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# UFO Hysteria

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See [UFO Folklore](#) for UFOs approached as stories passed from person to person, with interest in how these stories are told and distorted. In contrast, the page below deals with public suggestability in the generation of new stories -- for example, how people will see more strange phenomena when there is a lot of media attention given to it.

See [UFO Skeptics](#) for people and groups interested in debunking UFO stories. See [Earth Lights & Ball Lightning](#) for electromagnetic explanations for some UFO phenomena.

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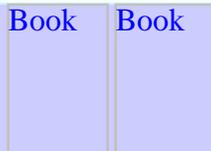
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- [Seattle windshield pitting episode of 1954](#)+ - Brief account of hysteric episode during Cold War, from longer article. (Search for "windshield".) (3 para) - Document - By Jack Hitt - Published: 2/97 - Source: Gentleman's Quarterly <2/16/97 #1>
- [Hystories: Hysterical Epidemics and Modern Media](#) - Gulf War Syndrome, Alien Abductions, Chronic Fatigue, and Satanic Ritual Abuse seen as examples of public hysteria - Print reference - [Dissenting](#) - By Elaine Showalter <4/23 #2>

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- [Aliens in America: Conspiracy Cultures from Outerspace to Cyberspace](#) by Jodi Dean - \$15.95
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