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00:00:34,709 --> 00:00:16,100

[Music]

2  
00:00:39,430 --> 00:00:37,270

ufos and creatures reported in virginia

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00:00:42,069 --> 00:00:39,440

brazil by charles lear

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00:00:43,750 --> 00:00:42,079

brazil has a unique place in ufo history

5  
00:00:45,910 --> 00:00:43,760

not only for the abundance of high

6  
00:00:47,910 --> 00:00:45,920

strangeness ufo reports that come from

7  
00:00:49,990 --> 00:00:47,920

that region but also for the fact that

8  
00:00:51,990 --> 00:00:50,000

people have been reportedly injured and

9  
00:00:54,549 --> 00:00:52,000

have even died as a result of their

10  
00:00:56,790 --> 00:00:54,559

alleged encounters one such case comes

11  
00:00:58,790 --> 00:00:56,800

from the brazilian city of virginia not

12  
00:01:01,430 --> 00:00:58,800

only is there a report of a witness

13  
00:01:03,830 --> 00:01:01,440

dying there are also reports that one

14

00:01:06,630 --> 00:01:03,840

and maybe more extraterrestrials ended

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00:01:08,550 --> 00:01:06,640

their days here on earth bob pratt a ufo

16

00:01:10,950 --> 00:01:08,560

researcher who manned the national

17

00:01:13,030 --> 00:01:10,960

enquirer's ufo desk for a period and

18

00:01:15,109 --> 00:01:13,040

covered south american ufo reports

19

00:01:18,630 --> 00:01:15,119

extensively presented a narrative

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00:01:21,109 --> 00:01:18,640

summary of the case in his 1996 book ufo

21

00:01:23,429 --> 00:01:21,119

danger zone terror and death in brazil

22

00:01:24,870 --> 00:01:23,439

where next he was in brazil shortly

23

00:01:27,109 --> 00:01:24,880

after the events and his summary

24

00:01:29,510 --> 00:01:27,119

summaries based on witness accounts and

25

00:01:30,950 --> 00:01:29,520

reports from the primary investigators

26

00:01:32,710 --> 00:01:30,960

pratt's summary begins with the

27

00:01:35,350 --> 00:01:32,720

pronouncement by two of the primary

28

00:01:37,270 --> 00:01:35,360

investigators ubirajara rodriguez and

29

00:01:39,510 --> 00:01:37,280

vittorio pacochini that two

30

00:01:41,590 --> 00:01:39,520

extraterrestrial creatures were captured

31

00:01:43,990 --> 00:01:41,600

by the brazilian military and sent to

32

00:01:46,069 --> 00:01:44,000

the united states for study according to

33

00:01:49,109 --> 00:01:46,079

pratt the case began with three young

34

00:01:52,230 --> 00:01:49,119

women lillian de silva proud of mitzvah

35

00:01:56,469 --> 00:01:52,240

in the name 16 her sister valkyrie de

36

00:01:59,350 --> 00:01:56,479

silva 14 and katya xavier 22 on january

37

00:02:02,789 --> 00:01:59,360

20th 1996 they were walking home at

38

00:02:04,550 --> 00:02:02,799

around 3 p.m other sources say 3 30 p.m

39

00:02:06,550 --> 00:02:04,560

after helping a woman pack who is

40

00:02:08,710 --> 00:02:06,560

getting ready to move to a new home

41

00:02:10,550 --> 00:02:08,720

xavier worked as a maid for the woman

42

00:02:12,710 --> 00:02:10,560

the three decided to take a shortcut

43

00:02:14,790 --> 00:02:12,720

through a vacant lot about the size of a

44

00:02:16,550 --> 00:02:14,800

city block it was filled with weeds and

45

00:02:19,190 --> 00:02:16,560

there was an empty cinder block building

46

00:02:21,990 --> 00:02:19,200

on one side when they were about 50 feet

47

00:02:24,150 --> 00:02:22,000

in lillian saw something and alerted the

48

00:02:25,910 --> 00:02:24,160

others with the scream according to all

49

00:02:28,229 --> 00:02:25,920

three of them in the course of several

50

00:02:30,070 --> 00:02:28,239

interviews they saw a creature squatting

51  
00:02:32,229 --> 00:02:30,080  
against the wall of the empty building

52  
00:02:34,790 --> 00:02:32,239  
with its left side towards them it was

53  
00:02:36,869 --> 00:02:34,800  
about three feet tall with oily brown

54  
00:02:39,350 --> 00:02:36,879  
skin at a bulbous head with three

55  
00:02:41,350 --> 00:02:39,360  
horn-like protrusions and large red eyes

56  
00:02:43,350 --> 00:02:41,360  
that were vertically oblong all three

57  
00:02:45,430 --> 00:02:43,360  
women screamed and the creature turned

58  
00:02:47,430 --> 00:02:45,440  
towards them it crouched down lower as

59  
00:02:50,229 --> 00:02:47,440  
if it was frightened and the women ran

60  
00:02:53,589 --> 00:02:50,239  
the entire way to the da silva home 20

61  
00:02:55,910 --> 00:02:53,599  
blocks 1.3 miles away after the women

62  
00:02:58,309 --> 00:02:55,920  
had calmed down lillian and valkyrie's

63  
00:03:00,470 --> 00:02:58,319

mother louisa de silva found someone to

64

00:03:02,390 --> 00:03:00,480

drive her and katya to the site when

65

00:03:04,070 --> 00:03:02,400

they got there the creature was gone but

66

00:03:05,750 --> 00:03:04,080

they saw a mark where the women had said

67

00:03:07,750 --> 00:03:05,760

they'd seen it and there was a strong

68

00:03:10,710 --> 00:03:07,760

smell of sulfur ammonia and other

69

00:03:13,509 --> 00:03:10,720

reports in the area lawyer and ufo

70

00:03:16,390 --> 00:03:13,519

researcher ubirajara rodriguez heard

71

00:03:18,710 --> 00:03:16,400

about the case one or two days later he

72

00:03:20,790 --> 00:03:18,720

was able to question women and did so

73

00:03:23,750 --> 00:03:20,800

repeatedly and according to pratt they

74

00:03:25,990 --> 00:03:23,760

cried the first few times rodriguez had

75

00:03:27,589 --> 00:03:26,000

them retraced their steps at the site

76

00:03:29,830 --> 00:03:27,599

and interviewed family members and

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00:03:31,350 --> 00:03:29,840

friends he had an artist illustrate the

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00:03:33,430 --> 00:03:31,360

creature based on the women's

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00:03:35,190 --> 00:03:33,440

descriptions and the image upset them

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00:03:36,869 --> 00:03:35,200

when they looked at it rodriguez

81

00:03:39,030 --> 00:03:36,879

believed they were telling the truth

82

00:03:40,949 --> 00:03:39,040

about what they saw rodriguez started

83

00:03:42,869 --> 00:03:40,959

hearing rumors two weeks later that

84

00:03:44,390 --> 00:03:42,879

there were actually two creatures in the

85

00:03:46,550 --> 00:03:44,400

area and that they had both been

86

00:03:48,630 --> 00:03:46,560

captured by the military because of the

87

00:03:50,630 --> 00:03:48,640

demands of his law practice he wasn't

88

00:03:52,390 --> 00:03:50,640

able to spend as much time investigating

89

00:03:54,550 --> 00:03:52,400

as he would have liked he was then

90

00:03:56,470 --> 00:03:54,560

joined by paccochini the two found

91

00:03:58,229 --> 00:03:56,480

witnesses claiming to have seen one of

92

00:04:00,070 --> 00:03:58,239

the creatures in the hospital and to

93

00:04:02,149 --> 00:04:00,080

have talked with military personnel who

94

00:04:03,990 --> 00:04:02,159

knew about the operations involving the

95

00:04:06,070 --> 00:04:04,000

creatures after interviewing these

96

00:04:08,149 --> 00:04:06,080

witnesses they came up with the story

97

00:04:10,710 --> 00:04:08,159

that pacuchini told to pratt during

98

00:04:12,390 --> 00:04:10,720

pratt's six-day visit in march and april

99

00:04:14,550 --> 00:04:12,400

according to paccochini's version of

100

00:04:16,550 --> 00:04:14,560

events the creature seen by the women

101  
00:04:18,710 --> 00:04:16,560  
was the second one seen in virginia that

102  
00:04:20,949 --> 00:04:18,720  
day the first one had been seen in the

103  
00:04:23,749 --> 00:04:20,959  
morning and was captured by firemen at

104  
00:04:25,670 --> 00:04:23,759  
around 10 am in brazil fire departments

105  
00:04:27,510 --> 00:04:25,680  
are part of the military police under

106  
00:04:29,350 --> 00:04:27,520  
the control of state governors and

107  
00:04:31,430 --> 00:04:29,360  
catching wild animals as part of their

108  
00:04:33,270 --> 00:04:31,440  
duties when the firemen arrived at the

109  
00:04:35,430 --> 00:04:33,280  
area where the creature was reportedly

110  
00:04:37,350 --> 00:04:35,440  
seen there were already three men from

111  
00:04:39,110 --> 00:04:37,360  
the army there with the truck the men

112  
00:04:40,950 --> 00:04:39,120  
from the army had seen three children

113  
00:04:42,950 --> 00:04:40,960

throwing rocks at the creature and three

114

00:04:45,350 --> 00:04:42,960

adults watching and they told them to

115

00:04:46,870 --> 00:04:45,360

leave it was decided that the firemen

116

00:04:48,950 --> 00:04:46,880

would be the ones to deal with the

117

00:04:50,870 --> 00:04:48,960

creature they found it in the woods just

118

00:04:52,629 --> 00:04:50,880

past some railroad tracks and were able

119

00:04:54,629 --> 00:04:52,639

to capture it with a net with very

120

00:04:56,950 --> 00:04:54,639

little resistance from the creature it

121

00:04:58,870 --> 00:04:56,960

was put into a box that was then put

122

00:05:00,870 --> 00:04:58,880

into the back of the army truck the

123

00:05:03,670 --> 00:05:00,880

second creature was reportedly captured

124

00:05:05,990 --> 00:05:03,680

near the vacant lot between 5 and 6 pm

125

00:05:08,390 --> 00:05:06,000

by firemen who'd responded to a call

126  
00:05:10,469 --> 00:05:08,400  
from louisa de silva this creature was

127  
00:05:12,710 --> 00:05:10,479  
supposedly sick and was taken to the

128  
00:05:15,110 --> 00:05:12,720  
regional hospital the wing where it was

129  
00:05:17,430 --> 00:05:15,120  
being examined was closed off but two

130  
00:05:19,510 --> 00:05:17,440  
nurses got a peek at it lying in a bed

131  
00:05:21,670 --> 00:05:19,520  
and wearing an oxygen mask there were

132  
00:05:23,830 --> 00:05:21,680  
army trucks parked outside the hospital

133  
00:05:25,749 --> 00:05:23,840  
until late at night at around one or two

134  
00:05:28,469 --> 00:05:25,759  
a.m the creature was taken to an army

135  
00:05:29,830 --> 00:05:28,479  
base at trey coracales according to

136  
00:05:32,150 --> 00:05:29,840  
information claimed to be from

137  
00:05:33,909 --> 00:05:32,160  
disgruntled army personnel the creatures

138  
00:05:36,710 --> 00:05:33,919

were flown by a french-built puma

139

00:05:38,469 --> 00:05:36,720

helicopter possibly to rio de janeiro

140

00:05:40,550 --> 00:05:38,479

and then the united states

141

00:05:42,629 --> 00:05:40,560

the alleged informants were reportedly

142

00:05:44,790 --> 00:05:42,639

upset that something of such importance

143

00:05:46,790 --> 00:05:44,800

was being given over to the u.s

144

00:05:50,550 --> 00:05:46,800

rodriguez wrote an article titled

145

00:05:53,189 --> 00:05:50,560

virginia case ufologist's diary part one

146

00:05:56,790 --> 00:05:53,199

it was published in revista ufo special

147

00:05:59,590 --> 00:05:56,800

issue number 13 july 1996 and details

148

00:06:01,590 --> 00:05:59,600

his investigation bakuchini wrote part

149

00:06:03,350 --> 00:06:01,600

two other than the women who said they

150

00:06:05,189 --> 00:06:03,360

saw the creature none of those who

151  
00:06:07,350 --> 00:06:05,199  
reportedly provided information

152  
00:06:09,510 --> 00:06:07,360  
regarding the activities of the firemen

153  
00:06:11,990 --> 00:06:09,520  
military and the creature being taken to

154  
00:06:14,070 --> 00:06:12,000  
the hospital are named beccacini

155  
00:06:16,870 --> 00:06:14,080  
explains i don't want to put anybody in

156  
00:06:18,790 --> 00:06:16,880  
jail or harm people's lives rodriguez

157  
00:06:21,350 --> 00:06:18,800  
wrote that he contacted commander

158  
00:06:23,350 --> 00:06:21,360  
mauricio of the military police and

159  
00:06:25,350 --> 00:06:23,360  
asked if he was aware of rumors that the

160  
00:06:27,749 --> 00:06:25,360  
military police were involved in the

161  
00:06:29,590 --> 00:06:27,759  
capture case he said he wasn't but

162  
00:06:31,510 --> 00:06:29,600  
offered to check it out he then said

163  
00:06:33,350 --> 00:06:31,520

there were no records of the case he

164

00:06:35,830 --> 00:06:33,360

told rodriguez to call back later in

165

00:06:37,110 --> 00:06:35,840

case he found something rodriguez did

166

00:06:39,350 --> 00:06:37,120

and wasn't able to get through to

167

00:06:41,270 --> 00:06:39,360

mauricio so he became convinced that

168

00:06:43,270 --> 00:06:41,280

there was a cover-up the case made the

169

00:06:45,830 --> 00:06:43,280

local news and rodriguez was interviewed

170

00:06:48,150 --> 00:06:45,840

live on globo tv during the interview

171

00:06:49,830 --> 00:06:48,160

the reporter picked up two faxes one

172

00:06:51,909 --> 00:06:49,840

from the fire department and one from

173

00:06:54,230 --> 00:06:51,919

the regional hospital the reporter

174

00:06:56,150 --> 00:06:54,240

announced that both organizations denied

175

00:06:58,550 --> 00:06:56,160

having any involvement with the reported

176  
00:07:00,790 --> 00:06:58,560  
creatures after this rodriguez felt

177  
00:07:02,629 --> 00:07:00,800  
compelled to contact the national media

178  
00:07:04,870 --> 00:07:02,639  
outlets he wrote that he had been

179  
00:07:06,950 --> 00:07:04,880  
hesitant to do so but decided that this

180  
00:07:09,510 --> 00:07:06,960  
was the only way we could pressure the

181  
00:07:11,430 --> 00:07:09,520  
authorities rodriguez pacuchini and

182  
00:07:13,110 --> 00:07:11,440  
pratt stick to calling the entities

183  
00:07:15,670 --> 00:07:13,120  
creatures for the most part but

184  
00:07:18,150 --> 00:07:15,680  
occasionally referred to them as ets

185  
00:07:20,790 --> 00:07:18,160  
rodriguez doesn't mention any ufos

186  
00:07:22,710 --> 00:07:20,800  
paccochini mentions a ufo wave starting

187  
00:07:25,110 --> 00:07:22,720  
after the creature report and pratt

188  
00:07:27,430 --> 00:07:25,120

states no ufo was seen in connection

189

00:07:29,830 --> 00:07:27,440

with the ets pratt does mention a

190

00:07:32,230 --> 00:07:29,840

sighting six miles away from virginia by

191

00:07:35,510 --> 00:07:32,240

a farmer and his wife they reported that

192

00:07:37,830 --> 00:07:35,520

at 1 30 a.m on january 19th they saw an

193

00:07:40,230 --> 00:07:37,840

object like a gray submarine the size of

194

00:07:42,790 --> 00:07:40,240

a small bus moved silently a few feet

195

00:07:45,350 --> 00:07:42,800

off the ground this report and one by

196

00:07:48,150 --> 00:07:45,360

carlos de souza of witnessing the crash

197

00:07:50,230 --> 00:07:48,160

on january 13th of a cigar-shaped silver

198

00:07:51,990 --> 00:07:50,240

object with a gash in its side that had

199

00:07:54,150 --> 00:07:52,000

white smoke pouring out became

200

00:07:56,950 --> 00:07:54,160

associated with the creature case an

201  
00:07:59,670 --> 00:07:56,960  
article by louisa villamia titled the

202  
00:08:02,550 --> 00:07:59,680  
virginia extraterrestrial case published

203  
00:08:04,629 --> 00:08:02,560  
in the may 1996 edition of estoy

204  
00:08:06,550 --> 00:08:04,639  
magazine describes the excitement

205  
00:08:10,390 --> 00:08:06,560  
created by the case according to

206  
00:08:12,790 --> 00:08:10,400  
villamia 66 specialists came to vargina

207  
00:08:14,790 --> 00:08:12,800  
to investigate included among them was

208  
00:08:16,550 --> 00:08:14,800  
john mack a harvard professor of

209  
00:08:18,950 --> 00:08:16,560  
psychiatry who became known among

210  
00:08:21,589 --> 00:08:18,960  
ufologists for his work with abduction

211  
00:08:24,070 --> 00:08:21,599  
reports all this attention prompted the

212  
00:08:26,790 --> 00:08:24,080  
mayor of virginia to consider organizing

213  
00:08:29,670 --> 00:08:26,800

a ufo congress roger lear who

214

00:08:32,389 --> 00:08:29,680

specialized in abductee implant research

215

00:08:34,949 --> 00:08:32,399

also visited virginia to investigate he

216

00:08:37,430 --> 00:08:34,959

wrote a book about the case ufo crash in

217

00:08:41,430 --> 00:08:37,440

brazil a genuine ufo crash with

218

00:08:43,829 --> 00:08:41,440

surviving ets published in 2005. in his

219

00:08:46,389 --> 00:08:43,839

book lyr details the death of marco

220

00:08:48,710 --> 00:08:46,399

charese who was with the military police

221

00:08:50,550 --> 00:08:48,720

an unnamed witness reported that charese

222

00:08:52,790 --> 00:08:50,560

had physical contact with one of the

223

00:08:54,630 --> 00:08:52,800

creatures during its capture charese

224

00:08:58,070 --> 00:08:54,640

died of a mysterious infection on

225

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

february 15 1996 and lear wrote that

226  
00:09:01,990 --> 00:08:59,760  
touching the creature was believed by

227  
00:09:04,470 --> 00:09:02,000  
charessa's colleagues to have caused his

228  
00:09:05,990 --> 00:09:04,480  
infection it has never been conclusively

229  
00:09:08,150 --> 00:09:06,000  
proved that he actually captured a

230  
00:09:10,389 --> 00:09:08,160  
creature but lear wrote that charessa's

231  
00:09:12,790 --> 00:09:10,399  
family confirmed that he was on duty at

232  
00:09:14,630 --> 00:09:12,800  
the time it was said to have occurred a

233  
00:09:16,630 --> 00:09:14,640  
water tank in the shape of a flying

234  
00:09:18,550 --> 00:09:16,640  
saucer was built in the center of the

235  
00:09:21,190 --> 00:09:18,560  
city and the case is celebrated in

236  
00:09:23,590 --> 00:09:21,200  
virginia to this day many people are

237  
00:09:25,990 --> 00:09:23,600  
still fascinated by the possibility that

238  
00:09:28,150 --> 00:09:26,000

alien bodies and physical evidence of an

239

00:09:30,230 --> 00:09:28,160

extraterrestrial craft might have been

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00:09:32,949 --> 00:09:30,240

recovered and a tourist industry in

241

00:09:35,590 --> 00:09:32,959

virginia has developed around the case

242

00:09:37,350 --> 00:09:35,600

researcher and documentarian james fox

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00:09:39,350 --> 00:09:37,360

was interested enough to go down to

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00:09:41,829 --> 00:09:39,360

virginia recently and investigate for

245

00:09:44,070 --> 00:09:41,839

himself he managed to talk on camera

246

00:09:46,550 --> 00:09:44,080

with the de silva sisters their mother

247

00:09:48,829 --> 00:09:46,560

and xavier he also managed to locate

248

00:09:51,430 --> 00:09:48,839

other witnesses who hadn't spoken since

249

00:09:53,509 --> 00:09:51,440

1996 and interviewed them on camera as

250

00:09:55,269 --> 00:09:53,519

well fox used the footage for a

251  
00:09:57,350 --> 00:09:55,279  
documentary on the case that will soon

252  
00:09:59,829 --> 00:09:57,360  
be released this writer was given the

253  
00:10:01,990 --> 00:09:59,839  
opportunity to preview the film early on

254  
00:10:03,910 --> 00:10:02,000  
in the production fox states that he

255  
00:10:05,590 --> 00:10:03,920  
will be presenting the facts of the case

256  
00:10:07,430 --> 00:10:05,600  
and leave it up to the viewers to come

257  
00:10:09,509 --> 00:10:07,440  
to their own conclusions then he keeps

258  
00:10:12,310 --> 00:10:09,519  
his word while this case has had its

259  
00:10:15,030 --> 00:10:12,320  
detractors and remains controversial fox

260  
00:10:16,870 --> 00:10:15,040  
calls it infamous the emotions displayed

261  
00:10:26,680 --> 00:10:16,880  
and small repeated details during the