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on this edition of Sightings.

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On a stormy night over New Mexico,

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the crew of America West Flight 564

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saw something in the air that shocked them.

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With this lightning, you can see a dark object

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and all it was pretty hairy looking.

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Sightings has the incredible, untold story

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of a UFO encounter at 30,000 feet.

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Was it the mysterious lady in black

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that saved Bob Davidson's life

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on that lonely stretch of Indiana Highway?

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Or was it fate?

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I don't know what happened here,

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but it definitely was a miracle.

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This man has created a computer program

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that just might make him the Nostradamus of our age.

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I predict the most novel event

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in the history of the world, 2012.

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And don't try telling Colin Andrews

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that crop circles are a hoax.

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He knows better.

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Welcome to Sightings. I'm Tim White.

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A declassified United States Air Force Security Service document

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contains a chilling statement.

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It reads, quote,

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sometime in his career, each pilot can expect

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to encounter strange, unusual happenings,

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which will never be adequately or entirely explained

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by logic or subsequent investigation, unquote.

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It's a public declaration of something many pilots

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have privately known for years.

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Even at 30,000 feet, there are UFOs.

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Recently, Sightings was contacted by two air traffic controllers,

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each describing the same disturbing incident

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in the skies above New Mexico on the night of May 26, 1995.

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Here is part of one of the controller's message,

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as recorded on the Sightings hotline,

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electronically altered to protect the college identity.

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You're working as an air traffic controller

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and pilot of a Miracle West Airlines 15,

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an object between three and 400 feet long.

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Through the Freedom of Information Act,

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a Sightings-investigated team has obtained

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the actual radio transmission

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between a flight control center in Albuquerque

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and an America West Boeing 757.

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Based on these transmissions,

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we've been able to recreate a startling encounter

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between a commercial aircraft loaded with passengers

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and an unknown craft, six miles above the Earth.

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The voices are real.

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The words are not scripted.

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This is the actual transmission

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recorded at the moment the UFO was sighted.

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Yeah, up to three o'clock.

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Getting stroked up and up.

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Can you tell what it is?

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But air traffic control cannot tell America West Flight 564

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what it is.

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The radio is not on radar.

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The tone of the radio communication begins to change.

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There's something on the radar.

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Well, I've got an object in the distance.

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There's something here.

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A permanent.

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No, no one knows anything about it.

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What's the altitude about?

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I don't know. Probably right around 30,000 or so.

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And the length is unbelievable.

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Albuquerque controllers contact the military

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for an Earthbound explanation.

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Hannah, go ahead.

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As you know, if there was anything like a tethered balloon

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or anything released, it should be above Tyman.

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No, we have nothing about it.

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OK.

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You've got 39,000, so you see something that 30,000

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if the length is unbelievable and it has a strobe on it.

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This is not good.

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What does that mean?

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I don't know. It's a UFO.

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It's right in Tyman. We haven't seen anything like that.

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OK, keep your eyes open.

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I'll start Tina.

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Dr. Haynes is an aerospace engineer and aviation expert.

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For the last 30 years, he's been conducting

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independent research on pilot sightings of UFOs.

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His collection of pilot reports is the largest in the world.

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Sightings provided Dr. Haynes with the

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America West transmissions for his analysis.

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The faculty initially spotted it was between the weather

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and when the lightning, you could see a dark object.

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And it was pretty eerie looking.

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Well, the pilot has just discussed the sighting again

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in a little more detail with air traffic control at Albuquerque.

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And he said that he saw a dark object

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because it was back illuminated.

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Basically lightning in the cloud at some distance

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caused the object to be visible.

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He then said it looked eerie.

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We have only Dr. Haynes' analysis of the event

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because all attempts to interview the America West crew

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were politely but firmly denied.

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There is no law that prohibits them from speaking out,

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at least not any written law.

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They don't encourage you reporting it.

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That's for sure.

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This man, a United Airlines pilot for 35 years,

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also had a UFO encounter at 30,000 feet.

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But it is only now that he is retired and anonymous

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that he's willing to describe his sighting.

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When it was ready to leave,

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it departed at a very high rate of speed,

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accelerating as it went,

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and disappeared off into the distance

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at speeds that I couldn't even estimate.

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The other crew members have never come forward.

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Alitalia pilot Graham Shepard is also familiar

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with the industry's code of silence.

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It is a commercial judgment

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that pilots shouldn't speak about this.

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Unfortunately, it's a fact of life

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that any UFO alliance with a UFO sighting

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or anything unusual about a particular crew member

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will downgrade the potential of that airline

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to a maximum of profits.

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Despite the airline industry's efforts to silence its pilots,

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these transmission tapes speak for them.

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After the New Mexico controller's initial call to Norad

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was laughed off, Norad called back.

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We had some a call here earlier about a pilot

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spotting an unidentified flying object.

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Yep, that's us.

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Okay, well, hey, we're tracking a search-only track

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00:06:46,000 --> 00:06:48,000

kind of up where that might have happened.

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00:06:48,000 --> 00:06:51,000

It's tracking about 390 knots.

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We've been tracking it for about three, four minutes now.

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I mean, to be going that fast has got to be up kind of high.

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And we've got no code on it, huh?

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Nope, it's search-only.

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It seems that the radar controller was tracking an object,

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an unknown, that wasn't transponding.

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And by law, any craft in controlled airspace

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must have a transponder.

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But it's very interesting that ultimately

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it was seen by the radar controller.

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This is an historic UFO event.

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Audio tape confirms that three highly trained commercial pilots

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witnessed an enormous UFO,

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a UFO confirmed on radar by Norad Air Defense Command.

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This is one encounter that cannot be dismissed

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as a hallucination or a hoax.

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Something was up there.

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Are we prepared for its return?

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I listened to the American West tape,

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and my opinion is that it's absolutely authentic.

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If handled correctly, this tape could be

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something of a breakthrough.

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First time in 15 years I've ever seen something like this.

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In Mexico City, a five-year-long flap of UFO activity

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has commercial pilots running scared.

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There have been several near-misses.

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Under the auspices of the Mexican Aviation Union,

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the pilots have formed a coalition to demand

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a comprehensive government-backed investigation

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into the Mexico City flap.

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Next.

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Stacey McCall.

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The night of her high school graduation,

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Stacey McCall and two friends disappeared.

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Sightings looks for answers.

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In 1992, three women in Springfield, Missouri

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vanished in the thin air.

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Nearly every high-profile psychic detective in America

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offered tantalizing clues about the trio's whereabouts,

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but the case is still unsolved.

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Now, sightings correspondent Carla Wall

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accompanies world-renowned psychic Dorothy Allison

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to the scene of the crime

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in the search for one missing link.

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I would say Stacey is probably the most bubbly,

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full-of-life young woman I've ever known.

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She was known by her long hair.

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When people would say something about Stacey,

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they'd say something about her long hair.

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She is a daughter, a sister, a friend, a statistic.

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When Stacey McCall vanished from her hometown

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of Springfield, Missouri,

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her family tried to come up with a reason

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why this vivacious teenager would run away,

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because the alternative was too frightening to contemplate.

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Would this be the last picture of Stacey in the family album?

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This, her last appearance on home video.

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Stacey Kathleen McCall.

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When I graduated, I had two of my classmates

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get killed in car wrecks that night.

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And I remember sitting there thinking,

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I wonder how many of these young people

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will not be here tomorrow.

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Not thinking it would ever be happening to me.

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You know?

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What happened to Stacey McCall

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also happened to her friends Susie Streeter

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and Susie's mother Cheryl.

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It's a mystery that haunts their families,

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their friends, and Sergeant David Smith

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00:10:12,000 --> 00:10:14,000

of the Springfield Police Department.

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For three years, they've searched for these three women,

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ever since graduation night 1992.

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We've probably followed up somewhere around 4,000 leads.

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We've got about 14,000 pages of reports.

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We've talked to dozens and dozens of people.

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We've conducted around 200 formal interviews.

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And we're still no closer today than we were when this happened.

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It would have been quite different

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if not for a simple change of plans.

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After the graduation ceremony,

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Stacey was supposed to join a group of friends

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for an all night party in nearby Branson, Missouri.

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But Stacey decided to stay in town

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and spend the night at Susie's house.

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The next day, when Stacey's family

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tried to get in touch with her,

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there was no answer.

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The Springfield Police were called to the Streeter House

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to the scene of the most baffling crime

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in the history of the small Midwestern town.

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When you first showed up at the Streeter House,

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describe for me what you saw at the crime scene.

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All three cars were there at the house.

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Those owned by Susie, Stacey, and Cheryl.

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When we went into the house,

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there were three purses that were owned by those three people.

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The beds were unmade as if they'd slept in them.

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The television set was still on.

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A Venetian blind was open

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as if someone had taken a look outside.

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The front door was unlocked.

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The porch light had been broken.

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The fact that Cheryl, a notorious chain smoker,

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had left her cigarettes behind

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indicated to police the possibility of foul play.

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While search crews combed the area,

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Stacey's parents made this televised plea.

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Stacey, call home.

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00:12:01,000 --> 00:12:03,000

Call home and let us know that you're okay.

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But Stacey never called.

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The case remains wide open.

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Sergeant, isn't that odd for three people to be missing

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and there be no clues?

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It's very odd that three people would just vanish

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and we don't have a lead to follow

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that would lead us in the direction that we need to go.

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Enter Dorothy Allison,

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who agrees to step into a case

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that has stumped several other psychic detectives.

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Dorothy is undaunted by the fact

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that so many people believe this case is unsolvable.

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What kind of things are you hoping

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that Dorothy will be able to come up with?

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The most important thing would be to find where Stacey is.

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If she's alive, where she is,

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if she's not alive, then we need to be able to put it to rest,

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so I need to find her remains.

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Hi, I'm Dorothy Allison.

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Dorothy's psychic impressions in this case come quickly.

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Before her arrival, she had envisioned many undisclosed details

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about the case and provide Sergeant Smith

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with a specific list of clues.

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The news is not good.

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These are the things that people see when they're in a car.

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They wonder where they're going

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before they reach their awful destination,

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where they are murdered, because I believe they're murdered.

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I do not believe they're alive.

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Dorothy has made just one request of the McCall family.

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Dorothy, you asked for something of Stacey's

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and the family has given me her keys.

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Very good.

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And also a ring.

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Okay, that's perfect.

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What will you use those for?

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I will hold them if I get some feel from her by holding it.

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After her initial visit to the Springfield Police Department,

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Dorothy asked to be escorted to the scene of the crime.

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From here, she begins to look for the locations and landmarks on her list,

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hoping they'll lead her to the three missing women.

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Oh, I'm going to pass this way.

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Her psychic list is remarkably accurate.

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We pass a chemical plant, a trailer park, and a nightclub.

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But traveling to the gymnastics center where Stacey worked,

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Dorothy gets her strongest psychic feeling.

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This all uses my base as to where to look for them.

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And I would go and find a thick wooded area from here to find them.

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What in your tummy tells you that this is right?

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It's just a feeling.

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I wrote down all the clues that I could find.

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And every clue, one led into the other, as you noticed today.

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What Dorothy didn't know is that Sergeant Smith had only recently received a tip

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from a railroad engineer who'd spotted something suspicious in these nearby woods.

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Here, I thought he saw a grave site, and I'd sent a couple detectives out to look at it a couple days ago.

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Less than a quarter of a mile from the woods, Dorothy found the Ramada Inn she had written on her list.

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Right up there.

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Yes. So we're on the right track.

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There was also mention of a royal or theatrical name on the list.

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The road running along the wooded area, Royal Drive.

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I also saw some old cards which I see up on the hill there.

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I feel this is the exact road he took.

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And on this cold rainy day, on the actual site where Sergeant Smith is due to search,

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Dorothy becomes adamant.

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I really feel this place should be searched. I really do.

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The search turns up nothing, but this does not deter Dorothy.

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She knows this site is significant and believes more of her psychic clues need to be followed up.

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It was a little shock to see some names and things that I recognized.

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Probably the police are going to take their own time and check out everything one item at a time.

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In the meantime, the McCalls have begun a support group called One Missing Link,

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dedicated to helping others who have missing loved ones.

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It's their way of making something positive out of a tragic situation.

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A life with a beginning, a middle, but no end.

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As a mother, I need to find out where my daughter is.

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We're a very close family and this is like leaving a big empty hole right in the middle of our line.

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Since Janice and Stu McCall founded One Missing Lank,

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they have helped more than 26 families deal with the disappearance of an older child.

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One Missing Lank is located in Springfield, Missouri.

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Next, the Chinese government plan to capture Bigfoot

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and traveling to the stars at warp speed may be closer than you think.

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Here are some of the stories Sightings is following in the news.

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In China, Bigfoot has a bounty on his or her head.

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The Chinese government is offering \$60,000 to the first person who can bring one in alive.

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In China, the largest scientific expedition ever mounted to search for Bigfoot

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has been called to a halt after only two months.

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According to researchers, no significant signs of the elusive creature known as She-Ren have been found.

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But the failure of the expedition has not lessened popular interest in finding She-Ren.

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In the past 70 years, there have been more than 114 She-Ren sightings.

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By 360 eyewitnesses.

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Although researchers downplay its significance,

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the official expedition did turn up hair samples of unknown origin in the Shandong Ziya Forest Reserve in central China.

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Boastered by this tantalizing finding, the park is keeping independent She-Ren research alive

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by offering a monetary incentive to would-be Bigfoot hunters.

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It's about the equivalent of \$60,000 if you bring one in alive.

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\$6,000 dead.

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Or even \$1,200 for authenticated droppings.

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In California, at the Loma Linda University Medical Center,

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researchers have scientifically proven the curative power of laughter.

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Patients who were given a steady diet of comedy had a 20% increase in the number of natural killer cells in their bodies,

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cells that fight disease.

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Psychiatrist William Fry was part of the research team.

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Your heart rate, as soon as you start laughing, immediately increases.

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What happens then is your heart rate increases, the blood pressure goes up.

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And as a consequence, all the nutrients and the beneficial factors in the blood

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are distributed much more effectively to the rest of the body.

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The study also found that laughter can cut the level of stress-producing hormone by half

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and increase the level of immune system hormone gamma interferon.

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And those are all important aspects of the healing process.

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You don't just get healed by a medicine.

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In other words, we're looking at laughter as a way of helping people heal themselves.

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The ongoing study confirms the age-old adage laughter is the best medicine.

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And that is that humor is contagious, laughter is infectious, and both are good for your health.

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I'll sue you for this.

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Oh, superstitious, eh?

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In San Diego, the Interstellar Propulsion Society is a new organization of rocket scientists

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whose goal is inspired by science fiction to go where no man has gone before.

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Star Trek provides a wonderful inspirational image of how he might one day travel to stars

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First, we have to answer the question, can we, and how can we?

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Millis is an aerospace engineer who believes that future space transports must exceed the speed of light

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and that in order to do so, they must have an entirely new system of propulsion.

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Our most advanced rocket today would take 900 years just to reach the nearest star,

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with a fuel tank the size of 10 railcars.

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So we have to find some means of propulsion that requires no propellant whatsoever,

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presumably some coupling between gravity, electromagnetism, and spacetime

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so that you can push against the very structure of spacetime itself instead of needing all that propellant.

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One propulsion theory holds that the speed of light barrier can be broken

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if spacetime can be shortened to faster intervals, what most people know as warp speed.

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Millis hopes warp speed will be achieved in his lifetime.

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It would be foolish to say, let's never go.

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Man has always explored in some fashion, whether it's for monetary gain or for some reason,

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but nonetheless we've always explored, so why stop at our heavens?

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We'll have more stories from the news next time. Now here's what's coming up on CIDES.

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To this day, no one has been able to explain the mysterious woman in black who saved Bob Davidson's

life 15 years ago.

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It's an outright miracle.

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Later, why all crop circles can't be explained as hoaxes.

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According to a recent Time Magazine survey, more than one in three Americans

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admit that they have felt an angelic presence in their lives.

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It's most often described as a feeling or a private vision of a brilliant loving being.

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Rarely do these angels take on a solid form that can be seen by others,

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but when they do, as was the case for Bob Davidson, miracles very often follow.

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Bob Davidson is a quiet man, given to reflection about his life as a husband, a father,

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a volunteer firefighter, and the moment that transformed his life.

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I don't know what happened here on this stretch of highway 15 years ago, but it definitely was a miracle.

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In the late 70s, Bob Davidson was at a personal crossroads.

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His career was off the track.

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Bob's father died unexpectedly and left behind only memories and his old wristwatch.

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At the same time, Bob's relationship with his daughter, Dory, was crumbling.

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I don't know why he didn't get along.

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A teenage daughter and a father, you know, we had our differences.

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Bob had lost sight of what he wanted and what was important.

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On June 28th, 1980, Bob decided to take a break from it all.

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He took off on his motorcycle and left his hometown of Mansfield, Ohio behind.

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Being seven months pregnant, I, um, for months I had had dreams that something happened to Dad.

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I had a feeling that Dad wasn't going to be there to see my baby born.

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In fact, Bob never did complete that ride.

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Near Indianapolis, a rainstorm forced Bob to pull off the road.

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When you're doing 60 mile an hour, a raindrop feels pretty stinging on your arms.

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And it hits.

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Near the town of Acton, Indiana, Bob stopped to put on his rain gear.

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But the moment his foot hit the pavement, something horrible happened.

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Maybe it was a weird stuff.

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You got to be at the right place at the right time and I was supposed to get struck by lightning.

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In a single instant, more than a million volts of electricity coursed through Bob's body.

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Asking trucker radioed for help.

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It was several minutes before paramedics arrived.

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I mean, when we got there, the man was, was gray.

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I, no sign of life whatsoever.

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The paramedics called for a medical helicopter, but it couldn't take off in the torrential downpour.

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Attempts at CPR were failing.

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When I got there and saw this man, where the lightning struck, it was actually smoldering.

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I mean, you can actually see it looked like steam coming out of the wound.

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The stem on his father's watch had welded to the case.

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His shoes had blown off his feet.

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Bob had no pulse.

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I think in the back of all firefighters' minds, you're saying a prayer.

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Randy Nibert believes what happened next could only have been the answer to his prayers.

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The ambulance was with a practically new vehicle.

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Had power failure.

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I don't mean just the lights went out on the ambulance.

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I mean, the ambulance went completely dead.

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Out of the clear blue sky, a lady in black came in.

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She had a Bible in her hands.

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And I was in awe at this woman.

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The medics of the scene recalled that the woman seemed to be from another era.

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She insisted on touching Bob and the ground at the same time.

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That's when I said, you know, let her do what she has to do.

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Without even thinking about it, the words just came out of my mouth.

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The woman in black began pounding Bob's chest with her Bible.

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And speaking in a language the paramedics didn't understand.

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The emergency team watched in silence as the rain poured down on them all.

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Even with the rain falling, everybody was soaked.

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She wasn't.

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She was not remotely wet.

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Then the gray, limp body, the man with no pulse, began to show signs of life.

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She looked me right dead in the eyes and smiled.

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Not a word said.

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She stood up, walked around my sister and walked away.

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As suddenly and inexplicably as she'd come, the woman in black was gone.

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But the legacy of her visit remained.

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It was almost like the sky was parting back.

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The rain was clearing up.

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It's weird. His blood pressure started coming back up.

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They got a pulse on him. Color started coming back into him.

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And no one knows where this lady came from or where she went to.

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It is truly a miracle.

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There's no other words to describe it. It's an outright miracle.

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But it would take more than one miracle to save Bob Davidson.

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He was in deep shock.

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They didn't think he was going to make it through the first night.

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But the moment he got that he made it, it was, you know, wow, this guy's still hanging on.

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He was in a coma for seven weeks.

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And it was during that time Bob believes he met his father.

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I can still see him setting under this tree.

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And it's the most beautiful place that you've ever seen.

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I have never seen any place like it on this earth.

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And that makes you stop and think, well, was he there with him?

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When dad was in the coma and wasn't really there himself.

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And evidently it must have been heaven or something to that effect.

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I know if that's the place you go when you die, I want to go there.

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By all accounts, Bob Davidson should not be here right now.

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But he is.

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And the watch that his father left to him never stopped ticking.

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A reminder of the miracle that spared Bob's life

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and brought him back just in time to see his first grandchild born.

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I named the baby after dad.

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He's named after his grandpa.

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But who was the mysterious woman in black?

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Scythians found a possible clue to her identity here at the Acton Heritage Museum.

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Acton having been a spiritual center for many years.

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Perhaps some of that has held over.

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What is now an empty field by a railroad crossing

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was once a religious retreat started by missionaries in 1859.

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It was a place for relaxation, worship and reflection.

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It was a generation that believed in maybe more than we do now in the spiritual powers.

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But on a windy November day in 1905,

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a spark from the railroad ignited a terrible fire that destroyed Acton's spiritual center.

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The fire went so quickly that they didn't have any real opportunity to stop it although they tried.

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Is there a connection between the woman in black and Acton's spiritual past?

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It's a question no one can answer, but consider this.

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A bug that displays at the Acton Museum is a Bible

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and a turn of the century dress identical to the one paramedics say

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an angel wore on June 28th, 1980.

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I would just like to walk along with her

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and tell her how much I appreciate what she did

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for me and giving me a second chance on life.

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Bob Davidson wonders why he was visited by the mysterious stranger who seemed to save his life.

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Why was he spared when so many other innocent victims are left to die?

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It's a question he continues to try to answer every day.

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Next is 2012, the end of time or a new beginning.

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The answer from prophets old and new.

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The mysterious 16th-century prognosticator known as Nostradamus

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made several startlingly accurate predictions about the future.

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His revelations coincide with the equally accurate predictions

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of a little-known 12th-century Catholic priest, St. Malachi.

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Both futurists included in their writing suggestions of an apocalypse.

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The story of St. Malachi, the first Christian priest in the world,

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both futurists included in their writing suggestions of an apocalypse,

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sometime near the year 2012.

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Fire, blood, war, famine, plague, anarchy, the end of the world.

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These are the apocalyptic visions of history's prophets of doom.

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The most famous of these mystics is the 16th-century French writer, Michel Nostradamus.

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He made over 1,000 prophecies before his death in 1566.

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I believe the main reason why Nostradamus has been so popular is because he's been so successful.

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Nostradamus accurately predicted the rise of Hitler, World War II,

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and the stock market crash of 1929.

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But one dire prophecy remains unfulfilled.

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Nostradamus writes that the head of the church will be taken prisoner,

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and his palace will go up in flames.

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Scholars have interpreted this to mean the dissolution of the Catholic Church.

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But Nostradamus was not the first seer to predict the end of the Pope and the Catholic Church.

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400 years earlier, a little-known Irish priest named Malachi had an eerily similar vision.

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He was on a pilgrimage to Rome in 1138 AD,

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and as he came over the final hill and saw Rome, he fell into an ecstatic trance.

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And his scribe wrote down these three to four-word Latin phrases that came in sequence, about 112 phrases.

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It was later understood that each phrase stood for every pope, the current pope that lived at his time,

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Cestalinus II, till the final pope of Doomsday.

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That is 112 references.

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We are down to two more in the list of Saint Malachi for Doomsday.

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While Malachi was struck by ecstatic visions,

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Nostradamus claimed to see the future by staring into a chalice of water.

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Their methods differed, but the vision was the same.

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The end of the church would mean the end of the world,

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and the end of the world would come soon after the year 2000.

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It's a dire prediction and a date within our lifetime that has been embraced by modern-day mystics.

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I mean a great change.

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I don't mean the five-cent cigar or Medicare reform.

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I mean ordinary space and time is going to disappear.

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Terrence McKenna is an author and explorer who lives on the big island of Hawaii,

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where he awaits what he believes will be the end of the world as we know it.

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For McKenna and hundreds of people who have come to embrace his apocalyptic warning,

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the Doomsday Clock will run out on a very specific date.

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I predict the most novel event in the history of the world in 2012,

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and for a conservative mind that might look like Doomsday, but it isn't Doomsday.

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It's simply that we are moving deeper and deeper into uncharted territory,

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novel territory, and that's frightening to some people and exhilarating to others.

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While McKenna's message is much like that of Malachi and Nostradamus,

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his medium is decidedly 21st century.

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McKenna's crystal ball is a personal computer running software of his own design called Time Wave Zero.

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I believe that we have in fact discovered the structure of time itself.

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McKenna developed Time Wave Zero in 1970 after studying the ancient Chinese fortune-telling system known as the Yi Qing.

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And out of that came a mathematical algorithm that obviously wanted to be a calendar,

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and when I looked at it as a calendar, I saw that it described the ebb and flow of change in history.

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When McKenna placed the Yi Qing's pattern of peaks and valleys over the timeline of history,

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he made a startling discovery. When the Yi Qing system dipped, so did the fortunes of the planet.

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Here, 1356, the Black Death, a third of the population of Europe, dies.

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And here, the culmination of the Italian Renaissance in 1492 with the discovery of the New World.

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Over here, the American and the French revolutions. Here's World War II, and here's us.

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Because his computer system provides a remarkably accurate picture of the past,

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McKenna is confident it will prove to be an accurate picture of the future as well.

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So the predictions of the past give us confidence that what it's saying about the future will also turn out to be true.

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On December 21st, 2012, the time wave dips off the chart and into infinity.

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McKenna does not know what would occur on that date, only that it will be the most significant point in human history.

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One of my guesses is that what we will discover in 2012 that will make this true is time travel.

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If technologies that could move through time were developed around that time,

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it would explain why the wave could no longer give a linear description of the unfolding of events,

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because the unfolding of events would go non-linear at that point.

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Nearly 500 years ago, Nostradamus predicted similar changes in the time-space continuum

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that would occur soon after the year 2000.

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He sees a change in mankind, a new humanity, a new culture,

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that ultimately leads to the human race leaving the planet Earth,

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they're living in the planets of the constellation Cancer and Aquarius.

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So when you look up tonight at the sky and you see the stars of the Aquarius constellation,

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you're seeing the future of humanity.

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While many of his dire predictions have come true,

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Nostradamus never claimed his prophecies were irreversible.

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In fact, he once wrote,

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the one who is reasonable can learn from my prophecies how to find the right path.

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Next, if you think crop circles are fakes, listen to this man.

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We have seen a whole new family, a whole new range of complexity of the patterns themselves.

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Recent revelations that hundreds of English crop circles are the work of sophisticated hoaxers

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has damaged the reputation of dedicated researchers.

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But these serialologists are undaunted by the controversy.

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By studying the hoaxed crop circles, they've learned the tricks of the trade.

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The fakes, they say, have made it easier for them to separate the wheat from the chaff.

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I think hoaxers have taught us all the lesson.

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They have shown that you can back engineer many of the features,

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but you cannot back engineer all of them.

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Crop circle researcher Colin Andrews is one of just a handful of full-time investigators

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determined to discover the source of these beautiful enigmatic patterns

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appearing in crop fields from England to Australia.

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We have looked at the techniques employed by hoaxers.

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We have, in fact, hoaxed them ourselves.

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But what happens every time, of course, is that there is evidence that you've been there

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with the genuine phenomena, the fingerprint of the spiral.

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That is the number of revolutions the spirals take from the center of the vortex

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to completion of the circumference is also different.

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And the plants are changed at the cellular anatomical level.

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This is a field of oil seed rape. It's a very brittle plant.

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By the lightest touch of the finger, you'll see the bruising that occurs on this.

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I've removed the hue from the plant and the damage is evident for everybody to see.

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Well, if that plant being in the upright position as the thousands of them are in this field

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received the energy of the crop circle constructor, whoever or whatever that is,

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this is what would happen.

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I mean, here's the plant being bent over beyond 45 degrees, down to the horizontal and snap.

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We would immediately establish that a circle has been hoaxed by the fact that the plants will

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knuckle or snap off, just like carrots or celery.

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In the genuine phenomena, they bend over evenly. They're undamaged.

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And it is as if a steaming effect has occurred.

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Andrews, an electrical engineer by trade, first became interested in the crop circle phenomenon

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in 1983. He was driving to work one morning when a strange pattern in a wheat field caught his eye.

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I saw five circles forming across in a field below me.

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And it was absolutely fascinating. I've not seen or heard anything like this before.

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The engineer in me was calling already what actually formed this.

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Although crop circles have been sighted worldwide, more than 90% of the world's total have been found in Southern England,

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within 40 miles of this circle, Stonehenge.

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Earlier this year, sightings provided colonanters with a high-eight camera to keep an ongoing record of new crop circle activity occurring in this region.

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This is pretty much a typical day in the life of a crop circle researcher, responding to calls from farmers, police,

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that a circle has been discovered in a field.

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It certainly starts, you know, first thing in the morning, responding to those calls and to get up in the aircraft,

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looking for the patterns wherever they might be.

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John, where I think we would certainly like to get is north of Andover.

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This year is the only second year in 12 years that has seen a downward curve,

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but an increase in complexity of the patterns themselves.

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We have seen a whole new family, a whole new range of patterns.

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Many of them resemble galaxies, a series of circles and rings,

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rotating as if they are circumventing a central feature.

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As you tick off the list of possibilities, you get closer and closer to being obliged to consider that something external,

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something which is intelligent, is actually placing them there.

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Simply considering the possibility that crop circles are the result of non-human intervention

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has made Andrews and other serialists pariahs in the scientific community.

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I think some of the media have put a funny tag on the subject,

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and the fact that I am now publicly saying that I believe there isn't intelligence involved here

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as I think further distanced my professional colleagues from me.

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So it is very much a lonely life out here.

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And while Andrews could once count on farmers for free access to their fields,

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now the farmers have had a change of heart.

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This year the National Farmers Union in Great Britain have offered a thousand pounds

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for information leading to the very first arrest of those people who are making some of these crop circles.

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So the attitude certainly has firmed up.

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A number of farmers have become really actually quite aggressive

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and have now refused entry to many of the researchers like myself

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to actually conduct any work whatsoever on their land.

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Despite irate farmers, mischievous hoaxes and a skeptical public,

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Colin Andrews perseveres because he believes the answer to the crop circle mystery is within his grasp.

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The research I think is reaching its final stages.

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We do have evidence that a phenomena exists.

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We have some ideas to worry about in the electromagnetic spectrum the energy is coming from.

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I think what we are left with now is to put into position at the primary places

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we now know they're going to arrive, a very, very sophisticated surveillance operation.

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And we have to record on high-quality television quality footage the crop circle makers.

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The serious study of crop circles is a classic Catch-22

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to prove that some crop circles are formed by supernatural forces.

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Researchers like Colin Andrews need scientists to conduct controlled studies.

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But scientists won't do these studies until it's proven that the crop circle phenomenon is not a hoax.

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If you've had a paranormal experience, please write to us at CITINGS.

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CITINGS can also be contacted at America Online at keyword CITINGS.

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At the CITINGS forum, download images, sounds and quick time clips.

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Also, join us daily in our chat room, live on AOL.

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Until next time, remember, no mystery is closed to an open mind.

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For CITINGS, I'm Tim White.

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Next on Sci-Fi Dark Shadows.

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Are we dealing with an epidemic?

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A bold experiment.

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We recombine termite and mantid DNA to create a biological counter-agent.

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Becomes a deadly mistake.

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They were designed to die. They are breeding.

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But how do you destroy it?

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When you've created it.

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Mira Sordino.

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Mimic tomorrow at 7 p.m. on Sci-Fi.