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Welcome to Sightings. I'm Tim White. The United States Air Force admits that between 1952

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and 1969, they conducted a secret study called Project Blue Book. Its purpose was to determine

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if UFOs posed a real threat to the American people. Project Blue Book concluded that they

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did not, and since 1969, the Pentagon has denied participating in any other UFO study.

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But ufologists believe this is a lie that secret projects with names like Moondust,

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Osma, and Aquarius continue to this day. Does the United States government know more about these

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UFOs than they're telling us? Are top secret projects withholding information from the American

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people? There is mounting evidence that UFOs are considered a serious threat to our political

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and military stability. Sightings has investigated thousands of pages of documents, all written

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by government employees, all on the subject of UFOs. And there are charges that this is just

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the tip of the extraterrestrial iceberg, that what we are entitled to see through the Freedom of

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Information Act is only a fraction of the incendiary material this country is hiding.

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Secrecy is not designed to keep the enemy from knowing. It's designed to keep the people from

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knowing. Victor Marquetti knows first hand just how far the government will go to keep its darkest

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secrets. For nearly 20 years, he worked at the CIA, specializing in clandestine operations. Later,

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he revealed many of the CIA secrets in a book the company tried to stop. When the people know

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what's going on, then that's when you have trouble if you're in a position of authority.

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There is no dispute. The government can and does keep its secrets well. But why would it choose to

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draw the veil of secrecy around UFOs? What does the government know about UFOs that it doesn't want

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to share with the public? A panel of experts convened by the CIA concluded that UFOs could be a

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threat. According to NAP, that panel convened in the early 1950s and laid out a top secret plan to

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infiltrate and discredit UFO investigators. It came in response to the continuing uproar over the

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UFO crash near Roswell, New Mexico. A crash the military initially said was caused by a flying

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saucer. That claim was later retracted. NAP and others believe that the pattern of cover-up and

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disinformation at Roswell became standard operating procedure. Beginning in 1953, these top secret

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projects were allegedly given names. Saucer, red light, grudge, magnet, snowbird, all with different

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functions, but all with the same agenda. This is being visited by aliens from outer space. Obviously,

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the United States government would have a great interest in this. But the only UFO project that

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the government has ever publicly acknowledged is Project Blue Book, which was in operation until

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1969. What they did was to investigate something that was a potential threat to our national

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security. Colonel Robert Friend directed Project Blue Book for four years. In a rare interview,

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I asked him about the true purpose of the project. Some people believe the Project Blue Book is part

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of a massive, was part of a massive government cover-up in order to avoid people getting too

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excited about UFOs. Well, if it was, he would be very successful because he covered it up from me,

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too. Do you believe that the Earth has ever been visited by craft and or beings from somewhere

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else? I say no. Those of us who really dug into it know that Blue Book was a cover. Many

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ufologists believe Blue Book was instituted to deflect attention away from a super secret

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task force called Majestic or MJ-12. Twelve experts who illegally bypassed Congress and

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reported directly to the White House about potential UFO threats. Majestic-12 is the name

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given to a committee allegedly established under President Truman in 1947 following the

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apparent retrieval of an alien vehicle and bodies in the New Mexican Desert. We know about

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Majestic-12 because of this, a 1954 memo from Robert Cutler, special assistant to President

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Eisenhower, alerting General Nathan Twining to an upcoming MJ-12 meeting. The document is in the

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National Archives, but the government insists it is a fake. The Majestic-12 documents, if genuine,

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are of course the most important ones ever leaked to the American public because they tell the

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simple story about the recovery of a crashed flying saucer, alien bodies, the establishment of a

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group operation Majestic-12 accountable only to the President of the United States, including an

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all-star cast of 12, the first three directors of Central Intelligence, First Secretary of Defense,

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outstanding scientists. If genuine, they're really super important. And MJ-12 was only the

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domestic branch of a worldwide secret UFO investigation, according to former NATO Command

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Sergeant Major Bob Dean. Frankly, it's probably the most sensitive document that NATO has ever

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been involved with. Dean was assigned to NATO Supreme Headquarters Command. He claims to have

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had NATO's highest security clearance and to have seen a NATO UFO report called the Assessment.

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It was while I was there from 1963 to 1967 that I learned about a NATO study that had been begun

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in 1961. And in 1964, when they published the study and I had a chance to really look at it and

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study it, I had to be honest with you and tell you that that information literally changed my life

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because I knew for the first time that the subject was not fantasy, it wasn't myth,

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wasn't legend, it was real. It was true. They concluded, apparently the evidence was overwhelming,

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that the planet and the human race had apparently been under some kind of a survey

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or analysis or study for a very long time by several high technology extraterrestrial

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civilizations. The assessment has never been released to the public. However, the same language

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that Bob Dean claims to have read during his tenure at NATO is also contained within this document,

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an Air Force Training Manual obtained by sightings. Here is an excerpt from the paragraph

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heading Alien Visitors. The most stimulating theory for us is that the UFOs are material objects

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which are either manned or remote controlled by beings who are alien to this planet. To date,

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these intelligence agencies have denied any interest in UFOs beyond Project Blue Book.

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If this is true, why have thousands of pages of UFO documents been obtained through the Freedom

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of Information Act? All those agencies, with the exception of the Air Force, denied any serious

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interest in UFO research. Suddenly they come out with thousands of pages of documents and more

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and more have been released. But page after page is virtually blacked out. What are they hiding?

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In countervertible proof that there are people from outer space who are more intelligent than we

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are and different than we are from us and are here would would undercut many of the institutions

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in which our situation is built. And to those who say that we have been visited, that the government

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knows we've been visited and the government is covering it up for reasons we may not understand,

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you say what?

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I'd say that it would be the best kept secret in the world because I certainly don't know anything

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about it. People will deal with this, people can handle this and it's time to tell them the truth.