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### Archeologists & UFOs [was: 'UFO Sphere/Orb...']

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> Date: Fri, 6 Feb 1998 14:58:06 +0000  
 > To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <updates@globalserve.net>  
 > From: u9501676@bournemouth.ac.uk (Simon Cleggett)  
 > Subject: Re: UFO UpDate: 'UFO Sphere/Orb' over Brooklyn, NY

<snip>

> Many  
 > publications show pictures of circular anomalies on the ground  
 > (not crop circles) and interpret them as evidence of alien  
 > landings. I would suggest that at least 99% of these are simply  
 > archaeological features dating to no later than the late  
 > Iron-Age.

I have seen these "swirls" in a backyard in the Los Angeles area  
 (at least I assume these are what you are referring to). They  
 were brand new and looked very much like the pictures associated  
 with the Billy Meier case. These swirls appeared the night that  
 the inhabitants in the house saw a lot of red light filtering in  
 from the backyard.

> Why are archaeologists excluded from the scientific study of  
 > ufology?

They aren't. They may be excluding themselves, but that's a different  
 idea. ;-)

> I am interested in the role of sightings in antiquity and whether  
 > prehistoric man was influenced temporally/spiritually by the  
 > phenomenon. Cave art and contemporary carvings seem to be devoid  
 > of any depictions of such encounters.

Cave art shows many examples of modern day-style Greys and other  
 nonhuman forms. John Carpenter has assembled a lecture on this  
 subject and you can hear him discuss this briefly as part of his  
 interview now available via Netshow at:

<http://www.forums.msn.com/UFO/>

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