

1  
00:00:17,089 --> 00:00:22,649  
it's been 30 years more than 30 years

2  
00:00:20,010 --> 00:00:25,949  
that the United Nations resolution 33

3  
00:00:22,649 --> 00:00:28,948  
426 was actually adopted by the general

4  
00:00:25,949 --> 00:00:32,939  
assembly at the United Nations in New

5  
00:00:28,949 --> 00:00:36,090  
York a UFO resolution that sounds kind

6  
00:00:32,939 --> 00:00:37,949  
of funny to people to only no UFOs from

7  
00:00:36,090 --> 00:00:41,100  
the mass media from Hollywood movies and

8  
00:00:37,950 --> 00:00:44,700  
so on it's quite funny to see that the

9  
00:00:41,100 --> 00:00:47,070  
UFO topic is has been so serious that it

10  
00:00:44,700 --> 00:00:50,309  
was even dealt with at the United

11  
00:00:47,070 --> 00:00:52,649  
Nations and I'm very happy that I have

12  
00:00:50,308 --> 00:00:55,378  
now the chance to speak to Lee Spiegel

13  
00:00:52,649 --> 00:00:57,660  
he's a producer brighter report and

14  
00:00:55,378 --> 00:01:01,829  
former host of NBC radios the edge of

15  
00:00:57,659 --> 00:01:05,158  
reality show he's hosted nearly 1,500

16  
00:01:01,829 --> 00:01:07,228  
programs on unexplained phenomena and he

17  
00:01:05,159 --> 00:01:10,740  
previously worked at Westwood One radio

18  
00:01:07,228 --> 00:01:12,329  
and ABC News and he's currently with the

19  
00:01:10,739 --> 00:01:14,188  
huffington post and he is the only

20  
00:01:12,329 --> 00:01:16,140  
person to have ever produced the

21  
00:01:14,188 --> 00:01:20,188  
presentation at the United Nations on

22  
00:01:16,140 --> 00:01:22,170  
the subject of UFOs welcome Lea well how

23  
00:01:20,188 --> 00:01:24,959  
are you doing today Rob fine thank you

24  
00:01:22,170 --> 00:01:28,799  
so how did you first become involved in

25  
00:01:24,959 --> 00:01:31,889  
this whole story well a couple years

26  
00:01:28,799 --> 00:01:36,000  
before the United Nations presentation

27  
00:01:31,890 --> 00:01:40,650  
and we're going back now to 1975 I put

28  
00:01:36,000 --> 00:01:44,460  
together I produced a documentary not a

29

00:01:40,650 --> 00:01:48,600  
documentary for television but on on on

30  
00:01:44,459 --> 00:01:51,780  
a recording a vital record album and it

31  
00:01:48,599 --> 00:01:56,819  
was called UFOs the credibility factor I

32  
00:01:51,780 --> 00:01:59,700  
did this for CBS and it it kind of

33  
00:01:56,819 --> 00:02:03,059  
became an instant classic because it was

34  
00:01:59,700 --> 00:02:06,450  
the first time that a major company like

35  
00:02:03,060 --> 00:02:09,270  
CBS had given the go ahead and had

36  
00:02:06,450 --> 00:02:11,969  
committed to putting out a product about

37  
00:02:09,270 --> 00:02:13,800  
UFOs it was also the first time that

38  
00:02:11,969 --> 00:02:17,400  
such a product was

39  
00:02:13,800 --> 00:02:20,189  
advertised on television in a two-minute

40  
00:02:17,400 --> 00:02:23,250  
commercial and it was also the first

41  
00:02:20,189 --> 00:02:26,039  
time that many voices of people came

42  
00:02:23,250 --> 00:02:28,770  
together to talk about the UFO

43  
00:02:26,039 --> 00:02:31,709

encounters military people some

44

00:02:28,770 --> 00:02:35,790

government people law enforcement and

45

00:02:31,710 --> 00:02:37,680

and the whole album came about because I

46

00:02:35,789 --> 00:02:42,389

had been reading about UFOs there was a

47

00:02:37,680 --> 00:02:44,520

big UFO wave in the United States at the

48

00:02:42,389 --> 00:02:47,039

time and I wanted to hear the voices of

49

00:02:44,520 --> 00:02:49,469

people involved and I thought that the

50

00:02:47,039 --> 00:02:52,560

public wanted to hear this too so I put

51

00:02:49,469 --> 00:02:56,460

this album together and we we released

52

00:02:52,560 --> 00:03:01,530

it in the beginning of 1976 and then a

53

00:02:56,460 --> 00:03:05,129

year later I started noticing that the

54

00:03:01,530 --> 00:03:08,310

country of Grenada was starting to make

55

00:03:05,129 --> 00:03:11,609

some waves at the United Nations its

56

00:03:08,310 --> 00:03:14,550

prime minister Eric Gary had gotten

57

00:03:11,610 --> 00:03:18,300

before the General Assembly and had

58  
00:03:14,550 --> 00:03:22,200  
tried to get the UN to pay attention to

59  
00:03:18,300 --> 00:03:25,830  
his interest in UFOs in his country of

60  
00:03:22,199 --> 00:03:27,709  
Grenada and he wanted the United Nations

61  
00:03:25,830 --> 00:03:31,140  
to put some kind of a committee together

62  
00:03:27,709 --> 00:03:33,330  
that would study UFOs share the

63  
00:03:31,139 --> 00:03:36,359  
information with other countries and I

64  
00:03:33,330 --> 00:03:38,219  
thought this was very interesting and I

65  
00:03:36,360 --> 00:03:40,910  
also noticed that the United Nations

66  
00:03:38,219 --> 00:03:45,800  
wasn't paying any attention to the guy

67  
00:03:40,909 --> 00:03:48,959  
so I came up with an idea I I wanted

68  
00:03:45,800 --> 00:03:52,260  
after doing the album in 1975 and

69  
00:03:48,959 --> 00:03:54,330  
releasing it in 76 I became Restless I

70  
00:03:52,259 --> 00:03:57,169  
to me it wasn't enough I wanted to do

71  
00:03:54,330 --> 00:04:02,280  
something more to make people aware of

72  
00:03:57,169 --> 00:04:05,039  
UFOs and and and I realized that you

73  
00:04:02,280 --> 00:04:08,459  
can't just walk in to the United Nations

74  
00:04:05,039 --> 00:04:11,659  
off the street and say hello may I do a

75  
00:04:08,459 --> 00:04:14,729  
United Nations UFO presentation please

76  
00:04:11,659 --> 00:04:18,000  
because you can't do that you have to be

77  
00:04:14,729 --> 00:04:22,529  
part of a delegation of a country that

78  
00:04:18,000 --> 00:04:25,259  
wants to to do this so since Eric Gary

79  
00:04:22,529 --> 00:04:27,599  
and Grenada were the only game in town

80  
00:04:25,259 --> 00:04:34,529  
they were the only ones talking about

81  
00:04:27,600 --> 00:04:37,530  
UFOs I sent a copy of my UFO album over

82  
00:04:34,529 --> 00:04:41,129  
to the Grenada mission to their

83  
00:04:37,529 --> 00:04:43,799  
ambassadors with a note saying please

84  
00:04:41,129 --> 00:04:47,490  
give this album to your Prime Minister

85  
00:04:43,800 --> 00:04:50,040  
with my compliments and I would love to

86

00:04:47,490 --> 00:04:53,250  
be able to talk with him about an idea

87  
00:04:50,040 --> 00:04:57,800  
that i have about bringing UFOs to the

88  
00:04:53,250 --> 00:05:02,069  
United Nations so I became friendly with

89  
00:04:57,800 --> 00:05:05,310  
his ambassadors and had many meetings

90  
00:05:02,069 --> 00:05:07,379  
with them and they finally invited me to

91  
00:05:05,310 --> 00:05:12,149  
come to the United Nations on the night

92  
00:05:07,379 --> 00:05:15,149  
that Eric gary was knighted as Sir Eric

93  
00:05:12,149 --> 00:05:17,789  
Carrie because they said he wanted to

94  
00:05:15,149 --> 00:05:20,539  
meet me and so I went there that night

95  
00:05:17,790 --> 00:05:23,670  
it was it was an amazing experience and

96  
00:05:20,540 --> 00:05:26,850  
the Prime Minister and I had a private

97  
00:05:23,670 --> 00:05:30,650  
meeting he told me how much he liked my

98  
00:05:26,850 --> 00:05:34,080  
album and what could we do together I

99  
00:05:30,649 --> 00:05:37,769  
said well mr. prime minister with all

100  
00:05:34,079 --> 00:05:41,430

due respect I can see that the United

101

00:05:37,769 --> 00:05:45,269

Nations isn't really paying a lot of

102

00:05:41,430 --> 00:05:48,389

attention to your crusade about UFOs now

103

00:05:45,269 --> 00:05:50,639

as you know all the people on my album

104

00:05:48,389 --> 00:05:53,099

are very credible people and I have more

105

00:05:50,639 --> 00:05:57,719

credible people that I can bring to a

106

00:05:53,100 --> 00:05:59,910

presentation if you would sponsor my

107

00:05:57,720 --> 00:06:03,330

presentation I will bring all these

108

00:05:59,910 --> 00:06:05,760

people together at that the United

109

00:06:03,329 --> 00:06:10,349

Nations will pay attention to with all

110

00:06:05,759 --> 00:06:14,519

due respect sir hence and so over a

111

00:06:10,350 --> 00:06:16,470

handshake we made a deal and and I

112

00:06:14,519 --> 00:06:20,129

started getting checks from the country

113

00:06:16,470 --> 00:06:22,470

of Grenada to pay for the work that i

114

00:06:20,129 --> 00:06:25,980

needed to do to gather all the

115  
00:06:22,470 --> 00:06:28,200  
documents all the materials to pay for

116  
00:06:25,980 --> 00:06:30,990  
people's transportation to the United

117  
00:06:28,199 --> 00:06:34,019  
Nations and we were often running and

118  
00:06:30,990 --> 00:06:37,259  
that's how it started so so you started

119  
00:06:34,019 --> 00:06:39,149  
this whole campaign when when was one

120  
00:06:37,259 --> 00:06:39,740  
bar the United Nations first informed

121  
00:06:39,149 --> 00:06:41,870  
about

122  
00:06:39,740 --> 00:06:43,819  
the fact that the grenadin missed the

123  
00:06:41,870 --> 00:06:45,970  
Canadian mission will introduce a

124  
00:06:43,819 --> 00:06:49,819  
resolution draft about about this issue

125  
00:06:45,970 --> 00:06:52,550  
well he began to talk about it in 1977

126  
00:06:49,819 --> 00:06:56,030  
my belief and and at the time he was

127  
00:06:52,550 --> 00:06:58,910  
drafting his resolution and it may have

128  
00:06:56,029 --> 00:07:04,219  
nearly been completed by the time that

129  
00:06:58,910 --> 00:07:08,419  
we had done our handshake to agree to do

130  
00:07:04,220 --> 00:07:10,520  
a presentation together but what the way

131  
00:07:08,418 --> 00:07:12,589  
it works at the UN at the UN today at

132  
00:07:10,519 --> 00:07:14,750  
some point during the year the General

133  
00:07:12,589 --> 00:07:17,689  
Assembly and all the important

134  
00:07:14,750 --> 00:07:21,019  
committees they take a vacation they

135  
00:07:17,689 --> 00:07:24,439  
take a break and then they reconvene in

136  
00:07:21,019 --> 00:07:30,649  
the fall of the year so what we did was

137  
00:07:24,439 --> 00:07:33,620  
in July of 1978 I'll we arranged to have

138  
00:07:30,649 --> 00:07:35,568  
a meeting during the summer at the

139  
00:07:33,620 --> 00:07:38,090  
United Nations with Secretary General

140  
00:07:35,569 --> 00:07:40,879  
Kurt Waldheim and the purpose of that

141  
00:07:38,089 --> 00:07:45,168  
meeting was to let him know what our

142  
00:07:40,879 --> 00:07:48,168  
plan was in November when we were going

143

00:07:45,168 --> 00:07:50,569  
to do the actual presentation and so he

144  
00:07:48,168 --> 00:07:51,948  
the secretary-general wanted to know

145  
00:07:50,569 --> 00:07:54,050  
who's going to be there what's the

146  
00:07:51,949 --> 00:07:56,960  
purpose of it I believe at that point is

147  
00:07:54,050 --> 00:07:59,509  
when Eric re actually presented the

148  
00:07:56,959 --> 00:08:01,489  
resolution to the secretary-general and

149  
00:07:59,509 --> 00:08:03,710  
said here is what we formally would like

150  
00:08:01,490 --> 00:08:06,710  
to do at the United Nations and here are

151  
00:08:03,709 --> 00:08:08,959  
some of the people today who are going

152  
00:08:06,709 --> 00:08:11,209  
to help us with with bringing it to the

153  
00:08:08,959 --> 00:08:14,209  
attention of the world body and there

154  
00:08:11,209 --> 00:08:15,769  
were several pictures taken of all of us

155  
00:08:14,209 --> 00:08:17,750  
sitting around that table with the

156  
00:08:15,769 --> 00:08:20,269  
secretary-general and at least one of

157  
00:08:17,750 --> 00:08:22,788

those pictures has become pretty famous

158

00:08:20,269 --> 00:08:24,740

it's been published many times around

159

00:08:22,788 --> 00:08:28,478

the world and books and magazines that

160

00:08:24,740 --> 00:08:33,049

show us their astronaut Gordon Cooper

161

00:08:28,478 --> 00:08:37,250

dr. J Allen Hynek dr. Jacques Vallee the

162

00:08:33,049 --> 00:08:41,028

secretary-general me and then that

163

00:08:37,250 --> 00:08:43,250

picture kind of let the public know that

164

00:08:41,028 --> 00:08:46,429

there was something coming up at the

165

00:08:43,250 --> 00:08:48,679

United Nations about UFOs for the first

166

00:08:46,429 --> 00:08:53,149

time what was the atmosphere during that

167

00:08:48,679 --> 00:08:56,659

meeting it was very cordial um I

168

00:08:53,149 --> 00:09:00,139

I noticed that a couple of scientists

169

00:08:56,659 --> 00:09:04,069

who were there seemed a little stiff and

170

00:09:00,139 --> 00:09:10,129

maybe that's because many scientists are

171

00:09:04,070 --> 00:09:12,080

very stiff that that that's that's a

172  
00:09:10,129 --> 00:09:15,169  
perception that the the public has had

173  
00:09:12,080 --> 00:09:16,850  
about scientists and science I think

174  
00:09:15,169 --> 00:09:19,909  
they were a little uncomfortable maybe a

175  
00:09:16,850 --> 00:09:21,980  
little overwhelmed because they were

176  
00:09:19,909 --> 00:09:24,049  
sitting among some pretty important

177  
00:09:21,980 --> 00:09:25,759  
people at the United Nations and and

178  
00:09:24,049 --> 00:09:29,029  
then they couldn't believe that they

179  
00:09:25,759 --> 00:09:33,049  
were actually there i was i was already

180  
00:09:29,029 --> 00:09:35,990  
working for NBC radio at the time or

181  
00:09:33,049 --> 00:09:40,129  
actually i know i shouldn't say that

182  
00:09:35,990 --> 00:09:44,960  
because that was in july of 1978 NBC

183  
00:09:40,129 --> 00:09:46,879  
hired me in october when they when they

184  
00:09:44,960 --> 00:09:48,680  
heard that I was putting the

185  
00:09:46,879 --> 00:09:50,779  
presentation together and they thought

186  
00:09:48,679 --> 00:09:54,289  
well maybe we should hire this guy to

187  
00:09:50,779 --> 00:09:57,829  
come on the air and do UFO reports so so

188  
00:09:54,289 --> 00:10:00,259  
in july i think i was just pretty i was

189  
00:09:57,830 --> 00:10:02,570  
so impressed with all the people that

190  
00:10:00,259 --> 00:10:06,679  
were sitting there at the table with me

191  
00:10:02,570 --> 00:10:09,560  
and I remember just saying to myself be

192  
00:10:06,679 --> 00:10:12,259  
cool stay cool this is this is a very

193  
00:10:09,559 --> 00:10:16,369  
amazing situation that you find yourself

194  
00:10:12,259 --> 00:10:20,659  
in you know like don't don't look at the

195  
00:10:16,370 --> 00:10:24,289  
cameras don't you know don't slouch over

196  
00:10:20,659 --> 00:10:26,719  
and you see you know don't do any weird

197  
00:10:24,289 --> 00:10:30,949  
bad habits because a lot of pictures of

198  
00:10:26,720 --> 00:10:33,110  
being taken just just be here be be very

199  
00:10:30,950 --> 00:10:37,300  
good and say what you want to say and

200

00:10:33,110 --> 00:10:37,300  
then get out of here as fast as you can

201  
00:10:38,200 --> 00:10:43,900  
so then you you you you sit there and

202  
00:10:41,450 --> 00:10:46,879  
you you took all the precautions

203  
00:10:43,899 --> 00:10:49,220  
preparations you informed the Secretary

204  
00:10:46,879 --> 00:10:52,759  
General of your plan and then I do you

205  
00:10:49,220 --> 00:10:55,509  
think it was received from his part well

206  
00:10:52,759 --> 00:10:59,860  
from his part like I said III think that

207  
00:10:55,509 --> 00:11:02,840  
he was very cordial I learned later that

208  
00:10:59,860 --> 00:11:04,580  
that he had had a personal interest in

209  
00:11:02,840 --> 00:11:06,600  
UFOs but I didn't know what to what

210  
00:11:04,580 --> 00:11:09,420  
extent that interest

211  
00:11:06,600 --> 00:11:13,350  
was and and frankly I didn't care

212  
00:11:09,419 --> 00:11:17,338  
because all I knew was that I had been

213  
00:11:13,350 --> 00:11:19,170  
given the green light to go ahead and

214  
00:11:17,339 --> 00:11:21,120

put this together and so now it was my

215

00:11:19,169 --> 00:11:24,990  
job to spend the rest of the time

216

00:11:21,120 --> 00:11:27,419  
between july and november to get the

217

00:11:24,990 --> 00:11:29,789  
presentation ready that was that was all

218

00:11:27,419 --> 00:11:33,448  
that I could focus on because I knew

219

00:11:29,789 --> 00:11:35,939  
that the UN was basically expecting me

220

00:11:33,448 --> 00:11:38,338  
to pull out a good show and and to get

221

00:11:35,940 --> 00:11:41,519  
it together so I was I was just very

222

00:11:38,339 --> 00:11:44,639  
focused and and if I actually I never

223

00:11:41,519 --> 00:11:46,919  
saw or spoke to the secretary general

224

00:11:44,639 --> 00:11:49,709  
again after that and that was fine

225

00:11:46,919 --> 00:11:51,719  
because I didn't need to okay so what

226

00:11:49,708 --> 00:11:55,039  
exactly did you present at the United

227

00:11:51,720 --> 00:11:58,589  
Nations well what we did was we had

228

00:11:55,039 --> 00:12:01,980  
several speakers lined up including

229  
00:11:58,589 --> 00:12:08,600  
astronomers J Allen Hynek Jacques Vallee

230  
00:12:01,980 --> 00:12:12,600  
an army helicopter captain Larry coin

231  
00:12:08,600 --> 00:12:14,850  
Stan Friedman and we were originally

232  
00:12:12,600 --> 00:12:18,810  
going to have astronaut Gordon Cooper

233  
00:12:14,850 --> 00:12:20,730  
who was with us at that July meeting but

234  
00:12:18,809 --> 00:12:23,068  
there was a schedule conflict and he

235  
00:12:20,730 --> 00:12:27,839  
wasn't able to be at the United Nations

236  
00:12:23,068 --> 00:12:33,269  
with us in November so what I did was to

237  
00:12:27,839 --> 00:12:36,149  
I asked him if he would make a a letter

238  
00:12:33,269 --> 00:12:38,759  
to draw a letter on that he would

239  
00:12:36,149 --> 00:12:41,899  
address to the ambassador's or to the

240  
00:12:38,759 --> 00:12:43,829  
Prime Minister grenada on his official

241  
00:12:41,899 --> 00:12:46,500  
letterhead and I said I want you to

242  
00:12:43,828 --> 00:12:49,679  
write a letter and in this letter I want

243  
00:12:46,500 --> 00:12:52,948  
you to talk about your personal beliefs

244  
00:12:49,679 --> 00:12:56,969  
about UFOs your personal experiences

245  
00:12:52,948 --> 00:12:59,059  
seeing UFOs and and what you think the

246  
00:12:56,970 --> 00:13:02,550  
united nations should do about

247  
00:12:59,059 --> 00:13:04,979  
investigating studying UFOs and so he

248  
00:13:02,549 --> 00:13:08,068  
wrote this letter he sent the letter to

249  
00:13:04,980 --> 00:13:11,370  
me and I made about a million copies of

250  
00:13:08,068 --> 00:13:13,889  
it because I had I had to take all of

251  
00:13:11,370 --> 00:13:17,068  
the materials and I've been gathering

252  
00:13:13,889 --> 00:13:18,778  
and submit them to the United Nations to

253  
00:13:17,068 --> 00:13:20,149  
have them translated into several

254  
00:13:18,778 --> 00:13:22,669  
languages

255  
00:13:20,149 --> 00:13:25,879  
I needed time to do all that and then

256  
00:13:22,669 --> 00:13:29,360  
once he sent me the letter and I had

257

00:13:25,879 --> 00:13:31,970  
everything translated I then passed the

258  
00:13:29,360 --> 00:13:35,180  
original letter on to Grenada so they

259  
00:13:31,970 --> 00:13:37,580  
would have that in their files and that

260  
00:13:35,179 --> 00:13:41,269  
letter from Gordon Cooper to the United

261  
00:13:37,580 --> 00:13:44,210  
Nations has been published many many

262  
00:13:41,269 --> 00:13:47,360  
times in many documents and newspapers

263  
00:13:44,210 --> 00:13:51,080  
around the world since that time because

264  
00:13:47,360 --> 00:13:53,840  
he was the first astronaut to come out

265  
00:13:51,080 --> 00:13:58,250  
publicly like that to really voice his

266  
00:13:53,840 --> 00:13:59,810  
opinion about UFOs so it was all right

267  
00:13:58,250 --> 00:14:01,460  
that he wasn't actually at the United

268  
00:13:59,809 --> 00:14:04,489  
Nations in November because his letter

269  
00:14:01,460 --> 00:14:07,310  
was and that was important and I

270  
00:14:04,490 --> 00:14:11,330  
mentioned one of the speakers at the UN

271  
00:14:07,309 --> 00:14:13,609

was a army captain Larry coin the reason

272

00:14:11,330 --> 00:14:17,690

I wanted him there was because he was

273

00:14:13,610 --> 00:14:21,169

the pilot of an army helicopter that was

274

00:14:17,690 --> 00:14:24,980

involved with an amazing UFO encounter

275

00:14:21,169 --> 00:14:27,259

in 1973 his story when it when it came

276

00:14:24,980 --> 00:14:31,300

out was one of the first stories that

277

00:14:27,259 --> 00:14:35,210

grabbed my attention about UFOs because

278

00:14:31,299 --> 00:14:37,789

after the encounter he had the Army did

279

00:14:35,210 --> 00:14:39,500

not try and keep him quiet about it they

280

00:14:37,789 --> 00:14:40,969

said if you want to talk to the press go

281

00:14:39,500 --> 00:14:43,850

ahead and talk to the press we don't

282

00:14:40,970 --> 00:14:47,149

care and he basically he was in command

283

00:14:43,850 --> 00:14:51,259

of a four-man helicopter crew flying

284

00:14:47,149 --> 00:14:53,269

over Ohio in the United States and they

285

00:14:51,259 --> 00:14:55,939

saw this object coming at them from the

286  
00:14:53,269 --> 00:14:57,259  
horizon and it was moving so fast they

287  
00:14:55,940 --> 00:14:59,690  
thought it was going to collide with

288  
00:14:57,259 --> 00:15:02,029  
their helicopter so all they could do

289  
00:14:59,690 --> 00:15:04,250  
was to sit there and assume that they

290  
00:15:02,029 --> 00:15:06,230  
were going to die but instead of

291  
00:15:04,250 --> 00:15:09,740  
colliding with the helicopter the object

292  
00:15:06,230 --> 00:15:13,399  
stopped and it moved directly above the

293  
00:15:09,740 --> 00:15:16,129  
helicopter and it shined a green light

294  
00:15:13,399 --> 00:15:19,250  
into their cockpit everything in the

295  
00:15:16,129 --> 00:15:21,830  
cockpit was bathed in a green glow and

296  
00:15:19,250 --> 00:15:23,600  
as they SAT there wondering what this

297  
00:15:21,830 --> 00:15:28,280  
was they could look up and see that it

298  
00:15:23,600 --> 00:15:31,490  
was it was a giant cigar-shaped craft it

299  
00:15:28,279 --> 00:15:34,069  
had no wings no tail it just looked like

300  
00:15:31,490 --> 00:15:38,269  
a giant cigar shaped thing

301  
00:15:34,070 --> 00:15:42,620  
and suddenly the helicopter was pulled

302  
00:15:38,269 --> 00:15:44,539  
up and it rose several thousand feet in

303  
00:15:42,620 --> 00:15:46,909  
a matter of seconds this thing just

304  
00:15:44,539 --> 00:15:49,579  
pulled the helicopter up and then there

305  
00:15:46,909 --> 00:15:52,309  
was a bump and the helicopter was

306  
00:15:49,580 --> 00:15:56,660  
released by the UFO the UFO took off

307  
00:15:52,309 --> 00:15:58,939  
well these guys landed several people on

308  
00:15:56,659 --> 00:16:01,399  
the ground also saw this happening and

309  
00:15:58,940 --> 00:16:03,650  
when they landed they went to

310  
00:16:01,399 --> 00:16:05,329  
headquarters and said we're not going to

311  
00:16:03,649 --> 00:16:07,340  
keep quiet about this you know we almost

312  
00:16:05,330 --> 00:16:11,660  
died up there we're going to talk about

313  
00:16:07,340 --> 00:16:15,350  
this so their story came out really fast

314

00:16:11,659 --> 00:16:16,939  
and made headlines and then I decided

315  
00:16:15,350 --> 00:16:20,240  
well I want this guy to come to the

316  
00:16:16,940 --> 00:16:22,820  
United Nations and tell his story and he

317  
00:16:20,240 --> 00:16:25,430  
said he wanted to because he was one of

318  
00:16:22,820 --> 00:16:28,850  
the people on my UFO album that i put

319  
00:16:25,429 --> 00:16:31,189  
together in 1975 and he said i would

320  
00:16:28,850 --> 00:16:33,620  
like to come to the UN and to be one of

321  
00:16:31,190 --> 00:16:37,280  
your speakers but you're going to have

322  
00:16:33,620 --> 00:16:40,159  
to get permission from the army to let

323  
00:16:37,279 --> 00:16:45,279  
me come to New York to do that and so I

324  
00:16:40,159 --> 00:16:49,969  
called his superior officers in Ohio and

325  
00:16:45,279 --> 00:16:52,100  
they said well we will allow captain

326  
00:16:49,970 --> 00:16:54,940  
calling to come there on one condition I

327  
00:16:52,100 --> 00:16:57,620  
said okay what's the condition they said

328  
00:16:54,940 --> 00:17:01,820

we don't want him to appear in his

329

00:16:57,620 --> 00:17:04,578

uniform if you don't mind that he can go

330

00:17:01,820 --> 00:17:07,120

there dressed in a civilian suit but he

331

00:17:04,578 --> 00:17:10,609

can't go there in an official military

332

00:17:07,119 --> 00:17:13,578

capacity and I said is that it is that

333

00:17:10,609 --> 00:17:15,859

the condition they said yes and I said

334

00:17:13,578 --> 00:17:18,500

you know what I'll buy him a suit if I

335

00:17:15,859 --> 00:17:21,139

have to I don't care what he wears you

336

00:17:18,500 --> 00:17:22,730

know you got a deal and so when you see

337

00:17:21,140 --> 00:17:25,189

pictures of him at the United Nations

338

00:17:22,730 --> 00:17:28,009

that's why he's in a regular suit and

339

00:17:25,189 --> 00:17:30,590

not his uniform okay and you also had J

340

00:17:28,009 --> 00:17:32,269

Allen Hynek who at that time was not

341

00:17:30,589 --> 00:17:34,909

acted for the United States Air Force

342

00:17:32,269 --> 00:17:37,849

anymore is that correct that's right he

343  
00:17:34,910 --> 00:17:40,040  
and J Allen Hynek used to be the

344  
00:17:37,849 --> 00:17:42,679  
official scientific consultant to the

345  
00:17:40,039 --> 00:17:45,409  
Air Force to the project blue book he

346  
00:17:42,680 --> 00:17:47,048  
basically was the man that the Air Force

347  
00:17:45,410 --> 00:17:49,210  
would send all

348  
00:17:47,048 --> 00:17:53,609  
the country when they were big UFO

349  
00:17:49,210 --> 00:17:57,429  
sightings and his job was essentially to

350  
00:17:53,609 --> 00:17:59,769  
explain it all away debunk it and just

351  
00:17:57,429 --> 00:18:03,340  
make it go away so how did you I mean

352  
00:17:59,769 --> 00:18:06,849  
how did you manage to to convince him to

353  
00:18:03,339 --> 00:18:11,408  
take part of this Pro UFO initiative at

354  
00:18:06,849 --> 00:18:15,609  
the United Nations oh it was easy he was

355  
00:18:11,409 --> 00:18:18,039  
one of my main speakers on my UFO album

356  
00:18:15,609 --> 00:18:21,158  
again 1975 this is why that album to me

357  
00:18:18,038 --> 00:18:23,398  
is so important if it was you know you

358  
00:18:21,159 --> 00:18:25,690  
know you hear you hear this word

359  
00:18:23,398 --> 00:18:29,138  
disclosure that people are always using

360  
00:18:25,690 --> 00:18:31,330  
now about UFOs it's time for disclosure

361  
00:18:29,138 --> 00:18:34,028  
people are now disclosing their

362  
00:18:31,329 --> 00:18:37,019  
information well we didn't use that word

363  
00:18:34,028 --> 00:18:39,898  
disclosure back in the 1970s but

364  
00:18:37,019 --> 00:18:43,480  
basically that's what I was doing I was

365  
00:18:39,898 --> 00:18:46,148  
disclosing information about UFOs first

366  
00:18:43,480 --> 00:18:48,819  
on my album and then at the United

367  
00:18:46,148 --> 00:18:53,768  
Nations so hi Nick and I became friends

368  
00:18:48,819 --> 00:18:56,499  
in 1975 when he was one of the first

369  
00:18:53,769 --> 00:18:59,200  
scientists to to put his voice on my

370  
00:18:56,499 --> 00:19:01,329  
album and so the album was out there it

371

00:18:59,200 --> 00:19:04,929  
did very well he was very impressed with

372  
00:19:01,329 --> 00:19:06,668  
it so then the following year when I

373  
00:19:04,929 --> 00:19:09,340  
started thinking about the United

374  
00:19:06,669 --> 00:19:11,019  
Nations he was the first person I called

375  
00:19:09,339 --> 00:19:12,368  
and I said look I've got this idea I

376  
00:19:11,019 --> 00:19:15,179  
want to do this thing at the United

377  
00:19:12,368 --> 00:19:17,769  
Nations do you want to do it with me and

378  
00:19:15,179 --> 00:19:21,330  
he said absolutely and he wrote me a

379  
00:19:17,769 --> 00:19:26,378  
letter that that you can see on my

380  
00:19:21,329 --> 00:19:28,569  
website Lee Spiegel com where his letter

381  
00:19:26,378 --> 00:19:30,308  
basically says I want to be there at the

382  
00:19:28,569 --> 00:19:32,200  
United Nations with you here's why I

383  
00:19:30,308 --> 00:19:34,358  
think it's important that that we do

384  
00:19:32,200 --> 00:19:36,340  
something on an international scale I've

385  
00:19:34,358 --> 00:19:38,048

always wanted to bring it to the United

386

00:19:36,339 --> 00:19:40,148

Nations let me know what I can do to

387

00:19:38,048 --> 00:19:43,960

help you and that's how he got involved

388

00:19:40,148 --> 00:19:46,058

with it okay so um you had all these

389

00:19:43,960 --> 00:19:48,940

famous people you had Jacques Vallee

390

00:19:46,058 --> 00:19:51,608

include flare from France I don't know

391

00:19:48,940 --> 00:19:54,210

if if the French already had their civil

392

00:19:51,608 --> 00:19:57,730

their civilian UFO investigation

393

00:19:54,210 --> 00:20:00,940

department at that time or well they had

394

00:19:57,730 --> 00:20:04,930

it was actually a unofficial the poor

395

00:20:00,940 --> 00:20:09,610

mancala Japan ah and the head of Japan

396

00:20:04,930 --> 00:20:13,630

was astronomer clodpole hair and because

397

00:20:09,609 --> 00:20:16,479

he was friendly with dr. Hynek Hynek

398

00:20:13,630 --> 00:20:18,760

brought him to America to be part of

399

00:20:16,480 --> 00:20:21,430

that July meeting that we had with the

400  
00:20:18,759 --> 00:20:23,259  
Secretary General in 1978 and if you

401  
00:20:21,430 --> 00:20:25,720  
look at that famous picture of all of us

402  
00:20:23,259 --> 00:20:28,720  
there you see po hair sitting next to

403  
00:20:25,720 --> 00:20:31,569  
dr. Hynek and and soap oh here it was

404  
00:20:28,720 --> 00:20:35,170  
great to meet him because I was not

405  
00:20:31,569 --> 00:20:38,319  
aware of who he was until dr. Hynek said

406  
00:20:35,170 --> 00:20:40,900  
to me would you mind if we bring dr. pol

407  
00:20:38,319 --> 00:20:42,970  
harun from france because he's in charge

408  
00:20:40,900 --> 00:20:45,759  
of their official government UFO office

409  
00:20:42,970 --> 00:20:48,940  
and I said of course absolutely you know

410  
00:20:45,759 --> 00:20:51,480  
bring him in and so so that that's how

411  
00:20:48,940 --> 00:20:56,380  
France became involved with the project

412  
00:20:51,480 --> 00:21:00,190  
and obviously the the meeting that you

413  
00:20:56,380 --> 00:21:02,800  
had back in July 90 of 1978 with the

414  
00:21:00,190 --> 00:21:05,920  
secretary-general stirred a lot of

415  
00:21:02,799 --> 00:21:07,990  
attention as we learn from British

416  
00:21:05,920 --> 00:21:12,670  
government documents released back in

417  
00:21:07,990 --> 00:21:16,859  
March 2011 I'm amazing it I have to tell

418  
00:21:12,670 --> 00:21:20,259  
you you know I i was i was working for

419  
00:21:16,859 --> 00:21:23,740  
AOL News Huffington Post last year when

420  
00:21:20,259 --> 00:21:27,460  
those documents were released and so

421  
00:21:23,740 --> 00:21:32,170  
that was like 33 years after my un

422  
00:21:27,460 --> 00:21:35,230  
presentation right so my my editor said

423  
00:21:32,170 --> 00:21:38,110  
to me these new documents have been

424  
00:21:35,230 --> 00:21:39,490  
released by the British government why

425  
00:21:38,109 --> 00:21:41,500  
don't you do a story about it and I said

426  
00:21:39,490 --> 00:21:44,589  
all right fine you know might be a good

427  
00:21:41,500 --> 00:21:48,220  
story and and I started looking at the

428

00:21:44,589 --> 00:21:51,509  
documents and the first story that I

429  
00:21:48,220 --> 00:21:54,490  
read about them was written by the BBC I

430  
00:21:51,509 --> 00:21:57,640  
in England because they I think they

431  
00:21:54,490 --> 00:22:00,130  
were among the first media companies to

432  
00:21:57,640 --> 00:22:01,330  
actually get those documents so I wanted

433  
00:22:00,130 --> 00:22:03,790  
to see what they wrote about the

434  
00:22:01,329 --> 00:22:06,849  
documents and I'm reading a story and it

435  
00:22:03,789 --> 00:22:09,789  
says among the documents just released

436  
00:22:06,849 --> 00:22:14,319  
by our British government are some some

437  
00:22:09,789 --> 00:22:19,538  
key documents that talk about how

438  
00:22:14,319 --> 00:22:22,750  
oh great britain tried to stop a 19 77

439  
00:22:19,538 --> 00:22:27,250  
and 78 presentation at the United

440  
00:22:22,750 --> 00:22:30,220  
Nations on UFOs I went what what what

441  
00:22:27,250 --> 00:22:33,759  
what what did i just read Great Britain

442  
00:22:30,220 --> 00:22:35,288

tried to stop what I went back and I

443

00:22:33,759 --> 00:22:39,308

read it over again I went wait a minute

444

00:22:35,288 --> 00:22:41,919

that was my presentation England tried

445

00:22:39,308 --> 00:22:46,298

to prevent my presentation wait a minute

446

00:22:41,919 --> 00:22:48,009

this something's wrong here so I I said

447

00:22:46,298 --> 00:22:51,398

why am i learning about this now 33

448

00:22:48,009 --> 00:22:54,429

years later so I I went back to my

449

00:22:51,398 --> 00:22:55,599

editor and I said look this story that

450

00:22:54,429 --> 00:22:59,519

you wanted me to write about the

451

00:22:55,599 --> 00:23:01,928

documents it has now become personal

452

00:22:59,519 --> 00:23:04,929

because now it's involving something

453

00:23:01,929 --> 00:23:07,899

that I did 33 years ago can I turn the

454

00:23:04,929 --> 00:23:09,788

story around and make it a more personal

455

00:23:07,898 --> 00:23:12,428

story because I want to find out what

456

00:23:09,788 --> 00:23:15,638

this is all about he said yeah sure go

457  
00:23:12,429 --> 00:23:17,710  
do it so the first thing i did was i

458  
00:23:15,638 --> 00:23:23,969  
pick up the phone and I called nick pope

459  
00:23:17,710 --> 00:23:27,610  
in London Nick for three years was the

460  
00:23:23,970 --> 00:23:31,089  
the head of the British government UFO

461  
00:23:27,609 --> 00:23:35,319  
office at the Ministry of Defence he did

462  
00:23:31,089 --> 00:23:37,148  
this between 1991 and 1994 and I also

463  
00:23:35,319 --> 00:23:41,019  
knew that because of his involvement

464  
00:23:37,148 --> 00:23:43,418  
with the British government when Great

465  
00:23:41,019 --> 00:23:45,909  
Britain released new documents about

466  
00:23:43,419 --> 00:23:48,038  
UFOs they always gave him the dot him

467  
00:23:45,909 --> 00:23:51,549  
the documents first so he could go over

468  
00:23:48,038 --> 00:23:53,798  
them as a courtesy to him before they

469  
00:23:51,548 --> 00:23:55,359  
release them to the public so I wanted

470  
00:23:53,798 --> 00:23:57,398  
to talk to Nick and see what he knew

471  
00:23:55,359 --> 00:24:00,158  
about these documents about my

472  
00:23:57,398 --> 00:24:02,138  
presentation so I call him up first

473  
00:24:00,159 --> 00:24:05,710  
thing he said to me was I've been

474  
00:24:02,138 --> 00:24:08,168  
expecting your call ah that's I said oh

475  
00:24:05,710 --> 00:24:12,009  
really you've been expecting my call

476  
00:24:08,169 --> 00:24:14,549  
okay tell me about your country and my

477  
00:24:12,009 --> 00:24:19,240  
un presentation he said well apparently

478  
00:24:14,548 --> 00:24:22,990  
great britain at the time in 1978 felt

479  
00:24:19,240 --> 00:24:25,679  
that it would not be a good idea for the

480  
00:24:22,990 --> 00:24:28,179  
United Nations to do anything about UFOs

481  
00:24:25,679 --> 00:24:33,269  
especially to acknowledge

482  
00:24:28,179 --> 00:24:36,778  
UFOs even exist because they felt that

483  
00:24:33,269 --> 00:24:39,490  
the United Nations would fall into

484  
00:24:36,778 --> 00:24:41,200  
disrepute that people would no longer

485

00:24:39,490 --> 00:24:45,399  
think of the United Nations as a

486  
00:24:41,200 --> 00:24:47,860  
credible entity I went well so they

487  
00:24:45,398 --> 00:24:49,628  
gotta pick on me they decided to stop my

488  
00:24:47,859 --> 00:24:50,769  
presentation they could have been any

489  
00:24:49,628 --> 00:24:54,939  
other things that they could have done

490  
00:24:50,769 --> 00:24:56,349  
that could cause them non credibility in

491  
00:24:54,940 --> 00:24:59,019  
the world why do they have to choose

492  
00:24:56,349 --> 00:25:02,849  
UFOs he said because this is a very

493  
00:24:59,019 --> 00:25:05,829  
touchy subject matter well part of what

494  
00:25:02,849 --> 00:25:08,319  
what happened when Nick was with the

495  
00:25:05,829 --> 00:25:11,439  
Ministry of Defense he told me

496  
00:25:08,319 --> 00:25:15,388  
exclusively and I wrote a separate story

497  
00:25:11,440 --> 00:25:19,899  
about this it was part of his job to

498  
00:25:15,388 --> 00:25:22,269  
debunk UFOs they called it spin and

499  
00:25:19,898 --> 00:25:24,398

dirty tricks that they played on the

500

00:25:22,269 --> 00:25:27,128

public and the media and I said well

501

00:25:24,398 --> 00:25:31,989

what does that mean he said I was told

502

00:25:27,128 --> 00:25:34,269

to to draft press memos and information

503

00:25:31,990 --> 00:25:37,929

that we gave to the press and to the

504

00:25:34,269 --> 00:25:40,778

public where we downplayed UFOs and we

505

00:25:37,929 --> 00:25:43,570

tried to make all UFOs go away and I

506

00:25:40,778 --> 00:25:45,849

said well why did you do that why the

507

00:25:43,569 --> 00:25:50,349

British government want to do that he

508

00:25:45,849 --> 00:25:53,349

said because we were concerned that we

509

00:25:50,349 --> 00:25:56,469

didn't want the public to know that

510

00:25:53,349 --> 00:26:00,128

there were actually things operating in

511

00:25:56,470 --> 00:26:02,769

our skies that we had no control over so

512

00:26:00,128 --> 00:26:07,599

we had to quiet it as much as we could I

513

00:26:02,769 --> 00:26:09,638

went wow that's amazing and it excuse me

514  
00:26:07,599 --> 00:26:12,069  
and it seems that the the United Nations

515  
00:26:09,638 --> 00:26:13,569  
or the the permanent missions to the

516  
00:26:12,069 --> 00:26:15,490  
United Nations at that time back in

517  
00:26:13,569 --> 00:26:17,980  
nineteen seventy eight were also afraid

518  
00:26:15,490 --> 00:26:21,519  
that this subject would eventually

519  
00:26:17,980 --> 00:26:24,249  
become a serious subject and they they

520  
00:26:21,519 --> 00:26:26,259  
tried to according to the British

521  
00:26:24,249 --> 00:26:30,069  
government documents here i'm quoting

522  
00:26:26,259 --> 00:26:33,909  
from a from a telegram from november

523  
00:26:30,069 --> 00:26:37,210  
24th Miley 78 where the united nations

524  
00:26:33,909 --> 00:26:41,260  
are the the the british permanent

525  
00:26:37,210 --> 00:26:43,240  
mission is instructed to oppose the

526  
00:26:41,259 --> 00:26:47,289  
resolution draft by cremita and to try

527  
00:26:43,240 --> 00:26:49,870  
to convince Grenada to to let go of that

528  
00:26:47,289 --> 00:26:52,960  
idea to establish a UN body to

529  
00:26:49,869 --> 00:26:55,689  
investigate UFOs and here it says it

530  
00:26:52,960 --> 00:26:57,940  
says the idea is to let mr. Gary have

531  
00:26:55,690 --> 00:26:59,490  
his day waiting until he has left New

532  
00:26:57,940 --> 00:27:01,779  
York before attempting to negotiate

533  
00:26:59,490 --> 00:27:04,480  
compromise with the Grenada mission

534  
00:27:01,779 --> 00:27:06,700  
which will ideally require minimal or

535  
00:27:04,480 --> 00:27:10,000  
even know UN involvement at no

536  
00:27:06,700 --> 00:27:11,920  
additional UN expenditure various ideas

537  
00:27:10,000 --> 00:27:14,799  
are beginning to be discussed in the

538  
00:27:11,920 --> 00:27:16,690  
corridors we may be able to report after

539  
00:27:14,799 --> 00:27:19,269  
Monday's meeting which look worth

540  
00:27:16,690 --> 00:27:22,360  
considering how do you feel when you

541  
00:27:19,269 --> 00:27:25,200  
when you read those lines it's amazing

542

00:27:22,359 --> 00:27:28,029  
Rob ah and you're absolutely right that

543  
00:27:25,200 --> 00:27:30,400  
you said that memo was written in on

544  
00:27:28,029 --> 00:27:35,410  
November 24th that was three days before

545  
00:27:30,400 --> 00:27:38,140  
my presentation and it was it's amazing

546  
00:27:35,410 --> 00:27:41,470  
to me now that I was just learning about

547  
00:27:38,140 --> 00:27:46,840  
this as i said 33 years after it all

548  
00:27:41,470 --> 00:27:50,950  
went down i listened on the one hand I I

549  
00:27:46,839 --> 00:27:54,069  
can understand why many countries didn't

550  
00:27:50,950 --> 00:27:56,259  
and probably still don't want to talk

551  
00:27:54,069 --> 00:27:58,809  
about UFOs there are many reasons for

552  
00:27:56,259 --> 00:28:01,990  
that yeah there aren't there are not a

553  
00:27:58,809 --> 00:28:03,849  
lot of leaders of countries who would

554  
00:28:01,990 --> 00:28:06,220  
like to give up what they call their

555  
00:28:03,849 --> 00:28:07,480  
power over their citizens they don't

556  
00:28:06,220 --> 00:28:10,569

want the public to know that there's

557

00:28:07,480 --> 00:28:13,329

maybe maybe new sources of energy that

558

00:28:10,569 --> 00:28:15,609

we could we could use based on UFO

559

00:28:13,329 --> 00:28:19,119

technology because what would happen to

560

00:28:15,609 --> 00:28:22,419

all the companies that rely on unlike

561

00:28:19,119 --> 00:28:26,319

the oil industry for example for energy

562

00:28:22,420 --> 00:28:29,890

there are many repercussions are even

563

00:28:26,319 --> 00:28:33,279

today of why countries should want to

564

00:28:29,890 --> 00:28:35,020

keep quiet about UFOs but it's hard for

565

00:28:33,279 --> 00:28:37,990

them to do because more and more people

566

00:28:35,019 --> 00:28:41,109

now are seeing these things in the sky

567

00:28:37,990 --> 00:28:42,940

because of all but the iphone cameras

568

00:28:41,109 --> 00:28:46,329

and the digital cameras and people are

569

00:28:42,940 --> 00:28:47,980

always holding cameras now one of the

570

00:28:46,329 --> 00:28:50,139

problems with that of course is that you

571  
00:28:47,980 --> 00:28:55,120  
can also fake a lot of stuff to on the

572  
00:28:50,140 --> 00:28:56,710  
internet but so I understand why

573  
00:28:55,119 --> 00:29:00,579  
the United Nations why many of the

574  
00:28:56,710 --> 00:29:02,740  
countries wanted to keep it quiet in in

575  
00:29:00,579 --> 00:29:06,970  
the end it was mostly the soviet union

576  
00:29:02,740 --> 00:29:10,660  
and the united states that the past the

577  
00:29:06,970 --> 00:29:15,160  
veto to try and get other countries to

578  
00:29:10,660 --> 00:29:18,279  
back down and coincidentally was it a

579  
00:29:15,160 --> 00:29:23,170  
coincidence a few months later at the

580  
00:29:18,279 --> 00:29:26,410  
beginning of 1979 suddenly Sir Eric Gary

581  
00:29:23,170 --> 00:29:29,019  
was overthrown in a political coup in

582  
00:29:26,410 --> 00:29:31,690  
his country and and when that happened

583  
00:29:29,019 --> 00:29:35,369  
and he was no longer in power suddenly

584  
00:29:31,690 --> 00:29:37,960  
the UFO resolution quietly went away

585  
00:29:35,369 --> 00:29:41,678  
because no other country wanted to pick

586  
00:29:37,960 --> 00:29:44,620  
up on it now what's what's amazing is

587  
00:29:41,679 --> 00:29:50,800  
that in those British government files

588  
00:29:44,619 --> 00:29:55,299  
of from September 78 you can also see

589  
00:29:50,799 --> 00:29:57,250  
how they tried to to to convince the

590  
00:29:55,299 --> 00:29:59,589  
Grenada mission to give up their

591  
00:29:57,250 --> 00:30:01,539  
proposal of the establishment of the UN

592  
00:29:59,589 --> 00:30:04,000  
body and to try to ease it up you know

593  
00:30:01,539 --> 00:30:06,940  
to lower costs for you and expenditure

594  
00:30:04,000 --> 00:30:08,920  
and all right and this is actually the

595  
00:30:06,940 --> 00:30:12,100  
first document where I ever found any

596  
00:30:08,920 --> 00:30:14,289  
involvement of a German of the Germans

597  
00:30:12,099 --> 00:30:16,839  
in this United Nations resolution here

598  
00:30:14,289 --> 00:30:19,058  
it says the Germans with Austrian

599

00:30:16,839 --> 00:30:21,279  
backing favor a group of experts to be

600  
00:30:19,058 --> 00:30:23,230  
appointed by the government of Grenada

601  
00:30:21,279 --> 00:30:25,029  
which might be in you which might in due

602  
00:30:23,230 --> 00:30:28,569  
course report its findings to the

603  
00:30:25,029 --> 00:30:31,359  
secretary-general and that's when I

604  
00:30:28,569 --> 00:30:33,339  
started to do my investigation and

605  
00:30:31,359 --> 00:30:36,250  
looked at the political archives of the

606  
00:30:33,339 --> 00:30:38,250  
German Federal Foreign Office and i

607  
00:30:36,250 --> 00:30:41,470  
found the documents as i've told you

608  
00:30:38,250 --> 00:30:44,319  
yeah what's really interesting about the

609  
00:30:41,470 --> 00:30:48,100  
documents is one of them it's a telegram

610  
00:30:44,319 --> 00:30:51,700  
from november 28th 1978 it specifically

611  
00:30:48,099 --> 00:30:54,099  
addresses the presentation that you that

612  
00:30:51,700 --> 00:30:57,069  
you had I'm not sure if I it translated

613  
00:30:54,099 --> 00:31:00,629

it correctly but I will do my best it

614

00:30:57,069 --> 00:31:02,589

says granada's resolution has granada's

615

00:31:00,630 --> 00:31:04,990

permanent mission has presented a

616

00:31:02,589 --> 00:31:07,299

resolution draft on UFOs at the special

617

00:31:04,990 --> 00:31:08,140

political committee which proposes the

618

00:31:07,299 --> 00:31:10,750

establishment

619

00:31:08,140 --> 00:31:12,940

of an expert group which is supposed to

620

00:31:10,750 --> 00:31:15,309

define the framework for un studies

621

00:31:12,940 --> 00:31:16,900

about the UFO phenomenon under the

622

00:31:15,309 --> 00:31:19,750

supervision of the outer space committee

623

00:31:16,900 --> 00:31:22,660

now the German permanent mission says in

624

00:31:19,750 --> 00:31:25,000

this telegram quite apart from the wider

625

00:31:22,660 --> 00:31:27,040

implications of such resolution draft

626

00:31:25,000 --> 00:31:30,640

the reference to the outer space

627

00:31:27,039 --> 00:31:33,159

committee alone has its misgivings as it

628  
00:31:30,640 --> 00:31:36,100  
would in cure granadas desire to become

629  
00:31:33,160 --> 00:31:37,930  
a member of the outer space committee

630  
00:31:36,099 --> 00:31:40,599  
which would therefore be constantly

631  
00:31:37,930 --> 00:31:42,850  
occupied with the UFO questions so you

632  
00:31:40,599 --> 00:31:44,679  
see so you see the Germans they were

633  
00:31:42,849 --> 00:31:47,169  
actually concerned that the UFO subject

634  
00:31:44,680 --> 00:31:50,080  
would be discussed constantly on an on a

635  
00:31:47,170 --> 00:31:53,710  
regular basis that it has this committee

636  
00:31:50,079 --> 00:31:54,970  
it's interesting isn't it yeah and you

637  
00:31:53,710 --> 00:31:56,950  
know as you were reading that I was

638  
00:31:54,970 --> 00:31:59,440  
thinking I can I can hear all the

639  
00:31:56,950 --> 00:32:02,860  
skeptics right now the UFO skeptics

640  
00:31:59,440 --> 00:32:04,420  
applauding the Germans and saying yes we

641  
00:32:02,859 --> 00:32:06,399  
don't want to talk about UFOs because

642  
00:32:04,420 --> 00:32:10,860  
there's nothing to it well well there is

643  
00:32:06,400 --> 00:32:14,130  
something to it and and I think that

644  
00:32:10,859 --> 00:32:17,649  
another factor that people forget is

645  
00:32:14,130 --> 00:32:20,440  
when it comes to to the subject of UFOs

646  
00:32:17,650 --> 00:32:21,970  
but not only did a lot of the

647  
00:32:20,440 --> 00:32:25,990  
government's not want to have to explain

648  
00:32:21,970 --> 00:32:27,519  
to their people what some of these

649  
00:32:25,990 --> 00:32:30,700  
things were that we're flying around

650  
00:32:27,519 --> 00:32:34,420  
this guys can you think of any

651  
00:32:30,700 --> 00:32:38,080  
government on the planet whose military

652  
00:32:34,420 --> 00:32:40,720  
leaders want to share information that

653  
00:32:38,079 --> 00:32:43,299  
they have about UFOs nobody wants to

654  
00:32:40,720 --> 00:32:46,269  
share the information everybody wants to

655  
00:32:43,299 --> 00:32:48,460  
get their hands on on their own UFO and

656

00:32:46,269 --> 00:32:51,609  
try and figure out how they work Nick

657  
00:32:48,460 --> 00:32:55,180  
Pope told me that after after Nick got

658  
00:32:51,609 --> 00:32:57,969  
the job at the Ministry of Defense one

659  
00:32:55,180 --> 00:33:00,070  
day one of his superior officers came in

660  
00:32:57,970 --> 00:33:02,589  
and apparently took the poster down off

661  
00:33:00,069 --> 00:33:06,909  
the wall and Nick never saw the picture

662  
00:33:02,589 --> 00:33:10,269  
again and in fact last year when British

663  
00:33:06,910 --> 00:33:12,730  
government released some some previously

664  
00:33:10,269 --> 00:33:15,279  
classified documents they released the

665  
00:33:12,730 --> 00:33:17,319  
story of that UFO picture but instead of

666  
00:33:15,279 --> 00:33:19,629  
any picture all that you could see was a

667  
00:33:17,319 --> 00:33:22,230  
little little hand drawing of what the

668  
00:33:19,630 --> 00:33:26,049  
the diamond shaped UFO

669  
00:33:22,230 --> 00:33:29,159  
and and Nick said basically the thinking

670  
00:33:26,048 --> 00:33:32,200

was since this was considered a real

671

00:33:29,159 --> 00:33:35,679

unknown object by the British government

672

00:33:32,200 --> 00:33:39,880

ah and we didn't have one of these in

673

00:33:35,679 --> 00:33:42,340

our own inventory we wanted it we wanted

674

00:33:39,880 --> 00:33:44,289

something like this to figure out how it

675

00:33:42,339 --> 00:33:48,298

worked well that was the thinking it

676

00:33:44,288 --> 00:33:51,730

probably still is among many countries

677

00:33:48,298 --> 00:33:54,398

everybody wants to get a UFO everybody

678

00:33:51,730 --> 00:33:57,278

wants the technology to have superior

679

00:33:54,398 --> 00:33:59,769

technology and and so there have been

680

00:33:57,278 --> 00:34:02,470

many claims especially by the conspiracy

681

00:33:59,769 --> 00:34:05,740

theorists that the United States has

682

00:34:02,470 --> 00:34:08,829

captured UFOs may be from Roswell New

683

00:34:05,740 --> 00:34:11,440

Mexico in 1947 the other countries have

684

00:34:08,829 --> 00:34:13,719

captured UFOs and they're trying to

685  
00:34:11,440 --> 00:34:16,480  
figure out how the technology works my

686  
00:34:13,719 --> 00:34:21,368  
question is like I'm always asking this

687  
00:34:16,480 --> 00:34:22,809  
if so many UFOs have been crashing in

688  
00:34:21,369 --> 00:34:24,730  
different countries around the world

689  
00:34:22,809 --> 00:34:27,719  
what is this thing about their

690  
00:34:24,730 --> 00:34:29,769  
technology why are they crashing just

691  
00:34:27,719 --> 00:34:32,918  
you know it's what's wrong with them

692  
00:34:29,769 --> 00:34:35,378  
yeah I would never I would never make

693  
00:34:32,918 --> 00:34:39,668  
any step into a UFO because they crash

694  
00:34:35,378 --> 00:34:41,139  
all the time like you got you guys if

695  
00:34:39,668 --> 00:34:43,750  
you guys are getting here from another

696  
00:34:41,139 --> 00:34:45,909  
planet or another solar system why are

697  
00:34:43,750 --> 00:34:48,519  
you crashing on our planet yeah that's

698  
00:34:45,909 --> 00:34:51,700  
the problem yeah now from reading the

699  
00:34:48,519 --> 00:34:54,179  
German government files I just found it

700  
00:34:51,699 --> 00:34:58,659  
seems to me that the the grenadin

701  
00:34:54,179 --> 00:35:00,430  
resolution draft had to be avoided by

702  
00:34:58,659 --> 00:35:02,588  
the other delegations because they

703  
00:35:00,429 --> 00:35:04,629  
thought that it would it would cost a

704  
00:35:02,588 --> 00:35:06,820  
lot of money at the United Nations at

705  
00:35:04,630 --> 00:35:09,338  
that time they were they were really

706  
00:35:06,820 --> 00:35:11,260  
concerned with the cost and they had so

707  
00:35:09,338 --> 00:35:13,869  
many new tasks that I think the outer

708  
00:35:11,260 --> 00:35:16,690  
space committee had just been set up and

709  
00:35:13,869 --> 00:35:21,369  
they just wanted that you know they just

710  
00:35:16,690 --> 00:35:23,139  
wanted to to avoid costs and I know let

711  
00:35:21,369 --> 00:35:24,910  
me let me just quote let me just give

712  
00:35:23,139 --> 00:35:27,759  
you a required from the from the German

713

00:35:24,909 --> 00:35:31,269  
government files it says here in a in a

714  
00:35:27,760 --> 00:35:32,450  
report from September six 1978 so that's

715  
00:35:31,269 --> 00:35:35,900  
shortly after your

716  
00:35:32,449 --> 00:35:39,679  
our first presentation with the

717  
00:35:35,900 --> 00:35:41,480  
secretary-general now this this quote

718  
00:35:39,679 --> 00:35:45,319  
shows how they prove how they already

719  
00:35:41,480 --> 00:35:48,469  
prepared this resolution to to be a dead

720  
00:35:45,320 --> 00:35:50,599  
end okay so it says last year the other

721  
00:35:48,469 --> 00:35:53,239  
delegations had been in the awkward

722  
00:35:50,599 --> 00:35:56,420  
situation or position to gracefully

723  
00:35:53,239 --> 00:35:58,338  
decline grenadiers request in order to

724  
00:35:56,420 --> 00:36:00,800  
avoid embarrassment for the United

725  
00:35:58,338 --> 00:36:03,349  
Nations if Grenada still doesn't

726  
00:36:00,800 --> 00:36:05,300  
understand that and at least in part

727  
00:36:03,349 --> 00:36:08,180

their action is aimed at gaining

728

00:36:05,300 --> 00:36:10,190

publicity their item will probably be

729

00:36:08,179 --> 00:36:14,598

treated with much less scrutiny at the

730

00:36:10,190 --> 00:36:17,570

33rd General Assembly and procedurally

731

00:36:14,599 --> 00:36:19,369

killed that's I don't know if I

732

00:36:17,570 --> 00:36:22,609

translate that correctly so killed in

733

00:36:19,369 --> 00:36:25,010

procedure and the next sentence explains

734

00:36:22,608 --> 00:36:27,739

what they mean with this they say

735

00:36:25,010 --> 00:36:29,480

obviously to this effect the general

736

00:36:27,739 --> 00:36:32,179

secretary vitae time has already

737

00:36:29,480 --> 00:36:34,369

suggested the establishment of an ad hoc

738

00:36:32,179 --> 00:36:38,449

committee in which only voluntary

739

00:36:34,369 --> 00:36:41,660

delegations become active yes exactly I

740

00:36:38,449 --> 00:36:44,000

mean even well long time maybe because

741

00:36:41,659 --> 00:36:46,848

of his own personal interest in UFOs he

742  
00:36:44,000 --> 00:36:49,010  
was keeping the door open for any

743  
00:36:46,849 --> 00:36:52,519  
countries who still wanted to

744  
00:36:49,010 --> 00:36:55,369  
voluntarily participate in something to

745  
00:36:52,519 --> 00:36:58,489  
share information we knew from the very

746  
00:36:55,369 --> 00:37:02,710  
beginning that the translation problems

747  
00:36:58,489 --> 00:37:05,568  
alone we're going to be huge because

748  
00:37:02,710 --> 00:37:07,369  
only there are only three or four basic

749  
00:37:05,568 --> 00:37:10,279  
languages used that the United Nations

750  
00:37:07,369 --> 00:37:13,220  
so so there would have been some costs

751  
00:37:10,280 --> 00:37:16,400  
of course to to have somebody translate

752  
00:37:13,219 --> 00:37:18,379  
things and to share them but when you

753  
00:37:16,400 --> 00:37:20,389  
talk about the there'll be two too many

754  
00:37:18,380 --> 00:37:22,640  
costs no I don't go along with that

755  
00:37:20,389 --> 00:37:24,318  
almost every day the United Nations is

756  
00:37:22,639 --> 00:37:27,199  
putting some new committee together all

757  
00:37:24,318 --> 00:37:31,818  
that we were trying to do was to to

758  
00:37:27,199 --> 00:37:33,919  
create a very small committee and like

759  
00:37:31,818 --> 00:37:36,529  
you said an ad hoc committee we were

760  
00:37:33,920 --> 00:37:39,559  
looking to get three people three

761  
00:37:36,530 --> 00:37:44,089  
representatives I even was volunteering

762  
00:37:39,559 --> 00:37:45,920  
to be one of those people um just a few

763  
00:37:44,088 --> 00:37:47,710  
people who would sit

764  
00:37:45,920 --> 00:37:51,079  
they're in a little office maybe and

765  
00:37:47,710 --> 00:37:52,940  
start getting information from countries

766  
00:37:51,079 --> 00:37:55,670  
around the world who wanted to share

767  
00:37:52,940 --> 00:37:58,068  
information that that's all that we were

768  
00:37:55,670 --> 00:38:00,108  
doing that would not have cost a lot of

769  
00:37:58,068 --> 00:38:02,000  
money wouldn't have involved a lot of

770

00:38:00,108 --> 00:38:05,179  
man-hours I'm sure that the United

771  
00:38:02,000 --> 00:38:07,789  
Nations wastes a lot more money than we

772  
00:38:05,179 --> 00:38:10,399  
were asking them to supply for this kind

773  
00:38:07,789 --> 00:38:12,949  
of adventure now the bottom line was

774  
00:38:10,400 --> 00:38:14,920  
that the bigger countries like the

775  
00:38:12,949 --> 00:38:18,889  
United States and the Soviet Union

776  
00:38:14,920 --> 00:38:22,460  
didn't want any attention put on two

777  
00:38:18,889 --> 00:38:25,460  
UFOs they had to stop it at all costs

778  
00:38:22,460 --> 00:38:27,798  
and and that's what happened and so they

779  
00:38:25,460 --> 00:38:30,710  
basically embarrassed it wasn't Grenada

780  
00:38:27,798 --> 00:38:33,079  
who is embarrassed it was great Britain

781  
00:38:30,710 --> 00:38:37,068  
it was maybe Germany who were

782  
00:38:33,079 --> 00:38:39,349  
embarrassed to the point or intimidated

783  
00:38:37,068 --> 00:38:42,259  
might be a better word they basically

784  
00:38:39,349 --> 00:38:44,420

said you know you people should kind of

785

00:38:42,260 --> 00:38:46,760

get on board with the United States and

786

00:38:44,420 --> 00:38:49,548

Soviet Union because if we don't want

787

00:38:46,760 --> 00:38:51,740

anything coming out about UFOs then you

788

00:38:49,548 --> 00:38:54,829

don't either you know pay attention to

789

00:38:51,739 --> 00:38:57,259

to our lead and everything will be fine

790

00:38:54,829 --> 00:39:00,680

and I'm sure that those were the kind of

791

00:38:57,260 --> 00:39:02,690

discussions that happened if that's the

792

00:39:00,679 --> 00:39:05,960

only thing that makes sense and like I

793

00:39:02,690 --> 00:39:09,048

said was it just a coincidence that Sir

794

00:39:05,960 --> 00:39:12,829

Eric Gary's entire future political

795

00:39:09,048 --> 00:39:15,588

future went away when his his political

796

00:39:12,829 --> 00:39:17,960

structure was overthrown just a few

797

00:39:15,588 --> 00:39:22,568

months after our presentation at the

798

00:39:17,960 --> 00:39:24,980

United Nations boy tell us about you

799

00:39:22,568 --> 00:39:27,858

well that's that's just a question that

800

00:39:24,980 --> 00:39:29,809

I raised I can't prove that I'm not even

801

00:39:27,858 --> 00:39:34,190

going to try and prove it but it was a

802

00:39:29,809 --> 00:39:37,700

big coincidence I thought yeah so can

803

00:39:34,190 --> 00:39:39,858

you describe me how was how was a prime

804

00:39:37,699 --> 00:39:43,298

minister sir eric gary as a person how

805

00:39:39,858 --> 00:39:48,558

was he what was your impression of him

806

00:39:43,298 --> 00:39:54,230

he was very I found him to be a very

807

00:39:48,559 --> 00:39:56,780

arrogant man I found that once he wanted

808

00:39:54,230 --> 00:39:59,088

to talk about something he didn't really

809

00:39:56,780 --> 00:39:59,810

want to let anybody else have have any

810

00:39:59,088 --> 00:40:03,110

other

811

00:39:59,809 --> 00:40:06,400

say in the matter and the this was

812

00:40:03,110 --> 00:40:10,490

something that became apparent to me and

813  
00:40:06,400 --> 00:40:13,070  
to some of my other speakers on the day

814  
00:40:10,489 --> 00:40:14,989  
of the presentation there were there

815  
00:40:13,070 --> 00:40:17,180  
were two separate meetings on that day

816  
00:40:14,989 --> 00:40:19,699  
on November 27 there was a morning

817  
00:40:17,179 --> 00:40:22,219  
session and an afternoon session and in

818  
00:40:19,699 --> 00:40:25,399  
between both sessions we had a press

819  
00:40:22,219 --> 00:40:26,929  
conference and and again there are a

820  
00:40:25,400 --> 00:40:28,940  
couple of pictures that have been taken

821  
00:40:26,929 --> 00:40:30,889  
and then have gone around the world to

822  
00:40:28,940 --> 00:40:33,740  
show us sitting at the press conference

823  
00:40:30,889 --> 00:40:36,829  
and the only person you see talking is

824  
00:40:33,739 --> 00:40:38,509  
sarah carey and he started talking about

825  
00:40:36,829 --> 00:40:41,799  
things that almost had nothing to do

826  
00:40:38,510 --> 00:40:45,220  
with UFOs he was doing some political

827

00:40:41,800 --> 00:40:47,870  
grandstanding if you if you will and

828  
00:40:45,219 --> 00:40:50,750  
there's there's one picture especially

829  
00:40:47,869 --> 00:40:52,849  
where I'm probably the only one who

830  
00:40:50,750 --> 00:40:56,269  
notices this but you can you can almost

831  
00:40:52,849 --> 00:40:57,949  
see the look in my eye when I'm looking

832  
00:40:56,269 --> 00:41:00,289  
directly at the Prime Minister and I'm

833  
00:40:57,949 --> 00:41:01,969  
thinking okay it's time for you to be

834  
00:41:00,289 --> 00:41:05,029  
quiet and let some of these other guys

835  
00:41:01,969 --> 00:41:08,389  
talk but he didn't want to and he took

836  
00:41:05,030 --> 00:41:10,460  
over the press conference and and I was

837  
00:41:08,389 --> 00:41:13,609  
not happy about that at the time and you

838  
00:41:10,460 --> 00:41:15,440  
can even see it a somehow the face of J

839  
00:41:13,610 --> 00:41:20,450  
Allen Hynek who's hiding behind his pipe

840  
00:41:15,440 --> 00:41:23,420  
right yes hi I know I that's exactly

841  
00:41:20,449 --> 00:41:26,929

right and I remember hi Nick and I we

842

00:41:23,420 --> 00:41:29,240

talked about that many times after that

843

00:41:26,929 --> 00:41:31,129

he kept saying well why did why did he

844

00:41:29,239 --> 00:41:33,229

bring us here you know if he didn't want

845

00:41:31,130 --> 00:41:34,700

us to talk you know it was it's not

846

00:41:33,230 --> 00:41:36,320

enough for us to talk in front of the

847

00:41:34,699 --> 00:41:38,059

committee but if we're going to talk in

848

00:41:36,320 --> 00:41:40,789

front of the press well that's important

849

00:41:38,059 --> 00:41:43,159

too yeah I know I know exactly what you

850

00:41:40,789 --> 00:41:45,920

mean it was it became a little bit of a

851

00:41:43,159 --> 00:41:48,469

circus and that didn't help the

852

00:41:45,920 --> 00:41:51,289

credibility either of everything that I

853

00:41:48,469 --> 00:41:52,549

was trying to do there hmm now at that

854

00:41:51,289 --> 00:41:55,130

time back in nineteen seventy eight

855

00:41:52,550 --> 00:41:57,830

there were like one would say almost

856  
00:41:55,130 --> 00:42:00,740  
kind of fractions of all the dedicated

857  
00:41:57,829 --> 00:42:03,349  
between the delegations that were the

858  
00:42:00,739 --> 00:42:06,469  
group of the nine for example the group

859  
00:42:03,349 --> 00:42:08,630  
of the unbound states and the the the

860  
00:42:06,469 --> 00:42:10,669  
communist bloc and all that and and

861  
00:42:08,630 --> 00:42:12,849  
Grenada I didn't actually belong to any

862  
00:42:10,670 --> 00:42:15,639  
of those groups may be unbound

863  
00:42:12,849 --> 00:42:17,920  
it's made at least not it was not a

864  
00:42:15,639 --> 00:42:20,679  
delegation at anybody took very

865  
00:42:17,920 --> 00:42:22,298  
seriously right well and that's that's

866  
00:42:20,679 --> 00:42:24,460  
the reason why it's one of the reasons

867  
00:42:22,298 --> 00:42:26,768  
why i approached grenada in the first

868  
00:42:24,460 --> 00:42:30,789  
place was because they were just a

869  
00:42:26,768 --> 00:42:32,978  
little tiny caribbean country didn't

870  
00:42:30,789 --> 00:42:36,039  
really belong or wasn't part of him like

871  
00:42:32,978 --> 00:42:38,228  
another group as you say and and yet but

872  
00:42:36,039 --> 00:42:42,160  
they were the only country that was

873  
00:42:38,228 --> 00:42:46,058  
talking about UFOs and and for my

874  
00:42:42,159 --> 00:42:48,639  
purposes i needed to be part of a

875  
00:42:46,059 --> 00:42:50,410  
country to in order to get my

876  
00:42:48,639 --> 00:42:52,358  
presentation done i mean what was I

877  
00:42:50,409 --> 00:42:54,848  
going to do is I'm going to go go to the

878  
00:42:52,358 --> 00:42:56,710  
United States mission or go to go to

879  
00:42:54,849 --> 00:42:59,079  
Washington and march into the White

880  
00:42:56,710 --> 00:43:01,119  
House and say will you let me produce a

881  
00:42:59,079 --> 00:43:02,859  
presentation for our country well no

882  
00:43:01,119 --> 00:43:06,039  
that was that's not going to happen I

883  
00:43:02,858 --> 00:43:08,558  
needed to be part of a delegation that

884

00:43:06,039 --> 00:43:12,450  
would allow me to do it and to give me a

885  
00:43:08,559 --> 00:43:15,400  
free hand at it too and for a while

886  
00:43:12,449 --> 00:43:19,509  
grenada let me do what I wanted to I

887  
00:43:15,400 --> 00:43:21,160  
didn't know that Eric gary was going to

888  
00:43:19,509 --> 00:43:25,088  
try and take over the press conference

889  
00:43:21,159 --> 00:43:27,639  
when he did I had no idea all that I

890  
00:43:25,088 --> 00:43:29,498  
knew was that he he gave me the green

891  
00:43:27,639 --> 00:43:31,210  
light to go ahead and put together the

892  
00:43:29,498 --> 00:43:35,098  
presentation to bring the speakers that

893  
00:43:31,210 --> 00:43:38,728  
I wanted to bring and in fact Rob on

894  
00:43:35,099 --> 00:43:42,690  
most of the people who who were there

895  
00:43:38,728 --> 00:43:46,899  
like like Alan Hynek the shock valet

896  
00:43:42,690 --> 00:43:50,108  
even even the army captain coin none of

897  
00:43:46,900 --> 00:43:54,940  
them actually said that they thought

898  
00:43:50,108 --> 00:43:57,400

that UFOs were technology from another

899

00:43:54,940 --> 00:43:59,739

planet the only person who did that in

900

00:43:57,400 --> 00:44:02,048

the afternoon session was nuclear

901

00:43:59,739 --> 00:44:05,108

physicist Stanton Friedman but he's

902

00:44:02,048 --> 00:44:06,940

always said that and that that's that's

903

00:44:05,108 --> 00:44:09,248

what he does that's what he lectures on

904

00:44:06,940 --> 00:44:11,710

but the other guys they wanted to keep

905

00:44:09,248 --> 00:44:14,018

it as straight forward and neutral as

906

00:44:11,710 --> 00:44:16,539

possible all that they wanted to get

907

00:44:14,018 --> 00:44:19,389

across was there's something going on

908

00:44:16,539 --> 00:44:21,190

all around the planet we should study

909

00:44:19,389 --> 00:44:25,028

here and and what about the prime

910

00:44:21,190 --> 00:44:26,240

minister Gary Gary himself but it

911

00:44:25,028 --> 00:44:29,690

usually

912

00:44:26,239 --> 00:44:33,259

he claimed that he had had more than one

913  
00:44:29,690 --> 00:44:36,289  
encounter in his country that many

914  
00:44:33,260 --> 00:44:39,530  
people had seen UFOs in Grenada and I

915  
00:44:36,289 --> 00:44:44,059  
think maybe part of what he wanted to do

916  
00:44:39,530 --> 00:44:46,130  
was to get more tourism dollars to come

917  
00:44:44,059 --> 00:44:48,079  
into his country I understand that

918  
00:44:46,130 --> 00:44:50,059  
that's that's part of what every country

919  
00:44:48,079 --> 00:44:52,000  
wants they want to raise money they want

920  
00:44:50,059 --> 00:44:57,079  
to bring tourists then it's the economy

921  
00:44:52,000 --> 00:45:00,199  
fine I understand that and I didn't mind

922  
00:44:57,079 --> 00:45:02,029  
that all that I knew was here was a

923  
00:45:00,199 --> 00:45:04,309  
country that was going to let me put

924  
00:45:02,030 --> 00:45:07,280  
something together at the united nations

925  
00:45:04,309 --> 00:45:09,889  
that had never been done before and as

926  
00:45:07,280 --> 00:45:12,619  
long as they stay off my back and give

927  
00:45:09,889 --> 00:45:14,659  
me enough money to do what I needed to

928  
00:45:12,619 --> 00:45:17,090  
do that's what I'm looking for because

929  
00:45:14,659 --> 00:45:19,460  
the credibility alone of the people that

930  
00:45:17,090 --> 00:45:22,809  
I would bring their should make a

931  
00:45:19,460 --> 00:45:27,650  
difference and and even even to this day

932  
00:45:22,809 --> 00:45:28,909  
Jacques valet I told me recently even

933  
00:45:27,650 --> 00:45:32,150  
though we didn't get what we originally

934  
00:45:28,909 --> 00:45:35,569  
set out to do at the UN that the event

935  
00:45:32,150 --> 00:45:37,880  
itself was a milestone in the field of

936  
00:45:35,570 --> 00:45:39,859  
UFOs and people still say that and I'm

937  
00:45:37,880 --> 00:45:42,320  
very proud of that I'm proud that I was

938  
00:45:39,858 --> 00:45:44,569  
part of it and that we were able to pull

939  
00:45:42,320 --> 00:45:47,750  
together no one has done it since then

940  
00:45:44,570 --> 00:45:49,609  
but now this is more of a movement to go

941

00:45:47,750 --> 00:45:52,159  
back to the United Nations and try it

942  
00:45:49,608 --> 00:45:56,358  
again use it using the same resolution

943  
00:45:52,159 --> 00:45:58,399  
in fact yeah so what are you going to go

944  
00:45:56,358 --> 00:46:03,469  
back and which country you're going to

945  
00:45:58,400 --> 00:46:09,559  
choose Oh Seychelle Islands or I'm going

946  
00:46:03,469 --> 00:46:13,269  
back this afternoon actually know about

947  
00:46:09,559 --> 00:46:17,358  
a month ago I was I was down in Arizona

948  
00:46:13,269 --> 00:46:20,210  
at the international UFO Congress that

949  
00:46:17,358 --> 00:46:23,809  
they have there every year and i was i

950  
00:46:20,210 --> 00:46:26,300  
was honored when they named me the UFO

951  
00:46:23,809 --> 00:46:29,329  
researcher of the year that was quite an

952  
00:46:26,300 --> 00:46:35,210  
honor for me but among the people that I

953  
00:46:29,329 --> 00:46:38,880  
I met there was the retired general

954  
00:46:35,210 --> 00:46:42,088  
Ricardo Bermudez from Chile

955  
00:46:38,880 --> 00:46:45,480

and the general is in charge of the

956

00:46:42,088 --> 00:46:49,318

Chilean government official UFO office

957

00:46:45,480 --> 00:46:51,990

and he very seriously wants to unite

958

00:46:49,318 --> 00:46:54,538

with some other countries and try and

959

00:46:51,989 --> 00:46:59,098

bring this whole idea back to the United

960

00:46:54,539 --> 00:47:02,278

Nations using the same words that we had

961

00:46:59,099 --> 00:47:04,740

in our original resolution from 1978

962

00:47:02,278 --> 00:47:06,509

because all that stuff still works I

963

00:47:04,739 --> 00:47:08,639

mean it would still be nice to get the

964

00:47:06,509 --> 00:47:10,889

same kind of committee together to get

965

00:47:08,639 --> 00:47:13,379

countries sharing information so the

966

00:47:10,889 --> 00:47:15,480

resolution nobody has to rewrite the

967

00:47:13,380 --> 00:47:17,369

resolution we just use the same old one

968

00:47:15,480 --> 00:47:19,949

and and see if there's a different

969

00:47:17,369 --> 00:47:23,160

climate now at the United Nations for

970  
00:47:19,949 --> 00:47:26,250  
talking about this because UFOs haven't

971  
00:47:23,159 --> 00:47:28,528  
gone away they're not going away the

972  
00:47:26,250 --> 00:47:32,429  
only problem is is that now there are

973  
00:47:28,528 --> 00:47:34,889  
too many more hoaxes now that are coming

974  
00:47:32,429 --> 00:47:38,460  
up on YouTube and on the internet it's

975  
00:47:34,889 --> 00:47:41,038  
so impossible now to determine which

976  
00:47:38,460 --> 00:47:44,818  
ones are real which ones aren't so what

977  
00:47:41,039 --> 00:47:47,940  
do you think we would be now if that

978  
00:47:44,818 --> 00:47:50,068  
United Nations department had been

979  
00:47:47,940 --> 00:47:53,250  
established at that time I mean if if

980  
00:47:50,068 --> 00:47:55,139  
grenada would have been successful what

981  
00:47:53,250 --> 00:47:57,690  
do you think you will follow g UFO

982  
00:47:55,139 --> 00:48:00,629  
research would have would have landed

983  
00:47:57,690 --> 00:48:03,568  
where would we be now that that's a

984  
00:48:00,630 --> 00:48:06,150  
really good question and and you know

985  
00:48:03,568 --> 00:48:08,099  
now that I'm thinking about it I don't

986  
00:48:06,150 --> 00:48:13,710  
think anyone has asked me that in all

987  
00:48:08,099 --> 00:48:15,690  
these years and and so to try and give

988  
00:48:13,710 --> 00:48:19,798  
you a thoughtful answer I think that if

989  
00:48:15,690 --> 00:48:23,490  
if the agency had been created and if a

990  
00:48:19,798 --> 00:48:26,670  
new attitude had come out of that an

991  
00:48:23,489 --> 00:48:30,209  
attitude of sharing international

992  
00:48:26,670 --> 00:48:31,710  
cooperation because what what what does

993  
00:48:30,210 --> 00:48:33,358  
the United Nations what do all the

994  
00:48:31,710 --> 00:48:36,028  
nations actually share and cooperate on

995  
00:48:33,358 --> 00:48:38,038  
now it's it's mostly how do we avoid

996  
00:48:36,028 --> 00:48:40,199  
killing each other how do we avoid

997  
00:48:38,039 --> 00:48:42,930  
getting involved with wars how do we

998

00:48:40,199 --> 00:48:48,000  
deal with with famine and the problems

999  
00:48:42,929 --> 00:48:52,440  
of the economy nobody seems to on the

1000  
00:48:48,000 --> 00:48:54,150  
surface want to talk about UFOs and yet

1001  
00:48:52,440 --> 00:48:58,349  
knowing what I know now about how the

1002  
00:48:54,150 --> 00:49:02,460  
United States has learned about UFOs and

1003  
00:48:58,349 --> 00:49:05,609  
other countries um I I know that they're

1004  
00:49:02,460 --> 00:49:08,400  
still very interested in it but they

1005  
00:49:05,608 --> 00:49:12,358  
they want to keep downplaying it I think

1006  
00:49:08,400 --> 00:49:15,619  
that have the committee been formulated

1007  
00:49:12,358 --> 00:49:21,210  
in an air of international cooperation

1008  
00:49:15,619 --> 00:49:22,769  
it's entirely possible that by now there

1009  
00:49:21,210 --> 00:49:26,730  
would have been some international

1010  
00:49:22,769 --> 00:49:29,219  
contact made with whoever the visitors

1011  
00:49:26,730 --> 00:49:31,769  
are because I believe that we're being

1012  
00:49:29,219 --> 00:49:33,959

visited I don't know who we're being

1013

00:49:31,769 --> 00:49:37,318

visited by I don't know where they come

1014

00:49:33,960 --> 00:49:39,720

from I don't care frankly I just don't

1015

00:49:37,318 --> 00:49:42,300

care with all the planets that are being

1016

00:49:39,719 --> 00:49:45,149

discovered now we now know hundreds and

1017

00:49:42,300 --> 00:49:46,980

hundreds of planets and and now we find

1018

00:49:45,150 --> 00:49:49,858

that more planets are being discovered

1019

00:49:46,980 --> 00:49:52,829

by the Kepler spacecraft that could be

1020

00:49:49,858 --> 00:49:54,568

habitable planets and and scientists now

1021

00:49:52,829 --> 00:49:58,050

think that there could be millions or

1022

00:49:54,568 --> 00:50:01,050

billions of planets just in our little

1023

00:49:58,050 --> 00:50:03,390

galaxies that could have intelligent

1024

00:50:01,050 --> 00:50:05,730

life so I'm one of those who believe

1025

00:50:03,389 --> 00:50:08,670

that when we're not alone so I don't

1026

00:50:05,730 --> 00:50:12,269

care where the visitors come from I know

1027  
00:50:08,670 --> 00:50:15,930  
that I convinced that they're here and I

1028  
00:50:12,269 --> 00:50:18,389  
think that we would have been welcomed

1029  
00:50:15,929 --> 00:50:20,909  
into their galactic neighborhood by now

1030  
00:50:18,389 --> 00:50:24,210  
if our committee had gone through in

1031  
00:50:20,909 --> 00:50:26,460  
1978 it would it would have been such an

1032  
00:50:24,210 --> 00:50:28,800  
amazing thing Rob in terms of

1033  
00:50:26,460 --> 00:50:31,500  
international cooperation and on such a

1034  
00:50:28,800 --> 00:50:34,619  
subject even the Vatican a couple of

1035  
00:50:31,500 --> 00:50:38,369  
years ago one of the Vatican astronomers

1036  
00:50:34,619 --> 00:50:40,800  
offered to baptize any aliens who might

1037  
00:50:38,369 --> 00:50:42,809  
want to be baptized well that's a little

1038  
00:50:40,800 --> 00:50:45,060  
arrogant I mean you know a spaceship

1039  
00:50:42,809 --> 00:50:47,039  
comes down in the Vatican and you go up

1040  
00:50:45,059 --> 00:50:49,650  
to them and you say we would you like us

1041  
00:50:47,039 --> 00:50:53,460  
to baptize you I mean what religion are

1042  
00:50:49,650 --> 00:50:56,010  
you on your planet but the Vatican has

1043  
00:50:53,460 --> 00:50:58,588  
actually said and come out that that

1044  
00:50:56,010 --> 00:51:00,930  
they would not be against the idea that

1045  
00:50:58,588 --> 00:51:03,088  
we have brothers and sisters who live

1046  
00:51:00,929 --> 00:51:06,239  
somewhere else they say it would just

1047  
00:51:03,088 --> 00:51:08,219  
expand God's universe

1048  
00:51:06,239 --> 00:51:10,500  
instead of diminishing it and I like

1049  
00:51:08,219 --> 00:51:13,529  
that you know we are part of a galactic

1050  
00:51:10,500 --> 00:51:17,820  
neighborhood let's all play together is

1051  
00:51:13,530 --> 00:51:20,100  
a and I think the ex president ronald

1052  
00:51:17,820 --> 00:51:22,920  
reagan said something similar to that

1053  
00:51:20,099 --> 00:51:25,889  
effect it also in front of the United

1054  
00:51:22,920 --> 00:51:28,019  
Nations right he said yeah yeah in one

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00:51:25,889 --> 00:51:30,960  
of the speeches he had he had been

1056  
00:51:28,019 --> 00:51:32,219  
talking about how the world needs to

1057  
00:51:30,960 --> 00:51:35,519  
come together I don't know the exact

1058  
00:51:32,219 --> 00:51:37,199  
wording but how all the local little

1059  
00:51:35,519 --> 00:51:39,300  
differences would disappear if an alien

1060  
00:51:37,199 --> 00:51:42,868  
species would make contact or something

1061  
00:51:39,300 --> 00:51:44,970  
yeah dude I did I think that was a

1062  
00:51:42,869 --> 00:51:47,160  
couple of years after your I'm not sure

1063  
00:51:44,969 --> 00:51:49,889  
exactly when it was somewhere in the 80s

1064  
00:51:47,159 --> 00:51:53,250  
do you think he made it another try to

1065  
00:51:49,889 --> 00:51:55,920  
approach this subject or was it just

1066  
00:51:53,250 --> 00:51:59,489  
fine uh well I'm not sure you know

1067  
00:51:55,920 --> 00:52:02,480  
Ronald Reagan once said that he saw a

1068  
00:51:59,489 --> 00:52:07,109  
UFO outside of his plane Jimmy Carter

1069  
00:52:02,480 --> 00:52:09,840

filed an actual official UFO report Bill

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00:52:07,110 --> 00:52:14,519

Clinton when he was president tried to

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00:52:09,840 --> 00:52:19,980

get information about UFOs Gerald Ford

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00:52:14,519 --> 00:52:22,590

when he was still a congressman tried to

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00:52:19,980 --> 00:52:26,639

get a congressional investigation about

1074

00:52:22,590 --> 00:52:29,700

UFOs so this is this is not anything new

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00:52:26,639 --> 00:52:32,719

that presidents have been interested in

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00:52:29,699 --> 00:52:35,460

UFOs but in the last few

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00:52:32,719 --> 00:52:38,129

administration's we don't seem to have

1078

00:52:35,460 --> 00:52:39,480

somebody who feels that way although at

1079

00:52:38,130 --> 00:52:43,260

least thinks that it's important enough

1080

00:52:39,480 --> 00:52:45,150

to pursue it which is weird because

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00:52:43,260 --> 00:52:49,260

you'd think that a president would want

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00:52:45,150 --> 00:52:51,539

to to at least go along with the will or

1083

00:52:49,260 --> 00:52:53,160

the desires of the majority of the

1084  
00:52:51,539 --> 00:52:55,800  
people and it is the majority of

1085  
00:52:53,159 --> 00:53:01,500  
Americans who believe that UFOs are real

1086  
00:52:55,800 --> 00:53:03,510  
and are from someplace else okay so yeah

1087  
00:53:01,500 --> 00:53:06,539  
so we all we can do is hope that the

1088  
00:53:03,510 --> 00:53:08,280  
whole subject will be um started all

1089  
00:53:06,539 --> 00:53:09,900  
over again maybe at the in front of the

1090  
00:53:08,280 --> 00:53:12,840  
United Nations maybe with the help of

1091  
00:53:09,900 --> 00:53:16,380  
chili are you um are you already in

1092  
00:53:12,840 --> 00:53:18,750  
touch with them discussing things or

1093  
00:53:16,380 --> 00:53:19,400  
yeah well I I've been in touch with with

1094  
00:53:18,750 --> 00:53:21,920  
the

1095  
00:53:19,400 --> 00:53:25,278  
that when when we met we were both

1096  
00:53:21,920 --> 00:53:27,798  
speakers at the UFO Congress in Arizona

1097  
00:53:25,278 --> 00:53:30,500  
and he and I had a chance to have a

1098  
00:53:27,798 --> 00:53:32,690  
private meeting because I did I wanted

1099  
00:53:30,500 --> 00:53:35,750  
to do an interview with him so that I

1100  
00:53:32,690 --> 00:53:38,900  
would have his thoughts on tape and and

1101  
00:53:35,750 --> 00:53:39,980  
he would like to work with me and

1102  
00:53:38,900 --> 00:53:44,000  
basically he would like to work with

1103  
00:53:39,980 --> 00:53:46,490  
anybody who is serious enough to want to

1104  
00:53:44,000 --> 00:53:48,980  
get this information out one of the one

1105  
00:53:46,489 --> 00:53:51,199  
of the things in fact my new story

1106  
00:53:48,980 --> 00:53:54,440  
that's up right now on the huffington

1107  
00:53:51,199 --> 00:53:57,169  
post is is about Anthony an airline

1108  
00:53:54,440 --> 00:54:00,470  
pilot who had an encounter very close

1109  
00:53:57,170 --> 00:54:02,298  
encounter almost 40 years ago but he

1110  
00:54:00,469 --> 00:54:05,929  
didn't tell anybody about it for almost

1111  
00:54:02,298 --> 00:54:09,048  
40 years and he gave me an exclusive

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00:54:05,929 --> 00:54:11,899  
story about the encounter and he filed a

1113  
00:54:09,048 --> 00:54:15,588  
report last year with dr. Richard Haines

1114  
00:54:11,900 --> 00:54:18,400  
and Richard Haines is a former NASA

1115  
00:54:15,588 --> 00:54:21,230  
research scientist and he's in charge of

1116  
00:54:18,400 --> 00:54:24,410  
of a national actually an international

1117  
00:54:21,230 --> 00:54:27,940  
organization called mark app we're Kiki

1118  
00:54:24,409 --> 00:54:32,210  
deals specifically with airline and

1119  
00:54:27,940 --> 00:54:34,130  
commercial and private pilots who want

1120  
00:54:32,210 --> 00:54:39,139  
to come forward and talk about their UFO

1121  
00:54:34,130 --> 00:54:44,059  
sightings and his concern is that he

1122  
00:54:39,139 --> 00:54:46,759  
wants to make flying more safe for the

1123  
00:54:44,059 --> 00:54:50,539  
flying public because there is the

1124  
00:54:46,760 --> 00:54:53,930  
potential a safety issue so many pilots

1125  
00:54:50,539 --> 00:54:56,510  
have reported UFO s coming close to

1126  
00:54:53,929 --> 00:55:00,288

their aircraft and the pilots didn't

1127

00:54:56,510 --> 00:55:03,260

know how to respond but dr. Haines says

1128

00:55:00,289 --> 00:55:04,849

that the the airline industry they don't

1129

00:55:03,260 --> 00:55:06,559

want to hear this they don't want to go

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00:55:04,849 --> 00:55:08,778

public and acknowledge that there were

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00:55:06,559 --> 00:55:11,839

UFOs because that would not be good for

1132

00:55:08,778 --> 00:55:15,380

business if if the public felt that

1133

00:55:11,838 --> 00:55:18,170

flying was potentially dangerous so

1134

00:55:15,380 --> 00:55:20,119

there are a lot of issues about UFOs and

1135

00:55:18,170 --> 00:55:22,579

reporting of UFOs that people just

1136

00:55:20,119 --> 00:55:25,010

aren't aware of its it's bigger than the

1137

00:55:22,579 --> 00:55:29,298

most people think and there's still a

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00:55:25,010 --> 00:55:32,750

lot a long way to go right oh yes and I

1139

00:55:29,298 --> 00:55:35,599

you know I hope that that in my lifetime

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00:55:32,750 --> 00:55:38,900

in your lifetime in everybody's life

1141  
00:55:35,599 --> 00:55:42,500  
time that we live to the day where we

1142  
00:55:38,900 --> 00:55:45,680  
see some kind of acceptance of UFOs and

1143  
00:55:42,500 --> 00:55:49,429  
some kind of formal contact I mean I

1144  
00:55:45,679 --> 00:55:50,929  
want Star Trek to happen yeah me too and

1145  
00:55:49,429 --> 00:55:54,679  
I think we could we could definitely

1146  
00:55:50,929 --> 00:55:58,730  
need some help from from a little gray

1147  
00:55:54,679 --> 00:56:01,429  
friends right okay so thank you very

1148  
00:55:58,730 --> 00:56:03,710  
muchly for for taking the time for this

1149  
00:56:01,429 --> 00:56:06,139  
interview and for showing us the the

1150  
00:56:03,710 --> 00:56:08,449  
background of this whole amazing story

1151  
00:56:06,139 --> 00:56:11,420  
that took place back in December 1978

1152  
00:56:08,449 --> 00:56:13,279  
thank you so much thank you rob and and

1153  
00:56:11,420 --> 00:56:14,990  
and good luck for your future actions on

1154  
00:56:13,280 --> 00:56:18,010  
this I hope you keep me off up to up to

1155  
00:56:14,989 --> 00:56:21,919  
date and I hope we will hear all about

1156  
00:56:18,010 --> 00:56:23,720  
chilis united nations approach when they

1157  
00:56:21,920 --> 00:56:28,099  
are it comes out i hope i hope so too

1158  
00:56:23,719 --> 00:56:30,250  
yes okay thank you so much okay bye bye

1159  
00:56:28,099 --> 00:56:30,250  
bye

1160  
00:56:34,179 --> 00:56:36,239  
you