



1  
00:00:02,760 --> 00:00:11,020  
foreign

2  
00:00:35,209 --> 00:00:16,310  
[Music]

3  
00:00:38,330 --> 00:00:35,219  
ER reports a harrowing UFO encounter by

4  
00:00:40,549 --> 00:00:38,340  
Charles Lear in 1973 the claims of

5  
00:00:42,470 --> 00:00:40,559  
Charles Hixson and Calvin Parker that

6  
00:00:44,569 --> 00:00:42,480  
they'd been abducted by elephant-skinned

7  
00:00:47,030 --> 00:00:44,579  
robot-like creatures in Pascagoula

8  
00:00:48,889 --> 00:00:47,040  
Mississippi open researchers up to what

9  
00:00:51,410 --> 00:00:48,899  
have become known as high strangeness

10  
00:00:53,270 --> 00:00:51,420  
reports the term comes from JL and

11  
00:00:56,029 --> 00:00:53,280  
heineck's efforts at creating a system

12  
00:00:59,930 --> 00:00:56,039  
of strangeness ratings in chapter 4 of

13  
00:01:02,090 --> 00:00:59,940

his 1975 book the UFO experience Hickson

14

00:01:04,369 --> 00:01:02,100

and Parker were taken seriously because

15

00:01:06,410 --> 00:01:04,379

they seemed genuinely traumatized by

16

00:01:07,850 --> 00:01:06,420

their experience while just the two of

17

00:01:09,530 --> 00:01:07,860

them were waiting in a room at the

18

00:01:11,210 --> 00:01:09,540

police station where they first reported

19

00:01:12,890 --> 00:01:11,220

their encounter they had just been

20

00:01:14,270 --> 00:01:12,900

interviewed and unbeknownst to them a

21

00:01:16,370 --> 00:01:14,280

tape recorder in the room was left

22

00:01:17,990 --> 00:01:16,380

running which captured the bewildered

23

00:01:20,510 --> 00:01:18,000

men talking to each other about their

24

00:01:22,310 --> 00:01:20,520

experience their story was reported in

25

00:01:25,310 --> 00:01:22,320

newspapers and UFO Publications

26  
00:01:27,469 --> 00:01:25,320  
worldwide after that abduction reports

27  
00:01:29,210 --> 00:01:27,479  
began to increasingly appear in the

28  
00:01:32,390 --> 00:01:29,220  
midst of this new openness to high

29  
00:01:34,130 --> 00:01:32,400  
strange reports in 1979 there was a

30  
00:01:36,590 --> 00:01:34,140  
story told by a trucker that was highly

31  
00:01:38,630 --> 00:01:36,600  
unique and highly strange and yet was

32  
00:01:40,550 --> 00:01:38,640  
still given serious consideration by the

33  
00:01:42,830 --> 00:01:40,560  
local newspapers and investigators who

34  
00:01:45,350 --> 00:01:42,840  
examined it the case was looked into by

35  
00:01:47,510 --> 00:01:45,360  
Mutual UFO Network investigator Fred

36  
00:01:50,510 --> 00:01:47,520  
Whiting who wrote about it in the March

37  
00:01:52,130 --> 00:01:50,520  
1980 mufon journal the story also

38  
00:01:55,429 --> 00:01:52,140

appears on the front page of the

39

00:01:59,210 --> 00:01:55,439

December 1979 afro bulletin and on page

40

00:02:01,010 --> 00:01:59,220

12 of The Summer 1981 UFO update the UFO

41

00:02:03,230 --> 00:02:01,020

update version seems to come straight

42

00:02:05,870 --> 00:02:03,240

out of an article by Bill mckelway

43

00:02:09,109 --> 00:02:05,880

headlined truckers says Journey covered

44

00:02:11,570 --> 00:02:09,119

light years in the September 23 1979

45

00:02:13,790 --> 00:02:11,580

Richmond Virginia Times Dispatch

46

00:02:15,890 --> 00:02:13,800

according to michelway he spent three

47

00:02:18,229 --> 00:02:15,900

hours with Winchester Virginia resident

48

00:02:19,790 --> 00:02:18,239

Harry Joe Turner and listened to him as

49

00:02:22,130 --> 00:02:19,800

he chain smoked and told his story

50

00:02:23,930 --> 00:02:22,140

Turner a long-haul trucker said he was

51  
00:02:26,869 --> 00:02:23,940  
headed for Fredericksburg Virginia on

52  
00:02:29,210 --> 00:02:26,879  
the night of August 28th in his 1974

53  
00:02:31,790 --> 00:02:29,220  
Kenworth hauling ketchup and mustard

54  
00:02:34,430 --> 00:02:31,800  
this was his first time making this trip

55  
00:02:36,229 --> 00:02:34,440  
he said it was 10 52 when he looked at

56  
00:02:38,750 --> 00:02:36,239  
his watch during a stop at a Winchester

57  
00:02:40,790 --> 00:02:38,760  
gas station he said there was a little

58  
00:02:43,070 --> 00:02:40,800  
lightning and stuff but the strangest

59  
00:02:45,470 --> 00:02:43,080  
thing was there was hardly no cars on

60  
00:02:47,750 --> 00:02:45,480  
the road everything seemed just deserted

61  
00:02:50,509 --> 00:02:47,760  
when he was 17 miles into the trip

62  
00:02:52,670 --> 00:02:50,519  
heading south on us-17 after just

63  
00:02:54,710 --> 00:02:52,680

crossing Paris Mountain he saw the

64

00:02:57,670 --> 00:02:54,720

lights of an oncoming truck the driver

65

00:03:00,229 --> 00:02:57,680

called over his CB radio a southbound

66

00:03:03,110 --> 00:03:00,239

18-wheeler where you headed to Buddy

67

00:03:04,850 --> 00:03:03,120

Turner said from that moment on it was

68

00:03:07,009 --> 00:03:04,860

like I walked through that door right

69

00:03:08,809 --> 00:03:07,019

there into another world it was then

70

00:03:10,970 --> 00:03:08,819

that the lights of his truck blinked off

71

00:03:13,190 --> 00:03:10,980

and on and his CB radio started

72

00:03:15,530 --> 00:03:13,200

screeching he turned off the radio but

73

00:03:18,229 --> 00:03:15,540

there was still in mckellway's words a

74

00:03:20,570 --> 00:03:18,239

grading sound a beam of probably thick

75

00:03:22,009 --> 00:03:20,580

white light settled over the truck and

76

00:03:24,229 --> 00:03:22,019

it seemed to turn her that he was no

77

00:03:26,149 --> 00:03:24,239

longer in control of the truck according

78

00:03:28,130 --> 00:03:26,159

to Turner it was like the whole truck

79

00:03:30,649 --> 00:03:28,140

was just floating like it was being

80

00:03:32,690 --> 00:03:30,659

vacuumed up by the thing Turner said a

81

00:03:34,850 --> 00:03:32,700

creature then opened the door and there

82

00:03:36,890 --> 00:03:34,860

was another one on the roof the creature

83

00:03:39,350 --> 00:03:36,900

grabbed his shoulder with a grip like

84

00:03:41,809 --> 00:03:39,360

steel that caused him great pain he

85

00:03:43,550 --> 00:03:41,819

grabbed his 32 caliber pistol and pushed

86

00:03:45,949 --> 00:03:43,560

it to his left until he felt it hit

87

00:03:49,009 --> 00:03:45,959

something he then fired eight hollow

88

00:03:51,289 --> 00:03:49,019



points he said I went blam blam blam

89

00:03:53,210 --> 00:03:51,299

eight times but the gun just seemed to

90

00:03:55,490 --> 00:03:53,220

move right through the thing at this

91

00:03:57,710 --> 00:03:55,500

point he started to fade out he said he

92

00:04:00,530 --> 00:03:57,720

shot it my God I can't kill the thing

93

00:04:02,149 --> 00:04:00,540

what the and that was it Turner said his

94

00:04:03,890 --> 00:04:02,159

next memory was waking up in the

95

00:04:06,530 --> 00:04:03,900

warehouse parking lot in Fredericksburg

96

00:04:08,690 --> 00:04:06,540

with no idea of how he got there he was

97

00:04:10,610 --> 00:04:08,700

in the passenger seat and the seat belt

98

00:04:13,309 --> 00:04:10,620

on the driver's side was buckled he

99

00:04:15,470 --> 00:04:13,319

looked at his watch and it read 11 17 PM

100

00:04:18,289 --> 00:04:15,480

but a warehouse clock showed the actual

101  
00:04:20,629 --> 00:04:18,299  
time of 3 AM there were two mileage

102  
00:04:23,870 --> 00:04:20,639  
indicators on the truck and both showed

103  
00:04:25,909 --> 00:04:23,880  
that it had only traveled 17 miles in

104  
00:04:28,090 --> 00:04:25,919  
spite of the low mileage indicated by

105  
00:04:31,790 --> 00:04:28,100  
the time Turner got back to Winchester

106  
00:04:34,129 --> 00:04:31,800  
114 gallons fuel had been consumed this

107  
00:04:37,189 --> 00:04:34,139  
was according to mikelway enough to make

108  
00:04:39,890 --> 00:04:37,199  
the 160 mile round trip more than three

109  
00:04:42,110 --> 00:04:39,900  
times according to mckellway Turner

110  
00:04:44,749 --> 00:04:42,120  
struggled for hours trying to recall

111  
00:04:47,689 --> 00:04:44,759  
landmarks and the words Alpha Centauri

112  
00:04:50,030 --> 00:04:47,699  
came to him this is a star 4.24 light

113  
00:04:51,770 --> 00:04:50,040

years away from our solar system and

114

00:04:54,230 --> 00:04:51,780

according to Turner he'd never heard of

115

00:04:56,629 --> 00:04:54,240

it before Turner said he was taken to a

116

00:04:58,670 --> 00:04:56,639

city like Place 2.3 light years Beyond

117

00:05:01,310 --> 00:04:58,680

Alpha Centauri that looked like it had

118

00:05:03,890 --> 00:05:01,320

been to a holocaust he added that along

119

00:05:05,870 --> 00:05:03,900

the way they stopped at the moon and he

120

00:05:08,270 --> 00:05:05,880

looked at Neil Armstrong's Footprints

121

00:05:10,430 --> 00:05:08,280

Turner described as captors as looking

122

00:05:12,469 --> 00:05:10,440

like us he said they were dressed in

123

00:05:14,450 --> 00:05:12,479

what looked like surgical clothes and

124

00:05:16,189 --> 00:05:14,460

wore White Caps that when lifted up

125

00:05:18,469 --> 00:05:16,199

revealed numbers written on the

126

00:05:20,210 --> 00:05:18,479

creature's foreheads Turner said that

127

00:05:22,010 --> 00:05:20,220

the creatures showed him the destroyed

128

00:05:24,050 --> 00:05:22,020

city as part of their mission to help us

129

00:05:26,390 --> 00:05:24,060

here on Earth but they say things have

130

00:05:28,730 --> 00:05:26,400

gone pretty far here and that the end is

131

00:05:30,770 --> 00:05:28,740

coming soon Turner said the creatures

132

00:05:33,290 --> 00:05:30,780

spoke a language he believed was called

133

00:05:35,510 --> 00:05:33,300

Alpha lazulu that sounded like a tape

134

00:05:37,370 --> 00:05:35,520

recording played backwards he said they

135

00:05:39,469 --> 00:05:37,380

slowed down their speech to communicate

136

00:05:42,050 --> 00:05:39,479

with him according to Turner he was

137

00:05:43,629 --> 00:05:42,060

visited later by invisible aliens and

138

00:05:45,950 --> 00:05:43,639

managed to knock five of them down

139

00:05:48,350 --> 00:05:45,960

mckellway adds that Turner left the

140

00:05:50,870 --> 00:05:48,360

house on one occasion for no apparent

141

00:05:52,790 --> 00:05:50,880

reason and returned soaking wet and he

142

00:05:55,189 --> 00:05:52,800

was chased from his house by aliens on

143

00:05:57,529 --> 00:05:55,199

another occasion an unusual detail

144

00:05:59,930 --> 00:05:57,539

reported by mikelway even for high

145

00:06:02,450 --> 00:05:59,940

strangeness UFO case is that on

146

00:06:04,370 --> 00:06:02,460

September 3rd Turner LED as many as 10

147

00:06:07,010 --> 00:06:04,380

police officers on a high-speed car

148

00:06:10,129 --> 00:06:07,020

chase a Berryville police officer said

149

00:06:13,129 --> 00:06:10,139

he was going 110 miles per hour and

150

00:06:15,290 --> 00:06:13,139

couldn't hold a candle to Turner Turner

151

00:06:17,330 --> 00:06:15,300

claimed he was out for a drive when an

152

00:06:20,090 --> 00:06:17,340

alien appeared in the car and that he

153

00:06:22,249 --> 00:06:20,100

was spurred on by the creature according

154

00:06:23,990 --> 00:06:22,259

to mckellway the quoted officer was the

155

00:06:26,809 --> 00:06:24,000

one who'd managed to pull Turner over

156

00:06:28,969 --> 00:06:26,819

Turner was charged with two counts of

157

00:06:30,950 --> 00:06:28,979

reckless driving and two counts of

158

00:06:33,110 --> 00:06:30,960

failure to heated siren and flashing

159

00:06:35,809 --> 00:06:33,120

lights his hearing was scheduled for

160

00:06:38,930 --> 00:06:35,819

November 14th mckellway offers this

161

00:06:40,850 --> 00:06:38,940

speculation his defense undoubtedly will

162

00:06:42,950 --> 00:06:40,860

be the most unusual in the history of

163

00:06:45,409 --> 00:06:42,960

the Clark County General District Court

164

00:06:47,510 --> 00:06:45,419

Turner seemed to have been in a bad way

165

00:06:49,909 --> 00:06:47,520

during the interview he said he had

166

00:06:52,670 --> 00:06:49,919

thoughts of suicide ringing in his ears

167

00:06:54,590 --> 00:06:52,680

and crying spells he said he got warning

168

00:06:56,570 --> 00:06:54,600

messages from the creatures and that

169

00:06:58,610 --> 00:06:56,580

animals sometimes reacted strangely

170

00:07:00,590 --> 00:06:58,620

around him he said there had been crank

171

00:07:02,629 --> 00:07:00,600

calls but that his friends made efforts

172

00:07:05,090 --> 00:07:02,639

to help him and understand what he was

173

00:07:07,189 --> 00:07:05,100

going through McCoy describes Turner's

174

00:07:09,890 --> 00:07:07,199

life in the aftermath of his reported

175

00:07:12,469 --> 00:07:09,900

encounter this way so he sits at home

176

00:07:14,990 --> 00:07:12,479

mulling it over and over again smoking

177

00:07:17,330 --> 00:07:15,000

and taking pills to calm his nerves the

178

00:07:20,990 --> 00:07:17,340

April bulletin article by Iris Mack

179

00:07:23,809 --> 00:07:21,000

headlined trucker rig abducted ends this

180

00:07:26,330 --> 00:07:23,819

way the question is what trauma created

181

00:07:28,370 --> 00:07:26,340

his condition all stories regardless of

182

00:07:30,830 --> 00:07:28,380

the bizarre nature should be closely

183

00:07:33,409 --> 00:07:30,840

examined we always to the recipients

184

00:07:35,629 --> 00:07:33,419

and to ourselves it seems the ground was

185

00:07:37,610 --> 00:07:35,639

being laid for the serious consideration

186

00:07:40,670 --> 00:07:37,620

of the abduction reports that would

187

00:07:42,830 --> 00:07:40,680

become common in the 1980s Charles Lear

188

00:07:57,360 --> 00:07:42,840



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