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I got it.

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00:00:19,580 --> 00:00:22,460

like

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00:00:26,660 --> 00:00:28,800

Not a lot like

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00:00:28,800 --> 00:00:31,500

Even if I don't know what it is, I know I saw it.

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00:00:31,500 --> 00:00:33,280

Do you know what it's like to serve your country

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00:00:33,280 --> 00:00:35,880

only to have someone come out and say, you're crazy?

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00:00:38,680 --> 00:00:40,140

The Pentagon has confirmed the existence

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00:00:40,140 --> 00:00:42,460

of the Advanced Aerospace Threat and Identification

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00:00:42,460 --> 00:00:46,060

Program that studied UFOs, and they released video.

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00:00:46,060 --> 00:00:49,660

So, you know, my gosh.

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For eight years, Lou Elizondo ran a secret UFO program

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00:00:53,500 --> 00:00:55,400

for the US military.

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00:00:55,440 --> 00:00:59,000

But in 2017, he quit in protest.

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00:00:59,000 --> 00:01:00,900

I put my entire future on the line

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00:01:00,900 --> 00:01:02,740

because I believe in what I believe in.

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00:01:02,740 --> 00:01:06,140

Now he's joined an elite group of former government insiders.

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00:01:06,140 --> 00:01:08,040

Their mission, reveal what they say,

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00:01:08,040 --> 00:01:10,580

is the truth about UFOs.

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00:01:10,580 --> 00:01:14,320

US Aerospace is being violated by vehicles of unknown origin

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00:01:14,320 --> 00:01:16,120

with advanced capabilities.

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00:01:16,120 --> 00:01:18,920

This is real, and we're going to get to the bottom of it.

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00:01:18,920 --> 00:01:20,720

I've seen too much.

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00:01:20,720 --> 00:01:22,600

I've talked to too many people.

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00:01:22,620 --> 00:01:25,000

I can't a good conscience just keep my head buried in the sand.

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00:01:38,840 --> 00:01:41,280

So, while investigating the incident,

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00:01:41,280 --> 00:01:45,320

we came across some information that leads us to believe

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00:01:45,320 --> 00:01:47,920

that there may be a particular area,

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00:01:47,920 --> 00:01:49,680

a rally point, so to speak,

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00:01:49,680 --> 00:01:52,060

where some of these things are going.

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00:01:52,120 --> 00:01:53,820

That's a big deal.

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00:01:53,820 --> 00:01:57,120

At a minimum, we need to get down to that site

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00:01:57,120 --> 00:01:59,960

and we need to figure out what's going on.

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00:01:59,960 --> 00:02:02,360

Lou Elizondo is following an extraordinary break

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00:02:02,360 --> 00:02:05,560

in his investigation into a major military UFO sighting

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00:02:05,560 --> 00:02:06,700

off the West Coast.

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00:02:08,540 --> 00:02:13,240

In the fall of 2004, two F-18 pilots from the USS Nimitz

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00:02:13,240 --> 00:02:15,380

told Elizondo they came face to face

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00:02:15,380 --> 00:02:17,180

with a bizarre, tig-tag-shaped object.

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00:02:17,180 --> 00:02:21,080

Hi-G, rapid velocity, rapid acceleration.

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00:02:21,700 --> 00:02:23,500

We don't have that, you know, and I'm talking,

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00:02:23,500 --> 00:02:26,600

we're flying one of the premier airplanes on the planet.

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00:02:26,600 --> 00:02:29,780

But the incident wasn't an isolated event.

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00:02:29,780 --> 00:02:32,040

A Navy technician revealed the craft

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00:02:32,040 --> 00:02:33,980

allegedly traveled underwater

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00:02:33,980 --> 00:02:37,620

at nearly two times the speed of the fastest U.S. submarine.

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00:02:37,620 --> 00:02:39,080

According to one of the sonar guys,

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00:02:39,080 --> 00:02:41,560

they were going 70-plus knots under the water.

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00:02:41,560 --> 00:02:44,220

And another Navy radar specialist says he tracked

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00:02:44,220 --> 00:02:46,560

as many as 100 of the strange craft for days.

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00:02:46,560 --> 00:02:48,100

They fell off my radar envelope

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00:02:48,100 --> 00:02:50,360

down off the coast of Baja, California.

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00:02:50,480 --> 00:02:51,580

Okay.

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00:02:51,580 --> 00:02:52,720

These things were going somewhere.

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00:02:52,720 --> 00:02:53,980

I can tell you the Latin one.

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00:02:56,820 --> 00:03:01,460

We now have a very good lead on a potential hotspot.

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00:03:01,460 --> 00:03:03,160

What does that mean? I don't know what does it mean.

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00:03:03,160 --> 00:03:04,760

Are these things, can you see them all the time

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00:03:04,760 --> 00:03:07,160

flying around out there? Is it underwater?

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00:03:07,160 --> 00:03:08,460

What about the locals?

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00:03:08,460 --> 00:03:10,600

These are all other things now that we can use

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00:03:10,600 --> 00:03:13,740

to help us start collecting additional data points

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00:03:13,740 --> 00:03:15,840

and putting the pieces of the puzzle together.

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Hey, how are you, brother?

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00:03:17,840 --> 00:03:20,800

Good, man. I'm pulling right up.

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Joining Elizondo is a new member of the investigation,

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who himself was a witness

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to the strange events of November 2004.

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Different people have different motivations

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00:03:30,840 --> 00:03:32,340

for coming forward.

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These are soldiers or sailors

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who've been involved in something extraordinary.

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They're not quite sure what to make of it,

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but they want the truth to come out.

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00:03:39,340 --> 00:03:40,840

How are you, my friend? Very good.

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How are things going? They're outstanding today.

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Sean Cahill served 20 years in the Navy.

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He was the top security officer on the USS Princeton,

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a missile cruiser in the USS Nimitz carrier strike group.

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Cahill was responsible for law and order aboard the ship

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00:03:54,840 --> 00:03:57,840

and running counterterrorism patrols at sea.

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00:03:58,840 --> 00:04:03,840

Tell me when this event began for you.

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00:04:03,840 --> 00:04:05,840

We were told Nimitz has got something going on.

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They've got something in their airspace.

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Cahill is the fifth Navy witness

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to come forward.

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This is the first time he has spoken publicly

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00:04:12,840 --> 00:04:14,840

about the events.

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We're getting calls up on the bridge

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00:04:17,840 --> 00:04:19,840

to run out on the bridge wing

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and let us know if you see anything.

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And they'd give us an angle

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00:04:22,840 --> 00:04:24,840

and they'd say, do you see anything out there?

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00:04:24,840 --> 00:04:26,840

And a few times we even turned the ship.

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00:04:26,840 --> 00:04:28,840

And I recall saying, what are we looking for?

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00:04:28,840 --> 00:04:30,840

And I think that they were saying that Nimitz

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00:04:30,840 --> 00:04:32,840

has got some strange contacts.

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They obviously had something on radar.

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They wanted us to see if we could put eyes on them.

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00:04:36,840 --> 00:04:38,840

They wanted us to see if we could put eyes on them.

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They didn't tell us what we were looking for.

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We went out on the bridge wing

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00:04:42,840 --> 00:04:46,840

and me and one of my lookouts were scanning the sky.

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What Cahill witnessed has haunted him for 15 years.

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00:04:50,840 --> 00:04:55,840

So we were both looking up ahead about 45 degrees angle

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00:04:55,840 --> 00:04:58,840

and there was a constellation of lights up there.

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Let me get this straight.

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You're looking up and you see these pattern of lights.

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They all changed positions.

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Some moving inward towards the center.

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Some moving outward but all rotating.

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00:05:09,840 --> 00:05:13,840

As it rotated, some of the lights disappeared.

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And then they were gone.

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I didn't see a trail.

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I didn't see any effect.

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It was just there was a light there

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and then there was no longer a light there.

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But the night was clear.

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This was not stars being occluded by clouds.

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That was when I got, as I get the goosebumps right now,

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00:05:29,840 --> 00:05:31,840

I got really interested in what was going on.

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What the hell is this?

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Cahill is the first eyewitness to describe this approach.

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He's the first eyewitness to describe this abrupt

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and extraordinary movement of multiple craft.

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If Princeton had it on the radar,

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why isn't this on the news every night

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that something we don't understand is present in our atmosphere

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00:05:50,840 --> 00:05:52,840

coming and going as it pleases

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00:05:52,840 --> 00:05:55,840

with absolute impunity over our military?

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00:05:55,840 --> 00:05:57,840

Cahill's account bolsters the testimony

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00:05:57,840 --> 00:05:59,840

of his shipmate Kevin Day.

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00:05:59,840 --> 00:06:01,840

The next morning I wouldn't check my email

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00:06:01,840 --> 00:06:04,840

and I had a video from the Black Acid Squadron.

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00:06:04,840 --> 00:06:07,840

I was having a breakfast to talk to Kevin Day

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00:06:07,840 --> 00:06:10,840

and another Chief Petty Officer who's a radar operator.

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00:06:10,840 --> 00:06:13,840

And I said to them, what was going on last night?

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And the Chief grunted at me,

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go look at your email.

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I go in the back and I log on and there's the video.

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The next morning Cahill and Day

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watched a longer version of this video

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captured by an F-18s camera.

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It's the same video that wouldn't be seen again

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until more than a decade later

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and the video helped get it released to the public in 2017.

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Every night we would have an operations intelligence briefing.

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So I kind of smirk and I walk in

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because I'm like, wow, maybe we're going to hear something.

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Maybe we're going to find out what was going on.

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Now as they start the briefing,

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the young officer in charge gave the little nod

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to the person running the computer in the next slide.

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And as they hit the space bar,

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a caricature of a flying saucer

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00:06:59,840 --> 00:07:03,840

with a little green alien moves across the screen.

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The room erupts in laughter and that was it.

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Captain said, well, we all, we had a little bit of fun.

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I guess you guys were chasing something around.

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If that's over now, let's get on with the briefing.

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I'm an intel guy.

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It's not uncommon that if you have a person

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in a particular position of trust

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and you want to keep them quiet,

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that ridicule can be used as some sort of leverage.

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Nobody raised an eyebrow and it didn't seem like anybody cared.

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We weren't even told not to talk about it.

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And that was one of the things that struck me as being...

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How do I put it?

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De-legitimized the experience.

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And I got to a point where I pretended like it didn't happen,

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to be honest with you.

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Someone tells you something you encountered is not real

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00:07:49,840 --> 00:07:51,840

and that you're crazy.

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00:07:51,840 --> 00:07:53,840

And you got nowhere to go.

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Finally, after 15 years of carrying this secret around,

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somebody was paying attention.

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00:07:58,840 --> 00:08:01,840

It was real and other people experienced it too.

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00:08:01,840 --> 00:08:03,840

And he wasn't going crazy.

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00:08:12,840 --> 00:08:13,840

How we doing, brother?

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00:08:13,840 --> 00:08:14,840

Morning. How you doing?

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00:08:14,840 --> 00:08:16,840

You know, any day above ground is a good day.

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00:08:16,840 --> 00:08:17,840

Yeah, I'm with you on that one.

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00:08:17,840 --> 00:08:20,840

I've asked Sean to come with us on this trip.

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He is a trained investigator, knows how to ask the right questions.

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He also has personal investment in it.

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I think Sean would like some answers himself.

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Keahill is joining Elizondo on a mission to Mexico,

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00:08:34,840 --> 00:08:36,840

following a lead from a Navy radar operator.

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Kevin Day provided us a completely new piece of the puzzle we never had before.

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Day provided the coordinates where he says a fleet of UFOs disappeared off Navy radar.

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We can actually now go to the location

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00:08:49,840 --> 00:08:53,840

and we can try to figure out if there's any type of correlation at all.

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My hope is to hear what people have to say, if anything,

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00:09:04,840 --> 00:09:08,840

if they have anything to provide, I want to be able to hear it myself.

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Lou Elizondo has asked former Navy law enforcement officer Sean Keahill

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00:09:12,840 --> 00:09:15,840

to join his UFO investigation to Mexico.

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They're following a lead provided by Keahill shipmate Kevin Day.

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These things were going somewhere.

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00:09:21,840 --> 00:09:25,840

They fell off my radar envelope down off the coast of Baja, California.

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00:09:25,840 --> 00:09:27,840

I can tell you they're Latin long.

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00:09:27,840 --> 00:09:33,840

The coordinates lead here, a small remote Mexican island called Guadalupe.

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00:09:33,840 --> 00:09:37,840

What I'd really like to see is for us to take the event from 2004

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00:09:37,840 --> 00:09:40,840

and to show if this phenomenon has continued post-2004.

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This is a part of the Nimitz story that not only has never been told,

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it has never really been explored.

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In order to keep his work for the military's UFO unit secret,

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Elizondo couldn't interview civilian witnesses.

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I think there's goodness in casting a wide net,

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trying to get as many people that we can to come on record and tell us what they've seen.

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My frustration when I was an ATIP was I was always stuck focusing only on military individuals.

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00:10:07,840 --> 00:10:10,840

This is the first time you've been able to not hide.

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00:10:10,840 --> 00:10:13,840

I hate to put it that way, but you don't have to hide behind anything.

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You can ask the questions now.

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The journey to Guadalupe Island starts here.

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Ensenada, Mexico is a major hub for commercial and tourist fishing.

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Elizondo and Keahill want to know if locals here have seen strange things in the sky.

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I'm used to speaking with military people who are experts,

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but I think in the end it comes down to sheer volume and commonalities.

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If you have people that are both trained observers and untrained observers telling you the same thing,

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00:10:45,840 --> 00:10:50,840

there is a really good possibility that they are both describing a similar event.

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00:10:53,840 --> 00:10:57,840

They've teamed up with Jordi Librija, a Mexican journalist who says he's heard stories

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00:10:57,840 --> 00:11:00,840

about unexplained sightings in Baja, California for years.

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00:11:01,840 --> 00:11:04,840

So Jordi, who's the gentleman we're going to be meeting today?

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00:11:04,840 --> 00:11:08,840

Librija is a pilot and he does a lot of flights to Guadalupe,

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00:11:08,840 --> 00:11:11,840

and he has seen crazy things as well.

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Librija set up a meeting with a commercial pilot,

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00:11:15,840 --> 00:11:19,840

who spots bluefin tuna for fishermen between the Baja coast and Guadalupe.

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00:11:20,840 --> 00:11:22,840

That's his plane.

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00:11:22,840 --> 00:11:23,840

It's a fill-up.

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00:11:23,840 --> 00:11:24,840

172?

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00:11:24,840 --> 00:11:25,840

Yes.

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00:11:25,840 --> 00:11:26,840

What year?

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00:11:26,840 --> 00:11:27,840

83.

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00:11:27,840 --> 00:11:28,840

Wow.

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00:11:28,840 --> 00:11:30,840

Beautiful, beautiful bird.

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00:11:30,840 --> 00:11:34,840

Adrián Ojeda has spent 18 years flying over these waters,

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00:11:34,840 --> 00:11:38,840

but it only took a few seconds to change everything he knew about aviation.

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00:11:40,840 --> 00:11:43,840

Thank you again for your time and for your courage to come forward.

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00:11:43,840 --> 00:11:47,840

Thank you because this is something like, I don't tell not too many people

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00:11:47,840 --> 00:11:52,840

because they think you're crazy or you're yours, you know, but so yeah.

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00:11:52,840 --> 00:11:54,840

Please, start from the beginning.

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00:11:54,840 --> 00:11:59,840

It was January 30, 2015, around three o'clock in the afternoon.

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This is the first time Ojeda has gone on record about the strange object he saw.

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So he was coming around 23 miles south of Ensenada.

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On the afternoon of January 30, 2015,

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Ojeda says he was flying over the Pacific.

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Just 20 miles northeast from where two U.S. Navy pilots from the USS Nimitz

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00:12:19,840 --> 00:12:23,840

intercepted a Tic Tac-shaped UFO 11 years earlier.

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00:12:24,840 --> 00:12:30,840

Can you give me a rough understanding of size, shape, color?

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00:12:30,840 --> 00:12:36,840

I thought at the beginning it was just a ball, but when it goes so close, it was like this form.

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00:12:36,840 --> 00:12:42,840

Did you notice if it had any windows, if it had wings, no flight surfaces?

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00:12:42,840 --> 00:12:45,840

No windows, no wings, no nothing.

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00:12:45,840 --> 00:12:46,840

Smooth.

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Smooth and clean, yeah.

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Ojeda says the object moved erratically, unlike any aircraft he had ever seen.

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When you see an airplane, it goes straight, you know, but this was kind of like...

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He also believes the object reacted to his presence.

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It was so far away. I just turned the lights, and as soon as I turned the lights, it was...

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Right at you.

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Straight to me.

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So it was...

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Around 10 miles, yeah?

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10 miles, and then you kick on the lights, and all of a sudden...

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Three seconds.

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Three seconds.

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Three seconds, yeah.

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Like that.

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Fire.

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As he turned on his lights, Ojeda says the object flew straight at him at 12,000 miles an hour,

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one more than 15 times the speed of sound.

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This pilot really reinforced some of the observables that we've already noticed before.

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According to Elizondo, his secret Pentagon investigation catalogued a set of five incredible

capabilities the UFOs shared.

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He calls them the observables.

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Instantaneous acceleration, hypersonic velocities, just really bizarre behavior,

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something that you would not expect a traditional aircraft to be able to do.

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Were there any other reports by any other pilots in the area that day of anything strange in the air that you're aware of?

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Not that I know.

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I'm in international waters. Sometimes I see the carriers in the F-18.

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You see those kind of airplanes.

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In no way, it was an airplane.

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Ojeda's 2015 account has an eerie similarity to the U.S. Navy's 2004 Tic Tac incident.

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All of a sudden it goes, boop, and it kind of turns.

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We're like, okay, now it knows we're here.

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He just rapidly accelerates beyond anything that I've ever seen, crosses my nose, and it's gone.

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Have the same craft been flying off the Baja Coast for years?

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The Baja California Peninsula is known across Mexico as a hotspot for UFO sightings.

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I think we're going to go now.

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We're going to go.

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Go, go, go.

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For decades, local fishermen have reported strange luminescent objects over the Pacific Ocean.

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It's our understanding that you may have seen something very interesting in the water.

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Yes, a very strong light that lighted us like this.

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And in seconds it also disappeared.

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Quickly.

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We were in a kind of sphere.

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It looked like a silver-plated color, more or less.

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We saw that light and from there it shot itself.

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99% of all reported sightings have a rational explanation.

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Typically these are things that are man-made or some sort of weather phenomena or atmospheric anomaly.

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So it's imperative we keep a critical eye on every report.

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The fishermen may not be trained military observers,

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but they all have similar accounts of spherical objects flying in ways they can't explain.

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And one part of their story stands out.

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We saw something that fell down, separated, and suddenly it sank into the water.

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In the water.

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Yeah.

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Good morning.

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Llewella Zondo and Shawn Cahill are in Mexico,

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investigating one of the most important UFO incidents in the history of the U.S. military.

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The 2004 USS Nimitz encounter.

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Very nice to meet you, sir. Thank you. Thank you for your time.

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They're interviewing local fishermen who have seen strange things in the sky and under the water.

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From our understanding you may have some interesting information regarding strange things in or near the water.

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Lights. Lights that are under water.

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Lights that come out of the sea.

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Same thing, lights coming out of the water and moving.

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Fishermen seeing lights under the water, lights underneath their boat,

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things coming out of the sky and floating and hovering above the water,

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and then splashing into the water.

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I was struck by some of the similarities, in particular with the Nimitz incident.

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In 2004, the Navy pilot who intercepted a Tic Tac shaped UFO

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first saw churning water below the craft.

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My heart sank. There was something in the water.

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And a Navy radar technician says his ship tracked the Tic Tac shaped object,

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moving under water at a high rate of speed.

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Went from 30,000 feet down to sea level and sonar said they got a hit.

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They pretty much just went wherever they wanted.

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The ability to seamlessly move through water, air and space,

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known as TransMedium Travel, is one of the five observables

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Elizondo's secret Pentagon program identified.

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These objects seem to be seen a lot around large bodies of water.

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Let's get him back here.

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What if I want him?

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These folks for the most part are not necessarily trained observers,

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but they do know the ocean very well.

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And a lot of them are reporting some pretty interesting and, in my opinion,

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pretty compelling things.

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That's like a Tic Tac, dude.

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Let me ask you, where were you when you saw this?

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Guadalupe.

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Conta Norte in Isla Guadalupe.

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Isla Guadalupe.

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The fishermen all point toward one location,

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Guadalupe Island, where senior Navy radar specialist Kevin Day told Elizondo

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a fleet of UFOs had disappeared off his radar in 2004.

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Tenaude's right here. This is the bay right here.

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Okay, we've got Guadalupe down here.

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One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven different unique incidences.

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We've got some amazing data here.

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Definitely hotspot.

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Guadalupe is calling us.

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Guadalupe lies 150 miles off the Baja California coast.

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The sparsely populated island is home to a Mexican military weather station

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and is surrounded by a restricted marine refuge area,

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teaming with great white sharks.

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The next logical step is to get out there and see for ourselves,

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is there anything unique, is there anything underneath the ocean,

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the topography, is there anything strange and weird?

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We've got to get out there.

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I think by going to Guadalupe, we stand to gain more clarity.

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Hopefully we can collect some good information.

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But matters what the facts of the data say.

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That's the pursuit that's what drives me every single day.

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We'll probably do about six and a half knots.

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Yeah.

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You're looking at 175 nautical miles out to where we need to be.

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It's going to take us a good 25 hours to get out there.

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When was the last time you were in these waters?

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You know, I have to do the math on it, but I was in these waters for a number of years.

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Over the course of 2004, all the way to 2007, on and off.

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Wow.

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Yeah, this is where the United States Navy on the West Coast does a great deal of their training.

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We've heard so much about this Guadalupe Island.

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I hope we get a chance to talk to as many people as we can, talk to other fishermen,

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talk to anybody who's willing to come out and meet us and have a conversation.

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I kind of want to consider some of the information that we picked up.

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We had circular, spherical objects described.

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I hesitate to say saucer, but a lenticular shape.

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We had luminous.

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Right.

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Different colors of luminosity.

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And we had objects that flew, objects that hovered, and objects that went into the water.

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And in some cases, objects that came from the deep up to the surface of the water,

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i.e. rings of light.

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Unidentified submerged objects, known as USOs,

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have been reported around the world by civilians.

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and military witnesses for decades.

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Allied warships taking part in exercise men's breaths provided a formidable spectacle.

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In 1952, military personnel taking part in a large-scale NATO exercise off Denmark

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reported seeing strange round craft flying above and below the water.

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The incidents made international headlines.

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And ever since, USOs have become part of UFO lore.

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We know that there is a geomagnetic anomaly just north of the island, and it is significant.

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Adding to the mystery surrounding Guadalupe,

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a variation in the Earth's magnetic field, known as a magnetic anomaly,

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lies just off the island's northern coast.

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When you look at the map, there are no magnetic anomalies anywhere within hundreds and hundreds of miles

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of that island except two hotspots.

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Could that have anything to do with what we're seeing? We don't know.

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I think we owe it to ourselves to collect more data.

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I think it's in our DNA to always search and find the truth, whatever that truth is.

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Lou was someone who had come into this issue very skeptical and came out of it

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almost a religious believer that, wow, this stuff is really happening.

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These are really credible reports from pilots, from other people that are not wacky.

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He became someone who felt that it was his job to try and get more senior leaders

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and the Pentagon to pay attention to this.

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Eventually, maybe get the public to pay attention.

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The team is finally approaching Guadalupe, where US Navy and Mexican eye witnesses

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say something strange is in the air, or under the water, or both.

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That's amazing.

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Thirty miles away, you can see that thing.

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After 20 hours on the open water, Lou Elizondo and Sean Cahill have arrived at Guadalupe Island,

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where a US Navy radar specialist reported a fleet of strange craft

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disappeared off his radar scopes during the 2004 USS Nimitz UFO event.

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This is the land that time forgot for sure.

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It's just incredible.

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Guadalupe was formed millions of years ago when two volcanoes erupted on the ocean floor.

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Today it's a marine refuge and access is strictly controlled by the Mexican government.

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As foreigners, the team can't step foot on its shores.

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Good morning, sir.

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But they found a group of fishermen who've seen things they can't explain.

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How fast did it take off?

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Wow.

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Look over there.

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You can see a gold-colored ball.

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He said it was kind of like a ball, like a chrome ball.

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When it started moving, it started moving.

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It's a sphere.

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What color?

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White, like lead, light, lead.

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These fishermen had never heard of the Nimitz incident,

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but their accounts are similar to the US Navy witnesses.

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When you come back from fishing and someone sees something like this,

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do they make fun of the person when they tell this story?

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Most of the people have seen strange things happening, so they take it very seriously.

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The fishermen take them to the island's rocky north coast,

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where most of the sightings have occurred.

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It's also where a magnetic anomaly lies deep under the ocean.

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I've never seen anything like this.

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Elisando and Cahill want to know if the strange sightings

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could have a scientific explanation.

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Mauricio Hoyos is a world-renowned marine biologist.

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We know your time is valuable. Thank you very much for spending with us.

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Hoyos has been studying gold,

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and documented what is believed to be the largest great white ever captured on film.

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We are here because several people have reported very interesting phenomena

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in the sky and even underwater,

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and we wanted to get your scientific knowledge of these waters.

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Well, La Loupe is a very interesting phenomenon.

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It's a phenomenon that's been used in the past,

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and it's been used in the past,

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and it's been used in the past.

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Well, La Loupe is a very important place.

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Actually, it's the best place to see white sharks in the world.

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The visibility of the water is more than 100 feet,

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and sometimes you get to see more than 33 sharks in one day.

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How come that these white sharks can't find this island in the middle of nowhere?

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And we think that they have these sensors, they are called the Apil of Lorenzini,

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and they can detect the electromagnetic field of the earth,

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so we think that they use that in order to get here.

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Oyoz believes great white sharks have a special ability to detect electromagnetic signals,

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which helps them migrate to the island each year.

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I was talking with one of the captains,

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and he told me that every time that they are coming to La Loupe,

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he can see that the compass is like moving awkward.

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That's interesting.

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Is there bioluminescence in these waters?

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They're actually very close to the shore.

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Bioluminescence is a natural phenomenon found in oceans all over the world.

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It occurs when a chemical reaction in sea life emits light.

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Could this explain the luminescent objects in the water the fishermen of Guadalupe are seeing?

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Okay, so do you ever see bioluminescence in circular patterns,

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almost like a spotlight coming out of the water?

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No.

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You have a small submersible, right?

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So there's lights on it, I'm sure, for navigation?

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Yes.

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Could fishermen around the island mistake your submersible for a light under the water?

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We have had submersibles just in 2008, and I need a special permit for that.

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If the submersible is here, the big bolt has to be here.

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Okay, so you have a boat nearby, so it's not isolated out in the middle of the ocean.

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Exactly.

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According to Oyo's, there is nothing he knows that can explain what the fishermen of Guadalupe are seeing.

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You are a scientist and trained observer.

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In our book, that's as good as it gets.

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So hearing from you anything that you'd be willing to share with us would be immensely important.

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Is there anything you have seen that has been unusual?

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Yeah.

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And I thought that it was a hallucination, but my captain and I, we saw the same thing.

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We have lots of reports from fishermen around the island.

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Is there anything that you have seen that has been unusual?

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Yeah.

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And I thought that it was a hallucination, but my captain and I, we saw the same thing.

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Lou Elizondo and Shawn Cahill are more than 100 miles off the coast of Mexico,

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where a fleet of UFOs fell off US Navy radar during the USS Nimitz incident in 2004.

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In 2006, we started to track White Sharks for 24 hours.

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Marine biologist Mauricio Oyo's has spent years collecting data on Great White Sharks,

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but he can't explain what he saw early one morning in 2006.

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It was like 6 a.m. and we were coming to the north and then I saw, in that mountain,

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I saw a little light, like a little sphere.

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I thought that it was a star, but suddenly it moved.

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I thought, oh my God, I didn't sleep and maybe I am looking something that is not real.

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And then my captain asked me, did you see that?

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Could you actually see an object or was it more the light that you could see?

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No, it was a very bright object.

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It was like a sphere, I mean a perfect sphere.

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Like maybe two seconds?

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Two seconds we didn't see anything.

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So it didn't just disappear?

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No, it moved.

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Yeah, very fast.

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Exactly, yeah, yeah, yeah.

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Very, very fast.

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Yeah, yeah.

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I know time is limited, sun is going to be going down.

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Don't want to take much more of your time.

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I've been super, super helpful.

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Thank you so much.

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You're very welcome.

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It has been an absolute pleasure.

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Thank you.

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That's amazing.

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As far back as 2009, the Pacific Ocean off Baja California was identified by Elizondo's Pentagon

program as part of a global pattern of UFO hotspots.

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After days on the open water interviewing multiple civilian witnesses, Elizondo now has evidence of a continuing UFO presence in the area.

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The trip to the Huayla Lupa Island was very well worth while.

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The eyewitness testimony from folks from the Nimitz, he just rapidly accelerates beyond anything that I've ever seen and it's gone.

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It was cooperated by civilians.

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So between Huayla Lupa Island and Ensenada, seems to be a real hotspot.

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When you look at the data, the Nimitz was not an isolated event.

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In fact, the Nimitz may have just happened to trip over one of these hotspots when they were doing their maneuvers out there.

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It's one of the pieces to the puzzle.

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But we would be remiss if we consider it the whole puzzle.

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The mission to Huayla Lupa Island provided valuable new information.

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But for Elizondo and Cahill, the journey was also personal.

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Being part of that incident on the USS Nimitz and now being here 14 years later, right, some time, talk about a cold case, what's it like?

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I gotta be honest with you, man.

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I did get why people don't come forward because it's isolating.

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There were 5,000 people on Nimitz.

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How many people saw it and aren't willing to come forward?

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I know what I saw.

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Even if I don't know what it is, I know I saw it.

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Like, it was on tape, it was on radar.

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I mean, that boosts me.

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We don't have all the answers yet.

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But we know it's real.

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This had affected Sean profoundly.

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He didn't talk about it much because quite frankly, he thought it was a real thing.

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Because quite frankly, he thought people were going to look at him like he was crazy.

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Do you know what it's like to serve your country, to swear an oath of loyalty, only to have someone come out and say, you're crazy?

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You know, you.

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I've spent my life living in the shadows.

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I put myself out there, voluntarily.

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So I've got no one to blame but me.

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I have people who question my credibility at every turn.

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I want so badly to show people what I've seen and what I know.

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But I can't because I have a non-disclosure agreement with the U.S. government.

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It's very frustrating for me because I know this is real.

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When you look at some of the other incidents over time that we collected back in ATIP,

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we continue to see the same pattern over and over and over again.

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Elizondo is back in the States, briefing the team on his trip to Mexico.

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More people are bringing information and cases to us, military and civilian people.

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And I think this kind of data and information is beginning to make a difference as we're bringing it forward.

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As former Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Intelligence, Chris Mellon knows how difficult it is

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for military personnel to come forward with stories of UFO encounters.

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Those people in the military at these lower-level operational ranks are also swimming upstream,

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trying to get people's attention and say, hey, we've got a genuine issue here, people, we need to

take action.

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And I'm delighted that we're able to assist them in doing that.

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But it's not only the military personnel involved in the incidents who have been silenced.

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I would much rather put this behind me, but the problem is I've seen too much.

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I've talked to too many people. I have too many reports. I know it's real.

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I can't a good consciousness keep my head buried in the sand.

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I had to leave the very job that I love to get my point across.

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The trip to Mexico was a bit of a revelation for us.

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Certainly when I was an ATIP, there was no way I would have been able to go into a foreign country

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and start asking questions about this thing. There's no way that would have happened.

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Lou Elizondo has new evidence that he believes confirms an ominous pattern.

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The Pacific Ocean off Southern California in Mexico is a hotspot for unidentified craft with incredible capabilities.

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If it's okay with you, I'm going to go ahead and provide you his information.

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The newfound freedom to bring information directly to the public is a victory for Elizondo.

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ATIP had a small group of allies, but equally there was a small group of people

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who were diametrically opposed and became increasingly vocal about their opposition to what we were doing.

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Elizondo spent 10 years studying reports of military encounters with UFOs.

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But according to Elizondo, getting anyone inside the Pentagon to pay attention to what he was finding was a daily struggle.

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This intelligence officer worked closely with Elizondo at the Pentagon

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and saw firsthand the challenges he faced.

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When I found out Lou was resigning, I was personally very upset.

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This is my friend, my co-worker, a mentor, somebody that I truly believed in.

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Because she continues to work for the Department of Defense, she wants to remain anonymous.

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Lou sees things in patterns.

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Atty sees the analytic piece behind putting all of this puzzle together and what the various outcomes could be.

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Unfortunately, he had to work through layers of bureaucracy that he would only read about in 1960s Russia.

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It doesn't matter what administration it is, it doesn't matter who's in charge,

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it's just, oh, this is going to get very messy very quickly.

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I'm going to pass it along.

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The government, I believe, doesn't know what to do.

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They don't know how to address this.

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Help us understand how is it that the people who are entrusted with some of the most dangerous missions,

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when they write a report that that has not taken seriously.

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If you're pursuing this and very vocal and very public about it, you want to have a career.

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And that's been stated, it's been proven, there is no question that it's dangerous.

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Are you scared yourself about your own career and your own proximity to this issue?

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Not going to answer that question.

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Fear of being called crazy wasn't the only roadblock to getting Pentagon leadership to care about the issue.

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Some officials that I talked to told me that they thought there was resistance in the Pentagon on religious grounds.

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That effectively you had some senior officers who were Christians who thought looking into this kind of voodoo stuff was dangerous.

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I was pulled into the office of one of these seniors.

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The senior looked at me in the eye and said, I want this program to stop.

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He said, well, okay, but what's the rationale?

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And he said, well, what you're looking at is something that is a demonic presence.

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There's a faction in the government high up in the Pentagon of religious fundamentalists who are concerned that anything paranormal or supernatural is demonic in origin.

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That flying saucers represent demons.

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That if you study this, that you're inviting the devil and Satan into your world.

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You're telling me to ignore it because it goes against your philosophical belief system.

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Well, that's the same thing I faced in Afghanistan and in the Middle East.

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There's no difference.

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Only you're wearing a three-piece suit and they're carrying a Kalashnikov.

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So I couldn't believe what I was hearing.

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Elizondo says his superior's religious beliefs hindered his mission to get the government to take UFOs seriously.

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But he and other government insiders, including former presidential advisor John Podesta, believe the larger political culture is to blame.

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There's a natural tendency to just kind of sweep the question away and to avoid the taboo.

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We've created a culture where you really can't do what any scientist would want to do, any skeptic in the best sense of the word saying, well, maybe we ought to know about it.

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So imagine this for a moment.

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Your job is to give the boss recommended solutions.

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Imagine going now to the boss.

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Sir, we have something.

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We don't know what it is.

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We don't know how it works.

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We don't know who's behind the wheel.

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We don't know what their intentions are.

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And by the way, there's not a damn thing we can do about it.

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By 2017, Elizondo had become so concerned that whatever these craft were, the U.S. military had no way to defend itself against their advanced technology.

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So he tried to send a warning up the chain of command.

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I realized that none of the information and developments that we had in our program in ATIP was being communicated to the Secretary of Defense.

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Elizondo believed the threat was so great that it required the attention of then Secretary of Defense James Mattis.

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There are five people I can count on this hand that if they were to call me at four o'clock in the morning, I would put my boots on and I'd go to war with them.

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Secretary Mattis is number one.

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He is truly one of the greatest Americans I've ever had the honor and pleasure to serve with and for.

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Despite being one of the military's most experienced counterintelligence operatives, even fighting alongside Mattis in Afghanistan in the months after 9-11, every attempt to get a meeting with the Secretary of Defense was thwarted.

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In this particular case, you had a lot of people that were worried about their political careers.

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I attended some meetings that Lou was present at, trying to see how he could be helpful.

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And this actually led to meetings with these senior people who were very close to General Mattis.

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And they were very sympathetic, but they did not see a way ahead.

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They did not see how they could get this by the Praetorian Guard around the Secretary.

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This is a man who's responsible for the safety and security of our country.

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And if you don't give him the information he needs, that is ammunition in order for him to make a right decision.

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Despite our best efforts, we were not successful in actually getting this issue in front of the Secretary and letting him evaluate the evidence himself.

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We've got a problem internally. We've got blinders on. And if we've got blinders on, baby, you're going to get blindsided.

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On the next, on Identified.

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There's a whole fleet of them, what come ASA? You know those voices?

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We're just trying to figure out what were the objects that we saw.

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I've always kind of been somewhat skeptical. I'm a lot more convinced now these vehicles do exist.

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It was basically a cube inside of a sphere.

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Over 60 people have seen these things.

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If people in the DC area knew within minutes of their location these unidentified vehicles are operating,

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I think they would say, isn't this something we ought to pay attention to?