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### Re: On the trail of Kal

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> Date: Wed, 4 Jun 1997 04:46:18 +0200 (MET DST)  
> To: updates@globalserve.net  
> From: Henny van der Pluijm <hvdp@worldonline.nl>  
> Subject: On the trail of Kal

Henny wrote:

> Speaking of Hesemann, I am reminded of Eduard "Billy" Meier.

Here Henny is quoting Korff, I think:

> Hesemann is licking his wounds here too, since yes it is TRUE  
> that Kalliope Meier (Meier's Greek wife) has DIVORCED him now and  
> has told the Swiss courts UNDER OATH that she NEVER BELIEVED her  
> husband's claims of "Pleiadian" contact!

> (The fact that Kal seems to give much weight to the testimony of a  
> person entangled in a judicial case with her former spouse says  
> everything about Kal's objectivity)

Again I think Henny quotes Korff here, judging from capitalized text:

> She's even ADMITTED to  
> the courts of helping her husband LIE about them and FAKE  
> material and photos! Of course, NONE of this has detoured either  
> Hesemann or Wendelle Stevens, the latter of whom has remained  
> curiously SILENT about the Meier case ever since my expose book  
> came out last year.

Hello Henny and all,

Here one should as usual not let Korff's omissions of relevant material go without comment, if it's truth one is after. Back in 1979 Meier's wife and three children were interviewed by Jun-Ichi Yaoi of Nippon TV as to their main sighting, which was of the "beamship" of Meier's primary ET contactor as it rose ever higher in the daytime sky; it occurred in June of 1976. Kalliope described it, and mentioned a bit of detail, such as having seen its "portholes," and two of her kids also described it. Her elder son, about age 6 at the time, and age 9 at the interview, displayed the drawing he had made of it back in 1976, and it shows up well in the video. Five adults besides Kalliope were in on the sighting (named in Stevens' 1982 book and in the Elders' 1983 book).

The translation into English was by Herbert Runkel, who has himself inspected and photographed some of the flattened & swirled meadow grass sometimes left behind after one of Meier's contacts. Meier seems to have been the first to notice that not only did the grass survive though staying flattened within the circles, it continued to grow horizontally for quite some time afterwards. Runkel has kept track of one of these landing sites where the grass still grew somewhat differently from the neighboring grass 4 years later.

On the tape, Kalliope even volunteers information about a different event that indicates Meier was indeed a contactee.

The interview is there on video tape for any who are interested to acquire it from Genesis III (Lee & Brit Elders). However, the audio track is poor and one needs to listen carefully over the 60-(or 50?)-cycle hum. So they didn't use the segment in any of their production videos. After viewing it, you can generate a more informed opinion whether Kalliope was being honest before and not afterwards, or vice versa.

Hesemann and Stevens both are aware of all the positive evidence indicating the Meier case can be no hoax. So they have no need to backtrack on anything. Stevens has not been silent on the Meier case this year; he presented some interesting little-known details on it last January at the Laughlin, NV, UFO conference.

Jim Deardorff

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