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SOMEWHERE IN THE SKIES

WITH RYAN SPRAGUE



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1
00:00:08,170 --> 00:00:05,200

[Music]

2
00:00:09,230 --> 00:00:08,180

this is somewhere in the skies with

3
00:00:28,840 --> 00:00:09,240

Brian Sprague

4
00:00:33,650 --> 00:00:31,760

welcome to episode 4 of somewhere in the

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00:00:35,930 --> 00:00:33,660

skies this is going to be an interesting

6
00:00:38,180 --> 00:00:35,940

one unlike our previous three episodes

7
00:00:40,910 --> 00:00:38,190

we're going to tackle an aspect of UFOs

8
00:00:44,000 --> 00:00:40,920

that often gets overlooked and that's

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00:00:46,910 --> 00:00:44,010

the pair of psychological yep we are

10
00:00:48,290 --> 00:00:46,920

going there so buckle up but first I

11
00:00:51,320 --> 00:00:48,300

want to start with the following

12
00:00:53,720 --> 00:00:51,330

listener email I recently received it

13
00:00:56,270 --> 00:00:53,730

comes to us from Judy Thompson out of

14

00:00:59,810 --> 00:00:56,280

Alberta Canada and this event occurred

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00:01:02,960 --> 00:00:59,820

to her when she was 14 years old in 1980

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00:01:05,690 --> 00:01:02,970

off of man Lake near the town of Asha

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00:01:08,120 --> 00:01:05,700

Judy writes quote I was driving home

18

00:01:10,310 --> 00:01:08,130

from the small town near acreage home

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00:01:12,440 --> 00:01:10,320

when late summer afternoon I had my

20

00:01:14,330 --> 00:01:12,450

learner's license and my mom was sitting

21

00:01:16,070 --> 00:01:14,340

in the front passenger seat my

22

00:01:18,469 --> 00:01:16,080

grandmother and younger brother were in

23

00:01:20,450 --> 00:01:18,479

the back I had to slow down coming into

24

00:01:23,510 --> 00:01:20,460

our subdivision as the road had a sharp

25

00:01:25,789 --> 00:01:23,520

bend close to the lake edge here is when

26

00:01:29,690 --> 00:01:25,799

I noticed something a black triangle

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00:01:31,730 --> 00:01:29,700

object some distance away high over the

28

00:01:33,470 --> 00:01:31,740

edge of the lake I stopped and rolled

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00:01:35,780 --> 00:01:33,480

down the window to hear if it may then

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00:01:37,910 --> 00:01:35,790

sound I thought maybe it could be a

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00:01:40,370 --> 00:01:37,920

helicopter with something hanging under

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00:01:43,100 --> 00:01:40,380

it but I cannot hear anything and it

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00:01:45,080 --> 00:01:43,110

continued to sit motionless in the sky

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00:01:48,080 --> 00:01:45,090

I remember blurting out something like

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00:01:50,060 --> 00:01:48,090

what the heck is that a UFO I looked at

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00:01:52,280 --> 00:01:50,070

it for a short time and decided to

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00:01:54,260 --> 00:01:52,290

continue driving I wanted to look more

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00:01:56,030 --> 00:01:54,270

but I was worried about cars coming up

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00:01:58,220 --> 00:01:56,040

behind me I was also worried about

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00:02:00,170 --> 00:01:58,230

frightening my mom and grandmother I

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00:02:03,650 --> 00:02:00,180

knew they would not be open to such

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00:02:06,530 --> 00:02:03,660

things as UFOs however I cannot stop

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00:02:08,749 --> 00:02:06,540

thinking about that strange object I

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00:02:11,210 --> 00:02:08,759

continued to drive until I reached the

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00:02:13,130 --> 00:02:11,220

approach to our home I don't know why I

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00:02:15,710 --> 00:02:13,140

stopped if the approaching looked over

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00:02:18,589 --> 00:02:15,720

my left shoulder and up into the sky but

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00:02:21,110 --> 00:02:18,599

I did and there it was it was directly

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00:02:23,660 --> 00:02:21,120

over the road and now was just a little

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00:02:25,820 --> 00:02:23,670

higher than the treetops I quickly put

51
00:02:28,729 --> 00:02:25,830
the car in park and shut off the engine

52
00:02:30,320 --> 00:02:28,739
I felt a sense of excitement to get

53
00:02:32,899 --> 00:02:30,330
another chance to have a look at this

54
00:02:35,539 --> 00:02:32,909
day I got out of the car leaving the

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00:02:38,149 --> 00:02:35,549
door open and gazed up the craft

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00:02:39,210 --> 00:02:38,159
hovering above me no one else got out of

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00:02:41,520 --> 00:02:39,220
the car and

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00:02:44,610 --> 00:02:41,530
one said a word while I was looking at

59
00:02:47,490 --> 00:02:44,620
it the object indeed was not black but a

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00:02:50,400 --> 00:02:47,500
dull charcoal gray color it made no

61
00:02:53,880 --> 00:02:50,410
sound and had no visible lights it was

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00:02:55,980 --> 00:02:53,890
about 30 to 40 feet across the bottom of

63
00:02:58,260 --> 00:02:55,990

it had sections with some type of

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00:03:00,180 --> 00:02:58,270

pattern maybe symbols

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00:03:02,310 --> 00:03:00,190

however I cannot remember the details

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00:03:05,610 --> 00:03:02,320

very well I wanted to see if it had any

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00:03:07,650 --> 00:03:05,620

windows or identifiable markers so I

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00:03:09,720 --> 00:03:07,660

walked around to the front of the car to

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00:03:13,410 --> 00:03:09,730

the other side to get a better look

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00:03:16,430 --> 00:03:13,420

besides front and top were solid with no

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00:03:19,230 --> 00:03:16,440

windows markers or scenes of any kind as

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00:03:22,730 --> 00:03:19,240

I was standing and gazing up at the

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00:03:26,280 --> 00:03:22,740

craft I felt a sense of awe and wonder

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00:03:29,460 --> 00:03:26,290

and I became aware of my thoughts being

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00:03:31,710 --> 00:03:29,470

read this may sound really weird and I

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00:03:33,480 --> 00:03:31,720

probably would leave this part out if it

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00:03:35,760 --> 00:03:33,490

were not for the fact that I have come

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00:03:38,760 --> 00:03:35,770

across other people's accounts of having

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00:03:41,400 --> 00:03:38,770

similar experiences I had a real feeling

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00:03:43,620 --> 00:03:41,410

that this was an amazing event and that

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00:03:46,949 --> 00:03:43,630

this craft was not from our world

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00:03:48,870 --> 00:03:46,959

I wanted them whoever they were to know

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00:03:51,180 --> 00:03:48,880

that I was greatly honored to have had

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00:03:53,699 --> 00:03:51,190

the chance of a lifetime to experience

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00:03:55,830 --> 00:03:53,709

something so amazing I started to think

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00:03:58,199 --> 00:03:55,840

about what the occupants may look like

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00:04:00,660 --> 00:03:58,209

for the first time and I felt the sense

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00:04:02,940 --> 00:04:00,670

of fear creeping in I don't know if that

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00:04:05,820 --> 00:04:02,950

was the reason but the craft started to

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00:04:08,370 --> 00:04:05,830

move gracefully gliding like it was on

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00:04:11,220 --> 00:04:08,380

ice it moved a little forward then made

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00:04:13,860 --> 00:04:11,230

a 90-degree turn facing east towards Man

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00:04:16,229 --> 00:04:13,870

Lake it started moving slowly in this

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00:04:19,080 --> 00:04:16,239

direction but then suddenly accelerated

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00:04:22,560 --> 00:04:19,090

and an unreal speed and was gone in a

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00:04:25,500 --> 00:04:22,570

split second no sound no smoke no lights

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00:04:28,080 --> 00:04:25,510

it was just gone the leaves of the tall

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00:04:31,469 --> 00:04:28,090

poplar trees that surrounded the area or

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00:04:34,110 --> 00:04:31,479

completely undisturbed I never spoke to

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00:04:37,409 --> 00:04:34,120

anyone about this event not even my

101
00:04:39,900 --> 00:04:37,419
family it was not until 2009 while

102
00:04:42,240 --> 00:04:39,910
recovering from surgery that I really

103
00:04:44,790 --> 00:04:42,250
began some serious research on this

104
00:04:47,940 --> 00:04:44,800
topic and have been hooked ever since I

105
00:04:51,510 --> 00:04:47,950
do feel that it is important to share my

106
00:04:53,100 --> 00:04:51,520
story end quote Wow yes Judy it is

107
00:04:55,050 --> 00:04:53,110
important for you to share your stone

108
00:04:57,990 --> 00:04:55,060
and I can't thank you enough for sending

109
00:05:00,270 --> 00:04:58,000
that to me it reminds me so much my own

110
00:05:02,340 --> 00:05:00,280
UFO sighting when I was 12 years old

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00:05:05,310 --> 00:05:02,350
but what intrigues me most is the

112
00:05:07,590 --> 00:05:05,320
feeling that she felt her thoughts were

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00:05:09,480 --> 00:05:07,600

somehow being read somehow being

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00:05:12,450 --> 00:05:09,490

controlled by whatever she was seeing

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00:05:14,760 --> 00:05:12,460

the psychic aspect has been like Judy

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00:05:17,400 --> 00:05:14,770

mentioned reported by many individuals

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00:05:19,530 --> 00:05:17,410

in fact I've interviewed dozens of

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00:05:22,050 --> 00:05:19,540

people who've claimed the same thing

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00:05:23,490 --> 00:05:22,060

they feel some sort of mental connection

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00:05:25,410 --> 00:05:23,500

to whatever they're seeing and

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00:05:27,990 --> 00:05:25,420

experiencing and this goes even deeper

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00:05:30,840 --> 00:05:28,000

when people report elements of high

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00:05:33,450 --> 00:05:30,850

strangeness parapsychological events and

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00:05:36,330 --> 00:05:33,460

even paranormal incidents occurring

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00:05:39,270 --> 00:05:36,340

during a UFO sighting or even after and

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00:05:42,300 --> 00:05:39,280

that's exactly what I spoke to today's

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00:05:44,700 --> 00:05:42,310

guests about Susan Demeter st. Claire is

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00:05:48,390 --> 00:05:44,710

a professional research assistant author

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00:05:50,490 --> 00:05:48,400

editor and SCI experiment her research

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00:05:53,220 --> 00:05:50,500

interests include individual and

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00:05:55,770 --> 00:05:53,230

institutional responses to anomalies and

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00:05:58,740 --> 00:05:55,780

exceptional human experiences and how

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00:06:01,440 --> 00:05:58,750

they interact and enact change within

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00:06:03,750 --> 00:06:01,450

groups and large institutions she has

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00:06:06,030 --> 00:06:03,760

established both para researchers of

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00:06:08,730 --> 00:06:06,040

Ontario and paranormal studies in

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00:06:10,410 --> 00:06:08,740

inquiry Canada as online educational

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00:06:13,440 --> 00:06:10,420

resources for those wishing to explore

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00:06:16,110 --> 00:06:13,450

the subject of anomalous events she has

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00:06:18,180 --> 00:06:16,120

conducted field research an unusual

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00:06:20,400 --> 00:06:18,190

light phenomena and lectured on this

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00:06:23,100 --> 00:06:20,410

subject at the Ontario Institute for

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00:06:23,970 --> 00:06:23,110

studies and education at the University

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00:06:26,520 --> 00:06:23,980

of Toronto

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00:06:29,220 --> 00:06:26,530

she is currently collaborating with Eric

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00:06:32,280 --> 00:06:29,230

Cole a PhD of the Canadian Forces

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00:06:34,730 --> 00:06:32,290

College on new approaches to UFO studies

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00:06:37,560 --> 00:06:34,740

through the lens of scientific

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00:06:40,200 --> 00:06:37,570

parapsychology today I speak to Susan

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00:06:42,260 --> 00:06:40,210

about various cases she is personally

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00:06:44,970 --> 00:06:42,270
researched through this lens of

152
00:06:47,970 --> 00:06:44,980
parapsychology and just a warning we do

153
00:06:50,340 --> 00:06:47,980
get a special guest by her dog max in

154
00:06:53,730 --> 00:06:50,350
this interview so I was deeply honoured

155
00:06:54,420 --> 00:06:53,740
by that so without further ado let's get

156
00:06:59,340 --> 00:06:54,430
to the interview

157
00:07:02,430 --> 00:06:59,350
I'm Susan Demeter st. Clare okay let's

158
00:07:05,930 --> 00:07:02,440
dive hey guys I am here today with Susan

159
00:07:09,680 --> 00:07:05,940
Demeter st. Claire she is a

160
00:07:12,500 --> 00:07:09,690
UFO researcher amongst many other things

161
00:07:14,750 --> 00:07:12,510
which we will talk about tonight thanks

162
00:07:17,210 --> 00:07:14,760
so much for joining us today season well

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00:07:19,580 --> 00:07:17,220

thank you for having me on the show I'm

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00:07:22,100 --> 00:07:19,590

really excited to finally be talking to

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00:07:25,340 --> 00:07:22,110

you yes and you know we've spoken off

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00:07:27,380 --> 00:07:25,350

air a few times now and I was really

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00:07:29,540 --> 00:07:27,390

drawn to your work through a mutual

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00:07:32,540 --> 00:07:29,550

project we're working on and that's

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00:07:36,730 --> 00:07:32,550

Robbie Grahams UFOs reframing the debate

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00:07:41,090 --> 00:07:36,740

a new book that's out this May 2017 and

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00:07:45,230 --> 00:07:41,100

we all were given an advanced copy and I

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00:07:47,750 --> 00:07:45,240

was immediately attracted to your essay

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00:07:51,500 --> 00:07:47,760

it was something that I've been diving

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00:07:53,570 --> 00:07:51,510

into lately with the whole UFO topic and

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00:07:56,990 --> 00:07:53,580

that is connecting it both to the

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00:08:01,160 --> 00:07:57,000

paranormal and to the psychological the

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00:08:04,040 --> 00:08:01,170

psycho social and everything in between

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00:08:07,220 --> 00:08:04,050

so yeah we're definitely going to dive

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00:08:09,320 --> 00:08:07,230

into some some of that tonight but first

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00:08:12,430 --> 00:08:09,330

the first question I always have Susan

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00:08:15,860 --> 00:08:12,440

for anyone who's into these topics is

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00:08:19,900 --> 00:08:15,870

how did you get involved what got you

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00:08:23,540 --> 00:08:19,910

interested in specifically the UFO issue

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00:08:27,890 --> 00:08:23,550

well I would have to say that it was the

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00:08:33,380 --> 00:08:27,900

phenomena itself that sort of initiated

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00:08:36,050 --> 00:08:33,390

me into into the UFO topic when I was

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00:08:38,510 --> 00:08:36,060

small I when I was a child I had had

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00:08:40,820 --> 00:08:38,520

some strange experiences but as we all

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00:08:43,820 --> 00:08:40,830

do we kind of you know we put that off

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00:08:46,550 --> 00:08:43,830

to childhood and I didn't really connect

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00:08:52,910 --> 00:08:46,560

them to UFOs I connected the more to

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00:08:57,350 --> 00:08:52,920

ghosts but when I was 23 I had a close

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00:09:00,530 --> 00:08:57,360

encounter with a UFO with my

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00:09:02,690 --> 00:09:00,540

brother-in-law and being a young adult

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00:09:06,410 --> 00:09:02,700

and having another witness there that

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00:09:08,960 --> 00:09:06,420

really is what I'd like to call it an

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00:09:11,450 --> 00:09:08,970

initiation because that that was the

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00:09:14,060 --> 00:09:11,460

moment that really propelled me into

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00:09:16,550 --> 00:09:14,070

this sort of study and research and I've

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00:09:19,740 --> 00:09:16,560

kind of been on it off and on ever since

201
00:09:22,559 --> 00:09:19,750
but I yeah but but I would say it was

202
00:09:25,379 --> 00:09:22,569
being a personal experience that prior

203
00:09:27,720 --> 00:09:25,389
to that I mean I had a basic interest

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00:09:30,720 --> 00:09:27,730
like anyone else maybe through pop

205
00:09:33,629 --> 00:09:30,730
culture I had seen Close Encounters of a

206
00:09:34,949 --> 00:09:33,639
Third Kind it's a great film and we will

207
00:09:38,819 --> 00:09:34,959
talk about that later

208
00:09:41,610 --> 00:09:38,829
yes Ichi and all these fun things so I

209
00:09:43,619 --> 00:09:41,620
but I wasn't really into UFOs at that

210
00:09:47,160 --> 00:09:43,629
point like I didn't really know too much

211
00:09:48,749 --> 00:09:47,170
about the subject it this initial

212
00:09:51,210 --> 00:09:48,759
experience where did that happen if you

213
00:09:55,350 --> 00:09:51,220

don't mind me asking that happened in

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00:09:58,319 --> 00:09:55,360

Toronto at the time I was living on a

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00:10:01,800 --> 00:09:58,329

tenth floor condominium and it was

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00:10:04,499 --> 00:10:01,810

rather late at night I was with my

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00:10:06,300 --> 00:10:04,509

my husband at the time and my

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00:10:09,540 --> 00:10:06,310

brother-in-law we were watching an

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00:10:11,610 --> 00:10:09,550

Elvira mistress of the dark film mmm

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00:10:13,350 --> 00:10:11,620

I'll never I'll never forget that

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00:10:16,949 --> 00:10:13,360

because this experience was so burned

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00:10:19,860 --> 00:10:16,959

into my mind and and I was getting late

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00:10:22,319 --> 00:10:19,870

and at the time I had like sliding glass

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00:10:24,569 --> 00:10:22,329

doors onto the tenth floor patio and I

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00:10:27,900 --> 00:10:24,579

had two very small children with me at

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00:10:30,269 --> 00:10:27,910

the time and I was in the habit of of

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00:10:32,069 --> 00:10:30,279

locking those doors before I went to bed

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00:10:34,470 --> 00:10:32,079

every night and so as the movie was

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00:10:38,249 --> 00:10:34,480

ending Elvira I got up it was about 1:00

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00:10:41,670 --> 00:10:38,259

a.m. and I was a weeknight - it was like

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00:10:43,319 --> 00:10:41,680

a Monday night and I walked over to the

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00:10:47,369 --> 00:10:43,329

sliding glass doors and I noticed this

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00:10:51,629 --> 00:10:47,379

large red sort of light hovering out

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00:10:54,600 --> 00:10:51,639

over by the nuclear plant and the

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00:10:56,369 --> 00:10:54,610

Pickering Nuclear Generating Station on

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00:11:00,900 --> 00:10:56,379

the north shore of Lake Ontario which I

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00:11:02,189 --> 00:11:00,910

had this clear view of ah and I'd it

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00:11:04,710 --> 00:11:02,199

just struck me and I thought at first

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00:11:06,360 --> 00:11:04,720

you know is this a reflection from the

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00:11:08,480 --> 00:11:06,370

television off the glass because it was

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00:11:11,429 --> 00:11:08,490

just such an odd thing and I realized no

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00:11:13,980 --> 00:11:11,439

there was something out there so I I

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00:11:17,069 --> 00:11:13,990

went out onto the onto the patio out of

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00:11:19,350 --> 00:11:17,079

the balcony and I was staring at it and

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00:11:21,840 --> 00:11:19,360

I realized that there's something really

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00:11:24,269 --> 00:11:21,850

strange about this I I just couldn't I

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00:11:28,889 --> 00:11:24,279

could not comprehend what I was looking

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00:11:30,780 --> 00:11:28,899

at it was so weird and I called up to my

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00:11:33,510 --> 00:11:30,790

brother-in-law and fortunately at this

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00:11:35,160 --> 00:11:33,520

point my my event husband was

251
00:11:37,050 --> 00:11:35,170
fast asleep on the couch he had he'd

252
00:11:39,720 --> 00:11:37,060
fallen asleep during the film so he

253
00:11:42,120 --> 00:11:39,730
briefly recalls hearing me yell out but

254
00:11:44,310 --> 00:11:42,130
didn't come out and he he to this day

255
00:11:46,500 --> 00:11:44,320
regrets that he never did but my

256
00:11:47,730 --> 00:11:46,510
brother-in-law came out and we were

257
00:11:49,800 --> 00:11:47,740
looking at it and I was saying what is

258
00:11:51,300 --> 00:11:49,810
this would you know and just counting

259
00:11:53,010 --> 00:11:51,310
things in my head like this is not a

260
00:11:55,380 --> 00:11:53,020
plane this doesn't have flashing lights

261
00:11:59,580 --> 00:11:55,390
I'm not hearing sounds like what what is

262
00:12:04,050 --> 00:11:59,590
this giant glowing red sort of octagon a

263
00:12:06,960 --> 00:12:04,060

shape thing and my brother-in-law said

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00:12:11,010 --> 00:12:06,970

to me he was the first one who said I

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00:12:12,630 --> 00:12:11,020

think that's a UFO and and it just like

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00:12:14,730 --> 00:12:12,640

it kind of we both clicked and we were

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00:12:16,860 --> 00:12:14,740

like kind of freaking out and holding

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00:12:21,000 --> 00:12:16,870

each other and there's a goose goose

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00:12:23,160 --> 00:12:21,010

question and and all that and I turned

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00:12:26,040 --> 00:12:23,170

around to him and for whatever reason

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00:12:31,040 --> 00:12:26,050

and I don't really 100% know why to this

272

00:12:34,400 --> 00:12:31,050

day I said they know we can see them and

273

00:12:37,740 --> 00:12:34,410

at that point it's sort of almost

274

00:12:41,520 --> 00:12:37,750

imploded in on itself into a smaller red

275

00:12:44,940 --> 00:12:41,530

ball of light that was pulsating and it

276

00:12:48,510 --> 00:12:44,950

shot straight up into the sky and we

277

00:12:52,080 --> 00:12:48,520

were floored and I didn't sleep that

278

00:12:55,140 --> 00:12:52,090

night we sat we sat up and we just kept

279

00:12:57,720 --> 00:12:55,150

talking it out he's like what was this I

280

00:12:59,550 --> 00:12:57,730

remember looking at but at the street

281

00:13:00,300 --> 00:12:59,560

there was a single car driving Bucks it

282

00:13:03,180 --> 00:13:00,310

was very late at night

283

00:13:05,820 --> 00:13:03,190

and I think I was thinking maybe this

284

00:13:10,920 --> 00:13:05,830

guy thought - I was looking in the

285

00:13:14,760 --> 00:13:10,930

papers I didn't know who to call but I

286

00:13:19,170 --> 00:13:14,770

called my dad and my dad was a scientist

287

00:13:21,000 --> 00:13:19,180

and he was in a pilot and I called him

288

00:13:23,850 --> 00:13:21,010

up and I told him what happened and I

289

00:13:25,950 --> 00:13:23,860

said I saw this UFO and thankfully I had

290

00:13:28,410 --> 00:13:25,960

him in my life because he said to me if

291

00:13:31,410 --> 00:13:28,420

you say you saw UFO then that's what you

292

00:13:33,570 --> 00:13:31,420

saw so there was no ridicule there and

293

00:13:35,880 --> 00:13:33,580

then he told me about his own UFO

294

00:13:39,150 --> 00:13:35,890

experience from the 1950s which I hadn't

295

00:13:42,080 --> 00:13:39,160

known up until that point oh wow yeah

296

00:13:44,640 --> 00:13:42,090

you're essentially your initial

297

00:13:46,319 --> 00:13:44,650

experience opened up the floodgates as

298

00:13:49,979 --> 00:13:46,329

it were to uh

299

00:13:52,439 --> 00:13:49,989

experiences that's amazing yes yes and

300

00:13:56,970 --> 00:13:52,449

it's it it was it wasn't really amazing

301
00:13:58,679 --> 00:13:56,980
and but I didn't know I wanted to find

302
00:14:00,269 --> 00:13:58,689
out more information I didn't know who

303
00:14:02,850 --> 00:14:00,279
to contact and I really didn't know

304
00:14:04,439 --> 00:14:02,860
anything about the topic per se so I

305
00:14:08,639 --> 00:14:04,449
went to the library

306
00:14:10,769 --> 00:14:08,649
this is pre-internet days and and and I

307
00:14:14,699 --> 00:14:10,779
took up some books and they were from

308
00:14:17,009 --> 00:14:14,709
dr. Hynek and and I thought okay here's

309
00:14:18,720 --> 00:14:17,019
a scientist and you know he sounds

310
00:14:21,509 --> 00:14:18,730
reasonable there was a little contact

311
00:14:24,689 --> 00:14:21,519
information at the back so I wrote a

312
00:14:26,579 --> 00:14:24,699
letter to dr. Hynek at this time I I had

313
00:14:31,799 --> 00:14:26,589

no idea he had already passed away

314

00:14:35,220 --> 00:14:31,809

and unfortunately the letter was

315

00:14:37,410 --> 00:14:35,230

returned to me you know it came back

316

00:14:39,900 --> 00:14:37,420

undeliverable so the address had been

317

00:14:42,660 --> 00:14:39,910

incorrect at that plant - q fo mhm and

318

00:14:44,160 --> 00:14:42,670

so I kept the letter and then I kind of

319

00:14:46,470 --> 00:14:44,170

at the time I had small children so I

320

00:14:48,809 --> 00:14:46,480

just kind of put it away and I just kept

321

00:14:50,669 --> 00:14:48,819

it so that I had the initial all that

322

00:14:52,889 --> 00:14:50,679

stuff cuz I would I wrote in all the

323

00:14:55,729 --> 00:14:52,899

details and it wasn't until several

324

00:14:59,429 --> 00:14:55,739

years later that I got involved with

325

00:15:02,100 --> 00:14:59,439

MUFON not as an investigator with them

326

00:15:04,439 --> 00:15:02,110

but just involved like with speaking

327

00:15:07,739 --> 00:15:04,449

with investigators from MUFON and they

328

00:15:09,749 --> 00:15:07,749

actually did an investigation and found

329

00:15:11,879 --> 00:15:09,759

out that there were many many other

330

00:15:14,519 --> 00:15:11,889

sightings involving the Pickering

331

00:15:16,799 --> 00:15:14,529

nuclear station quiet

332

00:15:18,869 --> 00:15:16,809

yeah and this with a few years later

333

00:15:20,789 --> 00:15:18,879

this was at the very beginning Susan

334

00:15:24,419 --> 00:15:20,799

those in the internet bulletin board

335

00:15:26,039 --> 00:15:24,429

days so it was all UFOs and sci-fi and

336

00:15:28,559 --> 00:15:26,049

stephanie old days of the internet so

337

00:15:32,039 --> 00:15:28,569

yeah I remember that yeah so was it hard

338

00:15:34,289 --> 00:15:32,049

to find someone to talk to and so they

339

00:15:37,499 --> 00:15:34,299

say did the investigation and that kind

340

00:15:40,409 --> 00:15:37,509

of what my appetite more or less to

341

00:15:43,369 --> 00:15:40,419

start looking into things and might a

342

00:15:45,689 --> 00:15:43,379

girlfriend of mine was at the time

343

00:15:47,729 --> 00:15:45,699

really interested in these spook lights

344

00:15:49,859 --> 00:15:47,739

that were in Ontario near the

345

00:15:52,889 --> 00:15:49,869

Peterborough area of Ontario and we just

346

00:15:54,779 --> 00:15:52,899

started investigating them and I was

347

00:15:58,199 --> 00:15:54,789

talking to different peoples Ted

348

00:16:00,090 --> 00:15:58,209

Phillips the famous you know right hand

349

00:16:01,740 --> 00:16:00,100

there of dr. Hynek he was very

350

00:16:05,370 --> 00:16:01,750

helpful to me and this is back in the

351

00:16:08,460 --> 00:16:05,380

90s and it just sort of it started

352

00:16:12,300 --> 00:16:08,470

snowballing from there until I've at

353

00:16:14,579 --> 00:16:12,310

this point now so quite a large portion

354

00:16:16,949 --> 00:16:14,589

of my life now has been dedicated to

355

00:16:19,860 --> 00:16:16,959

UFOs but that was the first experience

356

00:16:23,730 --> 00:16:19,870

and that was really what I would say my

357

00:16:27,420 --> 00:16:23,740

initiation into the topic of UFOs

358

00:16:30,240 --> 00:16:27,430

Wow it's I got chills a little bit only

359

00:16:33,360 --> 00:16:30,250

because a the nuclear facility sightings

360

00:16:36,030 --> 00:16:33,370

always give me chills yeah but be how

361

00:16:38,249 --> 00:16:36,040

much your initial experience sort of

362

00:16:40,710 --> 00:16:38,259

mirrors my path as well

363

00:16:43,319 --> 00:16:40,720

Ansari I love to hear more yeah

364

00:16:47,840 --> 00:16:43,329

definitely I have triangular sighting at

365

00:16:52,439 --> 00:16:47,850

the age of 12 this was also off of

366

00:16:54,449 --> 00:16:52,449

basically Lake Ontario in upstate New

367

00:16:57,180 --> 00:16:54,459

York this is in the st. Lawrence River

368

00:16:59,790 --> 00:16:57,190

area of the Thousand Islands

369

00:17:04,860 --> 00:16:59,800

I saw a triangular formation this is

370

00:17:07,620 --> 00:17:04,870

back in 1995 and very similar you know I

371

00:17:11,010 --> 00:17:07,630

I didn't see any sort of blinking lights

372

00:17:13,380 --> 00:17:11,020

it was very stationary over my head

373

00:17:16,890 --> 00:17:13,390

it was coasting over the water towards

374

00:17:19,470 --> 00:17:16,900

your neck of the woods heading north to

375

00:17:21,929 --> 00:17:19,480

Canada I screamed for my father to come

376

00:17:23,279 --> 00:17:21,939

out he sees the tail end of it says it's

377

00:17:25,409 --> 00:17:23,289

a plane

378

00:17:27,899 --> 00:17:25,419

but I knew differently you know at that

379

00:17:31,230 --> 00:17:27,909

point I it was directly over my head

380

00:17:34,680 --> 00:17:31,240

when I first saw it making no noise and

381

00:17:36,480 --> 00:17:34,690

after that season I did the same thing I

382

00:17:39,720 --> 00:17:36,490

went to the library I started taking out

383

00:17:42,750 --> 00:17:39,730

books because what else do you do at you

384

00:17:45,480 --> 00:17:42,760

know where exactly I was 12 years old I

385

00:17:48,360 --> 00:17:45,490

didn't know about MUFON cue foes any of

386

00:17:50,789 --> 00:17:48,370

this stuff I wanted to report it to the

387

00:17:53,310 --> 00:17:50,799

police but my dad said no he didn't want

388

00:17:56,610 --> 00:17:53,320

you didn't want to get involved I can't

389

00:17:59,549 --> 00:17:56,620

blame him but yeah it seems like we've

390

00:18:02,760 --> 00:17:59,559

had very similar paths from that initial

391

00:18:04,500 --> 00:18:02,770

experience into what we do today and

392

00:18:07,710 --> 00:18:04,510

that's researching and investigating

393

00:18:10,169 --> 00:18:07,720

these things now I know you said you

394

00:18:13,289 --> 00:18:10,179

were not a official MUFON investigator

395

00:18:15,690 --> 00:18:13,299

but you did personally research a very

396

00:18:19,200 --> 00:18:15,700

compelling case out of the Cape Croker

397

00:18:20,850 --> 00:18:19,210

Ontario and I know the witnesses would

398

00:18:23,580 --> 00:18:20,860

like to remain confidential but could

399

00:18:26,759 --> 00:18:23,590

you would you mind giving us a little

400

00:18:29,789 --> 00:18:26,769

taste of what this case was that you

401
00:18:32,159 --> 00:18:29,799
investigated having to do with in the

402
00:18:35,039 --> 00:18:32,169
idea of high strangeness and we'll talk

403
00:18:36,690 --> 00:18:35,049
more about that after but I would love

404
00:18:40,049 --> 00:18:36,700
to hear more about this case if you

405
00:18:42,659 --> 00:18:40,059
wouldn't mind sharing oh absolutely but

406
00:18:45,180 --> 00:18:42,669
just just very quickly before we get

407
00:18:46,440 --> 00:18:45,190
into that I just got it because of your

408
00:18:48,629 --> 00:18:46,450
own experience I'm going to relate

409
00:18:52,799 --> 00:18:48,639
something to you so get get prepared to

410
00:18:56,639 --> 00:18:52,809
be chilled again okay so I had started

411
00:18:58,799 --> 00:18:56,649
investigating and and and not really I

412
00:19:01,979 --> 00:18:58,809
affiliated with any group I more or less

413
00:19:04,859 --> 00:19:01,989

started my own little kind of group of

414

00:19:06,930 --> 00:19:04,869

people that were loosely doing their own

415

00:19:08,820 --> 00:19:06,940

thing and we were researching together

416

00:19:12,960 --> 00:19:08,830

these spook lights but over time I

417

00:19:14,909 --> 00:19:12,970

started getting more involved and and to

418

00:19:17,129 --> 00:19:14,919

be honest disheartened with some of what

419

00:19:19,950 --> 00:19:17,139

was going on in your greater ufology all

420

00:19:24,060 --> 00:19:19,960

the egos and everybody knows is expert

421

00:19:26,249 --> 00:19:24,070

so I became quite disheartened and I

422

00:19:30,269 --> 00:19:26,259

ended up joining a skeptical

423

00:19:32,220 --> 00:19:30,279

organization which is skeptics Canada I

424

00:19:37,739 --> 00:19:32,230

was trying to being driven to that point

425

00:19:39,359 --> 00:19:37,749

until a fateful day in 2001 where I was

426

00:19:42,509 --> 00:19:39,369

not investigating anything I was out

427

00:19:43,979 --> 00:19:42,519

with a friend I didn't have a camera and

428

00:19:46,830 --> 00:19:43,989

I didn't even have a cell phone at that

429

00:19:50,729 --> 00:19:46,840

point since 2001 and we were walking

430

00:19:55,169 --> 00:19:50,739

along this pathway in Ajax Ontario along

431

00:19:56,659 --> 00:19:55,179

the lake and I don't know if you can

432

00:20:00,269 --> 00:19:56,669

gather what's coming next

433

00:20:04,379 --> 00:20:00,279

there was a UFO experience and it

434

00:20:09,930 --> 00:20:04,389

involved a diamond-shaped craft at very

435

00:20:11,609 --> 00:20:09,940

close range and seeing that it just

436

00:20:13,859 --> 00:20:11,619

totally radically changed my mind and

437

00:20:16,169 --> 00:20:13,869

again I couldn't be skipper anymore mmm

438

00:20:18,450 --> 00:20:16,179

I even though these people were great

439

00:20:21,269 --> 00:20:18,460

and I learned a lot from them and in

440

00:20:23,039 --> 00:20:21,279

other ways you know how to find frauds

441

00:20:26,549 --> 00:20:23,049

and sleight of hand and this kind of

442

00:20:27,120 --> 00:20:26,559

thing I just I could not be a skeptic

443

00:20:29,160 --> 00:20:27,130

anymore

444

00:20:30,660 --> 00:20:29,170

or so again another initiation another

445

00:20:34,170 --> 00:20:30,670

guide path but when you were talking

446

00:20:37,200 --> 00:20:34,180

about your triangle yes that that just

447

00:20:40,590 --> 00:20:37,210

brought that right back to me and this

448

00:20:43,020 --> 00:20:40,600

was it looked like a spaceship it was

449

00:20:45,960 --> 00:20:43,030

very close range

450

00:20:49,710 --> 00:20:45,970

I was quite as a much older at that

451
00:20:50,820 --> 00:20:49,720
point closer to my earlier 30s and it

452
00:20:52,950 --> 00:20:50,830
was just it blew me away

453
00:20:55,230 --> 00:20:52,960
and that at that point I couldn't go

454
00:20:58,080 --> 00:20:55,240
that sceptical path I knew that there is

455
00:21:02,400 --> 00:20:58,090
something out there that we just don't

456
00:21:05,190 --> 00:21:02,410
understand it's not of our known reality

457
00:21:06,960 --> 00:21:05,200
right Wow yeah I mean and no one can

458
00:21:09,330 --> 00:21:06,970
blame you for taking the skeptical route

459
00:21:12,150 --> 00:21:09,340
I think first of all skepticism is

460
00:21:13,740 --> 00:21:12,160
essential in what we do we have to

461
00:21:16,890 --> 00:21:13,750
remain grounded we have to rule out

462
00:21:19,230 --> 00:21:16,900
every possibility and the you know the

463
00:21:22,020 --> 00:21:19,240

job of a UFO researcher is to try to

464

00:21:23,940 --> 00:21:22,030

find a prosaic answer that's what we

465

00:21:26,340 --> 00:21:23,950

want when there's nothing left then

466

00:21:26,970 --> 00:21:26,350

that's when we truly have an unknown so

467

00:21:28,800 --> 00:21:26,980

Wow

468

00:21:32,280 --> 00:21:28,810

you went for a believer - skeptic to

469

00:21:34,920 --> 00:21:32,290

believer again I love it exactly so so

470

00:21:37,590 --> 00:21:34,930

now back to Cape Croker which is um it

471

00:21:42,590 --> 00:21:37,600

is a native an Aboriginal Reservation

472

00:21:45,420 --> 00:21:42,600

it's about two hours north of Toronto

473

00:21:46,620 --> 00:21:45,430

that's in an area and near Wiarton I

474

00:21:48,750 --> 00:21:46,630

don't know if you're familiar with our

475

00:21:51,960 --> 00:21:48,760

groundhog Wiarton Willie it's up near

476

00:21:55,290 --> 00:21:51,970

that area of the province up in near

477

00:22:00,510 --> 00:21:55,300

Lake Huron and they had contacted me

478

00:22:03,750 --> 00:22:00,520

they had had family visiting and some of

479

00:22:05,970 --> 00:22:03,760

the family and they were outside they

480

00:22:09,030 --> 00:22:05,980

were having this bonfire this was during

481

00:22:11,820 --> 00:22:09,040

a celebration a festival powwow over a

482

00:22:14,970 --> 00:22:11,830

weekend for that and so they're some of

483

00:22:16,920 --> 00:22:14,980

the family members were out and one of

484

00:22:21,330 --> 00:22:16,930

them saw this very strange light

485

00:22:23,070 --> 00:22:21,340

descending from the sky and then the

486

00:22:27,090 --> 00:22:23,080

other family members that were sitting

487

00:22:29,520 --> 00:22:27,100

around the bonfire also were drawn up to

488

00:22:33,380 --> 00:22:29,530

look and what I mean by drawn up is they

489

00:22:36,480 --> 00:22:33,390

all heard a voice in their head

490

00:22:38,850 --> 00:22:36,490

simultaneously calling out to them to

491

00:22:41,070 --> 00:22:38,860

look to look at these lights and the

492

00:22:44,550 --> 00:22:41,080

lights descended down

493

00:22:48,780 --> 00:22:44,560

and they just they had this just

494

00:22:50,340 --> 00:22:48,790

miraculous sort of UFO experience but it

495

00:22:53,000 --> 00:22:50,350

was almost as if they had had a

496

00:22:56,610 --> 00:22:53,010

telepathy between themselves

497

00:22:59,550 --> 00:22:56,620

simultaneously with whatever the light

498

00:23:01,710 --> 00:22:59,560

was that they were experiencing that

499

00:23:04,380 --> 00:23:01,720

came down and sort of joins them in

500

00:23:09,420 --> 00:23:04,390

their in their celebratory sort of

501
00:23:12,440 --> 00:23:09,430
bonfire so to me these are the types of

502
00:23:15,060 --> 00:23:12,450
cases that I am truly interested in and

503
00:23:16,590 --> 00:23:15,070
when I was able to talk to the witnesses

504
00:23:20,070 --> 00:23:16,600
I was able to find out some more

505
00:23:24,120 --> 00:23:20,080
personal details about them that was

506
00:23:27,600 --> 00:23:24,130
suggested to me that this UFO was

507
00:23:29,910 --> 00:23:27,610
probably very symbolic and unique to

508
00:23:32,790 --> 00:23:29,920
their family and reservation

509
00:23:34,620 --> 00:23:32,800
circumstances at the time and I wish I

510
00:23:37,430 --> 00:23:34,630
could give you more details on that but

511
00:23:39,480 --> 00:23:37,440
in this case I have given them

512
00:23:42,120 --> 00:23:39,490
confidentiality so I can't really delve

513
00:23:47,760 --> 00:23:42,130

too much into their personal details

514

00:23:53,640 --> 00:23:47,770

yeah but but it's almost is this and

515

00:23:56,670 --> 00:23:53,650

this is very Jungian that the UFO was

516

00:24:00,900 --> 00:23:56,680

symbolic to their circumstances it had a

517

00:24:04,320 --> 00:24:00,910

very synchronistic sort of meaning to

518

00:24:06,780 --> 00:24:04,330

them which I found very interesting and

519

00:24:09,360 --> 00:24:06,790

when I'm I'm sorry to drink when you say

520

00:24:13,020 --> 00:24:09,370

jung-in we're referring to Carl Jung

521

00:24:15,330 --> 00:24:13,030

correct the yes yes and other of that

522

00:24:19,050 --> 00:24:15,340

yes the father depth psychology yeah

523

00:24:21,780 --> 00:24:19,060

okay and in so what you're sort of

524

00:24:26,970 --> 00:24:21,790

saying is that whatever they were seeing

525

00:24:31,590 --> 00:24:26,980

uh was a parapsychological in a sense

526

00:24:34,140 --> 00:24:31,600

but also related to their almost their

527

00:24:36,780 --> 00:24:34,150

social anxiety at the time of what they

528

00:24:39,150 --> 00:24:36,790

were dealing with it was related to

529

00:24:41,880 --> 00:24:39,160

their personal circumstances I believe

530

00:24:44,850 --> 00:24:41,890

so yes there was a symbolism there much

531

00:24:48,510 --> 00:24:44,860

like I didn't realize it at the time but

532

00:24:51,630 --> 00:24:48,520

that first UFO that I saw was a girl

533

00:24:54,720 --> 00:24:51,640

glowing red pulsating shaped like a stop

534

00:24:56,820 --> 00:24:54,730

sign it was octagon but it didn't really

535

00:24:58,409 --> 00:24:56,830

click into my head at the time so what I

536

00:25:01,350 --> 00:24:58,419

was seeing was almost like this giant

537

00:25:03,299 --> 00:25:01,360

stop sign in the sky and then later on

538

00:25:05,220 --> 00:25:03,309

when I started thinking along these

539

00:25:07,919 --> 00:25:05,230

terms I was able to kind of relate but

540

00:25:11,010 --> 00:25:07,929

there was some symbolism there perhaps

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00:25:13,650 --> 00:25:11,020

for me personally nursing so I you know

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00:25:16,200 --> 00:25:13,660

almost what we're perceiving the shape

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00:25:19,289 --> 00:25:16,210

of it the size of it the luminosity of

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00:25:23,070 --> 00:25:19,299

it could be directly correlated to our

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00:25:24,720 --> 00:25:23,080

own perception of what we either want it

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00:25:26,340 --> 00:25:24,730

to be or something we might be dealing

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00:25:29,820 --> 00:25:26,350

with in our own lives

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00:25:34,039 --> 00:25:29,830

oh god this is yeah we will guys like

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00:25:37,710 --> 00:25:34,049

this more for sure yeah yeah absolutely

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00:25:41,580 --> 00:25:37,720

so so that that was the Cape croaker

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00:25:43,380 --> 00:25:41,590

case and of course for me I always try

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00:25:45,780 --> 00:25:43,390

to leave people feeling a little bit

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00:25:49,320 --> 00:25:45,790

better than when they contact me because

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00:25:52,260 --> 00:25:49,330

these are very emotional experiences for

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00:25:54,360 --> 00:25:52,270

people so it's not up with everybody but

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00:25:56,250 --> 00:25:54,370

for some of them it's really it's

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00:26:00,000 --> 00:25:56,260

life-altering it's and it's very

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00:26:03,390 --> 00:26:00,010

spiritual in some senses so I just I

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00:26:06,330 --> 00:26:03,400

tried to impart on them that they're not

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00:26:09,539 --> 00:26:06,340

alone that although I can't give them an

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00:26:11,520 --> 00:26:09,549

answer to exactly what they saw other

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00:26:14,789 --> 00:26:11,530

other people have these experiences all

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00:26:19,020 --> 00:26:14,799

the time yeah you know and I don't care

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00:26:20,909 --> 00:26:19,030

how weird they think it might sound I

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00:26:23,070 --> 00:26:20,919

want to hear it all I want all the

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00:26:26,850 --> 00:26:23,080

details tell me tell me everything

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00:26:29,190 --> 00:26:26,860

because that's where with the high

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00:26:32,039 --> 00:26:29,200

strangeness especially we may start

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00:26:35,490 --> 00:26:32,049

seeing patterns or get little insights

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00:26:37,320 --> 00:26:35,500

or clues that that may help us if not

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00:26:39,060 --> 00:26:37,330

resolved this certainly ask better

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00:26:41,520 --> 00:26:39,070

questions and that's that's kind of

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00:26:45,000 --> 00:26:41,530

where I'm at neither you I'm ugly yeah

574

00:26:47,039 --> 00:26:45,010

better and new questions yeah you know I

575

00:26:48,630 --> 00:26:47,049

find myself doing the same thing it's

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00:26:50,669 --> 00:26:48,640

like alright if you're going to tell me

577

00:26:53,190 --> 00:26:50,679

what happened just on load

578

00:26:55,140 --> 00:26:53,200

give me the raw story give it give me

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00:26:58,409 --> 00:26:55,150

the weirdest [h__h] you got what's doing

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00:27:00,960 --> 00:26:58,419

absolutely yes absolutely let's get real

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00:27:03,960 --> 00:27:00,970

let's get right down with this source

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00:27:05,070 --> 00:27:03,970

yeah oh yeah Susan you use the term high

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00:27:07,230 --> 00:27:05,080

strangeness

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00:27:09,660 --> 00:27:07,240

no for any listeners who might not be

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00:27:13,560 --> 00:27:09,670

familiar with this phrase took me a

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00:27:15,450 --> 00:27:13,570

while to really truly find a good

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00:27:17,400 --> 00:27:15,460

definition of it could you explain to us

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00:27:20,670 --> 00:27:17,410

what you mean by high strangeness in

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00:27:23,970 --> 00:27:20,680

relation to a UFO sighting or encounter

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00:27:27,930 --> 00:27:23,980

where the term may have come from I

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00:27:30,960 --> 00:27:27,940

believe it was initially coined by dr. J

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00:27:34,460 --> 00:27:30,970

Allen Hynek who was the astronomer who

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00:27:36,990 --> 00:27:34,470

was a skeptic initially a scientist and

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00:27:39,660 --> 00:27:37,000

and we worked on Project Blue Book for

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00:27:41,640 --> 00:27:39,670

the US Air Force I believe it was he

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00:27:43,820 --> 00:27:41,650

that first mentioned it because it's in

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00:27:49,740 --> 00:27:43,830

his address to the United Nations in

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00:27:52,410 --> 00:27:49,750

1978 and basically what he meant is that

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00:27:58,169 --> 00:27:52,420

these are the cases I mean UFOs are

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00:28:01,799 --> 00:27:58,179

weird enough as as they stand but these

601
00:28:06,180 --> 00:28:01,809
are cases where we start getting into

602
00:28:08,430 --> 00:28:06,190
the sometimes absurd or very strange

603
00:28:10,590 --> 00:28:08,440
that the pair of psychological aspects

604
00:28:13,320 --> 00:28:10,600
where people feel like as in the the

605
00:28:15,180 --> 00:28:13,330
Cape croaker case where they all were

606
00:28:19,110 --> 00:28:15,190
hearing voices and they felt compelled

607
00:28:20,790 --> 00:28:19,120
at the same time to look at something so

608
00:28:23,520 --> 00:28:20,800
these types of cases where there may be

609
00:28:28,460 --> 00:28:23,530
two Leppa these or even poltergeist

610
00:28:29,730 --> 00:28:28,470
activity and other just strange aspects

611
00:28:32,190 --> 00:28:29,740
humanoids

612
00:28:35,669 --> 00:28:32,200
seeing the occupants or the pilots of

613
00:28:38,610 --> 00:28:35,679

these things that's what he meant in

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00:28:41,130 --> 00:28:38,620

regards to high strangeness so not just

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00:28:43,590 --> 00:28:41,140

I saw light in the sky for maybe 20

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00:28:48,660 --> 00:28:43,600

seconds and then it was gone but things

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00:28:51,900 --> 00:28:48,670

that involve very strange seemingly out

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00:28:53,880 --> 00:28:51,910

of our known reality event that occur

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00:28:57,660 --> 00:28:53,890

along with the UFO gotcha

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00:29:00,810 --> 00:28:57,670

okay um and now in terms of that that

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00:29:03,930 --> 00:29:00,820

high strangeness you do in your essay in

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00:29:06,900 --> 00:29:03,940

this upcoming book you you talk about

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00:29:09,930 --> 00:29:06,910

pop culture and how it plays a pretty

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00:29:12,750 --> 00:29:09,940

big role in terms of UFOs our editor

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00:29:15,690 --> 00:29:12,760

Robby Graham wrote an entire book on

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00:29:17,400 --> 00:29:15,700

this subject the lately yeah how the

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00:29:19,700 --> 00:29:17,410

media how

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00:29:23,490 --> 00:29:19,710

sir Hollywood in particular can have a

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00:29:25,680 --> 00:29:23,500

huge effect on the perception of the UFO

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00:29:27,720 --> 00:29:25,690

phenomenon and this give-and-take

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00:29:29,490 --> 00:29:27,730

give-and-take of what's real what's not

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00:29:31,710 --> 00:29:29,500

what did they take from the UFO

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00:29:35,040 --> 00:29:31,720

phenomenon what do what is the UFO

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00:29:39,620 --> 00:29:35,050

phenomenon take from it and you actually

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00:29:42,420 --> 00:29:39,630

focus on one of the benchmarks for

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00:29:44,660 --> 00:29:42,430

ufology in terms of Hollywood and that

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00:29:47,460 --> 00:29:44,670

was close encounters of the third kind

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00:29:50,700 --> 00:29:47,470

could you tell us a little bit about how

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00:29:54,000 --> 00:29:50,710

this film did use this high strangeness

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00:29:56,010 --> 00:29:54,010

aspect well the one thing about the film

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00:29:59,580 --> 00:29:56,020

that that's really striking is that

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00:30:04,050 --> 00:29:59,590

Spielberg actually did go to UFO experts

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00:30:06,660 --> 00:30:04,060

it was dr. Hynek and I believe dr. Valle

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00:30:08,460 --> 00:30:06,670

also although he plays like there was a

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00:30:10,650 --> 00:30:08,470

character developed around Jacques

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00:30:13,170 --> 00:30:10,660

Vallee I believe he was also a

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00:30:15,720 --> 00:30:13,180

consultant I may be wrong on that but I

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00:30:17,910 --> 00:30:15,730

know that dr. Hynek for sure was a

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00:30:21,380 --> 00:30:17,920

consultant on the film so he had at this

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00:30:24,030 --> 00:30:21,390

point amassed a lot of material on

651
00:30:26,760 --> 00:30:24,040
experiencers and people he was also in

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00:30:30,750 --> 00:30:26,770
the film too correct yes he played a

653
00:30:32,670 --> 00:30:30,760
cameo in the film that way yes when the

654
00:30:35,220 --> 00:30:32,680
mother ship comes down there's there's

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00:30:41,010 --> 00:30:35,230
dr. Hynek which is super cool um

656
00:30:44,520 --> 00:30:41,020
basically uh it really gave it gave

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00:30:49,470 --> 00:30:44,530
audiences a taste of what a lot of these

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00:30:53,460 --> 00:30:49,480
experiencers were describing in that the

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00:30:55,830 --> 00:30:53,470
lead protagonist Roy and Gillian the

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00:30:58,230 --> 00:30:55,840
other because of the mother who child

661
00:30:59,730 --> 00:30:58,240
gets involved with the aliens they start

662
00:31:01,710 --> 00:30:59,740
experiencing all sorts of things

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00:31:04,700 --> 00:31:01,720

synchronicity some meaningful

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00:31:09,630 --> 00:31:04,710

coincidence they started feeling

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00:31:12,600 --> 00:31:09,640

telepathy along with the UFOs so it

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00:31:16,410 --> 00:31:12,610

really presented UFOs is something that

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00:31:19,260 --> 00:31:16,420

may be physical but also psychic so

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00:31:21,000 --> 00:31:19,270

there's a reality of physical reality to

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00:31:25,560 --> 00:31:21,010

it but there's also this psychic reality

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00:31:28,110 --> 00:31:25,570

and as we go through the film this sort

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00:31:30,420 --> 00:31:28,120

of builds with with both characters and

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00:31:31,320 --> 00:31:30,430

they're sort of the ESP and all these

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00:31:33,570 --> 00:31:31,330

other neat things

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00:31:36,480 --> 00:31:33,580

that are going on so it's one of my

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00:31:40,380 --> 00:31:36,490

favorite films anyway despite that it's

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00:31:42,060 --> 00:31:40,390

Pro ETH which I'm not ah lose

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00:31:46,830 --> 00:31:42,070

interesting we'll have to touch on that

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00:31:49,380 --> 00:31:46,840

yeah um I I don't I don't hate the ETH I

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00:31:51,450 --> 00:31:49,390

just I just feel after 70 years it's not

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00:31:54,840 --> 00:31:51,460

really it's got us nowhere

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00:31:57,570 --> 00:31:54,850

um and and I think that the the idea of

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00:31:59,190 --> 00:31:57,580

aliens visiting and like little

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00:32:02,250 --> 00:31:59,200

spaceships is kind of silly at this

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00:32:05,700 --> 00:32:02,260

point but that's my own feeling I could

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00:32:09,000 --> 00:32:05,710

be wrong I I could be wrong but I'm kind

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00:32:10,470 --> 00:32:09,010

of I'm concentrating on other areas

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00:32:14,360 --> 00:32:10,480

right now looking for those better

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00:32:17,550 --> 00:32:14,370

questions but I it was to me the film is

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00:32:21,060 --> 00:32:17,560

still a classic I try to watch it at

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00:32:24,060 --> 00:32:21,070

least once a year it's amazing how well

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00:32:25,710 --> 00:32:24,070

it holds up to be uh I watched it

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00:32:27,450 --> 00:32:25,720

recently and you know some of the

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00:32:28,920 --> 00:32:27,460

special effects you know it is what it

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00:32:31,110 --> 00:32:28,930

is but uh yeah

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00:32:33,480 --> 00:32:31,120

the entire you know narrative of the

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00:32:36,630 --> 00:32:33,490

story and the the research that went

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00:32:39,090 --> 00:32:36,640

into it is fascinating and even at that

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00:32:41,880 --> 00:32:39,100

time that they were thinking about high

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00:32:45,570 --> 00:32:41,890

strangeness or this psychic aspect of a

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00:32:47,340 --> 00:32:45,580

UFO encounter is amazing clearly this

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00:32:49,560 --> 00:32:47,350

aspect of the phenomenon has been going

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00:32:52,620 --> 00:32:49,570

on for a while or Spielberg would not

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00:32:55,560 --> 00:32:52,630

have put this into the film in my

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00:32:58,610 --> 00:32:55,570

opinion so that you know while he does

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00:33:02,100 --> 00:32:58,620

mix the ETH with this psychic aspect I

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00:33:05,790 --> 00:33:02,110

do find it intriguing that you are

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00:33:07,860 --> 00:33:05,800

moving away from the ETH and I know many

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00:33:10,440 --> 00:33:07,870

other people who are doing the same so

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00:33:13,230 --> 00:33:10,450

yeah Wow this the film holds up very

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00:33:16,230 --> 00:33:13,240

well in that term then absolutely and

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00:33:19,470 --> 00:33:16,240

you know it's it's funny because dr.

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00:33:23,340 --> 00:33:19,480

Hynek was the the main consultant for

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00:33:26,460 --> 00:33:23,350

the film and he as well and in later

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00:33:28,830 --> 00:33:26,470

years decided that it was more of a

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00:33:31,410 --> 00:33:28,840

paranormal thing or that there was a

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00:33:33,360 --> 00:33:31,420

strong paranormal component in fact he

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00:33:35,490 --> 00:33:33,370

even sort of mentions that in the UN

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00:33:38,850 --> 00:33:35,500

address as far as high strangeness and

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00:33:41,970 --> 00:33:38,860

the absurdity goes which is why in some

720

00:33:43,770 --> 00:33:41,980

ways skeptics or cites um you know more

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00:33:45,090 --> 00:33:43,780

mainstream scientists kind of shy away

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00:33:47,580 --> 00:33:45,100

because

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00:33:51,990 --> 00:33:47,590

if there is this absurd factor to this

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00:33:54,090 --> 00:33:52,000

but it does it does exist so Hynek was

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00:33:56,370 --> 00:33:54,100

kind of with us so we're we're not

726

00:33:59,159 --> 00:33:56,380

really reinventing the wheel here but

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00:34:00,870 --> 00:33:59,169

there were people already in the 1970s

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00:34:02,520 --> 00:34:00,880

who were kind of on board with the type

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00:34:05,039 --> 00:34:02,530

of thinking that we're seeing in in

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00:34:07,099 --> 00:34:05,049

Robbie's book right and you know it

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00:34:09,810 --> 00:34:07,109

seems like throughout the decade since

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00:34:13,919 --> 00:34:09,820

Project Blue Book was terminated that

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00:34:17,430 --> 00:34:13,929

the and within the subculture of the UFO

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00:34:19,139 --> 00:34:17,440

community the ETH sort of took over and

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00:34:21,389 --> 00:34:19,149

these things that ballet were talking

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00:34:23,220 --> 00:34:21,399

about and Hynek we're talking about they

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00:34:26,040 --> 00:34:23,230

sort of got swept under the rug for a

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00:34:29,220 --> 00:34:26,050

while we had the entire New Age and

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00:34:32,369 --> 00:34:29,230

metaphysical movement happen but there's

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00:34:35,240 --> 00:34:32,379

there's so much more to it I think then

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00:34:37,830 --> 00:34:35,250

either camps are given a credit for

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00:34:41,550 --> 00:34:37,840

whether you're nuts and bolts scientific

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00:34:44,460 --> 00:34:41,560

ufologist or a metaphysical experience

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00:34:48,599 --> 00:34:44,470

or ufologist there is that middle ground

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00:34:50,879 --> 00:34:48,609

that I think is so understated and I

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00:34:52,680 --> 00:34:50,889

think it's it is making a comeback right

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00:34:56,820 --> 00:34:52,690

now and like I said we're not bringing

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00:34:59,550 --> 00:34:56,830

forth new concepts we're only bringing

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00:35:03,240 --> 00:34:59,560

them back into the you know the focus

750

00:35:04,800 --> 00:35:03,250

and trying to build upon them exactly

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00:35:08,099 --> 00:35:04,810

it's fascinating

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00:35:11,160 --> 00:35:08,109

um now you did mention paranormal Susan

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00:35:13,109 --> 00:35:11,170

and I want to touch on something that I

754

00:35:17,040 --> 00:35:13,119

found very interesting you did use the

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00:35:18,840 --> 00:35:17,050

word poltergeist and I know we have so

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00:35:21,330 --> 00:35:18,850

many connotations to this idea of a

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00:35:23,340 --> 00:35:21,340

poltergeist being connected to young

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00:35:27,780 --> 00:35:23,350

women in particular this isn't always

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00:35:30,420 --> 00:35:27,790

the case but you did research a case

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00:35:32,310 --> 00:35:30,430

about a young girl who was 12 years old

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00:35:35,640 --> 00:35:32,320

back in the 1950s

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00:35:38,550 --> 00:35:35,650

would you mind touching on this case in

763

00:35:42,599 --> 00:35:38,560

terms of what this girl experienced with

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00:35:45,450 --> 00:35:42,609

the UFO phenomenon oh absolutely and now

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00:35:48,540 --> 00:35:45,460

what's interesting with her is I was

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00:35:51,120 --> 00:35:48,550

able to do an in-depth interview with

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00:35:55,650 --> 00:35:51,130

her and this was not her first

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00:35:58,440 --> 00:35:55,660

experience she did have an experience at

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00:35:58,890 --> 00:35:58,450

an even younger age I think she's about

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00:36:01,260 --> 00:35:58,900

seven

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00:36:05,420 --> 00:36:01,270

eight years old where she saw what she

772

00:36:09,720 --> 00:36:05,430

perceived as little elves driving cars

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00:36:11,760 --> 00:36:09,730

down the street Wow okay yes and and and

774

00:36:13,980 --> 00:36:11,770

and I thought that immediately when she

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00:36:16,109 --> 00:36:13,990

told me that I jumped immediately to

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00:36:19,200 --> 00:36:16,119

Jacques follows idea of passport in

777

00:36:22,380 --> 00:36:19,210

Magana a social aspect and a folklore

778

00:36:24,690 --> 00:36:22,390

asset but when she was 12 she had an

779

00:36:26,640 --> 00:36:24,700

experience again where she was I was

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00:36:28,769 --> 00:36:26,650

late at night they were living at the

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00:36:30,510 --> 00:36:28,779

time in Port Dalhousie here in Ontario

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00:36:34,859 --> 00:36:30,520

on the south shore overlooking Lake

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00:36:37,620 --> 00:36:34,869

Ontario and they she was compelled to

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00:36:41,640 --> 00:36:37,630

look out the window was late at night

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00:36:44,029 --> 00:36:41,650

she was woken up and and she looks at

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00:36:48,299 --> 00:36:44,039

the window and she sees all these lights

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00:36:50,160 --> 00:36:48,309

over the lake sort of coming in and out

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00:36:53,010 --> 00:36:50,170

of the lake and and and they're just

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00:36:57,150 --> 00:36:53,020

like the sky was filled and she was so

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00:37:00,059 --> 00:36:57,160

overwhelmed by this and she tried to

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00:37:03,450 --> 00:37:00,069

wake up her family but they they just

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00:37:04,740 --> 00:37:03,460

they wouldn't wake up and and that in

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00:37:08,490 --> 00:37:04,750

itself is something else it's very

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00:37:11,180 --> 00:37:08,500

interesting and and she did she told her

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00:37:14,430 --> 00:37:11,190

family all about this the next day and

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00:37:18,839 --> 00:37:14,440

again the following night the same thing

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00:37:21,240 --> 00:37:18,849

happened she gets up and she sees these

798

00:37:24,440 --> 00:37:21,250

lights these balls of light that are all

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00:37:27,569 --> 00:37:24,450

like within this area of the lake and

800

00:37:30,170 --> 00:37:27,579

and of course we know through other work

801
00:37:33,510 --> 00:37:30,180
that you know the lake is a hotbed for

802
00:37:38,670 --> 00:37:33,520
UFOs going going way way back long

803
00:37:40,650 --> 00:37:38,680
before the airports and again she tried

804
00:37:44,400 --> 00:37:40,660
to wake up her family but they just they

805
00:37:46,260 --> 00:37:44,410
would not wake up to view this and this

806
00:37:50,250 --> 00:37:46,270
is this was something very profound for

807
00:37:56,130 --> 00:37:50,260
her at the time and interestingly enough

808
00:37:58,470 --> 00:37:56,140
in 2007 she also saw a triangle UFO much

809
00:38:00,630 --> 00:37:58,480
much later so you can imagine this is

810
00:38:01,200 --> 00:38:00,640
she had these experiences when she was a

811
00:38:03,529 --> 00:38:01,210
child

812
00:38:07,289 --> 00:38:03,539
right and then later is an older adult

813
00:38:11,490 --> 00:38:07,299

with three other witnesses and so this

814

00:38:12,690 --> 00:38:11,500

triangle so again someone who has had

815

00:38:15,900 --> 00:38:12,700

more than one

816

00:38:18,270 --> 00:38:15,910

very strange experience but that was an

817

00:38:20,849 --> 00:38:18,280

interesting case to me and and I thought

818

00:38:24,599 --> 00:38:20,859

you know it's very difficult now because

819

00:38:26,400 --> 00:38:24,609

of course you know we talking 1954 when

820

00:38:28,319 --> 00:38:26,410

this happened but it would have been

821

00:38:30,480 --> 00:38:28,329

interesting at the time to maybe look at

822

00:38:32,910 --> 00:38:30,490

the dynamics of what was going on with

823

00:38:34,980 --> 00:38:32,920

in her own life and in the household and

824

00:38:38,700 --> 00:38:34,990

the family and see if there was anything

825

00:38:41,760 --> 00:38:38,710

maybe symbolic to her in regards to the

826
00:38:44,130 --> 00:38:41,770
UFOs appearing all of a sudden what was

827
00:38:46,710 --> 00:38:44,140
going on in her life was there something

828
00:38:49,109 --> 00:38:46,720
that she couldn't express you know which

829
00:38:51,480 --> 00:38:49,119
is what we parapsychologists think in

830
00:38:54,660 --> 00:38:51,490
regards to the poltergeist is one

831
00:38:57,300 --> 00:38:54,670
working hypothesis that people have

832
00:38:59,010 --> 00:38:57,310
these things going on these anxieties in

833
00:39:02,099 --> 00:38:59,020
their lives and they're not able to

834
00:39:05,700 --> 00:39:02,109
properly express them so they become

835
00:39:06,839 --> 00:39:05,710
expressed in the outer world as PK or a

836
00:39:10,470 --> 00:39:06,849
poltergeist

837
00:39:12,660 --> 00:39:10,480
so knocking on the on the walls and

838
00:39:16,380 --> 00:39:12,670

others strange kind of crazy stuff like

839

00:39:18,300 --> 00:39:16,390

that which if you look at poltergeist

840

00:39:21,540 --> 00:39:18,310

cases and some of the patterns within

841

00:39:23,940 --> 00:39:21,550

them and patterns within UFOs there are

842

00:39:25,740 --> 00:39:23,950

some similarities and commonalities in

843

00:39:31,740 --> 00:39:25,750

there which I touch upon I believe in

844

00:39:34,050 --> 00:39:31,750

the esta yeah um would you care to maybe

845

00:39:36,870 --> 00:39:34,060

give us one or two of those connections

846

00:39:39,510 --> 00:39:36,880

that you think might connect UFOs with

847

00:39:41,910 --> 00:39:39,520

poltergeists well one of the common

848

00:39:44,220 --> 00:39:41,920

things is the falling leaf pattern that

849

00:39:46,559 --> 00:39:44,230

you see that people describe in UFO

850

00:39:48,990 --> 00:39:46,569

cases where they feel that they see this

851

00:39:52,230 --> 00:39:49,000

craft and it's doing the falling leaf

852

00:39:54,740 --> 00:39:52,240

pattern this has been recorded numbers

853

00:39:57,180 --> 00:39:54,750

of cases but it's also recorded in

854

00:39:59,790 --> 00:39:57,190

poltergeist cases where you might have

855

00:40:03,750 --> 00:39:59,800

an object that again falls like that

856

00:40:05,700 --> 00:40:03,760

falling leaf kind of I'm doing this with

857

00:40:08,490 --> 00:40:05,710

I can gesture here and can't even see

858

00:40:10,980 --> 00:40:08,500

these if you can imagine a leaf gently

859

00:40:13,650 --> 00:40:10,990

falling down to the ground well I mean

860

00:40:16,109 --> 00:40:13,660

that's just one thing that I've noticed

861

00:40:18,150 --> 00:40:16,119

in regards but there are there are other

862

00:40:21,050 --> 00:40:18,160

commonalities and sometimes they

863

00:40:24,599 --> 00:40:21,060

dovetail sometimes people will have a

864

00:40:26,270 --> 00:40:24,609

UFO experience and then they will go on

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00:40:29,690 --> 00:40:26,280

to have poltergeists like it

866

00:40:35,120 --> 00:40:29,700

variances I know and and sometimes it's

867

00:40:39,760 --> 00:40:35,130

in Reverse I did a case in Ontario with

868

00:40:42,380 --> 00:40:39,770

a young couple who were experiencing a

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00:40:46,700 --> 00:40:42,390

poltergeist activity in their home and

870

00:40:48,290 --> 00:40:46,710

then they both had a mass UFO experience

871

00:40:51,200 --> 00:40:48,300

and this time they did call the police

872

00:40:52,820 --> 00:40:51,210

and police were not too happy about that

873

00:40:56,840 --> 00:40:52,830

because you know the UFOs are not

874

00:40:59,120 --> 00:40:56,850

committing crime so you might you might

875

00:41:01,460 --> 00:40:59,130

get a sympathetic person officer who

876

00:41:03,590 --> 00:41:01,470

might you know have had his own UFO

877

00:41:04,910 --> 00:41:03,600

experience or her own UFO experience so

878

00:41:06,530 --> 00:41:04,920

they're thinking relate and they'll be

879

00:41:09,800 --> 00:41:06,540

okay with you but for the vast majority

880

00:41:12,080 --> 00:41:09,810

no I do not suggest calm police it's a

881

00:41:14,480 --> 00:41:12,090

little above their pay grade yeah yeah I

882

00:41:17,840 --> 00:41:14,490

get it yeah yeah yeah exactly I mean you

883

00:41:19,430 --> 00:41:17,850

know but in that case it was almost it

884

00:41:22,600 --> 00:41:19,440

was reversed they were having

885

00:41:25,340 --> 00:41:22,610

apparitions they were having like

886

00:41:27,020 --> 00:41:25,350

classic poltergeist type stuff and there

887

00:41:29,840 --> 00:41:27,030

was a lot of tension in the family at

888

00:41:32,870 --> 00:41:29,850

the time and it just sort of almost

889

00:41:36,920 --> 00:41:32,880

exploded into this this UFO experience

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00:41:39,230 --> 00:41:36,930

Wow I am I spoke to a woman in Michigan

891

00:41:42,670 --> 00:41:39,240

here in the United States who had a very

892

00:41:46,280 --> 00:41:42,680

similar experience a triangular sighting

893

00:41:49,460 --> 00:41:46,290

this is back in the early 2000s with her

894

00:41:51,440 --> 00:41:49,470

daughter and a they had completely

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00:41:54,110 --> 00:41:51,450

different perceptions the mother felt

896

00:41:55,940 --> 00:41:54,120

calm and collected didn't hear anything

897

00:41:58,820 --> 00:41:55,950

when she looked up at this while the

898

00:42:02,420 --> 00:41:58,830

daughter was absolutely terrified felt

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00:42:05,540 --> 00:42:02,430

threatened and heard an unbearably loud

900

00:42:09,650 --> 00:42:05,550

noise as the triangle was over their

901
00:42:11,710 --> 00:42:09,660
home and then all this crazy [h__h]

902
00:42:15,350 --> 00:42:11,720
started to happen in their home

903
00:42:18,560 --> 00:42:15,360
poltergeist activity their lights and

904
00:42:20,780 --> 00:42:18,570
their cable would go out all the time

905
00:42:23,840 --> 00:42:20,790
an electrician came to check out what

906
00:42:26,780 --> 00:42:23,850
was going on couldn't explain it had his

907
00:42:29,600 --> 00:42:26,790
own UFO sighting over the home while he

908
00:42:32,390 --> 00:42:29,610
was there Wow and said he would never

909
00:42:35,810 --> 00:42:32,400
come back it absolutely terrified him he

910
00:42:37,670 --> 00:42:35,820
said I'm sorry and this guy had been you

911
00:42:40,240 --> 00:42:37,680
know sort of the the neighborhood

912
00:42:42,880 --> 00:42:40,250
electrician for so long

913
00:42:47,170 --> 00:42:42,890

he said I'm sorry I just can't I can't

914

00:42:51,250 --> 00:42:47,180

do this anymore so this all culminated

915

00:42:52,810 --> 00:42:51,260

into the young daughter the mother and

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00:42:55,360 --> 00:42:52,820

another daughter who claimed to have

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00:42:58,450 --> 00:42:55,370

seen shadow people in the home

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00:43:01,990 --> 00:42:58,460

even a small being that would visit her

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00:43:04,690 --> 00:43:02,000

in the night this completely destroyed

920

00:43:07,360 --> 00:43:04,700

the family dynamic they all became very

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00:43:09,700 --> 00:43:07,370

introverted they all were having

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00:43:12,790 --> 00:43:09,710

different experiences after this initial

923

00:43:16,600 --> 00:43:12,800

sighting and for them they found prayer

924

00:43:19,360 --> 00:43:16,610

they prayed for whatever was going on to

925

00:43:22,060 --> 00:43:19,370

go away and for the daughters it did for

926
00:43:23,980 --> 00:43:22,070
the mother and still remains but it

927
00:43:25,830 --> 00:43:23,990
brings me it harkens me back to that

928
00:43:29,500 --> 00:43:25,840
whole idea that this high strangeness

929
00:43:31,720 --> 00:43:29,510
was a huge aspect and we're not just

930
00:43:33,430 --> 00:43:31,730
talking about little green men you know

931
00:43:35,890 --> 00:43:33,440
coming down zipping around and being

932
00:43:38,920 --> 00:43:35,900
like hey guys were here by this is

933
00:43:41,710 --> 00:43:38,930
having huge implications on the humans

934
00:43:45,700 --> 00:43:41,720
back here on the ground so oh absolutely

935
00:43:47,950 --> 00:43:45,710
and that's the thing too is that and I

936
00:43:51,610 --> 00:43:47,960
have I've spoken to more than one

937
00:43:53,650 --> 00:43:51,620
astronomer or astrophysicist and and the

938
00:43:55,510 --> 00:43:53,660

fact of the matter is is that yes we

939

00:43:56,740 --> 00:43:55,520

have set eye and said eye is completely

940

00:43:58,930 --> 00:43:56,750

different than you apology they're

941

00:44:01,120 --> 00:43:58,940

looking for for life out there in the

942

00:44:04,060 --> 00:44:01,130

cosmos and and I believe there probably

943

00:44:07,120 --> 00:44:04,070

is somewhere but the UFO problem is

944

00:44:10,870 --> 00:44:07,130

terrestrial it always has been it occurs

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00:44:12,550 --> 00:44:10,880

to human beings on this planet we have

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00:44:16,450 --> 00:44:12,560

no proof that it's anywhere else it's

947

00:44:19,060 --> 00:44:16,460

just it's here and and that's why I'm

948

00:44:21,510 --> 00:44:19,070

trying to focus on the one tangible that

949

00:44:25,630 --> 00:44:21,520

we do have and that is the human being

950

00:44:28,450 --> 00:44:25,640

that's experiencing this and I will I

951
00:44:30,940 --> 00:44:28,460
will posit this to you as well if this

952
00:44:33,630 --> 00:44:30,950
were little green men behind these these

953
00:44:37,060 --> 00:44:33,640
experiences why would prayer work

954
00:44:39,930 --> 00:44:37,070
exactly you know why would they would

955
00:44:44,110 --> 00:44:39,940
they even know what prayer is no no so

956
00:44:48,220 --> 00:44:44,120
and that is actually not unusual I have

957
00:44:50,890 --> 00:44:48,230
come across many cases and more in line

958
00:44:53,680 --> 00:44:50,900
with the abductees where some of them

959
00:44:58,210 --> 00:44:53,690
feel that they have invoked

960
00:45:02,950 --> 00:44:58,220
you know Jesus their Christian and it

961
00:45:05,799 --> 00:45:02,960
works so what what is that telling us

962
00:45:09,039 --> 00:45:05,809
about the phenomena but that prayer can

963
00:45:12,609 --> 00:45:09,049

help you know put it away you know right

964

00:45:18,579 --> 00:45:12,619

so that allows me if this was an alien

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00:45:21,130 --> 00:45:18,589

invasion you know on one family prayer

966

00:45:24,309 --> 00:45:21,140

isn't the first shield that I think they

967

00:45:25,930 --> 00:45:24,319

would they they go okay we got to go

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00:45:28,900 --> 00:45:25,940

there they're praying let's get out of

969

00:45:33,700 --> 00:45:28,910

here it just doesn't make sense it's not

970

00:45:36,400 --> 00:45:33,710

logical exactly the idea the UFO problem

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00:45:38,410 --> 00:45:36,410

is terrestrial uh that is a term I'm

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00:45:42,309 --> 00:45:38,420

going to be using for now on so you

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00:45:44,620 --> 00:45:42,319

might want to copyright that in because

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00:45:46,299 --> 00:45:44,630

it's so sharing and share we could share

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00:45:48,249 --> 00:45:46,309

we can all share that's what we have to

976
00:45:50,620 --> 00:45:48,259
do as researchers share your goddamn

977
00:45:52,599 --> 00:45:50,630
information guys come on absolutely

978
00:45:57,180 --> 00:45:52,609
absolutely stop saving it for a rainy

979
00:46:01,200 --> 00:45:57,190
day I love it something else I want to

980
00:46:05,170 --> 00:46:01,210
actually touch on is this idea that if

981
00:46:08,680 --> 00:46:05,180
if these UFO sightings are happening to

982
00:46:09,339 --> 00:46:08,690
an individual you know we have math

983
00:46:11,499 --> 00:46:09,349
sightings

984
00:46:13,990 --> 00:46:11,509
obviously they happen all the time but

985
00:46:17,019 --> 00:46:14,000
there's something to this idea that

986
00:46:20,019 --> 00:46:17,029
whatever is happening uh whatever is in

987
00:46:23,230 --> 00:46:20,029
control of these anomalies in the sky it

988
00:46:27,339 --> 00:46:23,240

almost feels as though they want to only

989

00:46:31,390 --> 00:46:27,349

be seen or only affect one person at a

990

00:46:33,730 --> 00:46:31,400

time we have so many sightings that have

991

00:46:36,549 --> 00:46:33,740

occurred to only one individual no

992

00:46:38,200 --> 00:46:36,559

cooperating witnesses but there seems to

993

00:46:41,759 --> 00:46:38,210

be something to that Susan I don't know

994

00:46:44,259 --> 00:46:41,769

if you agree it seems to be happening

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00:46:47,470 --> 00:46:44,269

individual by individual we're getting

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00:46:50,559 --> 00:46:47,480

these gradual small disclosures as it

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00:46:54,039 --> 00:46:50,569

were and that seems to really tie into

998

00:46:57,819 --> 00:46:54,049

this idea of hitting the psyche one by

999

00:47:01,480 --> 00:46:57,829

one it does and it also kind of

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00:47:04,630 --> 00:47:01,490

dovetails with what we know has been

1001
00:47:06,700 --> 00:47:04,640
documented about ghosts which has been

1002
00:47:07,530 --> 00:47:06,710
documented a little bit more than the

1003
00:47:09,480 --> 00:47:07,540
UFOs

1004
00:47:13,170 --> 00:47:09,490
as far as like the Society for psychical

1005
00:47:16,500 --> 00:47:13,180
research and that where you have you

1006
00:47:18,630 --> 00:47:16,510
could have an apparition that is seen by

1007
00:47:22,200 --> 00:47:18,640
maybe out of a group of five - people

1008
00:47:25,320 --> 00:47:22,210
will see a solid looking person another

1009
00:47:26,910 --> 00:47:25,330
person might see nothing and you know

1010
00:47:29,370 --> 00:47:26,920
now the person might just see a shadow

1011
00:47:31,920 --> 00:47:29,380
or or something else it's just you know

1012
00:47:35,190 --> 00:47:31,930
not not cooperating what the others are

1013
00:47:38,160 --> 00:47:35,200

seeing so you see that as well there and

1014

00:47:42,150 --> 00:47:38,170

also the single witness as opposed to

1015

00:47:45,510 --> 00:47:42,160

multiple witnesses so that is possible

1016

00:47:49,050 --> 00:47:45,520

but we do have also UFO and says you

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00:47:52,310 --> 00:47:49,060

know and one of the things that I've

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00:47:55,920 --> 00:47:52,320

been doing and concentrating on with my

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00:48:01,920 --> 00:47:55,930

collaborator dr. Eric Willett who wrote

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00:48:04,320 --> 00:48:01,930

the book illumination yes yes is how how

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00:48:07,440 --> 00:48:04,330

looking at what is going on in the

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00:48:11,760 --> 00:48:07,450

greater society at the time how that may

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00:48:14,190 --> 00:48:11,770

affect UFOs in a global consciousness on

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00:48:18,740 --> 00:48:14,200

a mass scale such as in we concentrated

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00:48:23,970 --> 00:48:18,750

on the Belgian wave of 1990 and the

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00:48:25,770 --> 00:48:23,980
concurrent Russian wave of 1989 a UFO

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00:48:27,840 --> 00:48:25,780
waves in Europe at that time

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00:48:29,850 --> 00:48:27,850
and what is interesting is you have

1029
00:48:34,980 --> 00:48:29,860
multiple witnesses it was very well

1030
00:48:37,470 --> 00:48:34,990
documented you have the the Belgian Air

1031
00:48:40,320 --> 00:48:37,480
Force cooperating with us colleges it

1032
00:48:43,020 --> 00:48:40,330
was a really neat time but if you start

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00:48:45,930 --> 00:48:43,030
looking at what was going on in Europe

1034
00:48:48,450 --> 00:48:45,940
with the fall of the Berlin Wall with

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00:48:51,870 --> 00:48:48,460
the crumbling of the Soviet Union you

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00:48:54,930 --> 00:48:51,880
can only imagine the anxieties and the

1037
00:48:58,230 --> 00:48:54,940
concerns of all these people at that

1038
00:49:00,900 --> 00:48:58,240

time and you have a UFO wave over NATO

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00:49:03,510 --> 00:49:00,910

headquarters Wow

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00:49:05,460 --> 00:49:03,520

yes so just think about that if you have

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00:49:08,820 --> 00:49:05,470

all these people who it was this a cry

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00:49:12,690 --> 00:49:08,830

for help with this helped me you know

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00:49:15,210 --> 00:49:12,700

mm-hmm pay attention look you know I

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00:49:18,540 --> 00:49:15,220

mean we don't know what I personally

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00:49:21,240 --> 00:49:18,550

believe that the UFOs are symbolic and

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00:49:24,060 --> 00:49:21,250

they can be very personalized but

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00:49:28,020 --> 00:49:24,070

I also feel they can be symbolic and and

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00:49:31,290 --> 00:49:28,030

be meaningful to a greater society say

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00:49:33,690 --> 00:49:31,300

absolutely I think and yeah that that's

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00:49:37,560 --> 00:49:33,700

where the idea of a individual sighting

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00:49:41,760 --> 00:49:37,570

or a mass sighting how far does the

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00:49:44,100 --> 00:49:41,770

impact reach you know you look at the

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00:49:47,160 --> 00:49:44,110

Phoenix lights back in the you know here

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00:49:50,640 --> 00:49:47,170

in America you look at the 1952 wave

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00:49:52,650 --> 00:49:50,650

over Washington yeah clearly during Cold

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00:49:57,510 --> 00:49:52,660

War times yeah

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00:50:00,720 --> 00:49:57,520

very interesting yeah absolutely and and

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00:50:02,460 --> 00:50:00,730

and when you start kind of looking at

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00:50:04,560 --> 00:50:02,470

concentrating away from what the craft

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00:50:07,760 --> 00:50:04,570

right of it because you can have all

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00:50:11,100 --> 00:50:07,770

sorts of different types of crafts and

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00:50:12,870 --> 00:50:11,110

shapes and and all sorts of different I

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00:50:14,640 --> 00:50:12,880

don't know how many I've lost count how

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00:50:18,360 --> 00:50:14,650

many humanoids there could possibly be

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00:50:23,430 --> 00:50:18,370

there significant supposin pilot they're

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00:50:27,570 --> 00:50:23,440

all very individual as well but if you

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00:50:30,180 --> 00:50:27,580

start concentrating on the people then

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00:50:33,660 --> 00:50:30,190

you might start getting more insights

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00:50:34,980 --> 00:50:33,670

and again back to better questions right

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00:50:38,640 --> 00:50:34,990

because this is something that you

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00:50:41,220 --> 00:50:38,650

apologists don't really do they they

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00:50:43,260 --> 00:50:41,230

will take down reports they want to know

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00:50:44,850 --> 00:50:43,270

what time they want to know what it

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00:50:46,560 --> 00:50:44,860

looked like they want to know the

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00:50:48,450 --> 00:50:46,570

weather conditions they're trying to

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00:50:50,580 --> 00:50:48,460
debunk and find there's a place for that

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00:50:53,760 --> 00:50:50,590
but it's really not getting us any

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00:50:57,570 --> 00:50:53,770
closer to what this might be

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00:51:01,770 --> 00:50:57,580
in my opinion we've had 70 years of that

1080
00:51:04,200 --> 00:51:01,780
we need something new a great seems like

1081
00:51:06,750 --> 00:51:04,210
we're preaching to the choir as it were

1082
00:51:07,860 --> 00:51:06,760
between us but I think this this is the

1083
00:51:10,680 --> 00:51:07,870
kind of thing that's going to wake

1084
00:51:15,780 --> 00:51:10,690
people up the idea that we're not just

1085
00:51:19,770 --> 00:51:15,790
dealing with an alien presence from some

1086
00:51:21,840 --> 00:51:19,780
other planet coming to earth to warn us

1087
00:51:24,570 --> 00:51:21,850
of something there's far more complex

1088
00:51:27,750 --> 00:51:24,580

questions to be asked than that it is a

1089

00:51:30,120 --> 00:51:27,760

product of the time when be sci-fi

1090

00:51:33,900 --> 00:51:30,130

movies were coming out it is a product

1091

00:51:34,860 --> 00:51:33,910

of even the Kenneth Arnold the inception

1092

00:51:37,080 --> 00:51:34,870

of the modern UFO

1093

00:51:41,220 --> 00:51:37,090

era the Kenneth Arnold sighting which

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00:51:45,180 --> 00:51:41,230

was misconstrued to begin with with the

1095

00:51:48,090 --> 00:51:45,190

whole flying saucer aspect yes it's

1096

00:51:49,860 --> 00:51:48,100

fascinating it really is I do some of

1097

00:51:52,170 --> 00:51:49,870

them some of them are predictive as well

1098

00:51:54,630 --> 00:51:52,180

like I mean with the the case of the

1099

00:51:56,370 --> 00:51:54,640

Swedish rocket people were seeing these

1100

00:51:58,590 --> 00:51:56,380

Rockets before they were truly being

1101
00:52:01,500 --> 00:51:58,600
invented before they were just but I

1102
00:52:03,870 --> 00:52:01,510
mean only by a few years so it's like

1103
00:52:06,470 --> 00:52:03,880
it's almost as if the phenomena was

1104
00:52:09,090 --> 00:52:06,480
having precognition of what was

1105
00:52:11,550 --> 00:52:09,100
anticipating you know and anticipating

1106
00:52:14,910 --> 00:52:11,560
the space race it's almost like our

1107
00:52:18,270 --> 00:52:14,920
belief is sort of being led or guided

1108
00:52:20,580 --> 00:52:18,280
somehow yeah I think so yeah agreed I

1109
00:52:23,250 --> 00:52:20,590
was asked recently you know do you think

1110
00:52:26,580 --> 00:52:23,260
we'll ever know what UFOs really are and

1111
00:52:28,650 --> 00:52:26,590
I think I bummed out the interviewer and

1112
00:52:31,380 --> 00:52:28,660
I said no I think it's always going to

1113
00:52:33,360 --> 00:52:31,390

be a step ahead of us I don't know if it

1114

00:52:37,440 --> 00:52:33,370

means to do that I just think it's so

1115

00:52:40,620 --> 00:52:37,450

far advanced and or technological and

1116

00:52:44,010 --> 00:52:40,630

that it can do that that it can help

1117

00:52:46,080 --> 00:52:44,020

guide us and maybe that's good maybe

1118

00:52:50,700 --> 00:52:46,090

it'll be good for Humanity eventually I

1119

00:52:52,020 --> 00:52:50,710

I hope so I do yeah not it's like the

1120

00:52:54,780 --> 00:52:52,030

biggest Trojan horse

1121

00:52:57,300 --> 00:52:54,790

I can imagine actually the cosmic the

1122

00:52:59,340 --> 00:52:57,310

cosmic trickster each time sometimes

1123

00:53:01,650 --> 00:52:59,350

people people were you know they were

1124

00:53:04,140 --> 00:53:01,660

late very good experiences and they feel

1125

00:53:06,420 --> 00:53:04,150

that they are better for this and then

1126

00:53:08,430 --> 00:53:06,430

others have had these horrendous

1127

00:53:11,040 --> 00:53:08,440

experiences it's almost as if the

1128

00:53:12,750 --> 00:53:11,050

phenomena itself when stripped away of

1129

00:53:16,350 --> 00:53:12,760

all these descriptors is really

1130

00:53:18,810 --> 00:53:16,360

indifferent to what's going on

1131

00:53:21,330 --> 00:53:18,820

young Carly I'm getting back to him

1132

00:53:25,340 --> 00:53:21,340

quickly he he noted this and he was

1133

00:53:29,310 --> 00:53:25,350

already looking at UFOs in 1947 as well

1134

00:53:31,080 --> 00:53:29,320

but he noted that his in his conclusions

1135

00:53:33,030 --> 00:53:31,090

he felt that they were psychic

1136

00:53:36,360 --> 00:53:33,040

manifestation through a collective

1137

00:53:39,660 --> 00:53:36,370

consciousness and he felt that the UFOs

1138

00:53:42,900 --> 00:53:39,670

back in ancient times were the gods this

1139

00:53:45,240 --> 00:53:42,910

is what people were seeing it wasn't

1140

00:53:48,000 --> 00:53:45,250

that they were mistaking aliens but it

1141

00:53:48,660 --> 00:53:48,010

was appropriate for their time and they

1142

00:53:52,620 --> 00:53:48,670

were seeing

1143

00:53:55,910 --> 00:53:52,630

in the sky and now just prior to the

1144

00:53:58,650 --> 00:53:55,920

space race we're seeing spaceships

1145

00:54:02,430 --> 00:53:58,660

we're being almost guided and driven to

1146

00:54:04,799 --> 00:54:02,440

look beyond this planet right it's yes

1147

00:54:06,930 --> 00:54:04,809

like you know at one time it was these

1148

00:54:09,780 --> 00:54:06,940

were gods now it's these are aliens

1149

00:54:13,530 --> 00:54:09,790

what's next you know what is next and

1150

00:54:15,569 --> 00:54:13,540

whatever that is it always reflects back

1151

00:54:18,450 --> 00:54:15,579

to us as humans whether it's gods or

1152

00:54:20,309 --> 00:54:18,460

aliens and that's where the whole you

1153

00:54:24,720 --> 00:54:20,319

know sociological aspect of this entire

1154

00:54:27,089 --> 00:54:24,730

thing I think resides is it's always a

1155

00:54:29,010 --> 00:54:27,099

reflection of us no matter what we

1156

00:54:33,660 --> 00:54:29,020

believe it to be no matter what it might

1157

00:54:36,089 --> 00:54:33,670

be exactly that's why sometimes prayer

1158

00:54:38,460 --> 00:54:36,099

can work yes you know it can work for

1159

00:54:40,530 --> 00:54:38,470

some people it probably won't work for

1160

00:54:43,280 --> 00:54:40,540

someone who doesn't believe in it yeah

1161

00:54:45,809 --> 00:54:43,290

in prayer but if someone has that faith

1162

00:54:47,700 --> 00:54:45,819

obviously there is various you know

1163

00:54:50,099 --> 00:54:47,710

there's evidence to show that it does

1164

00:54:52,260 --> 00:54:50,109

work for some people and you're so right

1165

00:54:54,870 --> 00:54:52,270

I think it's gonna morph maybe not

1166

00:54:57,420 --> 00:54:54,880

within our lifetime I don't know I kind

1167

00:55:00,990 --> 00:54:57,430

of am excited to see it it's a tough but

1168

00:55:04,160 --> 00:55:01,000

I think that eventually it will be

1169

00:55:07,950 --> 00:55:04,170

morphed into something else

1170

00:55:10,950 --> 00:55:07,960

Gamzee um well there's other one other

1171

00:55:12,599 --> 00:55:10,960

case I wanted to touch on Susan um this

1172

00:55:15,809 --> 00:55:12,609

happened in Woodstock New York which

1173

00:55:18,059 --> 00:55:15,819

we're all familiar with would you try to

1174

00:55:20,579 --> 00:55:18,069

tell us a little bit about Scott Rogo

1175

00:55:25,559 --> 00:55:20,589

and this amazing story about this young

1176
00:55:28,980 --> 00:55:25,569
couple oh yes Scott Rogo he he was one

1177
00:55:31,799 --> 00:55:28,990
of the few pair of psychologists and he

1178
00:55:33,450 --> 00:55:31,809
wrote a book The Haunted universe that

1179
00:55:35,579 --> 00:55:33,460
is now available again I believe to

1180
00:55:38,579 --> 00:55:35,589
anomalous books you can get some of his

1181
00:55:42,750 --> 00:55:38,589
stuff unfortunately he's no longer with

1182
00:55:44,520 --> 00:55:42,760
us a very tragic case with Scott Rogo he

1183
00:55:48,630 --> 00:55:44,530
was he was murdered and it's it's an

1184
00:55:51,030 --> 00:55:48,640
unsolved murder to this day yeah yeah so

1185
00:55:52,980 --> 00:55:51,040
very a lot of high strangeness around

1186
00:55:57,359 --> 00:55:52,990
him as well

1187
00:55:59,839 --> 00:55:57,369
but he he was a parent psychologist that

1188
00:56:02,520 --> 00:55:59,849

really tried to take UFOs seriously and

1189

00:56:04,980 --> 00:56:02,530

and he investigated this

1190

00:56:06,600 --> 00:56:04,990

very strange case in Woodstock and I'll

1191

00:56:09,390 --> 00:56:06,610

just I'll relate a little bit of it to

1192

00:56:11,790 --> 00:56:09,400

you and you can tell me like is this a

1193

00:56:14,790 --> 00:56:11,800

UFO encounter or is it a poltergeist er

1194

00:56:17,520 --> 00:56:14,800

yeah you're at verbatim I love T okay so

1195

00:56:19,890 --> 00:56:17,530

yeah I'm going to tell you they write it

1196

00:56:22,740 --> 00:56:19,900

from my essay here in this in the spring

1197

00:56:25,770 --> 00:56:22,750

of 1966 a young couple who were renting

1198

00:56:29,820 --> 00:56:25,780

a small house in a semi forested area of

1199

00:56:32,730 --> 00:56:29,830

Woodstock in New York noticed the six

1200

00:56:36,690 --> 00:56:32,740

greenish lights that were about six feet

1201
00:56:38,340 --> 00:56:36,700
in diameter and a nearby field now on

1202
00:56:41,580 --> 00:56:38,350
another occasion they saw something

1203
00:56:43,680 --> 00:56:41,590
flying close to their car and move

1204
00:56:46,410 --> 00:56:43,690
towards a wooded area while making like

1205
00:56:48,390 --> 00:56:46,420
this high-pitched sounds like a like a

1206
00:56:51,270 --> 00:56:48,400
vacuum cleaner droning it's how they

1207
00:56:53,190 --> 00:56:51,280
describe it now they heard these sounds

1208
00:56:57,570 --> 00:56:53,200
many times over a period of several

1209
00:56:59,370 --> 00:56:57,580
months then one afternoon the sound

1210
00:57:02,820 --> 00:56:59,380
seemed to stop moving and stayed

1211
00:57:04,770 --> 00:57:02,830
stationary over the house and the woman

1212
00:57:06,660 --> 00:57:04,780
looked at all the electrical equipment

1213
00:57:10,620 --> 00:57:06,670

in the house and she couldn't find a

1214

00:57:13,350 --> 00:57:10,630

source it seems to be located inside the

1215

00:57:16,500 --> 00:57:13,360

houses walls no this is something that

1216

00:57:18,870 --> 00:57:16,510

we see again in poltergeist cases the

1217

00:57:21,480 --> 00:57:18,880

couple verified this from outside of the

1218

00:57:24,990 --> 00:57:21,490

house and they could see anything at all

1219

00:57:27,330 --> 00:57:25,000

strange like within the wall but when

1220

00:57:30,300 --> 00:57:27,340

they looked at the nearby field they saw

1221

00:57:32,430 --> 00:57:30,310

green lights again and a similar like a

1222

00:57:34,790 --> 00:57:32,440

red one that was I guess like a little

1223

00:57:38,280 --> 00:57:34,800

orb was moving away from each other

1224

00:57:40,680 --> 00:57:38,290

until they disappeared so this really

1225

00:57:44,190 --> 00:57:40,690

frightened them it was a frightening

1226
00:57:46,650 --> 00:57:44,200
experience but that was not everything

1227
00:57:48,480 --> 00:57:46,660
that was that was going to happen they

1228
00:57:51,270 --> 00:57:48,490
also heard a man's voice like a

1229
00:57:53,520 --> 00:57:51,280
disembodied voice sounds of someone

1230
00:57:55,860 --> 00:57:53,530
walking around their house that again

1231
00:58:01,290 --> 00:57:55,870
disembodied and they were really

1232
00:58:03,060 --> 00:58:01,300
panicked by this point and and soon

1233
00:58:05,700 --> 00:58:03,070
after they found like this patch of

1234
00:58:07,530 --> 00:58:05,710
grass near their house that was flat and

1235
00:58:10,530 --> 00:58:07,540
sort of scorched something that you

1236
00:58:13,440 --> 00:58:10,540
would find in you know in a UFO landing

1237
00:58:15,660 --> 00:58:13,450
cave and and this went on for an entire

1238
00:58:16,320 --> 00:58:15,670

summer until they just I guess they

1239

00:58:19,200 --> 00:58:16,330

finally had a

1240

00:58:22,320 --> 00:58:19,210

enough of it and and they left they left

1241

00:58:24,140 --> 00:58:22,330

the location but again if you look at

1242

00:58:27,200 --> 00:58:24,150

this these are people that are having

1243

00:58:31,440 --> 00:58:27,210

UFO experiences while at the same time

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00:58:34,320 --> 00:58:31,450

having ghostly experiences so they're

1245

00:58:37,410 --> 00:58:34,330

kind of concurrent and you know there

1246

00:58:39,630 --> 00:58:37,420

can be the argument made that well you

1247

00:58:41,310 --> 00:58:39,640

know correlation is not necessarily

1248

00:58:42,900 --> 00:58:41,320

causation just because they're happening

1249

00:58:45,180 --> 00:58:42,910

concurrently they could be two separate

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00:58:46,760 --> 00:58:45,190

events and there can be that case made

1251

00:58:49,530 --> 00:58:46,770

but you know we have so many

1252

00:58:53,100 --> 00:58:49,540

overwhelming cases like this like the

1253

00:58:54,870 --> 00:58:53,110

one that you described to me that and

1254

00:58:57,720 --> 00:58:54,880

that's just one of who knows how many

1255

00:59:01,590 --> 00:58:57,730

thousands or hundreds of thousands the

1256

00:59:03,990 --> 00:59:01,600

history of UFOs on this planet and you

1257

00:59:06,780 --> 00:59:04,000

know it's starting to get like no you

1258

00:59:11,310 --> 00:59:06,790

can't ignore this stuff it seems to

1259

00:59:14,040 --> 00:59:11,320

coincide an often absolutely and you

1260

00:59:17,310 --> 00:59:14,050

know many researchers within the UFO

1261

00:59:21,630 --> 00:59:17,320

field or the paranormal field or you

1262

00:59:24,780 --> 00:59:21,640

know the parapsychological field we tend

1263

00:59:30,810 --> 00:59:24,790

to edit all the time if it doesn't fit

1264

00:59:33,390 --> 00:59:30,820

our box of UFO or ETH or poltergeist

1265

00:59:36,210 --> 00:59:33,400

we will brush it aside to bring forth

1266

00:59:38,240 --> 00:59:36,220

the you know the preconceived notions we

1267

00:59:41,790 --> 00:59:38,250

might have of what this experience was

1268

00:59:44,910 --> 00:59:41,800

and we're all guilty of it sometimes but

1269

00:59:48,090 --> 00:59:44,920

I think the responsible researchers will

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00:59:50,070 --> 00:59:48,100

like you said write down everything and

1271

00:59:53,340 --> 00:59:50,080

they might be connected or they might

1272

00:59:57,200 --> 00:59:53,350

not who are we to say but I think by

1273

01:00:01,530 --> 00:59:57,210

editing from the start we're already

1274

01:00:04,200 --> 01:00:01,540

doing poor research we're already uh you

1275

01:00:07,440 --> 01:00:04,210

know painting the experience says it

1276

01:00:09,810 --> 01:00:07,450

were all exactly and you see that too

1277

01:00:12,780 --> 01:00:09,820

and in some of the online forums where

1278

01:00:14,520 --> 01:00:12,790

you might have someone come up and post

1279

01:00:17,010 --> 01:00:14,530

some very strange things and then you

1280

01:00:19,650 --> 01:00:17,020

have more of these nuts and bolts you

1281

01:00:21,360 --> 01:00:19,660

know UFO people that are you know

1282

01:00:22,620 --> 01:00:21,370

they're they're pooh-poohing on it or

1283

01:00:25,950 --> 01:00:22,630

saying now are they're making this

1284

01:00:28,650 --> 01:00:25,960

person have to be crazy and you know and

1285

01:00:29,819 --> 01:00:28,660

I understand to a point that some of the

1286

01:00:31,739 --> 01:00:29,829

people involved and you

1287

01:00:33,059 --> 01:00:31,749

apology they want to think they feel

1288

01:00:36,479 --> 01:00:33,069

they need to bring some sort of

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01:00:37,949 --> 01:00:36,489

scientific respectability but this is

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01:00:41,400 --> 01:00:37,959

certainly not the way you're going to go

1291

01:00:44,549 --> 01:00:41,410

about it is by discounting large reams

1292

01:00:47,849 --> 01:00:44,559

of information that just doesn't fit

1293

01:00:49,979 --> 01:00:47,859

into what you feel should be a good UFO

1294

01:00:52,680 --> 01:00:49,989

case it's the same thing with saying you

1295

01:00:54,420 --> 01:00:52,690

know oh you know a person is a pilot or

1296

01:00:56,880 --> 01:00:54,430

they're a better witness well not

1297

01:00:59,849 --> 01:00:56,890

necessarily we all have eyes we all have

1298

01:01:01,680 --> 01:00:59,859

ears no one person is going to be better

1299

01:01:04,559 --> 01:01:01,690

than another person as being an

1300

01:01:06,660 --> 01:01:04,569

experience and I want to certainly hear

1301

01:01:08,400 --> 01:01:06,670

everything and and that's what I tell

1302

01:01:09,809 --> 01:01:08,410

people when I talk to them just tell me

1303

01:01:12,209 --> 01:01:09,819

everything you know

1304

01:01:14,339 --> 01:01:12,219

no judgement here because you know what

1305

01:01:16,229 --> 01:01:14,349

I can't judge I I know that I've had

1306

01:01:17,789 --> 01:01:16,239

very strange experiences so I'm

1307

01:01:21,269 --> 01:01:17,799

certainly not going to judge anyone else

1308

01:01:24,180 --> 01:01:21,279

and I I think we need to bring these

1309

01:01:27,690 --> 01:01:24,190

types of experiences in cases to the

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01:01:33,059 --> 01:01:27,700

fore and so that people understand this

1311

01:01:36,120 --> 01:01:33,069

is a very complex complex issue and it

1312

01:01:37,890 --> 01:01:36,130

can't just be you know like swept under

1313

01:01:40,620 --> 01:01:37,900

the rug certain things because it might

1314

01:01:43,469 --> 01:01:40,630

make others sound a little crazy or you

1315

01:01:45,180 --> 01:01:43,479

know if you know what I'm saying I think

1316

01:01:48,900 --> 01:01:45,190

I think again preaching to the choir

1317

01:01:51,059 --> 01:01:48,910

here um and also being respectful of

1318

01:01:53,549 --> 01:01:51,069

people's feelings and and how we leave

1319

01:01:54,900 --> 01:01:53,559

them because you know these are real

1320

01:01:57,029 --> 01:01:54,910

human beings and what you want to

1321

01:01:58,890 --> 01:01:57,039

believe may have or may not happen if

1322

01:02:02,819 --> 01:01:58,900

you believe that you can debunk

1323

01:02:05,279 --> 01:02:02,829

something this person they've taken this

1324

01:02:08,160 --> 01:02:05,289

in as an actual experience and they're

1325

01:02:11,189 --> 01:02:08,170

experiencing it as they're telling it

1326

01:02:14,969 --> 01:02:11,199

this is this is how they have perceived

1327

01:02:16,469 --> 01:02:14,979

it so it is very real in that sense so

1328

01:02:19,799 --> 01:02:16,479

you have to always be mindful of that I

1329

01:02:22,999 --> 01:02:19,809

think - oh no yeah and you know the

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01:02:27,390 --> 01:02:23,009

beauty of science and philosophy and

1331

01:02:31,920 --> 01:02:27,400

sociology and belief in general is that

1332

01:02:35,279 --> 01:02:31,930

it can always change you know oh there's

1333

01:02:37,859 --> 01:02:35,289

the dogma to religion but other than

1334

01:02:40,019 --> 01:02:37,869

that like these things are constantly

1335

01:02:41,329 --> 01:02:40,029

evolving and changing and being built

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01:02:44,779 --> 01:02:41,339

upon so

1337

01:02:48,799 --> 01:02:44,789

I couldn't agree more absolutely in

1338

01:02:52,249 --> 01:02:48,809

terms of researchers Susan are there any

1339

01:02:53,809 --> 01:02:52,259

individuals who really inspire you or

1340

01:02:56,449 --> 01:02:53,819

anyone you could recommend to our

1341

01:02:58,579 --> 01:02:56,459

listeners to check out in terms of like

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01:03:03,140 --> 01:02:58,589

what you're looking at currently in the

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01:03:08,089 --> 01:03:03,150

UFO study um currently the two current

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01:03:10,429 --> 01:03:08,099

my - I guess main inspiration points are

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01:03:14,150 --> 01:03:10,439

going to be my friend dr. Eric Willett

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01:03:16,069 --> 01:03:14,160

and my colleague who I helped with his

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01:03:17,449 --> 01:03:16,079

first book illuminations I did the

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01:03:21,459 --> 01:03:17,459

editing on it and I did some of the

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01:03:26,719 --> 01:03:21,469

background research some of his ideas on

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01:03:31,370 --> 01:03:26,729

sociology in regards to UFO cases and a

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01:03:32,989 --> 01:03:31,380

large wave a very inspirational to me so

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01:03:35,599 --> 01:03:32,999

I would recommend his book it's called

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01:03:39,370 --> 01:03:35,609

illuminations the UFO experience as a

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01:03:42,439 --> 01:03:39,380

parapsychological event wonderful book

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01:03:45,499 --> 01:03:42,449

making my way through it yeah and let's

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01:03:49,309 --> 01:03:45,509

look for another book soon on the

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01:03:51,289 --> 01:03:49,319

similar topic from Eric and yeah so

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01:03:53,899 --> 01:03:51,299

there's there's more coming from him my

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01:03:57,019 --> 01:03:53,909

second one is not someone that is well

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01:03:58,969 --> 01:03:57,029

known in North America but it's very

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01:04:02,209 --> 01:03:58,979

well known in Europe and that is dr.

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01:04:05,630 --> 01:04:02,219

Massimo Chia Durrani who I also quote

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01:04:08,479 --> 01:04:05,640

and cite in the essay quite a bit and he

1364

01:04:10,939 --> 01:04:08,489

has a book in English it's the first one

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01:04:12,529 --> 01:04:10,949

he has many books in Italian but this is

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01:04:17,539 --> 01:04:12,539

the first English book it's called the

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01:04:20,620 --> 01:04:17,549

hyperspace of consciousness and it it's

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01:04:24,380 --> 01:04:20,630

a bit of a heavy read because this is

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01:04:26,929 --> 01:04:24,390

astrophysics but it does really get into

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01:04:30,289 --> 01:04:26,939

several different hypotheses that

1371

01:04:33,140 --> 01:04:30,299

revolve around the paranormal and UFOs

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01:04:37,189 --> 01:04:33,150

and he does talk about the importance of

1373

01:04:40,370 --> 01:04:37,199

synchronicity he even gets into he did

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01:04:43,699 --> 01:04:40,380

some interesting work with a medium of

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01:04:46,390 --> 01:04:43,709

french medium and he he tries to get a

1376
01:04:49,459 --> 01:04:46,400
bit of a science to spirit communication

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01:04:51,919 --> 01:04:49,469
and and i just i think it's a wonderful

1378
01:04:54,740 --> 01:04:51,929
book it actually he has more than one

1379
01:04:57,320 --> 01:04:54,750
hypothesis in here and the hypothesis

1380
01:05:00,920 --> 01:04:57,330
they compete with each other which is

1381
01:05:04,010 --> 01:05:00,930
like how cool is that and yeah he talks

1382
01:05:08,810 --> 01:05:04,020
about how with some of these like light

1383
01:05:10,339 --> 01:05:08,820
balls that show intelligence that that

1384
01:05:12,170 --> 01:05:10,349
perhaps there is an intelligence behind

1385
01:05:13,910 --> 01:05:12,180
and perhaps perhaps there a life form

1386
01:05:15,650 --> 01:05:13,920
that we just don't even know yet you

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01:05:18,500 --> 01:05:15,660
know and this is coming from a

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01:05:20,540 --> 01:05:18,510

professional scientist so again I would

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01:05:23,599 --> 01:05:20,550

say Massimo Tudor Annie the hyperspace

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01:05:27,620 --> 01:05:23,609

of consciousness anyone who wants a

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01:05:31,280 --> 01:05:27,630

basic idea I would say anything shock

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01:05:34,010 --> 01:05:31,290

ballet you know start backs 1969

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01:05:39,830 --> 01:05:34,020

passports Magana still relevant today

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01:05:43,250 --> 01:05:39,840

today anything from dr. Hynek I also a

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01:05:45,740 --> 01:05:43,260

big subscriber to George Hanson series

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01:05:49,070 --> 01:05:45,750

of the trickster and a paranormal yes

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01:05:50,540 --> 01:05:49,080

and that's it that is another kind of

1398

01:05:52,730 --> 01:05:50,550

difficult read so I would suggest

1399

01:05:55,520 --> 01:05:52,740

picking it up and just as he does

1400

01:05:57,170 --> 01:05:55,530

himself go chapter like just read one

1401

01:05:59,329 --> 01:05:57,180

chapter you can go back and forth in the

1402

01:06:01,520 --> 01:05:59,339

book and just try to soak some of this

1403

01:06:04,609 --> 01:06:01,530

stuff in it's really heady stuff but

1404

01:06:07,310 --> 01:06:04,619

it's very good it gets you thinking I

1405

01:06:10,700 --> 01:06:07,320

would also like to and this is out of

1406

01:06:13,609 --> 01:06:10,710

print just mentioned a Harley Rutledge

1407

01:06:16,400 --> 01:06:13,619

this book project identification which

1408

01:06:19,520 --> 01:06:16,410

is for more perhaps people that want to

1409

01:06:23,510 --> 01:06:19,530

go into the field and study UFOs this is

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01:06:28,730 --> 01:06:23,520

a field study and very well done

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01:06:30,620 --> 01:06:28,740

scientific study of UFOs and it also

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01:06:32,480 --> 01:06:30,630

gets into the high strangeness because

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01:06:35,960 --> 01:06:32,490

the scientists who went out to study

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01:06:38,089 --> 01:06:35,970

objectively these UFOs that were

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01:06:41,870 --> 01:06:38,099

occurring at the time in Piedmont and

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01:06:43,310 --> 01:06:41,880

the United States and Missouri they

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01:06:47,050 --> 01:06:43,320

started having high strangeness

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01:06:49,579 --> 01:06:47,060

experiences with with synchronicity and

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01:06:52,370 --> 01:06:49,589

possible telepathy and that with with

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01:06:55,310 --> 01:06:52,380

these light balls and and to his credit

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01:06:57,380 --> 01:06:55,320

he does not edit that out as a scientist

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01:06:59,120 --> 01:06:57,390

he gave me a full disclosure that you

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01:07:00,890 --> 01:06:59,130

know there's there's an intelligence oh

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01:07:02,900 --> 01:07:00,900

there's seemingly an intelligence or

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01:07:05,390 --> 01:07:02,910

something going on a little bit more

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01:07:08,150 --> 01:07:05,400

than just strange lights that appear in

1427

01:07:11,510 --> 01:07:08,160

a field kind of thing so

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01:07:15,500 --> 01:07:11,520

not yeah the rebel of scientific UFO

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01:07:19,220 --> 01:07:15,510

research love it yes yes so those those

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01:07:21,710 --> 01:07:19,230

are be my recommendations right now for

1431

01:07:25,039 --> 01:07:21,720

anyone that's kind of interested you

1432

01:07:29,690 --> 01:07:25,049

know great Ill just earlier my little

1433

01:07:32,359 --> 01:07:29,700

yeah yeah well what are you working on

1434

01:07:35,690 --> 01:07:32,369

now Susan what can we expect from you in

1435

01:07:37,940 --> 01:07:35,700

the near future I have a couple of

1436

01:07:42,109 --> 01:07:37,950

projects that I'm running right now

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01:07:47,829 --> 01:07:42,119

these are experiments I have been I've

1438

01:07:52,779 --> 01:07:47,839

been been incorporating a magic which

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01:07:55,910 --> 01:07:52,789

the practice of magic with uh with UFO

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01:08:00,890 --> 01:07:55,920

manifestation and trying to I've been

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01:08:08,960 --> 01:08:00,900

using magic sort of in the tool to to

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01:08:12,950 --> 01:08:08,970

sort of invoke provoke interact with the

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01:08:15,170 --> 01:08:12,960

phenomena itself so I really can't get

1444

01:08:17,660 --> 01:08:15,180

into too much details I am I'm

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01:08:20,539 --> 01:08:17,670

collaborating again with softer Theodore

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01:08:23,150 --> 01:08:20,549

Annie on that and one of the projects

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01:08:25,700 --> 01:08:23,160

and I have a group that's another group

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01:08:29,120 --> 01:08:25,710

that's doing a project that is inspired

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01:08:32,090 --> 01:08:29,130

by I don't know if you know the work of

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01:08:34,700 --> 01:08:32,100

the Owens and the Philip phenomena which

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01:08:37,579 --> 01:08:34,710

was a ghost that they tried to create in

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01:08:41,300 --> 01:08:37,589

the lab here in Toronto yes I remember

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01:08:45,160 --> 01:08:41,310

hearing about that yeah yeah so I'm was

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01:08:48,559 --> 01:08:45,170

inspired by that to take some ideas and

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01:08:50,599 --> 01:08:48,569

formulate some experiments which I am

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01:08:54,169 --> 01:08:50,609

doing currently ah

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01:08:59,499 --> 01:08:54,179

and that hopefully will be the basis for

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01:09:04,490 --> 01:08:59,509

a book a forthcoming book on UFOs magic

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01:09:07,479 --> 01:09:04,500

synchronicity the phenomena I hope so my

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01:09:11,390 --> 01:09:07,489

god that sounds extremely compelling

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01:09:14,180 --> 01:09:11,400

yeah and it's interesting because Greg

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01:09:16,400 --> 01:09:14,190

Bishop is working on on similar stuff

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01:09:19,010 --> 01:09:16,410

and we were working on these things and

1464

01:09:20,360 --> 01:09:19,020

we had not met at that point and touched

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01:09:22,099 --> 01:09:20,370

base and it's interesting that we kind

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01:09:25,399 --> 01:09:22,109

of just started doing these

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01:09:27,349 --> 01:09:25,409

the safe docks so maybe maybe the UFOs

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01:09:31,879 --> 01:09:27,359

are guiding us down that path of

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01:09:34,430 --> 01:09:31,889

phenomena it's very possible yeah yeah

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01:09:35,930 --> 01:09:34,440

Greg's a great guy I couldn't think of a

1471

01:09:38,959 --> 01:09:35,940

better person to be connected to in

1472

01:09:42,140 --> 01:09:38,969

terms of its co-creation hypothesis of

1473

01:09:44,689 --> 01:09:42,150

like you said are we manifesting the

1474

01:09:48,680 --> 01:09:44,699

phenomena some power are we you know in

1475

01:09:51,979 --> 01:09:48,690

tandem with it yeah on either end of the

1476

01:09:54,410 --> 01:09:51,989

spectrum it's very fascinating exactly

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01:09:58,790 --> 01:09:54,420

exactly and if it is an intelligence is

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01:10:00,859 --> 01:09:58,800

it is it giving us is it giving us like

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01:10:04,459 --> 01:10:00,869

sort of what we need or what we can

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01:10:06,140 --> 01:10:04,469

comprehend or cope with you know and

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01:10:07,879 --> 01:10:06,150

that is what it's pooling from is it

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01:10:11,180 --> 01:10:07,889

pooling from the greater collective

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01:10:15,020 --> 01:10:11,190

unconsciousness or from ourselves you

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01:10:17,240 --> 01:10:15,030

know and creating these experiences and

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01:10:20,030 --> 01:10:17,250

that we can comprehend where it's

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01:10:22,549 --> 01:10:20,040

something absolutely you know different

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01:10:24,410 --> 01:10:22,559

as I kind of I kind of look at UFOs like

1488

01:10:27,200 --> 01:10:24,420

dreams too there is usually a lot of

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01:10:31,879 --> 01:10:27,210

symbolic content so we're having a dream

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01:10:33,530 --> 01:10:31,889

that may be silly right you know but if

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01:10:35,689 --> 01:10:33,540

you if you examine what the dream is

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01:10:37,189 --> 01:10:35,699

then there's a symbolism and then you

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01:10:39,049 --> 01:10:37,199

can kind of maybe equate it to what's

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01:10:42,109 --> 01:10:39,059

going on in your in your waking world

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01:10:43,970 --> 01:10:42,119

and go aha so this is my dream trying to

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01:10:46,959 --> 01:10:43,980

tell me something I kind of feel the

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01:10:49,790 --> 01:10:46,969

UFOs are are somewhat in line with that

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01:10:51,919 --> 01:10:49,800

they're trying to tell us something and

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01:10:55,250 --> 01:10:51,929

in a way that we can maybe understand

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01:10:57,919 --> 01:10:55,260

Rasim balls plane yeah and it's up to us

1501

01:10:59,990 --> 01:10:57,929

to try to decipher that it's not just

1502

01:11:03,020 --> 01:11:00,000

spoon-fed to us by whatever the

1503

01:11:06,080 --> 01:11:03,030

phenomena is oh yes I'm also working on

1504

01:11:09,260 --> 01:11:06,090

a model and just different pair of

1505

01:11:12,919 --> 01:11:09,270

psychological lenses and modeling to try

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01:11:15,109 --> 01:11:12,929

and maybe put some UFO cases through

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01:11:17,899 --> 01:11:15,119

those both models to see if again we can

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01:11:20,899 --> 01:11:17,909

come up with some better data or maybe

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01:11:22,580 --> 01:11:20,909

some better questions so I got something

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01:11:25,339 --> 01:11:22,590

more that I'm doing with dr. Willits

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01:11:27,530 --> 01:11:25,349

is we're kind of it's just trying to

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01:11:30,049 --> 01:11:27,540

look at different ideas and and

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01:11:31,540 --> 01:11:30,059

different disciplines and kind of trying

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01:11:34,549 --> 01:11:31,550

to come up with some different models

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01:11:35,720 --> 01:11:34,559

that we can use to examine these cases

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01:11:39,650 --> 01:11:35,730

with I I did

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01:11:41,510 --> 01:11:39,660

with a ghost case which is the famous

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01:11:44,900 --> 01:11:41,520

Morten the chancel hem ghost those just

1519

01:11:47,870 --> 01:11:44,910

the lady in black and I came up with

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01:11:50,300 --> 01:11:47,880

some interesting by looking at the

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01:11:53,090 --> 01:11:50,310

witness focusing on her and putting her

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01:11:55,700 --> 01:11:53,100

in the context of her time period one of

1523

01:11:57,890 --> 01:11:55,710

the last questions I want to sort of get

1524

01:12:00,470 --> 01:11:57,900

out with you Susan is um there's this so

1525

01:12:04,250 --> 01:12:00,480

many years of the term UFO which we all

1526

01:12:05,120 --> 01:12:04,260

know stemmed from the government it was

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01:12:06,830 --> 01:12:05,130

mm-hmm

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01:12:09,020 --> 01:12:06,840

part of Project Blue Book but we have

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01:12:12,890 --> 01:12:09,030

this new term sort of insidiously

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01:12:15,710 --> 01:12:12,900

creeping in made sort of mainstream by

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01:12:18,110 --> 01:12:15,720

hillary clinton at one point and that's

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01:12:20,510 --> 01:12:18,120

UAP but it's been a long it's been

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01:12:22,970 --> 01:12:20,520

around longer than many people think um

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01:12:25,100 --> 01:12:22,980

are you a component of this new

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01:12:31,220 --> 01:12:25,110

terminology in terms of what we might be

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01:12:33,950 --> 01:12:31,230

dealing with of UAP um again with you at

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01:12:36,440 --> 01:12:33,960

UFO and UAP to me I'm really a fan of

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01:12:39,020 --> 01:12:36,450

neither of these terms they're too

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01:12:41,030 --> 01:12:39,030

descriptive in my opinion UAP first

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01:12:43,790 --> 01:12:41,040

actually came about I believe in the mid

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01:12:47,120 --> 01:12:43,800

90s again with the government term and

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01:12:50,750 --> 01:12:47,130

in a booklet put out by the Ministry of

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01:12:53,630 --> 01:12:50,760

Defense in the UK and I think that's the

1544

01:12:56,270 --> 01:12:53,640

first place that I saw it and then later

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01:12:58,220 --> 01:12:56,280

I believe it was Ted ruin our cap who

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01:13:02,420 --> 01:12:58,230

really said no we're going to push for

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01:13:06,290 --> 01:13:02,430

UAP and it is better than UFO but I feel

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01:13:08,840 --> 01:13:06,300

that I prefer personally to when I think

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01:13:11,990 --> 01:13:08,850

about it I think about it as phenomena

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01:13:14,990 --> 01:13:12,000

it is the phenomena and I try to remove

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01:13:16,790 --> 01:13:15,000

all the descriptors I can because I feel

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01:13:19,640 --> 01:13:16,800

that as we're layering on these

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01:13:22,940 --> 01:13:19,650

descriptors we're getting farther away

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01:13:26,060 --> 01:13:22,950

from the core of whatever this may be so

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01:13:27,979 --> 01:13:26,070

the only time I really use UFO or UAP is

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01:13:30,050 --> 01:13:27,989

when I'm talking with because it's

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01:13:31,940 --> 01:13:30,060

they're so popular with witnesses or

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01:13:34,900 --> 01:13:31,950

other researchers would like to use them

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01:13:39,350 --> 01:13:34,910

I will use that but when in I'm

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01:13:42,380 --> 01:13:39,360

contemplating or even writing I use use

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01:13:44,330 --> 01:13:42,390

phenomena but that just just the

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01:13:47,750 --> 01:13:44,340

phenomena because we don't know and

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01:13:49,310 --> 01:13:47,760

again they're not always flying I'm just

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01:13:53,000 --> 01:13:49,320

gonna say not any air

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01:13:58,190 --> 01:13:53,010

yeah exactly exactly a new IP might be

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01:14:00,140 --> 01:13:58,200

okay for a section or small of the view

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01:14:02,030 --> 01:14:00,150

of the UFO phenomena where you might

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01:14:04,270 --> 01:14:02,040

have like these lightbulbs

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01:14:06,380 --> 01:14:04,280

sometimes they follow aircraft in that

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01:14:10,160 --> 01:14:06,390

which is something with that NAR cap

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01:14:11,630 --> 01:14:10,170

deals with is pilot sightings so that

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01:14:13,670 --> 01:14:11,640

that might be something even a little

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01:14:15,680 --> 01:14:13,680

bit different than you know so that

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01:14:17,300 --> 01:14:15,690

might be appropriate for those cases but

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01:14:20,630 --> 01:14:17,310

when you look at the high strangeness

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01:14:24,110 --> 01:14:20,640

and the totality that's the total of

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01:14:26,540 --> 01:14:24,120

this what's going on I think just just

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01:14:30,590 --> 01:14:26,550

let's call it the phenomena we don't

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01:14:36,770 --> 01:14:30,600

know right and just it's there what it

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01:14:38,600 --> 01:14:36,780

is anyone's guess it seems like

1581

01:14:42,560 --> 01:14:38,610

everything we talked about tonight is

1582

01:14:45,530 --> 01:14:42,570

anyone's guess Susan but this was such

1583

01:14:48,410 --> 01:14:45,540

an amazing conversation my mind has been

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01:14:51,560 --> 01:14:48,420

opened now more than ever and I think

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01:14:53,540 --> 01:14:51,570

that's what this is all about where

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01:14:57,860 --> 01:14:53,550

where can we find out more about what

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01:14:59,510 --> 01:14:57,870

you're doing well I I tend to put up my

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01:15:03,170 --> 01:14:59,520

latest projects and things that I'm

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01:15:07,640 --> 01:15:03,180

working on on my website which is Susan

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01:15:09,560 --> 01:15:07,650

st. Clair comm and you can find me in

1591

01:15:13,100 --> 01:15:09,570

various social media too which are

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01:15:15,830 --> 01:15:13,110

linked through that website so yes yes

1593

01:15:17,450 --> 01:15:15,840

Susan st. Clair comm you'll find me I

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01:15:20,120 --> 01:15:17,460

was just reading one of your articles

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01:15:23,090 --> 01:15:20,130

the one you mentioned about the you know

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01:15:25,160 --> 01:15:23,100

the woman in the black dress was it yes

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01:15:28,220 --> 01:15:25,170

the woman in black which may or may not

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01:15:31,760 --> 01:15:28,230

yeah may or may not have inspired the

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01:15:35,390 --> 01:15:31,770

story as it later became the movie the

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01:15:39,740 --> 01:15:35,400

popular movie that is a very well

1601
01:15:42,770 --> 01:15:39,750
documented case that was stunned by the

1602
01:15:45,080 --> 01:15:42,780
Society of psychical research and the

1603
01:15:48,830 --> 01:15:45,090
actual witness at the time was a medical

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01:15:51,500 --> 01:15:48,840
student and yes and she tried to make a

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01:15:53,270 --> 01:15:51,510
science out of this this woman in black

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01:15:57,680 --> 01:15:53,280
apparition that she kept seeing she

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01:16:00,890 --> 01:15:57,690
actually tried to catch it she device so

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01:16:03,259 --> 01:16:00,900
I it's very very well documented and and

1609
01:16:06,379 --> 01:16:03,269
I try to dissect it a little bit

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01:16:10,100 --> 01:16:06,389
and more away from the apparition and

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01:16:12,529 --> 01:16:10,110
looking at the witnesses and putting

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01:16:15,560 --> 01:16:12,539
them in the social context of their time

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01:16:18,049 --> 01:16:15,570

period and the interesting stuff comes

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01:16:21,290 --> 01:16:18,059

about from that yeah that's fascinating

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01:16:23,720 --> 01:16:21,300

well yeah I highly suggest all our

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01:16:26,629 --> 01:16:23,730

listeners go check out your website for

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01:16:29,870 --> 01:16:26,639

various other articles related and not

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01:16:32,359 --> 01:16:29,880

related to that Susan thank you so much

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01:16:35,359 --> 01:16:32,369

for joining us today I am sure people

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01:16:38,540 --> 01:16:35,369

are going to be visiting your site very

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01:16:41,419 --> 01:16:38,550

shortly and look forward to the work you

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01:16:43,910 --> 01:16:41,429

did in the upcoming book UFOs for

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01:16:46,189 --> 01:16:43,920

framing the debate and all of your

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01:16:49,640 --> 01:16:46,199

projects I think it's sorely needed in a

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01:16:53,270 --> 01:16:49,650

field that is so dated and needs to be

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01:16:55,819 --> 01:16:53,280

shooken up to the course so again I

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01:16:58,220 --> 01:16:55,829

thank you for joining us today and thank

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01:16:59,149 --> 01:16:58,230

you for having me and I feel the same

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01:17:01,310 --> 01:16:59,159

way about you

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01:17:03,939 --> 01:17:01,320

you know and much less let's just keep

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01:17:07,250 --> 01:17:03,949

collaborating and sharing and you know

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01:17:10,069 --> 01:17:07,260

it's all good share your work children

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01:17:12,259 --> 01:17:10,079

share your work share because that's

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01:17:15,950 --> 01:17:12,269

that is the cornerstone of science is

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01:17:17,509 --> 01:17:15,960

you know you got a share right and be

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01:17:19,399 --> 01:17:17,519

old and be open to other people

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01:17:21,319 --> 01:17:19,409

questioning and saying you know it's all

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01:17:23,779 --> 01:17:21,329

good as long as it's done respectfully I

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01:17:26,959 --> 01:17:23,789

thought it would be alright thank you so

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01:17:29,209 --> 01:17:26,969

much Susan alright thank you that's it

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01:17:30,560 --> 01:17:29,219

for this week's episode be sure to check

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01:17:33,979 --> 01:17:30,570

out Susan's website

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01:17:35,930 --> 01:17:33,989

Susan st.clair calm and be on the

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01:17:39,350 --> 01:17:35,940

lookout for both our essays in the

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01:17:42,410 --> 01:17:39,360

upcoming anthology ufo's reframing the

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debate edited by Robbie Graham it will

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be available through white crow books on

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May 29th visit white crow books calm for

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more info please consider sharing rating

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and reviewing the show on iTunes or

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wherever you may listen from it truly

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helps the show get more exposure and who

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01:18:01,040 --> 01:17:58,499

doesn't want that

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01:18:03,109 --> 01:18:01,050

right also if you want to reach me with

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01:18:06,589 --> 01:18:03,119

stories and guest or topic suggestions

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01:18:08,270 --> 01:18:06,599

email spreg at someone in the skies calm

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01:18:10,549 --> 01:18:08,280

and if you're looking for some extra

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01:18:12,950 --> 01:18:10,559

reading material this week I've got a

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01:18:14,620 --> 01:18:12,960

stockpile of interesting articles over

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01:18:17,229 --> 01:18:14,630

at somewhere in the skies

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just click on the article tab and while

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you're at it check out the book on

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Amazon and paperback and ebook I got to

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pay them podcast bills guys alright I'll

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be back next Monday with an all-new

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episode and a very special and

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controversial guest it'll be a fun one

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so definitely tune in thank you so much

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01:18:37,419 --> 01:18:35,060

for joining me and remember keep your

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01:19:01,330 --> 01:18:37,429

feet on the ground but never stop

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01:19:04,450 --> 01:19:01,340

searching somewhere in the skies this