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### Re: Gore UFO?

From: David Rudiak <[DRudiak@aol.com](mailto:DRudiak@aol.com)>  
Date: Mon, 19 Jul 1999 20:31:19 EDT  
Fwd Date: Tue, 20 Jul 1999 09:18:16 -0400  
Subject: Re: Gore UFO?

>From: [dledger@ns.sympatico.ca](mailto:dledger@ns.sympatico.ca) (Donald . Ledger)  
>Date: Sun, 18 Jul 1999 11:22:47 -0300  
>Fwd Date: Sun, 18 Jul 1999 15:46:01 -0400  
>Subject: Re: Gore UFO?

>I wouldn't get too excited about some target showing up on ATC's  
>screens then disappearing, it happens all of the time. Light  
>aircraft out in the areas not regarded as control zones might  
>show up briefly when they get above the "grass" so that radar  
>can see them. Primary radar doesn't know the height, just the  
>direction. The "target" could look like it's right in the path  
>of Gore's aircraft but actually several thousands of feet below it.

>AF 2 would have received a radio call from Flight Following  
>telling him that an aircraft, type and altitude unknown, was in  
>its line of flight. It was prudent for the pilot to avoid the area.

Don Ledger's non-UFO explanation is:

1. Well-informed
2. Rational
3. Logical
4. Plausible
5. Never uses the word "pelican"

Sounds like a winner to me.

David Rudiak

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