into

2201

01:49:31,300 --> 01:49:27,270

finding the information they don't have

2202

01:49:33,040 --> 01:49:31,310

it and so it's it's like

2203

01:49:36,310 --> 01:49:33,050

you know we're barking up the wrong tree

2204

01:49:37,810 --> 01:49:36,320

to expect our government to resolve the

2205

01:49:40,350 --> 01:49:37,820

UFO matter for us

2206

01:49:43,840 --> 01:49:40,360

they haven't been trying MUFON has done

2207

01:49:47,140 --> 01:49:43,850

10,000 times as much effort as the CIA

2208

01:49:49,690 --> 01:49:47,150

or the Air Force ever did yeah and do

2209

01:49:53,680 --> 01:49:49,700

you think that some people claim that

2210

01:49:55,060 --> 01:49:53,690

they think that MUFON was infiltrated by

2211

01:49:56,860 --> 01:49:55,070

the government what's your thoughts on

2212

01:49:57,310 --> 01:49:56,870

that do you think that's just conspiracy

2213

01:50:00,610 --> 01:49:57,320

theory

2214

01:50:02,740 --> 01:50:00,620

I never yeah I never had any any notion

2215

01:50:05,880 --> 01:50:02,750

of that now these were straight-up guys

2216

01:50:08,380 --> 01:50:05,890

uh-huh you know that I I said in

2217

01:50:10,270 --> 01:50:08,390

administrative meetings with that I had

2218

01:50:14,700 --> 01:50:10,280

a couple of beers with no they were

2219

01:50:18,480 --> 01:50:14,710

straight-up and and didn't have any

2220

01:50:22,240 --> 01:50:18,490

devices on on or about their bodies to

2221

01:50:25,530 --> 01:50:22,250

secret away information know that MUFON

2222

01:50:28,900 --> 01:50:25,540

has always been just a bunch of seekers

2223

01:50:32,040 --> 01:50:28,910

just seeking the truth wherever it led

2224

01:50:37,420 --> 01:50:32,050

yeah okay well your book is on Amazon

2225

01:50:39,460 --> 01:50:37,430

and would you want to give out a way for

2226

01:50:43,600 --> 01:50:39,470

people to contact you that's up to you

2227

01:50:46,570 --> 01:50:43,610

one way or the other um yeah you can

2228

01:50:48,940 --> 01:50:46,580

email me for sure and it's pretty easy

2229

01:50:55,780 --> 01:50:48,950

it's my name with a little bit extra

2230

01:50:59,500 --> 01:50:55,790

all one word dan right 1947 that's my

2231

01:51:01,390 --> 01:50:59,510

birth year at gmail.com that's easy

2232

01:51:05,320 --> 01:51:01,400

enough well hopefully you don't get in

2233

01:51:08,920 --> 01:51:05,330

right 1947 at gmail I hope you don't get

2234

01:51:11,830 --> 01:51:08,930

as much spam as I do but thank you it's

2235

01:51:13,600 --> 01:51:11,840

been pleasurable thank you so much you

2236

01:51:14,940 --> 01:51:13,610

bet have a good night all right you have

2237

01:51:18,430 --> 01:51:14,950

a good night as well

2238

01:51:20,620 --> 01:51:18,440

all right everyone that's it for the

2239

01:51:23,710 --> 01:51:20,630

show tonight thank you so much for

2240

01:51:26,290 --> 01:51:23,720

listening we will be back next week with

2241

01:51:29,350 --> 01:51:26,300

I'm pretty happy about this we have

2242

01:51:33,430 --> 01:51:29,360

Williams Center on next week from North

2243

01:51:36,340 --> 01:51:33,440

Carolina and he as he's a longtime and

2244

01:51:38,500 --> 01:51:36,350

well-respected researcher really glad to

2245

01:51:40,450 --> 01:51:38,510

have him on the show coming up we have a

2246

01:51:41,800 --> 01:51:40,460

lot of great shows coming up but I want

2247

01:51:44,709 --> 01:51:41,810

to thank everyone that helps out with

2248

01:51:47,469 --> 01:51:44,719

the show and we are out of