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> Subject: MPD and abduction

> This is an excellent book on MPD. (Everything I have read from  
> this author has been.)

> THE OSIRIS COMPLEX: Case studies in Multiple Personality Disorder  
> by Colin A. Ross, MD. (1994).

> The following is from Chapter 14: Flash the Destroyer.

> Margaret is the patient. And according to Dr. Ross, the only one  
> he has worked with who has achieved full integration and who has  
> gone on to a complete relapse of the MPD. P 144.

> p148: Margaret's system contained several alters who appeared to  
> be psychotic...

> There was always doubt about the reality of the stories  
> Margaret told. For instance, one of her alters had a clear  
> memory of aliens coming into her apartment, impregnating her,  
> coming back months later to remove the foetus, the returning  
> years later to show her the half-human, half-alien, child they  
> were raising among the stars. This alter was morified when I  
> raised the possibility that the aliens were possibly not  
> literally real: she said I had ruined the therapy and her  
> chances of recovery forever by doubting her.

> Margaret made this claim before I had heard about the current  
> epidemic of UFO abductions. I did not realize, when I heard  
> Margaret's story that thousands of people in North America have  
> similar memories. Many of these people probably have complex  
> dissociative disorders, but many appear to be otherwise  
> normal....

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> I dont remember which, but it was either Jacobs or Mack who said  
> that they had never heard of, nor had a case of MPD associated  
> with abduction. Well...here it is.

Always nice to have the database updated.

However...this has no significance for abduction research. Poor  
Margaret, with her multiple personality disorder, could have been  
fantasizing abductions. That tells us nothing about the reality  
of experiences anyone else might have.

Or, she could truly have been abducted...and dissasociated the

experience by making it available to only one of her personalities.

Since MPD is not exactly widespread among abductees, it doesn't have much to do with the abduction experience, whatever that experience may turn out to be.

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