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Welcome to 1-1-11. Reads like the beginning of something,
doesn't it?

PRG Media Archive
www.paradigmresearchgroup.org/newsitems2010.html

Last month the PRG Media Archive reached the milestone of 5000 mainstream media, English language articles addressing the UFO/ET phenomena since 1947. The total number of such articles since 1947 can only be guessed at, but likely exceeds 20,000. For the third year in a row over 1,000 articles were linked. Of particular note are news cycles around the New Zealand files release, WikiLeaks, Denver ET ballot initiative and the UFOs and nukes press conference.

A review of this archive will show that UFO/ET/exopolitical issues continue to get extensive coverage and very little of this coverage is demeaning. Nevertheless, the coverage is still not of sufficient depth and scope. Pressure on the political media must and will continue unabated.

[Note: A number of older article links are down, and most of these will be corrected soon.]

Multi-tiered Media Structure

We are in the middle of a media revolution which began with cable television news, continued with the massive growth of the Internet and the introduction of electronic book viewers and will end who knows where. In but a few more years most newspapers will abandon print on paper. Magazines will follow, then books. But there is another aspect of this revolution that now demands attention. It is the emergence of "direct journalism" - articles and commentary written directly to the Internet in structured environments without an editor and without a fact checker. It is tempting to call this "citizen journalism" but traditional journalists are also citizens.

Presently the most important direct journalism consists of ten of thousands of high end bloggers and thousands of writers contributing to such Internet publications as the Examiner and the American Chronicle. Most of these writers are not paid or are paid based upon page viewings. Many of the blogs are direct-traditional journalism hybrids. These consist of blogs being written by traditional journalists working for mainstream newspapers. Some of these blogs are passed through editors and some are not edited.

At a time when mainstream media is beginning to fail in its role as the Fourth Estate, thousands of writers around the world are covering every subject imaginable. Not surprisingly the UFO/ET/ exopolitical subject matter has been embraced by direct journalism and thousands of news and commentary articles have been published.

There are three key points that must be made about this body of work:

- without an editor or fact checker the material presented is going to vary widely in quality and accuracy - some output at high school level, output as good as or better than anything found in traditional media.

- any payment system based upon page viewings will exert pressure toward a more sensational approach to the content and the headline - it is tabloidizing. Such articles must be considered with extra caution.

- this new genre will continue to evolve and improve, is here to stay and in short order will reshape journalism and modern culture.

PRG Direct Media Archive
www.paradigmresearchgroup/direct_media_archive.htm

Without question the new direct journalism genre helps fill the gap created by the government imposed truth embargo which has prevented standard media from appropriately covering the UFO/ET issue since the 1950's. All aspects of ufology and exopolitics are being addressed - sometimes very well, sometime very badly. But they are being addressed and PRG has begun archiving direct journalism articles at the above web page.

MSM Writers of Note
www.paradigmresearchgroup.org/newsitems2010.html

PRG has noted the emergence of a group of MSM writers who have joined Billy Cox in regularly covering ufology and exopolitics with skill and courage. Please support these writers via your websites, Facebook pages and email lists. Their work is being archived by PRG.

Billy Cox - Sarasota Herald Tribune
<http://devoid.blogs.heraldtribune.com>
www.paradigmresearchgroup.org/Billyl_Cox_Reportage.htm

Lee Spiegel - AOL News
<http://www.aolnews.com/team/lee-speigel>

Cherlyn Gardner Strong, Tucson Citizen
<http://tucsoncitizen.com/paranormal>

Tim Brosnan - Technorati
<http://technorati.com/technology/feature/ufos-pimp-my-reality>

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Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

From: Joachim Koch <lists.nul>
Date: Sat, 01 Jan 2011 19:27:54 +0100
Archived: Sat, 01 Jan 2011 23:35:27 -0500
Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>From: Joe McGonagle<joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Fri, 31 Dec 2010 15:04:56 +0000
>Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>Exploration [Of] Humanity

>52=B0 09' 42.532"N
>13=B0 13' 12.69"W

>CONTI [NUOUS]

>FOR PLANETARY ADVAN[CE]

>---

Hi Joe,

Thank you for your information.

I would suggest that someone who has the time should investigate these coordinates not only on this planet.

We should not only look down but also upwards!

- 1.) Do the coordinates match any relevant star or celestial body at the time=
of
the incident?
- 2.) Do the coordinates match any interesting sites on other planets or their=
moons of this solar system?
- 3.) Was one of the larger earth-orbiting asteroids in that position?

The investigator should try both horizontal and equatorial mode and also the=
view from Rendlesham and planet Earth separately.

I also would like to tell you all that our investigation of the crop circle=
phenomenon started in 1991 in Wiltshire, England, with an experiment where=
we
tried to communicate with the non-human intelligence behind the few genuine=
circles which appeared at that time (yes!) with the help of a self-made
pictogram which included *binary code*.

Three days later, after several paranormal phenomena happened around=
Woodborough
Hill, we received an answer in form of two major pictograms at Temple Farm=
and
Barbury Castle. We were able to decode these pictograms and found a star,
HD42807.

We continued our communication experiments until today.

I am looking forward for the results of my three suggestions and try to
contribute with my own astronomy program "redshift".

Joachim

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Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

From: Dave Haith <visions1.nul>
Date: Sun, 2 Jan 2011 18:16:42 -0000
Archived: Sun, 02 Jan 2011 17:37:30 -0500
Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>From: Joe McGonagle<joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Fri, 31 Dec 2010 15:04:56 +0000
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Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

From: **Joachim Koch** <lists.nul>
Date: Mon, 03 Jan 2011 00:42:10 +0100
Archived: Mon, 03 Jan 2011 07:07:54 -0500
Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>From: Dave Haith<visions1.nul>
>To: UFO Updates<post.nul>
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Ok, Dave, this "German film crew" is the German section of Exopolitics Org., the interviewer is their leader and it seems to me that right now is the time that they all are looking for their "exclusive" interview with Jim and John to show it on their websites in the way of " We are the first, the best..." etc.

I wonder if in a not too far away future the first books or videos pop up (of course, you can buy it), especially from Mrs. Moulton-Howe, where the "Mystery of the Binary Code" is then solved.

So I would suggest that totally apart from the commercial aspect we here on this list with the skills and abilities we have should use the Rendlesham Binary Code ("RBC")to investigate it according to my three proposals in my email before and offer the results here for free!

If there was a message given by ET to mankind during the Rendlesham Incident then it shall not be part of a mere book or videotape which is sold for the benefit of the author only.

Joachim

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Those 'Canals' On Mars

From: Ray Dickenson <r.dickenson.nul>
Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 05:02:13 -0000
Archived: Mon, 03 Jan 2011 07:10:12 -0500
Subject: Those 'Canals' On Mars

Hello List

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<http://tinyurl.com/3xktdex>

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Cheers

Ray D

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New Book Links UFOs And Parapsychology

From: Dave Haith <visionsl.nul>
Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 13:41:46 -0000
Archived: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 08:46:36 -0500
Subject: New Book Links UFOs And Parapsychology

I thought Listers might like to know about a new book I have just bought which discusses the link I've always thought exists between UFOs and the psychic.

It's called Aliens Above, Ghosts Below and written by parapsychologist Dr Barry E Taff.

Details here from Amazon.com for those in the US:

<http://tiny.cc/mckv7>

and Amazon.co.uk for those in Britain:

<http://tiny.cc/9lteq>

I note at both sites you can 'look inside' the book to browse many pages.

The blurb says that Dr. Barry E. Taff describes "a bold new world where the paranormal becomes "normal"! He goes into depth on how parapsychology will lead the way into mankind's future. From ghost and poltergeists to aliens and spacecraft, Dr. Taff covers it all! " The author holds a doctorate in psychophysiology and worked at UCLA former parapsychology laboratory for 1969 to 1978.

During his 36 year career he has investigated more than 4,000 cases of ghosts, hauntings and poltergeists, has carried out extensive studies on in telepathy and precognition which led to the development of the original protocols for 'remote viewing'

He was himself investigated as a 'psychic subject' with the results published in the Behavioural Neuropsychiatry journals.

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Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

From: Ole Henningsen <oleh.nul>
Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 16:25:52 +0100
Archived: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 08:50:13 -0500
Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>From: Ray Dickenson <r.dickenson.nul>
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Hello Ray,

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Regards,

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Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 14:44:44 -0600
Archived: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 08:52:59 -0500
Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>From: Ray Dickenson <r.dickenson.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
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Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

From: **Martin Shough** <parcellular.nul>
Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 15:11:10 -0000
Archived: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 12:09:50 -0500
Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 14:44:44 -0600
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And we've gone over exactly the same ground before on this List,
several years ago. We were told that proven real canals had
lately vanished, with the usual tedious claim being made that
the great discoveries of Schiaparelli & co had been suppressed
by NASA etc. Real historical detail didn't seem to weigh much in
the balance as I recall. Plus ca change...

Martin Shough

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From: Don Ledger <dledger.nul>
Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 12:22:41 -0400
Archived: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 12:11:20 -0500
Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>From: Ole Henningsen <oleh.nul>
>To: <post.nul>,
>Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 16:25:52 +0100
>Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

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From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 11:29:00 -0600
Archived: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 13:22:31 -0500
Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

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>To: <post.nul>
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Hi, Don,

Canali translates into English as either channels or canals.
Schiaparelli was not misquoted here.

Though in public statements he tended to weigh his words
carefully (mostly because the public debate had grown too
rancorous for his taste; he was an old-fashioned gentleman, not
a street fighter), in private - and on occasion more openly - he
embraced Percival Lowell's belief that the canali evinced the
work of an intelligent Martian race. He even thought he
observed the canals doubling in some mysterious fashion, as if
he were glimpsing Martian engineering in progress.

He further speculated that the Martians operated under a
"collective socialism" that made doable colossal engineering
projects such as massive canal construction.

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From: Ray Dickenson <r.dickenson.nul>
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Archived: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 16:55:33 -0500
Subject: Re: hose 'Canals' On Mars

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Hi Ole

Well, no NASA scientists were around when Schiaparelli and Lowell were observing. So any answer - from anyone, scientist or layman - would simply be an opinion.

Cheers

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Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

From: Don Ledger <dledger.nul>
Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 15:36:19 -0400
Archived: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 16:57:03 -0500
Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 11:29:00 -0600
>Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>>From: Don Ledger <dledger.nul>
>>To: <post.nul>
>>Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 12:22:41 -0400
>>Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>>>From: Ole Henningsen <oleh.nul>
>>>To: <post.nul>,
>>>Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 16:25:52 +0100
>>>Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>>>>From: Ray Dickenson <r.dickenson.nul>
>>>>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
>>>>Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 05:02:13 -0000
>>>>Subject: Those 'Canals' On Mars

><snip>

>>>>It suddenly struck me that, from photographic evidence, Mars has
>>>>an extremely changeable surface, even viewed over recent years.

><snip>

>>>>could mean that when Schiaparelli and Lowell were observing
>>>>there were visible networks on the surface of Mars.

>>It is doubtful that Schiaparelli saw much detail through his
>>telescope but he was right; there are canali on Mars
>>(Schiaparelli was misquoted) but it was probably a lucky guess
>>on his part. Canali means channels in English not canals.
>>Channels do not have to have water in them.

>Hi, Don,

>Canali translates into English as either channels or canals.
>Schiaparelli was not misquoted here.

How do we know that, Jerry? Not that it is a big issue but then again Lowell ran with it. For years I read that the translation was misunderstood and that canals came from channels (canali). For example, the canals in Venice, are they translated into canali in Italian?

Don Ledger

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>How do we know that, Jerry? Not that it is a big issue but then
>again Lowell ran with it. For years I read that the translation
>was misunderstood and that canals came from channels (canali).

My information comes from standard academic histories of the
Mars-canal controversy.

It should be noted that Schiaparelli's behavior - manifested in
his sympathy to Lowell's theories about a dying race of Martian
engineers - makes no sense if you argue he was seeking to draw a
distinction such as the one you suggest. At no point in the
discussion, which extended over something like three decades,
did Schiaparelli (who died in 1910) interject to protest, "No,
you dimwits, I was talking about _channels_!"

Moreover, even before Lowell appeared on the scene in the mid-
1890s, Schiaparelli's supporters were talking of "canals." For
example, in her 1885 book Popular Astronomy During the
Nineteenth Century, Agnes Clerke wrote, "The 'canals' of Mars
are an actually existent and permanent phenomenon."

Jerry Clark

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From: Nick Balaskas <nikolaos.nul>
Date: Tue, 04 Jan 2011 17:29:35 -0500
Archived: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 09:18:12 -0500
Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>From: Martin Shough <parcellular.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 15:11:10 -0000
>Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>>From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
>>To: <post.nul>
>>Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 14:44:44 -0600
>>Subject: Re: Those 'Canals' On Mars

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>>>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
>>>Date: Mon, 3 Jan 2011 05:02:13 -0000
>>>Subject: Those 'Canals' On Mars

>>>Was just watching part of one of Carl Sagan's commentaries on
>>>astro-fizz:

>>><http://tinyurl.com/3xktdex>

>>>'Cosmos Pt 5 - Blues for a Red Planet'

>>>where he was talking - somewhat patronisingly - about the
>>>observations of Mars by Giovanni Schiaparelli and subsequently
>>>by Percival Lowell.

>>>It suddenly struck me that, from photographic evidence, Mars has
>>>an extremely changeable surface, even viewed over recent years.

<snip>

>>Though it pains me to have to agree with Sagan about anything,
>>he's right: the "canals" _were_ optical illusions of the sort
>>generated by the mind's effort to make sense of ambiguous
>>stimuli.

>>Late 19th-C. astronomers who participated in the controversy
>>were far from unanimous in detecting canals on the Martian
>>surface. There's no reason, in other words, to think the
>>"canals" once existed but later vanished.

<snip>

>And we've gone over exactly the same ground before on this List,
>several years ago. We were told that proven real canals had
>lately vanished, with the usual tedious claim being made that
>the great discoveries of Schiaparelli & co had been suppressed
>by NASA etc. Real historical detail didn't seem to weigh much in
>the balance as I recall. Plus ca change...

Happy 2011 Everyone!

As far as those canals (or channels) that Giovanni Schiaparelli,
Percival Lowell and others saw through their telescopes from
Earth (maps of canals that evolved with time and which there was
even little agreement between the different observers), it is
reasonable to dismiss them as optical illusions.

That said, Martian dust specialists and vision research experts at York University where I work have studied these imaginary canals in their attempt to understand the physically real (not imaginary) "ambiguous stimuli" that produced them.

Ray is right that "Mars has an extremely changeable surface". It is these changes in the colour and brightness or albedo of the different regions on the surface of Mars that we believe to be responsible SOME of the long, often straight, lines or canals seen and recorded by Schiaparelli and Lowell - similar to fences separating farm fields with different crops or soil on Earth that are "seen" from an airplane when the actual fence itself is not resolvable to the observer.

Although the canals were once considered as compelling evidence of intelligent life on Mars, we have found that the changes in the colour and brightness of the surface vary with the Martian seasons - compelling new evidence for plant life on Mars.

York's next mission to Mars, after Phoenix where we found lots of water just below the surface and were the first to see it snow on Mars, will be to identify the distinct sources of the methane gas that's not uniformly distributed in the Martian atmosphere. Since one biological source of methane on Earth are farting cows, we may discover mammal-like creatures there too.

Today I submitted the names of over 1,000 York scientists, staff, students and friends (including Dorion Sagan, the eldest son of the late American Mars expert, Carl Sagan) to Guinness Book of World Records. Over the past year they all visited my office, removed their shoes and did what no man/woman has ever done before - literally walk on Mars! The fragments of Mars meteorite NWA 998 that they all walked on originated on the surface of Mars. We found that it also contains large root-like microfossils which may make space history twice for these 1,000 Mars walkers since they may have unintentionally trampled on Martians too!

Nick Balaskas

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Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather Data?

From: Chris Burns <Thurstonoreggae.nul>
Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 22:57:41 -0500 (EST)
Archived: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 09:20:03 -0500
Subject: Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather Data?

List,

Was wondering if someone could recommend a source, preferably online, where one could look up recent past weather data/reports in the US?

I was forwarded a few new reports from a specific area of lower New York and need to verify the witnesses' recollection of the cloud cover during the times of their sightings.

Any suggestions would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Chris Burns

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Re: Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather

From: William Treurniet <wtreurniet.nul>
Date: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 09:40:02 -0500
Archived: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 09:59:12 -0500
Subject: Re: Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather

>From: Chris Burns<Thurstonoreggae.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 22:57:41 -0500 (EST)
>Subject: Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather Data?

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>New York and need to verify the witnesses' recollection of the
>cloud cover during the times of their sightings.

>Any suggestions would be greatly appreciated.

The Weather Underground has archival data that usually includes
information on cloud cover.

<http://www.wunderground.com/>

For example, see conditions for last Christmas day in Central
Park, NY:

<http://tinyurl.com/2crwffo>

William

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From: **UFO UpDates - Toronto** <post.nul>
Date: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 12:19:54 -0500
Archived: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 12:19:54 -0500
Subject: News Links - 03-01-11

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Is This A UFO Near Bridport =96 Or Just The Moon?
Real West Dorset
<http://tinyurl.com/24a49t5>

UFOs Or Weather Related Objects?
KOMO News
<http://tinyurl.com/24v3c65>

Argentina Sees UFO Sightings As Threat To Air Security
Sify.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/2end8t6>

National UFO Alert Rating: California, Florida, Texas Retain
Alert 3 Status
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/2ujvrg2>

Bizarre UFO Reports From 2010: Chemtrail Cigar Shaped Blimp, UFO
Escorted To Air Force Base
Death By 1000 Papercuts.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/2789nb3>

Why Wikileaks Died
Veterans Today Network
<http://tinyurl.com/2u2qt2k>

UFO Sightings Spawn Alien Gangs Worldwide, Say Watchers
HULIQ
<http://tinyurl.com/3287spm>

UFO Investigators
KTUL
<http://tinyurl.com/2vtarza>

West Palm Beach UFO Sightings Were Probably Floating Lanterns
Palm Beach Post
<http://tinyurl.com/29gncs5>

Intense Relationship With UFO In A Kitchen
Otago Daily Times
<http://tinyurl.com/23g83a1>

7-Former Area 51 Employee Ed Fouche
RealAlienVideos.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/27yr8uk>

=46rom Frank Warren's The UFO Chronicals:

UK UFO Debunker Strikes Again
<http://tinyurl.com/2b9zbxc>

The Rendlesham Incident - Interview: Jim Penniston And John
Burroughs Discuss The Binary Code

<http://tinyurl.com/25kpem7>

Rendlesham 2010 30th Anniversary Conference

<http://tinyurl.com/2ws8uwr>

New Zealand UFO Files - Minister of Defence Orders Inquiry Into Sighting Of Strange Object

<http://tinyurl.com/39rdgvs>

=46rom Scott Corrales' Inexplicata:

Argentina: Entire Family Photographed A UFO

<http://tinyurl.com/35v5wro>

Argentina: It's Official - AAF Will Research UFOs

<http://tinyurl.com/3y4hb3o>

=46rom 'The Norm':

The Analysis And Evaluation Of UFO Photographs - .pdf
By Mark Easen - BUFORA Investigations Coordinator and
Photographic Analyst

<http://tinyurl.com/29kuzb5>

Contact: The Day After - Drake
Scientific American

<http://tinyurl.com/258ep8h>

The Never-Ending Search For Life On Mars Continues
The Economist

<http://tinyurl.com/23jt92v>

Habitable And Not-So-Habitable Exoplanets: How The Latter Can
Tell Us More About Our Origins Than The Former
Scientific American

<http://tinyurl.com/3xef2o5>

One Million Galaxies

<http://tinyurl.com/2bnap3l>

Looking Back At An Eclipsed Earth

<http://tinyurl.com/25sq7yq>

Falling Brains Dept:

Catholic School Board Guilty Of Religious Discrimination Against
UFO Cult
Lifesite

<http://tinyurl.com/25r9yfk>

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Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

From: William Treurniet <wtreurniet.nul>
Date: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 20:00:53 -0500
Archived: Thu, 06 Jan 2011 05:22:24 -0500
Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>From: Dave Haith<visions1.nul>
>To: UFO Updates<post.nul>
>Date: Sun, 2 Jan 2011 18:16:42 -0000
>Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>>From: Joe McGonagle<joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>>To: post.nul
>>Date: Fri, 31 Dec 2010 15:04:56 +0000
>>Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>>Exploration [Of] Humanity

>>52=C2=B0 09' 42.532"N
>>13=C2=B0 13' 12.69"W

>>CONTI [NUOUS]

>>FOR PLANETARY ADVAN[CE]

><http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3DuhdUbcAwdcM>

>Here's an interview with Jim Penniston and John Burroughs on
>the morning of December 28th 2010 at Ufford Hotel, Woodbridge
>England with a German film crew. Jim and John are discussing
>the binary code notes etc

The Earthfiles site recently published five pages of Penniston's
download. Photos of the notebook pages show the handwritten 1's
and 0's, along with the translation into characters.

<http://tinyurl.com/34mmvcy>

The translation appears difficult to justify. For example, the
interpretation starts out using 8-bit characters, then switches
to 7-bit characters, then back to 8-bit characters. Doing this
switch allows characters to appear that are interpreted to be
latitude and longitude. The characters are 520942532N and
13131269W.

In the above translation taken from the Ancient Aliens video, the
numbers are interpreted as concatenated degrees, minutes and
seconds. In the Earthfiles article, decimal points were inserted
to make 52.0942532N and 1.3131269W. The coordinates could just as
well have been something like 5.20942532N and 131.31269W since
the decimal points were invented.

Perhaps the decoders of the message assumed that Penniston had
made transcription errors that should be corrected if possible.
So they felt entitled to make arbitrary choices until they got
something that looked meaningful, i.e., the ambiguous number
sequences similar to latitude and longitude.

When the entire sequence is treated as a string of 8-bit ascii
characters (i.e., no switching to 7-bit ascii), we get the same
initial 20 characters. But there is nothing following that can
be understood as earth coordinates or complete words.

William

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UFO Cover-Up? Live!

From: A. J. Gevaerd - Revista UFO <aj.nul>
Date: Thu, 6 Jan 2011 17:02:21 -0200
Archived: Fri, 07 Jan 2011 07:52:01 -0500
Subject: UFO Cover-Up? Live!

Dear Listers,

I wonder if any of you would have this documentary in good quality and could spare a copy in DVD or file for download. I would be glad to cover the expenses and reciprocate the kindness.

Many thanks.

A. J. Gevaerd
Brazil

Info on the program: <http://www.hyper.net/ufo/video-documentaries.html>: "UFO Cover-Up? Live!" (1988). On 14-Oct-1988, actor Mike Farrell (M.A.S.H.) hosted "U.S. UFO Cover-Up: Live!" a highly hyped two-hour prime-time syndicated television special that was broadcast in North America and elsewhere. In UFO research circles, it is also jokingly known as the "strawberry ice cream show" in reference to one anonymous informant's remark near the end of the show, that a supposedly captured alien "enjoyed strawberry ice cream and Tibetan music" (!!!). It had several good segments, yet many UFO researchers have criticized it, because in addition to mixing credible witnesses with wild claims by the anonymous "Falcon" and "Condor" this show also solicited UFO sighting reports by its viewers, presumably received many, yet no UFO researcher (incl. those who appeared on the show) has ever seen a single one of those reports. (Note: in later years, UFO researcher R.Hastings has argued that "Condor" and "Falcon" were in fact USAF Sgt. Richard C. Doty and Capt. Robert M. Collins respectively, implicated in disinformation activities against UFO researchers, incl. the Bennewitz affair, feeding Linda Moulton-Howe with Project Serpo story and authors of the book "Exempt from Disclosure" (2006). In a recent podcast [Bishop 20100815] Bob Emenegger affirmed that Doty and Collins were involved. For those who don't know the background, Doty was a USAF counterintelligence agent who spent eight years with the US Air Force Office of Special Investigations (OSI) at Kirtland AFB, NM; Collins is a retired Air Force intelligence officer formerly with the Foreign Technology Division; do a Google search for all the details)

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Re: UFO Cover-Up? Live!

From: **Didier de Plaige** <rimarchives.nul>
Date: Fri, 07 Jan 2011 14:05:46 +0100
Archived: Fri, 07 Jan 2011 09:06:14 -0500
Subject: Re: UFO Cover-Up? Live!

>From: A. J. Gevaerd - Revista UFO<aj.nul>
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Hi A.J.,

The documentary is here:

<http://ovnis-usa.com/us-ufo-cover-up-live/>

Download:

http://www.ovnis-usa.com/VIDEOS/Ufo_CoverUp_LIVE_1988.flv

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Thank you very much, Didier! It was very helpful.

A. J.

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Meteor Or Orb UFO?

From: **Joe Faccenda** <Uforth.nul>
Date: Fri, 7 Jan 2011 12:03:37 EST
Archived: Fri, 07 Jan 2011 16:59:13 -0500
Subject: Meteor Or Orb UFO?

On the recent BBC series 'Stargazing Live' astronomer Mark Thompson missed what appeared to be a meteor in the background as he presented the live program. Although the object makes just a brief appearance in the video it looks large.

An Orb UFO perhaps?

Photos and link to Video can be seen at:

<http://www.uforth.com/bbcimage.htm>

Kind Regards,

Joe Faccenda

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From: William Treurniet <wtreurniet.nul>
Date: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 10:21:32 -0500
Archived: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 11:37:13 -0500
Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>From: William Treurniet<wtreurniet.nul>
>To: [post.nul](#)
>Date: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 20:00:53 -0500
>Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>>From: Dave Haith<visions1.nul>
>>To: UFO Updates<[post.nul](#)>
>>Date: Sun, 2 Jan 2011 18:16:42 -0000
>>Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>>>From: Joe McGonagle<joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>>>To: [post.nul](#)
>>>Date: Fri, 31 Dec 2010 15:04:56 +0000
>>>Subject: Re: Rendlesham Binary Mystery

>>>Exploration [Of] Humanity

>>>52=C2=B0 09' 42.532"N
>>>13=C2=B0 13' 12.69"W

>>>CONTI [NUOUS]

>>>FOR PLANETARY ADVAN[CE]

>><http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3DuhdUbcAwdcM>

>>Here's an interview with Jim Penniston and John Burroughs on
>>the morning of December 28th 2010 at Ufford Hotel, Woodbridge
>>England with a German film crew. Jim and John are discussing
>>the binary code notes etc

>The Earthfiles site recently published five pages of Penniston's
>download. Photos of the notebook pages show the handwritten 1's
>and 0's, along with the translation into characters.

><http://tinyurl.com/34mmvcy>

>The translation appears difficult to justify. For example, the
>interpretation starts out using 8-bit characters, then switches
>to 7-bit characters, then back to 8-bit characters. Doing this
>switch allows characters to appear that are interpreted to be
>latitude and longitude. The characters are 520942532N and
>13131269W.

>In the above translation taken from the Ancient Aliens video, the
>numbers are interpreted as concatenated degrees, minutes and
>seconds. In the Earthfiles article, decimal points were inserted
>to make 52.0942532N and 1.3131269W. The coordinates could just as
>well have been something like 5.20942532N and 131.31269W since
>the decimal points were invented.

>Perhaps the decoders of the message assumed that Penniston had
>made transcription errors that should be corrected if possible.
>So they felt entitled to make arbitrary choices until they got
>something that looked meaningful, i.e., the ambiguous number
>sequences similar to latitude and longitude.

>When the entire sequence is treated as a string of 8-bit ascii
>characters (i.e., no switching to 7-bit ascii), we get the same

>initial 20 characters. But there is nothing following that can
>be understood as earth coordinates or complete words.

I applied the image decoding algorithm I found in the Wilton
Windmill crop formation last smmer to Penniston's binary code.
An image emerged that has similarities to Larry Warren's
description of the entity he saw in Rendlesham Forest. Please
see the following article for the details.

<http://www.treurniet.ca/Ufo/RendleshamBC.htm>

In the article, the image is discussed with the other images
extracted from the binary codes found in crop formations. It is
interesting that the decoding algorithm given to us in 2010
successfully decoded images planted much earlier in 2002 and
1980. This suggests that a long term strategy is being played
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Cheers

Ray D

BTW: A senior US astronomer / astrophysicist recently said that if intelligent life exists anywhere else in the Universe they would probably see us as "lower than we think of bacteria".

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Archived: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 18:56:24 -0500
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People:

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I read the material. My mind is trained to understand there is such a thing as "garbage in, garbage out." Left over info from my days as a computer language programmer. It is my opinion that is exactly what is being dealt with in the case of the so-called "binary code from out there."

KK

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From: Don Ledger <dledger.nul>
Date: Sat, 8 Jan 2011 14:44:09 -0400
Archived: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 18:58:55 -0500
Subject: Re: Fermi's Paradox

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>for' any gnats, ticks or bacteria they might come across during
>a stroll in the countryside?'

Ray, why bother going so far down the biological/brain-sized
scale. We don't leave messages for apes or chimps or dolphins,
either.

>2) A corollary question: `Do humans invade the property of other
>humans solely in order to communicate with any gnats, ticks or
>bacteria resident there?'

Harkening back to my last, yes we do. And only chimps, apes and
dolphins remember; but then so do dogs and other animals.

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>gnats, ticks or bacteria form any meaningful conclusions, from
>physical evidence, about the existence of humans as self-
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I doubt if the animals - and I'm leaving out quite a few
obviously - would form meaniful conclusions but they would (do)
retain memories of their contact with us. The onus is on us
however. Do we care whether they remember us or not? Obviously
those animals we retain attachments with we would hope they
would remember us.

As for the scientists latest remark. We would care if we found
microbial life on Mars for example- it would be an Earth shaking
event. As for some ancient civilization out there which has been
finding life elsewhere in their galaxy or universe, discovering
us then might concern them only in that we be correctly entered
in a catalogue somewhere so the data wouldn't get lost.

Don Ledger

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From: Ole Henningsen <oleh.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 13:06:58 +0100
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 08:00:19 -0500
Subject: Re: Meteor Or Orb UFO?

>From: Joe Faccenda <Uforth.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Fri, 7 Jan 2011 12:03:37 EST
>Subject: Meteor Or Orb UFO?

>On the recent BBC series 'Stargazing Live' astronomer Mark
>Thompson missed what appeared to be a meteor in the background
>as he presented the live program. Although the object makes just
>a brief appearance in the video it looks large.

>An Orb UFO perhaps?

>Photos and link to Video can be seen at:

><http://www.uforth.com/bbcimage.htm>

Hi Joe and List,

Why use the word 'Orb' UFO?

Ole
Denmark

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From: **Bruce Maccabee** <brumac.nul>
Date: Sat, 8 Jan 2011 17:18:10 -0500 (EST)
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 08:00:56 -0500
Subject: Re: Fermi's Paradox

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Not necessarily in the whole universe, given the immense
distances between galaxies, but at least in our galaxy.

For a more modern treatment of the paradox, see

<http://www.brumac.8k.com/JBISpaper/JBISpaper.pdf>

It is interesting to note that the originally submitted version of that article contained a list of about a dozen UFO sightings. However, the editor removed references to all sightings except one of the New Zealand sightings of December 31, 1978.

This sighting has been in the 'news' because of the recent release of UFO files by the New Zealand government and because several of these files contain discussions of this sighting.

It seems likely that the editor allowed one of these sightings to be mentioned in the JBIS paper because that particular sighting was discussed (in 1979 and 1980) in a refereed journal, Applied Optics.

Still today, 32 years afterward, this particular sighting - to my knowledge - is the only one to have been 'argued out' in a technical journal. See the journal article herein referenced at:

http://www.brumac.8k.com/NEW_ZEALAND/NZSB.html

Note: on this day, January 8, in 1979, I first saw the original New Zealand film at my then-house in Maryland. That was the start of what became a many year investigation and what was probably the longest exchange of letters on one UFO case ever, my correspondence with Philip J. Klass that resulted in well over 1200 single spaced pages.

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From: **Gerald O'Connell** <goc.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 01:51:46 +0000
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 08:01:23 -0500
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Perhaps we are the message.

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Gerald O'Connell
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From: Michael Tarbell <mtarbell.nul>
Date: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 13:39:56 -0700
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 08:01:51 -0500
Subject: Re: Fermi's Paradox

>From: Ray Dickenson <r.dickenson.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
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Ray,

I don't think anyone sensible is claiming that Fermi's Paradox forces the above conclusion. That is one possible resolution, but for a variety of reasons (e.g., the principle of mediocrity), not a very compelling one.

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The "gnats, ticks, and bacteria" concept is a valid perspective to consider, although, in my opinion, it does not provide a satisfactory resolution.

Given a potential head start of millions or even billions of years, it is entirely plausible that ET life could evolve or self-modify into forms, and be engaged in activities, that we have no capacity to even detect, let alone recognize as 'intelligent' per se.

But as with life on earth, and given the many trillions of worlds where it could (nay, should) have arisen elsewhere, we must consider the likelihood of transitional or intermediate forms. Gnats may not have any clue about human activity, but dogs and cats certainly do.

That is to say, under the reasonable presumption that ET life includes a broad spectrum of intellectual and technological development, there should be at least some fraction of it at a level roughly commensurate with our own. Gnats among ticks, so to speak.

Now, one may argue that such civilizations are not capable of interstellar travel, and that any ET activity in our vicinity derives from unrecognizable super-beings on an entirely different level of development. Perhaps. But consider how close we are to interstellar travel ourselves... indeed, we already have craft traveling beyond our solar system that represent unambiguous, physical evidence of intelligent life.

It's really the prodigious numbers involved that give the Fermi Paradox its potency. Unless something very extraordinary indeed (dare I say supernatural) is taking place here on earth, they suggest that not just somebody, but lots of somebodies, independently, should be leaving at least some recognizable clues, even if inadvertently.

I leave open the possibility that some UFOs are in fact those clues, but even if so, a host of troublesome issues remain. Suffice it to submit for now that the primitive state of human development is neither necessary nor sufficient to explain this relative, if not total, silence.

Mike

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Psychic Rendlesham

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Date: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 20:39:32 +0000
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 08:02:12 -0500
Subject: Psychic Rendlesham

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There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The Moon

From: Nick Balaskas <nikolaos.nul>
Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 10:17:21 -0500
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 10:39:04 -0500
Subject: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The Moon

Greetings Everyone!

Two months ago The Weinstein Company (Hollywood) announced that it acquired the rights to a new film project titled 'Apollo 18'. Shooting for Apollo 18 was to begin in December with April 22, 2011 set as the date of its scheduled release in movie theaters.

In a press release from the producer:

"...Apollo 18 casts light on the covert and undocumented lunar mission that officially 'never happened'. Bekmambetov, hired by Russia to shoot a documentary about the Russian space station, recently came across footage in its space archives that bolsters the idea that an Apollo 18 mission did, in fact, take place, and reveals startling evidence of extraterrestrial life forms. This actual footage will be part of Apollo 18, a paranormal thriller that will interpolate fact and fiction."

Although a movie trailer is not yet available, the official movie poster for Apollo 18 depicts two footprints on the lunar surface, one of which is obviously non-human, together with the caption 'There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The Moon'.

Apollo 18 should not be confused with Apollo 13, another movie/documentary about an explosion in the spacecraft while on its way to the Moon that not only cancelled their planned lunar landing but nearly resulted in the death of its crew.

During his visit to Toronto recently, Apollo 13 Commander Jim Lovell, who was played by Tom Hanks in the movie, personally thanked University of Toronto aerospace scientists for answering NASA's call for help (the only ones NASA's asked!) that saved his life and the lives of his two fellow crew members - an important fact not mentioned in the movie...

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Nick Balaskas

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Re: Psychic Rendlesham

From: Joachim Koch <lists.nul>
Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 16:42:57 +0100
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 12:39:21 -0500
Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>From: Joe McGonagle<joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto<post.nul>
>Date: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 20:39:32 +0000
>Subject: Psychic Rendlesham

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>of psychics plus the ubiquitous Nick Pope are getting in on the
>act according to this promotional trailer:

I cannot believe that Nick would risk all of his reputation by
producing a spoof.

It seems to me that he is doing the right thing: looking for the
energy pattern and the information within which is left over
from the incident in that area.

Maybe they should also try this at Travis Walton's site...

Joachim

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Canada Ranks Last In Freedom Of Information

From: Don Ledger <dledger.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 13:05:20 -0400
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 12:44:09 -0500
Subject: Canada Ranks Last In Freedom Of Information

I can attest to this.

FWIW

Don Ledger

Source: The Globe & Mail - Toronto

<http://tinyurl.com/2wyojb6>

Sunday, Jan. 09, 2011

A new study ranks Canada dead last when it comes to freedom of information.

Published research by a pair of British academics looking at how well freedom-of-information laws operate in Australia, New Zealand, Ireland, Great Britain and Canada - all of them parliamentary democracies - judged Canada the least open.

More related to this story

a.. Personal e-mails stored on government servers exempt from FOI laws, judges rule New Zealand topped the list, and Canada brought up the rear because its legislation is ineffective and archaic.

The findings published in the journal Government Information Quarterly echo a similar Canadian study from 1998 that showed Canada performs poorly when compared with freedom-of-information laws around the globe.

Critics say the findings are not a surprise, pointing to growing delays in responses to information requests from the public.

And they say it marks a reversal from a decade ago, when Canada was seen as a global leader in freedom of information.

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Seals... A Part Of Animal Mutilations?

From: **Jim Deardorff** <deardorj.nul>
Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 09:07:03 -0800
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 13:34:07 -0500
Subject: Seals... A Part Of Animal Mutilations?

Hello List,

In addition to the huge numbers of bird and fish die-offs that have occurred worldwide and all within the past few months, there are the seal deaths: E.g., see:

<http://tinyurl.com/2d47b2o>

These fit well within the category of UFO animal mutilations. They have all, some 40 or 50 of them, been found mutilated in a nearly identical manner along an east coast of England.

Many conceivable causes have been mentioned, the least incredible being that the seals are strangely attracted to some nearby, large, encased ship propellor. But that didn't make sense either, as any animal victims would be chewed to pieces by such.

Jim

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Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The

From: John Harney <magonia.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 17:50:05 -0000
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 13:35:10 -0500
Subject: Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The

>From: Nick Balaskas <nikolaos.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 10:17:21 -0500
>Subject: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The Moon

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No. Just popular entertainment.

John Harney

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Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The

From: **Jerome Clark** <jkclark.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 12:40:36 -0600
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 14:07:03 -0500
Subject: Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The

>From: John Harney <magonia.nul>
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Or, as the famous man once said, sometimes a cigar is just a cigar.

Jerry Clark

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Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The

From: **Alfred Lehmborg** <alienview.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 12:56:35 -0600
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 14:09:06 -0500
Subject: Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The

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Har! Whatever the truth of the matters discussed, whenever Mr. Harney writes something terse and authoritative sounding, I'm always reminded of Dorothy clicking her fetching little slippered heels together and chanting, "There's no place like home... There's no place like home... There's no place like ho..."

What a burden it must be to have to be 'right' every time, in all cases and in every single instance of same. Wrong just once and airy fundamentalist castles must crash inevitably to the ground.

alienview.nul
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Re: Psychic Rendlesham

From: Don Ledger <dledger.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 15:00:26 -0400
Archived: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 15:50:33 -0500
Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>From: Joe McGonagle <joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
>Date: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 20:39:32 +0000
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>act according to this promotional trailer:

><http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t3ccGnSO-0M>

>I am suspicious that it is actually a spoof of some kind - the
>group involved appears to be "UNX-Paranormal Investigations" and
>they have a web site at:

><http://tinyurl.com/3yuo3mc>

>The trailer has a 'Whack Entertainment' copyright notice - maybe
>an indication of a spoof? I can't find any reference to such a
>production company on-line, though I do think that many if not
>all the participants in the trailer could be described as
>'Whacko'. It claims sponsorship from UFO Matrix.

>And someone claimed that ufology is not a religion?

Don't know about any binary connection. It seems to me to be as
out there but perhaps less absurd than Ian Ridpath's lighthouse
theory.

I find more religious connotation in fairies and angels. What's
your take on that premise? When one gets a degree, for example,
in Folklore Studies would that put them on a par with biblical
studies? Are they related; a branch thereof?

Don Ledger

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News Links - 06-01-11

From: **UFO UpDates - Toronto** <post.nul>
Date: Fri, 07 Jan 2011 16:02:23 -0500
Archived: Fri, 07 Jan 2011 16:02:23 -0500
Subject: News Links - 06-01-11

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Maryland Drivers Stop To Watch 'Square' UFO Overhead
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/2w4o7n3>

Disc UFO lOw Over Hobart, Indiana
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/36z2eg4>

New York Witness Reports Low Flying UFO
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/2erybzm>

UFO Traffic Report: January 6, 2011
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/2dxrbgg>

Poll Result: UFOs - Is The Truth Out There?
The Rotorua Daily Post
<http://tinyurl.com/328vasd>

Arizona Makes UFO Network's 'Watch' Group
KTAR.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/2d28eyn>

Unexplained UFO Mystery: Salem's Flying Triangle
Salem-News.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/2uvlp2g>

NSP Goh Meng Seng Claims He Has Seen UFO
The Temasek Review
<http://tinyurl.com/2ugcdyb>

Dead Birds Fall From Arkansas Sky - Killed By UFO?
Associated Content
<http://tinyurl.com/2cmnf6f>

Thousands Of Dead Birds Fall From Sky In US
France24
<http://tinyurl.com/335983w>

Dead Birds Fall From Sky In Sweden, Millions Of Dead Fish Found
In Maryland, Brazil, New Zealand
HuffingtonPost.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/2cfeyjx>

UFO Strikes. A Military Death Ray. Or The Coming Of Armageddon.
Why Arethousands Of Birds Falling From The Sky?
The Daily Mail
<http://tinyurl.com/36bt3jo>

Wikileaks & the UFOs
Pacific Free Press
<http://tinyurl.com/25coqo2>

Recommended: Year Of The UFO? Let's Get Real

msnbc.com

<http://tinyurl.com/38op6fe>

Will Arabs And Israelis Unite In Their Fascination With UFOs?

AOL News

<http://tinyurl.com/2ddbbyqt>

UFOs And Hope: Films Speculate On Jerusalem's Future

Daily Star - Lebanon

<http://tinyurl.com/32shqlu>

UFOs Invade TCA: Documentary Producer Promises Area 51

Revelations

Entertainment Weekly

<http://tinyurl.com/2dmj26v>

2010 Year In Review: Wacky Stories (January - June)

NTNews.com.au

<http://tinyurl.com/2egausr>

Travel Company Launches Top Secret UFO Tour

24-7PressRelease.com

<http://tinyurl.com/2umq3ln>

From Scott Corrales' Inexplicata:

Peru: A Mothership Over Lima?

<http://tinyurl.com/2aq94yb>

From 'The Norm':

Don't Bother The Media With Science

Billy Cox

<http://tinyurl.com/3689oev>

2010 Not a total loss

Billy Cox

<http://tinyurl.com/28mf493>

Cash-Landrum, Gone With The Wind

Billy Cox

<http://tinyurl.com/356x4xd>

Rhodes Photo Poll Results

Kevin Randle

<http://tinyurl.com/2whywlm>

It's The Aflockalypse: More Mass Animal Deaths See Thousands Of

Fish Found Floating In Florida And 200 Birds Dead On Texas

Bridge

The Daily Mail

<http://tinyurl.com/35kgw7c>

Did Life Fall From The Sky? Lessons From Titan

NASA.gov

<http://tinyurl.com/27eq5av>

Viking Landers Did Detect Organics On Mars

PhysOrg.com

<http://tinyurl.com/36oaywj>

Falling Brains Dept:

UFO Community Links Recent Bird, Wildlife Deaths To Alien

Technology

HULIQ

<http://tinyurl.com/23q2whd>

Secret ET Star Maps Discovered In Pascagoula And Stephenville

Witness Statements

VancouverExaminer.com

<http://tinyurl.com/29ayqhu>

Cumbria Quake An Alien Warning

Daily Star

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Re: Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather

From: **Ralph Howard** <rhjr.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 15:37:13 -0500
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:23:11 -0500
Subject: Re: Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather

>From: William Treurniet <wtreurniet.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Wed, 05 Jan 2011 09:40:02 -0500
>Subject: Re: Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather Data?

>>From: Chris Burns<Thurstonoreggae.nul>
>>To: post.nul
>>Date: Tue, 4 Jan 2011 22:57:41 -0500 (EST)
>>Subject: Recommendations For Sources Of Recent Weather Data?

>>List,

>>Was wondering if someone could recommend a source, preferably
>>online, where one could look up recent past weather data/reports
>>in the US?

>>I was forwarded a few new reports from a specific area of lower
>>New York and need to verify the witnesses' recollection of the
>>cloud cover during the times of their sightings.

>>Any suggestions would be greatly appreciated.

>The Weather Underground has archival data that usually includes
>information on cloud cover.

><http://www.wunderground.com/>

>For example, see conditions for last Christmas day in Central
>Park, NY:

><http://tinyurl.com/2crwffo>

Chris, like William T. I would also recommend Weather Underground. If you use it however, be aware it doesn't always have this info (sky condition or sky cover). For example, see the same day's data (12-25-10) for Norcross GA, where my group in GA has had a number of sightings from in the last 2 years:

<http://tinyurl.com/22p4sv3>

Scrolling down to the tabulated data, you'll see no entries under "clouds."

When I was looking into Norcross sightings, I used this station because it was closest to the actual sighting location. For one of them, the presence or absence of fog was an issue; so I wanted the station closest to the sighting, Not the closest airport to the sighting. This is a big advantage for Weather Underground - they have stations (some automated, just devices are there) all over the place. In my case, they had an automated station just 1000 feet north of the location in question. Weather Underground calls these "personal weather stations" (PWS) and their ID for the one linked above, is KGANORCR9.

But - as I mentioned, no sky condition data. If that's the case for your sighting, you'll need to get that info from the nearest place where it is recorded. So far as I know, it is only recorded at airports (maybe elsewhere too, but airports for

sure). There, the data are recorded as part of the standard weather-observations data set called a "METAR." There is an online repository of archived METARs and other met reports, at:

<http://www.ogimet.com>

click "English version" at top left.

Near the top, you'll see "METAR and TAF queries." Click there, then all you need do is enter the airport's ICAO code (a 4-digit code, such as "KPDK"), and the Universal Time (aka Zulu Time) period that encompasses the sighting time (you must convert local sighting time to Zulu time, based on time zone). OGIMET does have a ICAO code-finder search-box there, too, although you will need the airport's common name.

If the airport does happen to be your closest station, Weather Underground does give the METARs for the archived days, so in that case it's easy and you can skip OGIMET or similar archives. They (Underground) have a handy "METAR FAQ" also, so you might want to check that out, since the METARs describe cloud cover as BKN, OVC etc. (broken, overcast), which have defined meanings in eighths of sky covered.

Hope this is useful to you.

Ralph Howard
State Director & FI, MUFON-Georgia
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Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 21:11:16 +0000
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:26:18 -0500
Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

I can't help but find it amusing when Jerry Clark decries the activities of other sects as detractors from his puritanical definition of 'The one true ufology'.

Even funnier when the best that Don can muster is to draw in a misrepresentation of Ian Ridpath's mention of the lighthouse in relation to one part of the Rendlesham saga, and for some unknown reason, to invoke the mythical Doctor Clarke.

Here is a clear case of a pseudo-religious direct involvement in ufology apparently supported by the only UK book stand UFO journal and the most media-friendly UFO buff in the UK, and people just point their fingers in a totally different direction (apart from Joachim, who appears to be in the same church as the mediums).

I really must stop farting in church....

Joe

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NUFORC Website Updated

From: Peter Davenport <director.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 13:20:13 -0800
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:31:19 -0500
Subject: NUFORC Website Updated

To the List Members:

Our trusty webmaster has just completed posting all the new reports, and I thought the list would like to know of the update. The new reports can be seen here:

<http://www.nuforc.org/webreports/ndxp110105.html>

Once again, as happened last summer, NUFORC has received an inordinately large number of reports of alleged sightings of red, orange, or yellow fireballs. Some good examples of the type of reports NUFORC has received from:

Washington State:

<http://www.nuforc.org/webreports/079/S79451.html>

Alaska:

<http://www.nuforc.org/webreports/079/S79474.html>

Oregon:

<http://www.nuforc.org/webreports/079/S79509.html>

Florida:

<http://www.nuforc.org/webreports/079/S79446.html>

If anyone has any idea as to what might explain these sightings, I would welcome comments.

Peter

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Re: Psychic Rendlesham

From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 15:33:27 -0600
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:43:59 -0500
Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>From: Don Ledger <dledger.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 15:00:26 -0400
>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>>From: Joe McGonagle <joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
>>Date: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 20:39:32 +0000
>>Subject: Psychic Rendlesham

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>>of psychics plus the ubiquitous Nick Pope are getting in on the
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>>And someone claimed that ufology is not a religion?

>Don't know about any binary connection. It seems to me to be as
>out there but perhaps less absurd than Ian Ridpath's lighthouse
>theory.

>I find more religious connotation in fairies and angels. What's
>your take on that premise? When one gets a degree, for example,
>in Folklore Studies would that put them on a par with biblical
>studies? Are they related; a branch thereof?

Don,

These questions are rather mangled, I'm afraid. I encourage you
to read a book on folklore. Or, specifically, you could read my
chapter on fairy experience in my own book, Hidden Realms.

Folklore is not tied in particular to religion, except to the
degree that, in common with all human activity (e.g., sex,
sports, the entertainment industry, your neighbors' doings,
work, politics) - you name it - religion generates a body of
evolving, protean oral lore, rumor, and speculation. Which means
only that, like everything else, religious belief, doctrine, and
the like are processed in normal, recognizable human ways by
non-elites. Biblical scholarship at an academic level is neither
folklore nor folkloristics, but a discipline that fuses
linguistics, history, philosophy, and theology.

Nor, on a whole other level, are the fairies of tradition tied
to religion in any meaningful sense. In the meaningless sense,
if one ties all anomalous, supernatural, or non-consensus
reality experience to "religion", then the term essentially
means whatever you want it to mean, in other words not much the
rest of us need worry about.

It is true that the less secular ordinary folk of other eras
sometimes struggled to understand fairies and other mysteries,
natural and supernatural - just as they struggled to understand
everything else in their environment - through a biblical
filter. Mostly, they came to the nonscriptural conclusion that
fairies exist on some level between the divine and the human.
Mostly, though, they just feared them, viewing them as one more
menace in an already dangerous world.

_Non_traditional fairies - those that figure in Spiritualism or New Age mysticism - are figures that one can call religiously generated inasmuch as they've been drafted into modernist theological frameworks. But since you're talking about folklore, I assume you mean the fairies of tradition, where fairies had as much, or as little, religious significance as giants, monsters, and ghosts.

Jerry Clark

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Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 21:36:40 +0000
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Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

A new video had been discovered, it was on a Beta-max format video cassette which was found between two pages in Penistone's notebook. It can be viewed on-line at:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RfWolkwawn4>

It has taken 30 years to convert the video from Beta-max to Flash which explains the delay, and it is definite proof of time travel!

: -)

Joe

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Re: Seals... A Part Of Animal Mutilations?

From: William Treurniet <wtreurniet.nul>
Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 18:05:45 -0500
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:46:48 -0500
Subject: Re: Seals... A Part Of Animal Mutilations?

>From: Jim Deardorff<deardorj.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 09:07:03 -0800
>Subject: Seals... A Part Of Animal Mutilations?

>Hello List,

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><http://tinyurl.com/2d47b2o>

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>incredible being that the seals are strangely attracted to some
>nearby, large, encased ship propellor. But that didn't make
>sense either, as any animal victims would be chewed to pieces by
>such.

It would probably depend on the speed of the propeller. As well
as ship propellers, there are now turbines to generate power
from tides. See for instance:

<http://tinyurl.com/2blm7ze>

<http://tinyurl.com/6xtelg>

An example of the technology can be seen at:

<http://www.hgenergy.com/technology.html>

The spec sheet for the latter says the rotor rotational speed is
21 rpm, with a rotor tip speed of 3.67 m/sec. That's still quite
fast, but maybe a seal could be drawn through such a thing
relatively intact at that rate. It would be pushed through with
the current, and a sharp edge on the rotor or on an exit point
might possibly cut a spiral as it went through.

These generator installations are relatively recent, as are the
mutilated seals. They are installed near coastlines, and that is
where seals would congregate as well.

To connect this to the horse and cattle mutilations on land,
there would have to be organs excised from the seals. No one has
mentioned that yet, to my knowledge.

William

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From: Dave Haith <visionsl.nul>
Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 00:54:19 -0000
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:49:36 -0500
Subject: Re: Seals... A Part Of Animal Mutilations?

>From: Jim Deardorff <deardorj.nul>
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>such.

Jim

I felt the same way as you until I watched a TV documentary on
this and was convinced by the evidence the researcher Zoe Lucas
put forward that a type of shark was responsible.

I will try to find the documentary on line but meanwhile she is
mentioned here in this piece with some of her arguments:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-11062330>

Dave Haith

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I can't quite work out here whether the mockery and opposition
to this is because it's Nick Pope or because of course nobody in
their right mind would employ a psychic to try to solve a UFO
case!

Now I will be the first to admit that this trailer - and
presumably the whole production - looks totally cheesy, trivial
and typical of today's doubtful 'most haunted' type shows.

And I am a little surprised that Nick is involved in something
so obviously hyped up.

But in principle there's nothing wrong in looking to
parapsychology to glean a few possible clues to this mystery.

If the US Government can spend millions of dollars on remote
viewing, then it makes sense to use genuine sensitives in UFO
work.

I'm not a bit surprised if Ian R thinks all paranormal phenomena
are nonsense but researchers would do well not to ignore what
may prove to be a valid method of enquiry.

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Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The

From: Nick Balaskas <nikolaos.nul>
Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 20:16:47 -0500
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:52:11 -0500
Subject: Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The

>From: Alfred Lehmborg <alienview.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 12:56:35 -0600
>Subject: Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The Moon

>>From: John Harney <magonia.nul>
>>To: <post.nul>
>>Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 17:50:05 -0000
>>Subject: Re: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The Moon

>>>From: Nick Balaskas <nikolaos.nul>
>>>To: post.nul
>>>Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 10:17:21 -0500
>>>Subject: There's A Reason We've Never Gone Back To The Moon

>>>Could Apollo 18 and other Hollywood movies soon to be released
>>>such as 'Battle: Los Angeles', 'Mars Needs Moms!', 'Paul' be
>>>part of a disinformation plot or conditioning campaign to get
>>>the public to accept that the UFOs they spot in the skies are
>>>not ours and that ETs are real and already here?

>>No. Just popular entertainment.

>Har! Whatever the truth of the matters discussed, whenever Mr.
>Harney writes something terse and authoritative sounding, I'm
>always reminded of Dorothy clicking her fetching little
>slipperd heels together and chanting, "There's no place like
>home... There's no place like home... There's no place like
>ho..."

>What a burden it must be to have to be 'right' every time, in
>all cases and in every single instance of same. Wrong just once
>and airy fundamentalist castles must crash inevitably to the
>ground.

Greetings Everyone,

I agree with Alfred on this one, I think. ;o)

Hollywood films and other forms of "popular entertainment" can
and has been used as a medium to release secret facts or convey
previously suppressed truths as well as disinformation even if
the artists/writers/producers involved had no such intentions.

For example, is it a coincidence that National Geographic was
recently given unprecedented access to Area 51, including onsite
interviews of the people working there as well as thousands of
declassified documents and previous secret film footage for use
in their 'Area 51 Declassified' film documentary that will be
aired in the Spring when 'Apollo 18' is playing in the cinemas?

<http://tinyurl.com/2dmj26v>

Although the Apollo 18 movie trailer has yet to be released and
details of the film's plot announced so far are sketchy, the
official poster and last November's press release promises to
reveal information on secret manned space flights including
proof that Man is not alone in the universe. If this secret

Apollo 18 footage contains material released by Apollo 20 astronaut William Rutledge as I suspect (see the unofficial Apollo 18 film trailer below), then I recommend that you save your money and wait until this movie/documentary ends up on sale as a clearance DVD a few weeks after its release.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b2yzTEntil4>

If you haven't heard of William Rutledge, that's because he was a secret astronaut that flew with others on secret joint U.S./U.S.S.R. missions to the Moon to recover artifacts from a crashed ET spacecraft. Although this may seem impossible since the remaining Apollo/Saturn hardware for the cancelled Apollo 18, 19 and 20 lunar missions were used for the Skylab space station and the Apollo/Soyuz mission with the rest going on public display in museums around the U.S., I guess it could still have happened as claimed if this surplus Apollo/Saturn hardware is not the real thing but just large paper mache reproductions!

Nick Balaskas

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From: **Jerome Clark** <jkclark.nul>
Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 07:51:39 -0600
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:56:15 -0500
Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>From: Joe McGonagle <joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 21:11:16 +0000
>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>I can't help but find it amusing when Jerry Clark decries the
>activities of other sects as detractors from his puritanical
>definition of 'The one true ufology'.

>Even funnier when the best that Don can muster is to draw in a
>misrepresentation of Ian Ridpath's mention of the lighthouse in
>relation to one part of the Rendlesham saga, and for some
>unknown reason, to invoke the mythical Doctor Clarke....

>Here is a clear case of a pseudo-religious direct involvement in
>ufology apparently supported by the only UK book stand UFO
>journal and the most media-friendly UFO buff in the UK, and
>people just point their fingers in a totally different direction
>(apart from Joachim, who appears to be in the same church as the
>mediums).

>I really must stop farting in church....

Does anybody follow any of this? Possibly, as the last sentence
above implies, it's because our correspondent has the mind and
humor of a 7-year-old.

From that mind, we learn the "one true ufology" is a religion.
And how does that mind come to that revelation? It works like
this:

Religion bad.
Ufology bad.
Therefore, ufology is a religion.

Proving that, as H. L. Mencken once observed, one horse laugh is
worth a thousand syllogisms.

I believe I hear equine laughter.

Jerry Clark

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Re: NUFORC Website Updated

From: **Martin Shough** <parcellular.nul>
Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 13:58:49 -0000
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 10:11:22 -0500
Subject: Re: NUFORC Website Updated

>From: Peter Davenport <director.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
>Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 13:20:13 -0800
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>Florida:

><http://www.nuforc.org/webreports/079/S79446.html>

>If anyone has any idea as to what might explain these
>sightings, I would welcome comments.

Hi Peter,

How many times do we have to go down this same road? The last time you posted on this List such examples of orange drifting lights around the time of a national celebration (4th July, IIRC) you seemed to be about the only person who couldn't immediately see that these were so-called Thai lanterns or fire balloons. I recall that I myself made quite a few points about this at the time, citing typical lantern characteristics in several specific videos. I don't recall that you countered these points convincingly..

Here is your latest "good example" from the last link above (I didn't yet look at any others):

[Begin Quote]

i was going home with my wife from a friends apartment for new years at 12:11 a.m. we were walking east at the time. we saw some fire works, then was two red- amber colored lights in the sky heading north. going at a slow speed. these two were aligned with each other. no blinking in them like airplanes do. the two light started to turn east. right after the lights started to turn, another of the same lights, but one light, followed behind and stayed the same distance away from it as it moved. then along with that one light came one more red amber light. bright as the first two. that one followed the same path as the other lights. remembering the way that it appeared, it seem to be a huge shape

of a triangle, with one light in the middle of the triangle. and how big all of them together, seemed to be really big. this was very close to us too. when i saw the lights, they were in front of the firework that was going off. the fireworks were about a block to two blocks away. the lights disappeared into the horizon, staying constant, never changing shape, brightness, or distance from each other.

[End Quote]

This is an absolutely classic sighting of celebratory fire balloon sighting. Note the date: New Year's Eve. With respect, before anyone need feel obliged to take your interest in such cases seriously, you need to explain in very clear detail not only why you think that these could not have been lanterns, but also why you did not (and still do not) accept the specific rebuttals of your arguments that have already been posted in respect of other very similar cases.

Martin Shough

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Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 10:14:03 -0500
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>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto<post.nul>
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>Our trusty webmaster has just completed posting all the new
>reports, and I thought the list would like to know of the
>update. The new reports can be seen here:

><http://www.nuforc.org/webreports/ndxp110105.html>

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Peter,

It is difficult to answer your question definitively without
investigating each of those sightings.

I have investigated a lot of these types of sightings for MUFON.
They are usually caused by Chinese Lanterns which have a yellow
to red color.

Initially I think it is something else, but once I meet with the
witness their interpretation of the events is often just that...
their interpretation of speed, size, directional change, etc. I
am not saying that some of those sightings might not be
something else; but in general that is what I have found to be
the most common cause of this type of report.

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P-47: Kynthia Newby Luce

From: **UFO UpDates - Toronto** <post.nul>
Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 10:19:31 -0500
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 10:19:31 -0500
Subject: P-47: Kynthia Newby Luce

From: Mary Castner <m.castner.nul>
To: project-1947.nul
Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:53:13 -0600
Subject: Cynthia Newby Luce

On Wednesday morning at 3:45, Cynthia made her way to a new existence. As you would expect, she was not to be rushed, hanging on to dear life for 4 days after entering a coma following a six month battle with uterine metastatic cancer. During this time, she was pain free and well tended to by 24/7 home hospice care, loving friends and family, and of course her forever devoted Aurora. She was blessed and helped along her path by a visit from two Tibetan Buddhist monks on Monday before her passing and finally by the soft chant of ZuZu=E2=80=99s voice at her last breath.

Cynthia chose to be cremated without the fanfare of an elaborate memorial service. We are honoring her wishes and will gather with family to reflect on her life and to share fond memories. Thanks to all who have reached out to provide support and comfort over the last few days. It has made a tremendous difference.

I knew Kynthia (her preferred spelling) for several years as she helped with research on Trindade Island and obtained some valuable resources. I will miss her. She was a feisty lady with an earthy sense of humor.

Probably many of you didn't know her as she was a US citizen who lived in Brazil for many years and just came back to the states a couple of years ago to live with her daughter and son-in-law in CA.

Kynthia was a Brazilian ufologist and a close associate of Bob Pratt. She had a wide range of interests including Fortean events and anthropology with an MA in Experimental Psychology. She loved her home in Brazil and really hated to leave, but she was getting up there in age and back hills living was getting a bit much for her. However, that didn't keep her from being a very active person and always trucking around to UFO meetings or digging into something that caught her attention.

She was a great story teller and there was always something scandalous tripping off her tongue either the maid running off with one of her visitors or some Fortean event she was looking into. She was a MUFON representative (Director, Eastern Brazil) for many years in Brazil though I don't know what her current status with MUFON was at the time of her passing.

Mary

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Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 15:16:59 +0000
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Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 18:06:57 -0500
Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>From: Dave Haith <visions1.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates <post.nul>
>Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 01:11:25 -0000
>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>>From: Joe McGonagle<joe.mcgonagle.nul>
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>I can't quite work out here whether the mockery and opposition
>to this is because it's Nick Pope or because of course nobody in
>their right mind would employ a psychic to try to solve a UFO
>case!

Perm any 2 from 2 and you will be right!

>Now I will be the first to admit that this trailer - and
>presumably the whole production - looks totally cheesy, trivial
>and typical of today's doubtful 'most haunted' type shows.

>And I am a little surprised that Nick is involved in something
>so obviously hyped up.

Why? I'm not surprised, but I am more surprised at Philip Mantle.

>But in principle there's nothing wrong in looking to
>parapsychology to glean a few possible clues to this mystery.

Maybe you are right - where would you draw the line? Should we
sacrifice a goat in the forest and examine it's entrails as
well? If not, is that being closed minded and throwing out the
baby with the bath water?

>If the US Government can spend millions of dollars on remote
>viewing, then it makes sense to use genuine sensitives in UFO
>work.

The fact that they closed the project gives me a little clue...

>I'm not a bit surprised if Ian R thinks all paranormal phenomena
>are nonsense but researchers would do well not to ignore what
>may prove to be a valid method of enquiry.

So you are going to sacrifice the goat I take it?

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>>Don't know about any binary connection. It seems to me to be as
>>out there but perhaps less absurd than Ian Ridpath's lighthouse
>>theory.

>>I find more religious connotation in fairies and angels. What's
>>your take on that premise? When one gets a degree, for example,
>>in Folklore Studies would that put them on a par with biblical
>>studies? Are they related; a branch thereof?

>Don,

>These questions are rather mangled, I'm afraid. I encourage you
>to read a book on folklore. Or, specifically, you could read my
>chapter on fairy experience in my own book, Hidden Realms.

>Folklore is not tied in particular to religion, except to the
>degree that, in common with all human activity (e.g., sex,
>sports, the entertainment industry, your neighbors' doings,
>work, politics) - you name it - religion generates a body of
>evolving, protean oral lore, rumor, and speculation. Which means
>only that, like everything else, religious belief, doctrine, and
>the like are processed in normal, recognizable human ways by
>non-elites. Biblical scholarship at an academic level is neither
>folklore nor folkloristics, but a discipline that fuses
>linguistics, history, philosophy, and theology.

>Nor, on a whole other level, are the fairies of tradition tied
>to religion in any meaningful sense. In the meaningless sense,
>if one ties all anomalous, supernatural, or non-consensus
>reality experience to "religion", then the term essentially
>means whatever you want it to mean, in other words not much the
>rest of us need worry about.

>It is true that the less secular ordinary folk of other eras
>sometimes struggled to understand fairies and other mysteries,
>natural and supernatural - just as they struggled to understand
>everything else in their environment - through a biblical

>filter. Mostly, they came to the nonscriptural conclusion that
>fairies exist on some level between the divine and the human.
>Mostly, though, they just feared them, viewing them as one more
>menace in an already dangerous world.

>_Non_traditional fairies - those that figure in Spiritualism or
>New Age mysticism - are figures that one can call religiously
>generated inasmuch as they've been drafted into modernist
>theological frameworks. But since you're talking about folklore,
>I assume you mean the fairies of tradition, where fairies had as
>much, or as little, religious significance as giants, monsters,
>and ghosts.

You just made my point for me Jerry. My blanket dismissal of the
folklore surrounding fairys and angels is exactly what Joe did
when he claimed a blanket religious connotation associated with
the interest shown in the Rendlesham case. I could have just as
easily thrown in ghosts or swan mays.

Don Ledger

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Re: P-47: Kynthia Newby Luce

From: A. J. Gevaerd - Revista UFO <aj.nul>
Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 14:44:33 -0200
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 18:11:44 -0500
Subject: Re: P-47: Kynthia Newby Luce

>From: Mary Castner <m.castner.nul>
>To: project-1947.nul
>Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 08:53:13 -0600
>Subject: Cynthia Newby Luce

>On Wednesday morning at 3:45, Cynthia made her way to a new
>existence. As you would expect, she was not to be rushed,
>hanging on to dear life for 4 days after entering a coma
>following a six month battle with uterine metastatic cancer.
>During this time, she was pain free and well tended to by 24/7
>home hospice care, loving friends and family, and of course her
>forever devoted Aurora. She was blessed and helped along her
>path by a visit from two Tibetan Buddhist monks on Monday before
>her passing and finally by the soft chant of ZuZu=E2?Ts voice at
>her last breath.

>Cynthia chose to be cremated without the fanfare of an elaborate
>memorial service. We are honoring her wishes and will gather
>with family to reflect on her life and to share fond memories.
>Thanks to all who have reached out to provide support and
>comfort over the last few days. It has made a tremendous
>difference.

>I knew Kynthia (her preferred spelling) for several years as she
>helped with research on Trindade Island and obtained some
>valuable resources. I will miss her. She was a feisty lady with
>an earthy sense of humor.

>Probably many of you didn't know her as she was a US citizen who
>lived in Brazil for many years and just came back to the states
>a couple of years ago to live with her daughter and son-in-law
>in CA.

>Kynthia was a Brazilian ufologist and a close associate of Bob
>Pratt. She had a wide range of interests including Fortean
>events and anthropology with an MA in Experimental Psychology.
>She loved her home in Brazil and really hated to leave, but she
>was getting up there in age and back hills living was getting a
>bit much for her. However, that didn't keep her from being a
>very active person and always trucking around to UFO meetings or
>digging into something that caught her attention.

>She was a great story teller and there was always something
>scandalous tripping off her tongue either the maid running off
>with one of her visitors or some Fortean event she was looking
>into. She was a MUFON representative (Director, Eastern Brazil)
>for many years in Brazil though I don't know what her current
>status with MUFON was at the time of her passing.

>Mary

Dear Listers,

I am very sorry to hear about Cynthia. She was a dear friend and a strong collaborator. She gave extreme help to some of our major UFO researchers, such as Irene Granchi, as well as to foreign colleagues when visiting Brazil, specially Bob Pratt.

I met her first almost 30 years ago, when she was already living in Brazil. I had the pleasure to receive her at my home in the 80s, when she assisted me in correcting my first lecture in English, to be given months later in Tucson, AZ, at the 1st International UFO Congress by Wendelle Stevens (then Bob Brown's and now John Rao's).

Thank you Mary for the information. Please, if possible, convey to the family our condolences. I will inform my colleagues down here of Cynthia's death.

Best to all of you.

A. J. Gevaerd
Editor
Brazilian UFO Magazine

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>Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 21:11:16 +0000
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>I can't help but find it amusing when Jerry Clark decries the
>activities of other sects as detractors from his puritanical
>definition of 'The one true ufology'.

>Even funnier when the best that Don can muster is to draw in a
>misrepresentation of Ian Ridpath's mention of the lighthouse in
>relation to one part of the Rendlesham saga, and for some
>unknown reason, to invoke the mythical Doctor Clarke.

Pleased that I (we) could amuse you.

I suggest to you that the misrepresentation is all on Ian Ridpath's head. Googling the location, of the Orfordness Lighthouse in relation to the events of that evening; picking a convenient farm house (where Orfordness's lens shield allows a peep of light to be viewed from that location) out of a dozen or more where it can't be seen or more but which made it necessary for Halt et al to follow an incredulous path to the preferred farmhouse in order just to see said lighthouse without confirmation from Halt as to which farmhouse they were at, is just sloppy.

Ian even managed to suck in a not very critical BBC production crew to further muddy up the waters.

I thought that David Clarke did have a doctorate in Folklore. My apologies if that is not the case. When was it established that he does not?

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I'm confused now, which media buff are you referring to; Nick Pope or (Dr.?) David Clarke?

Methane gas is methane gas regardless if it is the product of the bowel or the brain. You are only human after all. Your brain farts are expected in each of your postings, comes to that.

Don Ledger

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Re: Canada Ranks Last In Freedom Of Information

From: Nick Balaskas <Nikolaos.nul>
Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 14:09:16 -0500 (Eastern Standard Time)
Archived: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 18:16:38 -0500
Subject: Re: Canada Ranks Last In Freedom Of Information

>From: Don Ledger <dledger.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Sun, 9 Jan 2011 13:05:20 -0400
>Subject: Canada Ranks Last In Freedom Of Information

>I can attest to this.

>FWIW

>Don Ledger

>Source: The Globe & Mail - Toronto

><http://tinyurl.com/2wyojb6>

>Sunday, Jan. 09, 2011

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>A new study ranks Canada dead last when it comes to freedom of
>information.

<snip>

>The findings published in the journal Government Information
>Quarterly echo a similar Canadian study from 1998 that showed
>Canada performs poorly when compared with freedom-of-information
>laws around the globe.

>Critics say the findings are not a surprise, pointing to growing
>delays in responses to information requests from the public.

>And they say it marks a reversal from a decade ago, when Canada
>was seen as a global leader in freedom of information.

Hi Everyone,

It is interesting that National Geographic was recently granted access to Area-51 in Nevada, a Top Secret facility that doesn't officially exist where advanced aircraft and new technologies (including ET?) are tested but Canada's equivalent, Canadian Forces Base Suffield in Alberta where ETs were granted landing rights by Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent is still highly classified. Even retired Minister of National Defense and past Deputy Prime Minister, Paul Hellyer, who was briefed about Canada's secret UFO base at CFB Suffield and first revealed it to the public back in 1967 cannot get further information after all these years!

Did face-to-face contacts mutually agreed to between the ET occupants of the two mystery satellites that entered orbit around the Earth back in 1954 and our own high level government officials and scientists actually take place? The ETs failed to make their presence known by landing in Washington, D.C. back in 1952 where they were instead chased away and shot at by U.S. Air Force fighter jets...

Library archivists and Access to Information experts inform me that files for this and many other known Canadian UFO incidents and projects that I have requested to see do indeed exist but they can never be declassified. Just who or whose interests are Canadian Public Servants trying to protect by not releasing these still secret UFO files to the Canadian public?

Nick Balaskas

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Subject: Re: Seals... A Part Of Animal Mutilations?

>From: William Treurniet <wtreurniet.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 18:05:45 -0500
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>>From: Jim Deardorff<deardorj.nul>
>>To: post.nul
>>Date: Sun, 09 Jan 2011 09:07:03 -0800
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>>Hello List,

>>In addition to the huge numbers of bird and fish die-offs that
>>have occurred worldwide and all within the past few months,
>>there are the seal deaths: E.g., see:

>><http://tinyurl.com/2d47b2o>

>>These fit well within the category of UFO animal mutilations.
>>They have all, some 40 or 50 of them, been found mutilated in a
>>nearly identical manner along an east coast of England.

>>Many conceivable causes have been mentioned, the least
>>incredible being that the seals are strangely attracted to some
>>nearby, large, encased ship propellor. But that didn't make
>>sense either, as any animal victims would be chewed to pieces by
>>such.

>It would probably depend on the speed of the propeller. As well
>as ship propellers, there are now turbines to generate power
>from tides. See for instance:

><http://tinyurl.com/2blm7ze>

><http://tinyurl.com/6xtelq>

>An example of the technology can be seen at:

><http://www.hgenergy.com/technology.html>

>The spec sheet for the latter says the rotor rotational speed is
>21 rpm, with a rotor tip speed of 3.67 m/sec. That's still quite
>fast, but maybe a seal could be drawn through such a thing
>relatively intact at that rate. It would be pushed through with
>the current, and a sharp edge on the rotor or on an exit point
>might possibly cut a spiral as it went through.

>These generator installations are relatively recent, as are the
>mutilated seals. They are installed near coastlines, and that is
>where seals would congregate as well.

>To connect this to the horse and cattle mutilations on land,
>there would have to be organs excised from the seals. No one has
>mentioned that yet, to my knowledge.

>William

Tidal generators were considered but ruled out - none in the vicinity. The two URLs you listed were for ones in Ireland and the Bay of Fundy. The large screws of floating platforms were also considered and ruled out - none anywhere around at the time some of the earlier seal mutilations occurred.

The similarity in mutilation cuts needs to be taken into account. What are the odds that some 40 seals would be sucked into some sort of unknown propellor in a duct head first, and never have the head itself damaged? If the odds are one in two for any particular seal, then the overall probability is only 1 in 2 to the 40th power.

The shark hypothesis is just as improbable for the same reason, and even more so judging from the opinions of scientists at the Sea Mammal Research Unit at the University of St. Andrews in Scotland.

Jim

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Seriously:

Does anybody know what this guy is talking about?

I don't think anybody has written more social history of ufology
(the good, the bad, the well-intended but poorly executed, the
downright embarrassing, and all shades between) than I have, or
spent as much time researching what went into the creation and
evolution of the movement over the decades. That includes, by
the way, not just stuff on the public record but a mass of
private material gleaned from interviews, correspondence, and
primary sources.

Since a number of you have read my encyclopedia, which addresses
these issues in considerable detail, you're familiar with what
I'm talking about. Nobody would say that about this guy, alas
by which I mean either that he's familiar with the subject or
that he knows about what he's talking about. I can only infer
that when he's not laughing uproariously at his own flatulence
jokes he thinks the Orwellian dictum "ignorance is strength"

was meant to be taken literally.

Or maybe he thinks that since police have used the services of psychics and mediums on many occasions, law enforcement is at heart a religious enterprise. It is my personal view that, as a way of short-cutting to elusive underlying facts, it shows poor judgment to employ psychics in either criminal or UFO investigation. But I confess that in common with most, surely I miss the theological implications here.

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>>>have occurred worldwide and all within the past few months,
>>>there are the seal deaths: E.g., see:

>>><http://tinyurl.com/2d47b2o>

>>>These fit well within the category of UFO animal mutilations.
>>>They have all, some 40 or 50 of them, been found mutilated in a
>>>nearly identical manner along an east coast of England.

>>>Many conceivable causes have been mentioned, the least
>>>incredible being that the seals are strangely attracted to some
>>>nearby, large, encased ship propellor. But that didn't make
>>>sense either, as any animal victims would be chewed to pieces by
>>>such.

>>It would probably depend on the speed of the propeller. As well
>>as ship propellers, there are now turbines to generate power
>>from tides. See for instance:

>><http://tinyurl.com/2blm7ze>

>><http://tinyurl.com/6xtelg>

>>An example of the technology can be seen at:

>><http://www.hgenergy.com/technology.html>

>>The spec sheet for the latter says the rotor rotational speed is
>>21 rpm, with a rotor tip speed of 3.67 m/sec. That's still quite
>>fast, but maybe a seal could be drawn through such a thing
>>relatively intact at that rate. It would be pushed through with
>>the current, and a sharp edge on the rotor or on an exit point
>>might possibly cut a spiral as it went through.

>>These generator installations are relatively recent, as are the
>>mutilated seals. They are installed near coastlines, and that is
>>where seals would congregate as well.

>>To connect this to the horse and cattle mutilations on land,
>>there would have to be organs excised from the seals. No one has
>>mentioned that yet, to my knowledge.

>Tidal generators were considered but ruled out - none in the
>vicinity. The two URLs you listed were for ones in Ireland and
>the Bay of Fundy. The large screws of floating platforms were
>also considered and ruled out - none anywhere around at the time
>some of the earlier seal mutilations occurred.

Sorry, I was not clear on exactly where the mutilated seals were found so I merely included the above links as examples of that technology.

I believe some of the mutilated seals were found off Scotland. Wave and tidal power generators are under development there.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Renewable_energy_in_Scotland

<http://tinyurl.com/6xdvgo6>

<http://tinyurl.com/5dlfab>

<http://tinyurl.com/kxpx>

<http://tinyurl.com/5wm2sof>

<http://tinyurl.com/5wllev4>

etc.

I would take the word of an official with a grain of salt when it comes to admitting that a power generating station, seen to be good for society and becoming economically important, might be responsible. Fear of PETA might inspire caution.

>The similarity in mutilation cuts needs to be taken into
>account. What are the odds that some 40 seals would be sucked
>into some sort of unknown propeller in a duct head first, and
>never have the head itself damaged? If the odds are one in two
>for any particular seal, then the overall probability is only 1
>in 2 to the 40th power.

>The shark hypothesis is just as improbable for the same reason,
>and even more so judging from the opinions of scientists at the
>Sea Mammal Research Unit at the University of St. Andrews in
>Scotland.

I would agree that sharks would be expected to cause random damage, but maybe not the ducted propeller. The head of a seal is quite a bit smaller than the rest of the body. If the animal were guided through the duct by it's "shoulders" and encountered the sharp object as it was leaving, the head might always stay clear of the sharp object.

William

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Re: Psychic Rendlesham

From: Dave Haith <visions1.nul>
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>From: Joe McGonagle <joe.mcgonagle.nul>
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>Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 15:22:44 +0000
>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>>From: Dave Haith <visions1.nul>
>>To: UFO UpDates <post.nul>
>>Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 01:11:25 -0000
>>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>>>From: Joe McGonagle<joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>>>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto<post.nul>
>>>Date: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 20:39:32 +0000
>>>Subject: Psychic Rendlesham

>>>If you thought that the 'binary message' was as low as the sorry
>>>saga which is Rendlesham could get, it appears now that a group
>>>of psychics plus the ubiquitous Nick Pope are getting in on the
>>>act according to this promotional trailer:

>>I can't quite work out here whether the mockery and opposition
>>to this is because it's Nick Pope or because of course nobody in
>>their right mind would employ a psychic to try to solve a UFO
>>case!

>Perm any 2 from 2 and you will be right!

>>Now I will be the first to admit that this trailer - and
>>presumably the whole production - looks totally cheesy, trivial
>>and typical of today's doubtful 'most haunted' type shows.

>>And I am a little surprised that Nick is involved in something
>>so obviously hyped up.

>Why? I'm not surprised, but I am more surprised at Philip Mantle.

>>But in principle there's nothing wrong in looking to
>>parapsychology to glean a few possible clues to this mystery.

>Maybe you are right - where would you draw the line? Should we
>sacrifice a goat in the forest and examine its entrails as
>well? If not, is that being closed minded and throwing out the
>baby with the bath water?

>>If the US Government can spend millions of dollars on remote
>>viewing, then it makes sense to use genuine sensitives in UFO
>>work.

>The fact that they closed the project gives me a little clue...

>>I'm not a bit surprised if Ian R thinks all paranormal phenomena
>>are nonsense but researchers would do well not to ignore what
>>may prove to be a valid method of enquiry.

>So you are going to sacrifice the goat I take it?

Joe

Obviously from your responses I realise it's going to be

exceptionally difficult to engage you in any serious conversation about the value or otherwise of considering parapsychology as part of any enquiry into UFOs - even though most researchers would accept that many cases have a 'psychic' element to them.

Yes they closed down the RV program but not before spending \$20 million - and of course we don't know what's happening in any black budget.

I probably wouldn't personally sacrifice a goat in this pursuit - but then I am a vegetarian so have personal issues with that method of divination....

But I would think it worthwhile using accredited mediums on certain cases - why not use all the tools in our toolkit to try to get to grips with a phenomena which has baffled great minds for aeons?

Of course if you - as I suspect - have little or no respect for psi research and people like Dean Radin, Hal Puthoff, Gary Schwartz, Russell Targ, Robert Jahn, Edgar Mitchell and a host of others, then there's little point in continuing this dialogue.

But to be fair - you did say 'Maybe you're right - where would you draw the line?'

I suppose the answer would have to be that it's not for me to draw any line - research into anything in life has always ranged from the totally whacky to the erudite.

If you're suggesting that mediums' involvement is as damaging to UFO PR as 'goat sacrifice' - I wouldn't agree. I think there are many people these days who accept some folk are more 'tuned in' to being able to paranormally access information, than others....and some of these are mediums.

Goat sacrifice on the other hand doesn't have a particularly good public image and so wouldn't do the 'cause' of serious UFO research a great deal of good!

But I have to say that entrails examination divination is probably just another way of putting the mind into a certain state which encourages perception of otherwise inaccessible information... so maybe we shouldn't throw the goat out with the bathwater...

Dave Haith

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Did Aliens Share Our Skies With Santa?

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Archived: Tue, 11 Jan 2011 09:02:18 -0500
Subject: Did Aliens Share Our Skies With Santa?

Source: Hawke's Bay Today - Napier, New Zealand

<http://tinyurl.com/6aa5q52>

28th December 2010

Did Aliens Share Our Skies With Santa?
Alistair Gray

Mysterious lights floating over the Hawke's Bay sky on Boxing Day have put some residents on edge, fearing Napier could have been visited by Santa and aliens in a matter of days.

Submitters to weatherwatch.co.nz described four floating lights moving slowly in the Napier sky, with three in a diamond formation and a fourth hanging slowly behind.

Numerous reports have been made about the lights which were visible throughout Napier from about 9.50pm, with many saying they appeared to be moving south in a silent formation.

Maraenui resident Alex Durbin said he believed the lights were an alien spacecraft.

Mr Durbin said family members told him about the lights and he joined others watching them for about two to three minutes.

"They definitely were not fireworks, definitely not planes," he said.

"They were round, a purply pink colour and were spinning - I think they were some kind of craft, if you ask me."

The lights came down quite low, with each appearing to be the size of a small car, before quickly disappearing into the night sky, Mr Durbin said.

"My way of seeing it is they have flown up into the sky to wherever they have come from," he said.

Reports of the lights have come from as far afield as Wanganui, Taranaki, Christchurch and Dunedin.

The mysterious lights could not have been aeroplanes because the airport had closed that night at 9pm.

Fraser Duncan, a graphics tutor from the Eastern Institute of Technology, managed to capture the lights on camera.

During the 30 seconds he photographed the lights, Mr Duncan estimated that if they were 20km from the ground they would have covered about 10km in the length of time it took to take the picture - considerably faster than any modern military craft.

"They were probably exceeding the speed of sound and they were travelling in formation," Mr Duncan said.

However, he maintained they were not UFOs, saying: "I'm

sceptical of little green men."

When asked if any reports of UFO sightings had come in, Sergeant Ian Evans, of Napier police, said they could "neither confirm or deny", before simply saying "no".

Weatherwatch.co.nz, however, offered a logical explanation for the lights in the sky.

"We believe they are Chinese lanterns - these are often lit and set into the sky at the same time and travel with the wind - slowly, quietly with no noise," Weatherwatch said.

And a follow-up "opinion piece" in the same publication:

Roger Moroney: Lights in the sky or, dare we say it

Hawke's Bay Today (Napier, New Zealand) ROGER MORONEY | 11th January 2011

I swear, I had only drained two little green soldiers when I spotted the fast-moving shapes in the sky.

Remarkable. Only back in the country for a few hours and sitting in the comfortable evening warmth of the Bay ... having a quiet bottle of fizzy and catching up on the past eight days of newspapers.

Among the stories which caught my eye was one about four moving lights which had been widely seen in the sky above the twin cities. They had appeared to have been in some sort of loose formation.

One observer described them as substantial in size, which kind of ruled out suggestions they may have been Chinese lanterns ... the ones people light and send skyward.

So, they were logged as unidentified.

And they were flying. And they were objects.

Unidentified flying objects. UFOs.

Using the term 'UFO' is a whole lot different to simply saying 'some sort of lights in the sky'.

If you tell someone you saw some sort of lights in the sky they'll go "oh".

You tell them you saw a UFO and they'll likely say "oh, is that the time? I must be off".

There's always been that wacko factor. The 'little green men' thing.

Although there are little green men in my life, but they are made of glass and every second Tuesday I assemble them into a tight-knit battalion and leave them outside the gate to be collected, but that's by the by.

So there I sat, my attention caught by two very high-flying objects which appeared sort of oblong in shape and moving very fast.

By all means file me away in the tray marked "bananas" but I one hundred per cent watched them, whatever they were, clear and present, arcing overhead in the clear late afternoon light.

They were disappearing fast when my son dashed out in response to my call to grab the binoculars.

He too saw them but for only a second or two as they faded from sight. And that was that.

Dark oblongs. High and fast? Any suggestions?

All I could come up with was that perhaps they were not at a

stratospheric altitude, that they were some species of large bird which flew higher than most. But whoa, they sure were moving quick.

About three months ago a bloke I know, who I would best describe as reasonably open-minded but more aligned toward skepticism, told me quietly about a strange light he had seen out to the southeast one night. It appeared to be wedge shaped ... like a bright flying 'V'.

He was bewildered by it, and otherwise preferred to keep the sighting to himself.

"Could be anything", was about the only response I could muster.

I like a good mystery, but not the sort which leaves you wondering where you left your wallet or parked the car. That's just annoying.

But the truly unexplainable - that appeals to me.

I would like to think there is something "out there" that can't be explained. Something going on.

There probably isn't, but when you find yourself sitting back and watching two odd, fast-moving specks in the high sky you do begin to manufacture some wonderful doubts.

It was the second time I'd seen something in the sky that didn't make sense. Five or six years ago, taking the rubbish out late at night, I spotted a fast-moving light. Nothing odd about that given there are on average five or six satellites or old rocket bodies crossing the skies above us every night. I've seen plenty. But this one did something odd.

It simply changed direction in a sharp 90-degree turn and after three or four seconds just disappeared.

My response? "Whatever."

Because until an airship without wings or rotors lands up on the Napier beach and some little grey thing barely a metre tall gets out and asks for directions to proxima centauri, my metaphorical jury is definitely out.

Bemused and slightly mystified, but nonetheless out. It was a funny old year for unidentified flying objects because governments started releasing documents and information which effectively revealed that their military departments figured something strange was happening "up there".

They were taking it seriously. They probably still are. I daresay because they believe that whoever is the first to discover the secret to hyperspace propulsion and technology will be able to start and win what will surely be the last great war.

So watch the skies. Some say the best time to spot the strangely strange is twilight - you get better low sun flash off a metallic object apparently.

But if you spot the flash around 5pm don't get too excited ... that's the 4.20 Air New Zealand service from Wellington.

Roger Moroney is an award-winning journalist for Hawke's Bay Today and observer of the slightly off-centre.

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>Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 17:39:33 -0600
>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>>From: Joe McGonagle <joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>>To: post.nul
>>Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 15:16:59 +0000
>>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

<snip>

>>In the meantime:

>>-Ufology good
>>- Mediums not good
>>- ergo don't acknowledge their participation and maybe no-one
>>will notice and the one true ufology will remain pure.

>Seriously:

>Does anybody know what this guy is talking about?

<snip>

Yes I think I do, or what passes for "knowing," you know, given the circumstances of not even using the same dictionary? Simply stated, it may be that like our George W. Bush, a poster child for the clarity of thought, Mr. McGonagle simply "...don't do nuance."

See, I suspect Mr. McGonagle thinks in terms of what can be determined as "Black," and "White" where shades of grey only have a useable meaning for him where they can, themselves, be determined as "black" or "white." Note that the same shade can be called either "black" or "white" as convenience dictates... and convenience dictates quite a bit when it is absolutely required that you be correct 100% of the time.

He does not perceive that there is no "black" and "white," at all, except as unknowable and intangible ideals on the extreme polar opposite edges of the bell curve separating the concepts, nor does he perceive the colored light seen and unseen, but affective still, despite their being manifested at "ultra low" and "infra high" (sic) frequencies, frequencies beyond present appreciation, experience, or understanding. Mr. McGonagle is entirely bereft of efficacious imagination, frankly, and cannot perceive of, or see, a value to "Reach Exceeding Grasp..." He does not perceive that it is not the Yin or the Yang, it is the edge providing their separation that is the multiverse, 128 bit color and x-rated for sex, violence, and rock and roll. He does not perceive that "reach" is the only thing that has ever inspired "grasp." He does not perceive that either/or is, and must be, leavened with copious amount of both/and, eh?

Proof of my contention is that Mr. McGonagle likely asks of me, a person aspiring to art and nuance... "Does anybody know what this guy is talking about?"

Re: Psychic Rendlesham

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From: Sean Jones <Sean.Jones.nul>
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All the best,

Sean

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In an infinite universe infinitely anything is possible.

<http://www.tedric.demon.co.uk/>

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Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For

From: **Shepherd Johnson** <shepherd.nul>
Date: Tue, 11 Jan 2011 16:26:40 - 0500
Archived: Wed, 12 Jan 2011 10:17:30 -0500
Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For

Hey all, heads up for this journal put out by the Royal Society, it's the Feb 2011 issue. Not sure exactly when it came out. This is the The Royal Society.

There is an article by Frank Drake and an article by Mazlan Othman, the UN head of the Office for Outer Space Affairs (UNOOSA) who everybody thought was going to be the 'ET Ambassador' a few months ago.

This is really big. It is packed with scholarly articles on extraterrestrial life.

Source: <http://rsta.royalsocietypublishing.org/content/current>

February 13, 2011

- The detection of extra-terrestrial life and the consequences for science and society
- Astrobiology, space and the future age of discovery
- Life in the lithosphere, kinetics and the prospects for life elsewhere
- The evolution of organic matter in space
- Predicting what extra- terrestrials will be like: and preparing for the worst
- Exoplanets: the quest for Earth twins
- Extra-terrestrial life in the European Space Agency's Cosmic Vision plan and beyond
- The search for life in our Solar System and the implications for science and society
- Chemical methods for searching for evidence of extra-terrestrial life
- Life as a cosmic imperative?
- Searching for a shadow biosphere on Earth as a test of the 'cosmic imperative'
- The search for extra- terrestrial intelligence
- The implications of the discovery of extra- terrestrial life for religion
- Fear, pandemonium, equanimity and delight: human responses to extra-terrestrial life
- Is life what we make of it?
- Discovery of extra- terrestrial life: assessment by scales of its importance and associated risks

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Now I have to go wipe the drool off my chin and order a print copy of this thing. Articles are also available online.

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Subject: Interactive Map Of 15 Years Of UFO Sightings

In the past 15 years, Peter Davenport's, Washington State based National UFO Reporting Center has collected more than 30,000 reports of UFO sightings through its hotline and Web site. The following three maps visually depict that rich history:

Source: Slate

<http://www.slate.com/id/2278314/>

Tuesday Jan. 11, 2011

An Interactive Map Of 15 Years Of UFO sightings
By Angela TchouPosted

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>All the best,

>Sean

I think you're addressing a valid point, just pointing the finger in the wrong direction.

You're bringing up what William R. Corliss memorably called "anomaly snobbism" which, roughly translated, means, 'My anomaly is valid. Yours is just crap'. I even have written on that subject. Suffice it to say I do not support anomaly snobbism. I favor evidence, wherever it leads.

In the remark you're apparently alluding to, I wasn't judging the validity of psi. I was simply taking note of the empirical fact that psychics and mediums are often wrong; thus, they should not be relied upon as a short-cut to the truth or as a substitute for old-fashioned investigation and analysis. I might add that over the course of my life, I have had some personal experience of alleged psychics who were wildly off the mark.

A very good book on the subject as it relates to police work was written by my late friend Marcello Truzzi with Arthur Lyons, *The Blue Sense: Psychic Detectives and Crime* (Mysterious Press, 1991).

Jerry Clark

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From: Joachim Koch <lists.nul>
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Archived: Wed, 12 Jan 2011 10:36:09 -0500
Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>From: Joe McGonagle<joe.mcgonagle.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto<post.nul>
>Date: Sat, 08 Jan 2011 20:39:32 +0000
>Subject: Psychic Rendlesham

>If you thought that the 'binary message' was as low as the sorry
>saga which is Rendlesham could get, it appears now that a group
>of psychics plus the ubiquitous Nick Pope are getting in on the
>act according to this promotional trailer:

I cannot believe that Nick would risk all of his reputation by
producing a spoof.

It seems to me that he is doing the right thing: looking for the
energy pattern and the information within which is left over
from the incident in that area.

Maybe they should try this also at Travis Walton's site...

Joachim

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From: **Bruce Maccabee** <brumac.nul>
Date: Wed, 12 Jan 2011 11:29:22 -0500 (EST)
Archived: Wed, 12 Jan 2011 15:59:25 -0500
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This is all academically interesting the "ufologically" amusing.
And I hope you didn't drool too much.

The operative word that differentiates this journal discussion
by The Royal Society and publications such as The MUFON
Journal, the International UFO Reporter and numerous comparable
journals published in various countries is....

search!

The Royal Society accepts searching for ET as legitimate but
rejects the claim by ufologists that ET (or Other Intelligence,
wherever it may be from) has been....

found!

Search vs found!

Someday they will catch up to us and will direct their
discussion toward "they are here, have been for a many years,
and, so, what do we do about it?"

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There was discussion of these papers at the time of the
conference at which they were presented... in January 2010.

Unfortunately, but as one might expect, there was essentially no
serious discussion of the overwhelming evidence that aliens are
visiting earth. Our egos tell us (The SETI and astronomical
communities) that we will hope to discover Life out there. But
of course they wouldn't have come here without calling for a
meeting with those two groups.

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Triangle UFO Under 400 Feet Over Derry, New Hampshire
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/2d4fflp>

UFO Sighting Near Lake Elsinore Jan. 6, 2011
Paranormal Utopia
<http://tinyurl.com/24nqpvq>

Second UFO Sighting On Rombalds Moor
Ilkley Gazette
<http://tinyurl.com/35qgnca>

Ohio UFO Photographed By Security Guard
Ghost Theory
<http://tinyurl.com/38oloey>

UFO Sighting In C=F3rdoba
Momento24 English
<http://tinyurl.com/4lc6xqr>

Riverside County, CA 'UFO' Identified As Parachutists With Flares
Tucson Citizen
<http://tinyurl.com/2bsd7ld>

UFO Sighting Evidence Files Unearthed At Brays Point
HULIQ
<http://tinyurl.com/4svvmzq>

Filer's Files # 2 - 2011
<http://tinyurl.com/4zrwwtz>

Musician Disappears In The Desert; 35 Years Later His U.F.O.
Masterpiece Is Reissued
<http://tinyurl.com/2ep8ar9>

The Black Vault Newsletter - January 8, 2011
<http://tinyurl.com/4r4zlpz>

=46rom Scott Corrales' Inexplicata:

2010 Argentinean UFO Cases At A Glance
<http://tinyurl.com/4aauwgg>

Argentina: UFO At The Dakar Rally
<http://tinyurl.com/493g2p5>

=46rom Frank Warren's The UFO Chronicals:

X-Files: Dead Birds, Dead Fish: What Does It Mean?
<http://tinyurl.com/4gah7q6>

Scottsdale, Arizona: Something Strange In The Sky Around 9pm On
1/7/11

<http://tinyurl.com/4zml3ee>

=46rom Larry W Bryant:

What Does the U. S. State Dept. Know About UFO-E.T. Reality
And When Did It Know It?

<http://tinyurl.com/6487jb9>

=46rom 'The Norm':

Florida Officer Discovers Ground Burn Marks After Witnessing
'Metallic Sphere'

Examiner.Com

<http://tinyurl.com/4bqn37m>

Newly Developed Cloak Hides Underwater Objects From Sonar

PysOrg.Com

<http://tinyurl.com/23d5t38>

Why Parapsychology Is Amongst The Most Important Of The Sciences

PNI.Org

<http://tinyurl.com/4txh824>

Psychologists Predict Outrage Over ESP 'Evidence'

The Globe & Mail Toronto

<http://tinyurl.com/4nc5tov>

Journal's Paper on ESP Expected to Prompt Outrage

Original NY Times article

<http://tinyurl.com/4vhnegn>

Swedish Bird Mystery: Deaths Due To 'External Injuries'

BBC News

<http://tinyurl.com/32jhq17>

Falling Brains Dept:

Pope: God Was Behind the Big Bang

<http://tinyurl.com/2bouhoj>

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From: **Gerald O'Connell** <goc.nul>
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A contrast indeed: the Royal Society papers are online and
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Gerald O'Connell
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Rendlesham Revealed & Reunion - Audios

From: **Giuliano Marinkovic** <giuliano.marinkovic.nul>
Date: Wed, 12 Jan 2011 22:33:31 +0100
Archived: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 06:20:05 -0500
Subject: Rendlesham Revealed & Reunion - Audios

Dear Colleagues,

This is the continuation of my previous reports available here:

<http://tinyurl.com/5vlojdf>

<http://tinyurl.com/6g6byqu>

<http://tinyurl.com/6er7vvc>

Also this article is a good companion piece for my report:

<http://tinyurl.com/2wanydu>

The whole package of audio files is now available in 4 parts (every part is rar-ed - use Winrar to extract audio files after download) - every part has an episode guide:

Those are the links:

01. Rendlesham Prelude Shows

<http://tinyurl.com/6xjfmw2>

02. Rendlesham Specials

<http://tinyurl.com/6xbsy4e>

03. Rendlesham Reunion Conference Show

<http://tinyurl.com/6hfd9r9>

04. Bonus - Rendlesham Promos & Treehouse Appeal Promos

<http://tinyurl.com/64grtt7>

Summary:

After almost 2 and a half months of work I have finally finished processing BBC Suffolk "Mark Murphy Breakfast" shows that were aired during November and December 2010. Now they are available and preserved for historical record and research purposes. They can also serve as a sample of stereotypical UFO comments and promos for future thesis about media and UFOs. Let's begin. Every episode of Mark Murphy Breakfast show airs from Monday to Saturday. The length of each episode is 3 hours. In total, 49 shows were processed and approximately 195 man hours were invested in this project (conservative estimate). I had to process every episode and to edit audios only with Rendlesham and UFO references.

On 1st November 2010 BBC Suffolk started to air promos for their big radio special on Rendlesham, scheduled for December 17, 2010. Station even created 26 promos for the show that were aired almost every day. Finally on December 17, long awaited

special "Rendlesham Revealed" was aired. Mark Murphy proposed a theory that on a first night of the incident, dummy Apollo Capsule was allegedly dropped in the forest by a helicopter from 67th Aerospace Rescue and Recovery Squadron based at RAF Woodbridge. "Third night" is explained with helicopter's return because soldiers decided to pick the capsule back. Theory is proposed as a solution for the whole incident. Unfortunately (or fortunately) for BBC, story about Rendlesham was not over. As the end of December was approaching, new event appeared as a news item. 30th Anniversary conference known as "Rendlesham Reunion" was scheduled on 28th December 2010 at Community Hall in Woodbridge, Suffolk with primary witnesses Jim Penniston and John Burroughs. The event itself opened up a new cycle of local news so BBC Suffolk had to report on Rendlesham again.

One day before the conference - 27th December 2010 - BBC Suffolk decided to air highlights from Rendlesham Special that already aired on 17th December (show with proposed theory of dummy Apollo capsule). But on 28th December, Mark Murphy visited himself the Rendlesham Reunion event where he interviewed John Burroughs and prepared new radio piece for his show on 29th December. Mark asked him about Apollo capsule theory and Burroughs gave this reply:

Burroughs: "The fact that the airfield was shut down, the fact that you would hear helicopter lift off, we would know for helicopter lift off, I can honestly tell you straight up there was no helicopter activity. Now, on the third night with colonel Halt, because I came out after it already started, I can't tell what was going on the airfield but I did not hear any helicopters at any time."

At the end Mark Murphy gave this comment on his show on 29th December:

"So you know, they are keen 30 years on to say 'Look I am sorry but this is what happened'. So the truth may still be out there, maybe we find it, maybe we haven't, we'll have to do Rendlesham Revealed Revisited part 2 at some point I suspect. Jim Penniston claims that he and who I am to argue, I wasn't there. Claims (Penniston) that he touched the craft."

Aftermath of the Rendlesham Reunion event:

- Woodbridge Community Hall was packed with more than 400 people
- Rendlesham Reunion event raised more than 2000 pounds for a noble cause - Treehouse Appeal is a project to build new hospice in Ipswich for life-threatened children and their families in Suffolk & North Essex (for more info download 4th part with promos and bonus material about Treehouse Appeal).

I have decided to split the project in 4 parts. Those are the description of those parts where you can find those interviews and clips (download links at the top of this post):

Part 1 - Rendlesham Prelude Shows

Prelude shows before November 1st and December 17th that kept the tension for the Special show "Rendlesham Revealed"

- Portion of Charles Halt's tape broadcast
- Interview with Terry Hunt, editor from East Anglian Daily Times
- Interview with presenter David Whiteley from BBC Inside Out Show.
- Special interview with Philip Mantle, editor of UFO Matrix magazine.
- Evening at Rendlesham Forest - interview with Brenda Butler
- Interview with journalist Keith Baebey who wrote article that broke the Rendlesham story in "News of the World"
- Interview with Grant Lohoar - National Trust Countryside Manager East Suffolk
- Interview with Keith Seaman, lighthouse attendant talks about

lighthouse theory

- Evening at Rendlesham Forest and survey with participants

Part 2 - Rendlesham Specials (original 2-hour version from December 17th and Highlights 1-hour version):

Featured in the show:

- Graham Haynes, Manager of Bentwaters Cold War Museum - Brenda Butler

- Vince Thurkettle, ex forester

- Beverly Plumbridge, witness

- Nigel Turner, forester

- Nick Pope

- Terry Hunt, editor of East Anglian Daily Times

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- Robert Salas, UFOs & Nukes

- David King, ex policeman

- Keith Baebey, journalist

- John Mason, British Astronomical Association

- Grant Lohar - National Trust Countryside Manager East Suffolk

- Keith Seaman, lighthouse attendant

- Kevin Sloane, ex police officer

- Christopher Pennington

- Erroll Frost, Bentwaters Cold War Museum

- War Zone with Simon War - Simon comments Rendlesham Special

Part 3 - Rendlesham Reunion Event - 30th Anniversary Conference

- Interview with Peter Robbins about Rendlesham Reunion event

- Report from Rendlesham Reunion

- Interview with John Burroughs, Gordon Goodger (event organizer), Linda Moulton Howe, Brenda Butler, Dot Street

Part 4 - Bonus

BBC Suffolk 26 promos and Treehouse Appeal promos.

And now the project is finally finished.

Best Wishes.

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As long as users of psychic information accept and label it as
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Eleanor White

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I would never equate UFO witnesses with psychics. The problem with UFO witnesses is the problem with witnesses to anything out of the ordinary (including undisputed human events such as accidents and crimes): accuracy of reporting, clarity of memory, truthfulness, validating or invalidating independent testimony, and the like. UFO sighters are reporting an unusual appearance, whereas psychics are claiming paranormally acquired knowledge. On another level, where the witness is puzzled, the psychic "knows."

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That's because you've lost the context of the discussion, which commenced when, inspired by a lamentable recently announced project, a List member charged that the use of psychics somehow proves - no further proof necessary - that ufology is a religion. I responded that no, those (happily) few UFO investigators who resort to psychics in their field work are only trying, in common with police who turn to psychic detectives, to take a short cut (however misguided) to desired information they deem difficult or impossible to get otherwise. It is a considerable stretch to deduce that they are seeking validation of religious belief of some sort or other.

As with any field as amorphous as ufology, one can speak only generally, of course. I'm sure there are, here and there, exceptions to the rule, notably some individuals who see UFO phenomena as manifestations of the occult or as the work of demons. I can even think of one, who shall remain nameless here. (I might add, incidentally, that John Keel considered himself both a demonologist and an atheist.) I refer here to the ufological mainstream, whose outlook is resolutely, in some ways

defensively, secular.

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Perhaps "new and more accurate stellar distance data" refers to the claim made several times in Captured that Fish was able to revise and complete her model with revised GLIESE data on three missing stars published in 1972? But Huffer points out that there was no revision of the 1969 GLIESE catalogue in 1972, and that Fish's method (as described by Fish herself) was actually based on revisiting her existing short-list of selected stars from GLIESE 1969. Huffer says that "all sixteen Fish - Hill Pattern Stars that were finally selected by Marjorie Fish as representing the stars on Betty's map are in that catalog". So this does not constitute "new and more accurate data".

Criticising the claim in Captured! that the Fish model represents a unique, perfect "line for line, angle for angle" match to the Hill map (he says he has worked on the map issue for 30 years and has never before encountered this "astounding claim"), Huffer further wrote:

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If so, what does it have to say about HIPPARCHOS? Huffer provides an interesting comparison of the GLIESE and HIPPARCHOS data, some of which I extract and tabulate below. Notice that all of the distances have been changed to some degree, in some

cases by _tens_ of light years (e.g. GL 86.1 & GL 97) and that 7 of 15 spectral classes have also been changed.

	DISTANCE IN LY		SPECTRAL/LUM CLASS	
	GL	HIP	GL	HIP
GL 17	23.297	28.026	G2 V	F9 V
GL 27	34.333	36.228	K0 V	K0 V
GL 59	52.607	63.617	G8 V	K0 V
GL 67	37.490	41.240	G2 V	G2 V
GL 68	24.341	24.357	K1 V	K1 V
GL 71	11.775	11.896	G8 VP	G8 V
GL 86	36.648	35.596	K0 V	K0 V
GL 111	46.595	45.579	F 6 V	F5/F6 V
GL 136	36.648	39.530	G2 V	G2 V
GL 138	36.648	39.396	G1 V	G1 V
GL 139	20.259	19.765	G5 V	G8 V
GL 231	28.362	33.100	G5 V	G5 V
GL 86.1	42.359	183.651	K2 V	K1 III
GL 95	44.680	41.349	G5 V	G8 V
GL 97	42.359	71.527	G1 V	G2 V

Huffer concludes:

"Since the Hipparcos data were praised in CAPTURED as 'wonderful recent measurements of star distances' on page 241, I assume, but do not know for a fact, that these data were used to calculate distances. And yet the claim of an almost perfect 'fit' for the work of Marjorie Fish, which was based on the parallax values in the CATALOGUE OF NEARBY STARS, EDITION 1969, seems to preclude any better parallax measurements being discovered that may vary largely from the 1969 values. But just that has happened. Some of the latest parallax values present problems for some of the stars that were selected by Marjorie Fish."

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I'm sure we would all appreciate having these issues finally thrashed out.

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>otherwise.

Again an assumption that it's a 'short cut' rather than
additional information. How do you know the motivation of all UFO
investigators (and police) who use psychics? Unless you're psychic...

Are you suggesting then that no psychic has ever helped in
a police investigation?

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>validation of religious belief of some sort or other.

I think you must mean 'not a considerable stretch'?

But what anyway is this constant link with religion? Being
psychic is not being religious although religious people may be
psychic and religion might have opinions - sometimes negative
about psychics.

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>generally, of course. I'm sure there are, here and there,
>exceptions to the rule, notably some individuals who see UFO
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>demons.

>I can even think of one, who shall remain nameless here.
>(I might add, incidentally, that John Keel considered himself
>both a demonologist _and_ an atheist.)

Proving perhaps that you don't have to be religious to
conjecture a psychic faculty or realm - even if you do use a
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Again you are using the word secular as an opposite of

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>(evolving) degree of dissimilarity exists between Betty's map
>and Ms Fish's view of 16 selected stars.

>I'm sure we would all appreciate having these issues finally
>thrashed out.

Martin:

Thanks you very much for reminding me about these issues. I have been swamped and as you can appreciate there is a tremendous amount of material to deal with. Another factor besides those above is that we now know from all the exoplanets that have been detected that the notions as to which stars would likely have planets were wrong. Marjorie's discard of various stars was based on the common wisdom as to which could have planets. I am certainly in agreement that the Hipparchos catalog represents a far more accurate picture of stellar types and positions than was available earlier.

For me another problem is to try to sort out discussions I had with Betty, the four meetings I had with Marjorie, comments made to me by Dr. David Saunders and Dr. Walter (Sorry about George..a prominent senator from the neighboring state of Maine) Mitchell. About being accurate I would point out that early on Dr. Simon had stressed to Betty and Barney the need to be honest and as accurate as possible.

I think the most important aspect of Marjorie's work was to call attention to Zeta 1 and Zeta 2 Reticuli as a unique and special closest-to-each other-pair of sun-like stars in our neighborhood. They are also much older than the sun. The development of interstellar travel, commerce, colonization etc would certainly be different there than here..

I would be happy to help anybody interested in digging into the puzzle. I think it would make a great graduate thesis. I can't get heavily involved right now.

Stan Friedman

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Re: News Links - 09-01-11

From: **Kathy Kasten** <catraja.nul>
Date: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 22:38:11 +0000
Archived: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 05:59:24 -0500
Subject: Re: News Links - 09-01-11

>From: post.nul
>To: UFO-updates-list.nul
>Date: Mon, 10 Jan 2011 16:14:43 -0500
>Subject: UFO UpDate: 09-01-11

>News Links - 09-01-11

>Why Parapsychology Is Amongst The Most Important Of The Sciences
>PNI.Org
><http://tinyurl.com/4txh824>

I am in the process of collecting already published material presenting the "other side" of anomalous phenomena. The psychic element of UFO interaction. (Already I have heard the death knell sounding over anyone breaching that territory.)

To help send my research in the appropriate direction I am reading The Invisible College by Jacques Vallee. Throughout his book he makes references to The College but nowhere in the book can I find a listing of just who comprises The College. There are tantalizing hints to individuals Vallee consulted over the years he was researching material for the book. But, how to decide who is and who isn't part of The College.

My question: does anyone have the list of people who were linked to the modern day Invisible College? Did anyone go through the book and compile a list?

I may get to the point where I would like to contact various members. Instead of reinventing the wheel of what appears to be UFO researchers broaching an alternative view of the UFO phenomena but fearing going beyond - what I call - the UFO orthodoxy and losing their audience. Or, their credibility. I am willing to do both in the name of forging ahead and researching the non-nuts and bolts aspect of UFology.

I am finding that even though an article I wrote, although based on new science break throughs is being written off as just not part of the phenomena. As I suggested to Don Schmitt, years ago, the human mind is the only mechanism or device we have of finding the answer to the phenomena.

Any information would be greatly appreciated.

KK

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Archived: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 06:03:14 -0500
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>From: Stanton T. Friedman <fsphys.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Wed, 12 Jan 2011 16:45:27 -0400
>Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For Science & Society

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Date: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 10:22:45 +0000
Archived: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 06:06:14 -0500
Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For

>From: Martin Shough <parcellular.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 12:54:46 -0000
>Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences ForScience & Society

>Hi Stan

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>thrashed out.

Stan has implied, earlier in this thread, that 'you get what you pay for'. So, Martin, unless you are ready to write a cheque, you are probably in for a disappointment. Seems like four thousand dollars is the going rate for a day's work.

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Gerald O'Connell
<http://www.onlyport.com>

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Date: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 14:05:46 +0200
Archived: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 07:13:30 -0500
Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences ForScience

>From: Stanton Friedman <fsphys.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 04:10:08 -0800 (PST)
>Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For Science & Society

>>From: Diana Cammack <cammack.nul>
>>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
>>Date: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 10:42:07 +0200
>>Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For Science & Society

>>>From: Stanton T. Friedman <fsphys.nul>
>>>To: <post.nul>
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>>Hopefully, you will post the papers on this forum for those of
>>us who don't make it to Saudi Arabia to listen in late Jan??

>Diana

>The great majority of events at the Forum will be 75 Minute
>Panels usually involving about 5 people.No papers are being
>submitted. Those interested can find more information on the Web:

>www.gcf.org.sa/en/About-GCF/

Interesting meeting on innovation. Do take the time at some
point to read your fellow Canadian's book, Ingenuity Gap, by
Thomas Homes Dixon, which has a lot to say about innovation and
why it is so difficult. His later works are also important.

Panel Session (Main Plenary) - 02:00 - 03:15

Contact: Learning From Outer Space

Psychological and socio-cultural assumptions and preconceptions
constrain us to a large extent, and shape our views of the
universe so that we are inclined to find what we are looking
for, and fail to see what we are not. Using knowledge gained
from research in the fields of Ufology and the search for
extraterrestrial life, what might we possibly learn about
hindrances to innovation in other areas of inquiry?

Diana

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>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 22:47:17 +0000
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Date: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 14:15:13 +0200
Archived: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 07:29:52 -0500
Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences ForScience

>From: Stanton Friedman <fsphys.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 07:26:35 -0800 (PST)
>Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For Science & Society

>>From: Martin Shough <parcellular.nul>
>>To: <post.nul>
>>Date: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 12:54:46 -0000
>>Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For Science & Society

>>Hi Stan

>>I would like to deal with some evidence in "Captured".

>>Back in 2008 on this forum I asked you to react to specific
>>questions about issues raised by you and your critics regarding
>>Betty Hill and the Fish map. You did not respond. Perhaps other
>>commitments got in the way, but this is a chance to renew some
>>queries. How about it?

<snip>

>Thanks you very much for reminding me about these issues. I have
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>amount of material to deal with. Another factor besides those
>above is that we now know from all the exoplanets that have been
>detected that the notions as to which stars would likely have
>planets were wrong.

And now we don't even know as much as we thought we did about
exoplanets:

<http://tinyurl.com/4fggde8>

"Why don't exoplanets match astronomers' expectations? A dispatch
from the American Astronomical Society meeting

Observers in any field of science take a peculiar pleasure in
seeing their theorist colleagues collapse into sobbing heaps,
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By George Musser"

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Re: Psychic Rendlesham

From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
Date: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 07:32:07 -0600
Archived: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 09:17:34 -0500
Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>From: Dave Haith <visions1.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates <post.nul>
>Date: Thu, 13 Jan 2011 14:36:24 -0000
>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>>From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
>>To: <post.nul>
>>Date: Wed, 12 Jan 2011 16:43:35 -0600
>>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>>>From: Dave Haith <visions1.nul>
>>>To: UFO UpDates <post.nul>
>>>Date: Wed, 12 Jan 2011 16:39:21 -0000
>>>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

>>>>From: Jerome Clark <jkclark.nul>
>>>>To: <post.nul>
>>>>Date: Tue, 11 Jan 2011 16:51:41 -0600
>>>>Subject: Re: Psychic Rendlesham

<snip>

>>... those (happily) few UFO investigators who resort to psychics
>>in their field work are only trying, in common with police who
>>turn to psychic detectives, to take a short cut (however misguided)
>>to desired information they deem difficult or impossible to get
>>otherwise.

>Again an assumption that it's a 'short cut' rather than
>additional information. How do you know the motivation of all UFO
>investigators (and police) who use psychics? Unless you're psychic...

<snip>

There isn't much here to which I see any point in replying. I've
snipped the rest, but those who missed your communication can go
back to read it and judge for themselves.

Again, you seem to miss the context of my remarks. You appear to
have dropped into the discussion mid- conversation and have no
idea why I addressed specific issues, while feeling free to
lecture me about them.

I'll simply repeat what I said:

The use of psychics as tools in ufological and police
investigations is utilitarian, not religious, and psychics'
reliability in these areas has yet to be demonstrated. There's a
reason police departments don't have psychics on their payrolls.
Where ufology is concerned, we have good reason to conclude,
from many historical examples (of which I take it you are
unaware), that psychics simply generate fantasy and, or best,
unsupported - worse, unsupportable - claims.

But of course if you want to go there, I can't stop you.

Jerry Clark

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Saudi Arabia Conference [was: Detection Of ET

From: **Kathy Kasten** <catraja.nul>
Date: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 18:27:43 +0000
Archived: Sat, 15 Jan 2011 11:58:19 -0500
Subject: Saudi Arabia Conference [was: Detection Of ET

>From: Stanton Friedman <fsphys.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Fri, 14 Jan 2011 04:05:55 -0800 (PST)
>Subject: Re: Detection Of ET Life & Consequences For Science & Society

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Please, any of you attending this conference, be very careful in
these times. I have a real concern that some individual or group
might decide to target Americans and Brits attending this
conference.

I have reason to believe this based on reports in Eye Spy on the
assassination of a foreign diplomat in a luxury hotel in Saudi
Arabia by unknown agents.

Shake your heads if you must, but while I traveled in the Middle
East I tried to make sure I was aware of my surroundings at all
times.

Wishing all of you who attend a safe trip,

KK

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Joiner Report Audio With Jim Penniston & Binary Code

From: **Giuliano Marinkovic** <giuliano.marinkovic.nul>
Date: Sat, 15 Jan 2011 08:16:39 +0100
Archived: Sat, 15 Jan 2011 12:06:03 -0500
Subject: Joiner Report Audio With Jim Penniston & Binary Code

Dear Colleagues,

Angelia Joiner gave me permission to post this.

Here is the first public and exclusive The Joiner Report interview with Jim Penniston after his binary code revelation on thr Rendlesham Reunion event and Ancient Aliens episode:

<http://tinyurl.com/67gto59>

Please note that Angelia has recently switched networks and her program now streams at:

<http://www.inceptionradio.com/>

All schedules and updates are at her web site:

<http://www.angeliajoiner.com/>

The last few last minutes of the interview are missing because the stream was lost on my end. At that moment I was in deep sleep but my PC was recording. Those last few minutes were the wrap-up anyway so the most important parts of the interview are preserved.

This is preliminary release for research purposes until an official version possibly appears on Angelia's site.

Best Wishes,

Giuliano

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Hopkins & Jacobs - High Strangeness

From: **UFO UpDates - Toronto** <post.nul>
Date: Mon, 17 Jan 2011 12:02:35 -0500
Archived: Mon, 17 Jan 2011 12:02:35 -0500
Subject: Hopkins & Jacobs - High Strangeness

[Thanks to Dave Haith for the lead...]

Source: Paratopia Magazine - Vol 1 Issue 1

<http://tiny.cc/2pzis>

High Strangeness
The Co-Creation Of The Abduction Phenomenon
by Carol Rainey

Sometimes an event comes hurtling along and scatters well-intentioned plans left and right. I had intended to wait several more years before writing about my hard-won insights into the alien abduction phenomenon.

During my ten-year marriage to UFO researcher Budd Hopkins, I'd actively participated in some of Budd's UFO cases; edited his third book, *Witnessed*; co-authored the next book, *Sight Unseen*, with him; shot extensive documentary footage of Budd's research; and produced short films that he used on the conference circuit. But we haven't been married for the past several years, we've each gotten on with our own lives, and, since 2004, I've refused to participate in abduction research.

There seemed to be a lot to lose and nothing to gain by speaking up, during my former husband's lifetime, about my perceptions of some researchers' ethical violations, misuse of human subjects, and their steady manipulation of the abduction narrative into a rigid doctrine. No need to rush to print.

But then along came Emma Woods' story, reaching me last spring while I was living and working in the 14th century Moroccan walled-city of Fez. It was an explosive case of subject abuse that shook up many people and would later become the November 2010 cover story for *UFO Magazine*.

During a long rainy day, waiting for the donkey to deliver my cooking gas, I took the time to carefully review the material on both sides - on the subject (Emma Woods') website and also on the website of researcher David Jacobs.

The audio taped excerpts of the sessions provided a trail through the labyrinthine ways in which researchers are able to "lead" the subject in a certain direction by pre-hypnosis conversation about other cases they're interested in; how the narrative is manipulated to fit the high strangeness requirements of the researcher's upcoming book; the tapes also show egregious boundary crossing and ethical improprieties.

It electrified me out of my silence and into action. Because Emma's case brought painfully to mind several other cases that had passed through my own home in the not too distant past - and for any adverse effect on these individuals' lives that I might have contributed to as the documentary filmmaker or writer on the scene, I am genuinely sorry.

At this point, perhaps I can best make amends by responding to the question asked in a letter to the editor of UFO Magazine by veteran UFO researcher Ray Fowler: "I wonder how many other Emmas there are out there?"

Let me begin to name them, because they are most definitely there.

And in their naming, it will become clear - despite Hopkins' and Jacobs' adamant and repeated statements to the contrary, like politicians working off of the same faxed talking point of the day - that the marshy ground of alien abductions is afloat in hoaxes and partial hoaxes.

It will also become clear that what Hopkins and Jacobs claim as "the powerful evidence" for alien abductions and hybrids among us is based primarily on the powerful, hypnotic repetition of their own proclamations - and the public's gullibility in believing whatever unfounded theories these star paranormal investigators punt down the field.

Further, it will become clear that these abduction investigators know that the people featured in their published books or conference lectures are not the norm for abduction experiences.

The sensational cases published in Hopkins' *Intruders* and *Witnessed*, in Jacobs' *Secret Life* and *The Threat* are positioned as the anecdotal examples that describe the entire phenomenon.

The problem for the rest of us who are trying to understand this thing is that these particular cases are almost always "high strangeness," weirder than weird, spectacular exceptions to the rule. They are not representative of what Hopkins and Jacobs "discover" in their day-to-day little grey beings with medical instruments, sexual manipulation or implantation of devices, return to the original setting with only fragments of memory of the events, and a realization of missing time. Under hypnosis, the middle-aged man remembered even more, screamed, swore, and wept.

Under pretext of filming the session, I was keeping an eye on what was stuck down the side of the terrified man's boot. The label on my videotape says the hypnotic regression took place in Manhattan on June 30, 2002.

This was James S. Mortellaro, Jr., who had come to ask the help of my then-husband, Budd Hopkins. For the previous three years, Jim had admired Budd, read all of his books and come to hear his talks at conferences.

To audiences around the world, Budd Hopkins was often introduced as the man who had single-handedly brought the alien abduction phenomenon to the attention of the world. Witty, a natural-born raconteur with a fatherly charm and a reputation for kindness, Budd had enthralled television, radio, and conference audiences for four decades with his bizarre accounts of humans terrorized and suffering at the hands of the supremely indifferent, technologically superior alien beings.

Today, Jim told us, he could no longer live without knowing what had happened to him as a child. Why he had fears of falling from heights and sudden lights. Why he tossed down prescription pills the way other people mindlessly eat popcorn at the movies. And why he entered our home with a pistol shoved into his right boot.

Several things about this case were making me increasingly uneasy. It wasn't just the pills and the pistol. Or the fact that none of Jim's claims had been checked or verified.

Among his more mundane statements, Jim Mortellaro had earlier told Budd that he had two Ph.D.s (Really? That's impressive, the skeptical wife thinks from behind the camera. From which universities?) and that he'd been "the Marketing Director for Hitachi" before retiring early. (Really? Was that Regional, National or International Marketing Director? Why is it you don't look or talk like any marketing director I've ever known?)

Actually, when I got honest with myself, it wasn't just this case. A sick-in-my-heart feeling had been growing for some time.

It was a festering unease about the way the alien abduction phenomenon had been developing before my eyes and captured through the camera's lens for the last seven years of my marriage to Budd.

A concern about what was truly being discovered during these hypnosis sessions and what was being manufactured - intentionally or not.

And a mounting concern about the welfare of vulnerable people who had contacted Budd after reading his books or seeing him on television. Often some small detail or distinct image in his accounts had stirred up echoes of what seemed to be their own memories. Most of the people who came through our door had undergone genuinely inexplicable human experiences. Yet they came primed to cope with the possibility that their experiences or life traumas were caused by being abducted by extraterrestrials.

When I met Budd Hopkins in 1994, the abduction phenomenon, as Budd revealed it to me, filled me with fascination and the allure of an entirely new intellectual mystery to be solved. Might this be the origin of the human religious impulse? What if we had been seeded here by highly advanced beings or a Big Being from "out there?"

It's amusing and humbling to realize, now, that in the mid-90's I'd actually thought these ideas of mine were new, original and daring. In my forties, I was quite simply a UFO virgin.

The short explanation for this odd state is that I'd grown up in a strict, fundamentalist religion and had no exposure to the popular culture and science fiction images of the '50s and '60s. No television, no movies, no comic books, or "worldly" magazines.

Even after parting with that religious group, from my twenties through my forties I'd been semi-cloistered in academia, and then worked closely with scientific types where "that sort of thing" just never came up. I vaguely associated UFOs with pop culture and was completely unaware of serious research being done in paranormal fields.

But newly in love and excited by a fresh adventure with a life partner, a fellow artist, who'd share it with me, I packed up and left Boston. There, for over twenty years, I'd produced and directed films about medicine with research scientists and epidemiologists. We'd brought in considerable funding with research proposals awarded by the National Institutes of Health (NIH).

After working that long, elbow-to-elbow with scientists, I'd come to know quite a bit about research design, protocols, data collection, and evaluation of data, testing of the hypothesis, and the need to protect subjects of the experiment.

I'd also learned (although scientists aren't immune to this problem) that falsifying data or making outsized claims for discoveries that weren't justified by the facts were career killers. They were ethical suicide. Researchers who did such things lost their jobs. They lost their prestige. They rarely published again. Who could trust such people?

Yet how very different are the standards for the so-called "researchers" of alien abduction!

After a decade of involvement in the field, I'm struck that most people with a ufological fascination don't hold their leading researchers to anything like these scholastic, scientific, or even ethical standards.

Many people may not even be aware that such standards exist. But they exist for a reason, folks, and sometimes UFO abduction research - as fascinating as it may seem - violates every one of the basic principles for the getting of knowledge and the protection of human subjects.

The two best-known abduction investigators, Budd Hopkins and David Jacobs, work almost exclusively alone (separately, although with extensive telephone exchanges), without supervision (and are unwilling to accept any), and without any

training in medicine or psychiatry or neurology.

A bit of comparative religion, anthropology, and folklore under the belt wouldn't hurt, either, in dealing with these difficult-to-interpret human experiences. They're not required to get authorization for their experimentation on human beings from an Institutional Review Board (IRB), a clearance that's required of every legitimate institutional researcher in the country. It's peer review of a proposed study using human subjects, it's strict, and researchers are required to report back to the IRB with their findings. None of this applies to UFO researchers.

But, to be fair, for over 40 years abduction researchers have had the courage to explore - and attempt to heal - often traumatic human experiences that virtually no university or institution will touch.

The NIH, the nation's enormously powerful medical research agency, is made up of 27 Institutes and Centers, each specializing in a certain area of research. It is highly unlikely that any one of those institutes has ever seriously considered a proposal requesting funding for alien abduction research.

In addition to lack of hard evidence, abduction investigators have such credibility issues that few would be taken seriously.

That's a situation in desperate need of repair.

A nascent field like ufology with no visible funding stream or peer-reviewed journals will fail to ever draw enough trained professionals or scientists to move the field out of the marginal realm and into the mainstream.

The few researchers in ufology who do have legitimate research training end up funding their weekend, wee-hours research out of their own pockets, just as non-scientists Hopkins and Jacobs do.

It's lonely, seat-of-the-pants work that permeates every aspect of the researcher's life, often costing him or her dearly through the corrosion of status, income, and personal relationships.

What we have now is abduction research that not only lacks an outside funding source; it also lacks researchers who understand the epistemology of the ways in which knowledge is acquired and how that's connected to truth, justified belief, and skepticism. In such an arid moonscape as this, there are no structures, no boundaries, no standards, and no supervision.

So, given all this freedom and no credentialed peers to naysay them, what do you suppose happens to two investigators (who are also each others' best friends in the world) in their search for knowledge in a wacky, marginal field like "alien abduction?" And, even more important, what happens to the de facto patients of researchers without boundaries? Let's open wider what was for me the Pandora's Box of the Emma Woods/David Jacobs case.

The Emma Woods Case

November's cover story in UFO Magazine, written by Jeremy Vaeni, gave people a rare look behind the curtain that's drawn across the tactics of certain alien abduction researchers. While some people were vocal and heart-felt in their disgust and outrage, there was almost total silence from the leadership and more senior members of the community.

Since returning to Manhattan, I've had many personal exchanges with Emma and listened to her painstakingly excerpted audio clips taken from 180 hours of "treatment" and hypnosis by Jacobs - over the telephone, no less, and across the sea.

Wafted about for 180 hours on waves of alien/hybrid/sci-fi imagery, bits of memories and dreams, all mixed in with shivery slivers of Jacobs' pre-hypnosis suggestive anecdotes, the trusting and vulnerable patient delivered up to Jacobs his hoped-for narrative of predatory hybrids among us - exactly what he ordered for the book he was writing.

However, it's anything but a typical abductee's experience:

violent sexual encounters with a human/alien hybrid; a request by the good Doctor (Ph.D. in history, non-medical) to send him her panties, unwashed, so they could be tested for alien sperm; and a proposal that she wear a chastity belt with nails across the vaginal opening, which he'd locate for her from (in Jacobs words) "a sex shop that specialized in bondage/dominance, a place that I frequented quite often."1

In later sessions, Jacobs, hyperventilating, can be heard telling Emma that he's in terrible trouble - that an outraged hybrid (who knows that Jacobs is the only person on the planet, other than Hopkins, who knows the evil fate that aliens are planning for humanity) - that this hybrid is sending him threatening Instant Messages on his AOL account to make him cease and desist his work with the abductee Emma Woods.

Jacobs is "the man who knows too much."

Personal IMS from a bloodthirsty hybrid who is entirely theoretical. It doesn't get more hallucinatory than that.

Afraid for his life, Jacobs panics. To throw the wily hybrid off his trail, the good researcher deliberately instills into the hypnotized Emma's mind the information that he is now an expert on this "public epidemic," that she suffers from Multiple Personality Disorder - not alien abductions - and she - needs to take medication for the disorder."

<http://www.ufoalienabductee.com/hypnosisession-29-david-jacobs-suggestionsmpd.mp3>

(Note to Jacobs: Multiple psychiatric journals state that medication is not recommended for someone with this disorder and that Multiple Personality Disorder, now known as Disassociative Identity Disorder, is serious, chronic and the sufferer is at risk for suicidal attempts, self-injury, violence, substance abuse, and repeated victimization by others. Good call, Doctor-Practicing-Medicine-Without-a-License. Save your own skin and the patient be damned.)

I ask you: What would happen to a licensed psychotherapist who falsely assured a hypnotized patient that she had an incurable mental illness which would make the rest of her life a living hell? He'd get the pants sued off of him, his license suspended or revoked and would possibly never be allowed to practice again. A panel of peers would review his professional conduct and make appropriate rulings.

But, evidently, in the unstructured world of ufology, nothing at all happens to such a - doctor." Jacobs underwent some drubbing on certain blogs and radio shows (especially in the bold coverage of the case by Jeremy Vaeni and Jeff Ritzmann of Paratopia and Gary Haden of Speculative Realms.)

His employer, Temple University, didn't scent a powerful law firm in the offing and so claimed Jacobs wasn't doing research, just "taking an oral history." And Budd Hopkins jumped in with a letter to Emma that compared her to George W. Bush invading Iraq, causing the deaths of thousands, if she exposed his friend's longdistance bedside manner.

Ufology's two best-known abduction researchers continue to take victory laps over the airwaves, while the leaders in the field are largely closemouthed about the cringe-inducing revelations.

Neither the two researchers nor the UFO community seemed to have learned anything from the mistakes. In fact, on November 28, 2010, Hopkins stated on the popular Coast-to-Coast radio show that he and Dave "are very close in the way we handle abductees who come to us."

T h r o u g h o u t December, both men have been heard on multiple forums still making extremely confident assertions about "what we know" and - our powerful evidence" for alien abduction and - our absolute certainty" that alien/human hybrids are living among us and that the prospects for humans are grim. Everything asserted confidently, without a mote or molecule of tangible proof. Not even a snippet of hybrid DNA, which would be fairly easy to bring back from one of these earthly encounters - especially the alleged violent and sexual ones. An object that is even touched by one of these alleged creatures could readily

be analyzed with current DNA technology. The experimenter could discreetly pick up a glass, a hair, a spoon, anything the being contacted and bag it, then contact a lab or their local MUFON representative. If the claim of "hybrids among us" is indeed - a falsifiable hypothesis," as Jacobs often states, there must be a reason it remains simply all hot air.

People drawn to the great mystery of UFO sightings and abduction accounts are becoming all too aware that nothing new has been learned about the phenomenon for a very long time. For years, the abduction stories have remained essentially the same at the core: just the names, places, and a few details change.

Once when I was on a Mindshift Institute panel in Maine, someone in the audience asked me if it wasn't just fascinating and so exciting to live in the middle of all this UFO and abduction activity. "Uh, actually, no," I blurted out. "It was fascinating for the first four or five years. But six, seven, eight years later and you're still hearing the same story over and over, it gets a little tedious. I kept hoping for a new perspective, another handle on what this thing is! But it almost never happened."

Budd Hopkins would never acknowledge this, but his actions showed that he felt equally frustrated by lack of new insights. After an initial interview and a hypnosis session in our home with a perfectly credible, yet run-of-the-mill abductee - especially one who regarded the grey beings with a sort of New Age, accepting gaze - Budd seldom did more than a single hypnotic regression with people like that and rarely returned their follow-up phone calls (some becoming increasingly frantic).

To me, that was a bit like opening up someone's head with a rusty can-opener, then skipping town. We had arguments that went nowhere. It appeared that he dropped people because he was looking for something with a higher-octane level.

It was going to be hard for Budd Hopkins to find a case that had anything near the intrigue and high strangeness of the account that he'd presented in his 1996 book *Witnessed: The True Story of the Brooklyn Bridge Abductions*.

The Linda Cortile Case

I entered the picture in 1995, when Budd was just completing *Witnessed*. He'd been investigating the complex case for approximately the past five years, putting together all the pieces of the puzzle as they continued to tumble in.

Budd and Linda had shared in the advance money for the book (although Linda falsely told other investigators of the case that she and Budd would be splitting it, 50/50.) If *Witnessed* did well and sold to Hollywood, that's where the real money would come from - and both researcher and subject would share in that money, too (just not 50/50).

I found that arrangement a bit puzzling. Where I'd come from, researchers might give study participants stipends of \$10 or \$20 a visit, say, or bus money to and from the clinic, but not amounts of this size. Might not that influence Linda to... What?

I had no idea what this was or how things worked. I tried to get up to speed and come to my own understanding of events by delving into the manuscript, editing as I went.

Witnessed was a compelling read. I thought: If any UFO case is going to be made into a Hollywood film, this is the one! It was highly dramatic, paced like a thriller - full of otherworldly treachery, forbidden love, UFOs over Manhattan, twenty-two witnesses, a heroine whose red blood cells were immortal, lusty and dangerous Secret Service agents, a Prince from afar, gifts of many fur coats, chases on foot, more forbidden love, an X-rayed alien implant, Linda's abduction into a spacecraft accompanied by an important world leader, her abduction into a spacecraft with other members of Budd's abductee support group, and her abduction into a spacecraft accompanied by a famous Mafia don.

Then, later, as the story continued to unfold (long after the

book's publication), Linda's presence in the lobby of the World Trade Center when the planes hit and her bloody, barefoot escape over shards of glass. Although... not all of those events reported above by Linda Cortile had been selected by Budd for inclusion in the book. I knew about them, but they weren't in the book.

I sometimes got confused between what I knew from life and the artfully shaped version of life that I found in the manuscript. Linda was simply part of our lives, a friend, sometimes at the house being interviewed by the media, sometimes Budd's co-presenter at conferences. When the rest of Budd's people gathered in the living room for abductee support groups, Linda was always there. Many times, I schlepped my camera and lights to Lower Manhattan to interview Linda in her apartment, with her family, over her tomato sauce, in situ.

I liked Linda's spunkiness in her role as a traditional Italian-American housewife and mother - one that might well have driven me to take a dive off the Brooklyn Bridge so visible from her living room. It was also fascinating to watch her adapt to her new role as the star abductee in Budd's group, many of whom were artists, writers, social workers, actors and a pastor or two. For her, it must have been like entering another life.

Although I'd often heard Budd's assertion that Linda simply didn't have the mental capacity to pull off this complex case as a hoax, I soon discovered that Linda was quite smart. Not well educated (a different matter entirely), but quick on the draw. I've never met anybody, for example, who could get an unexpected phone call from an admirer and so effortlessly spin a spontaneously fabricated, intricate, family-related reason for not meeting him for coffee, all the while winking broadly at me. She'd just finished telling me she was dying to head home for a nap.²

In 1996, as my tape rolled, Budd went on an international conference and media tour to promote the book. We traveled to London, Paris, Switzerland, San Marino, and later, Istanbul. The publisher clearly expected Witnessed to do well.

On television studio sets, in radio stations, at podiums, Budd called the Linda Cortile case "the most important case of the century."

Budd would go on to tell the riveting story of the November 30, 1989 abduction of Linda Cortile out of her Lower Manhattan building at 3:00 a.m. His investigation had revealed that a top international diplomat, two federal security agents, and at least 20 other people witnessed some aspect of the spectacular light show and the abduction of Linda, as she was pulled up a beam of light towards a red UFO in her white nightgown, accompanied by three alien beings.

Most of these alleged witnesses had contacted Budd via letters, audiotapes, telephone calls, and drawings, although he'd never come face-to-face with any of the major players in the story.

Budd stated that the case powerfully supported - both the objective reality of UFO abductions and the accuracy of regressive hypnosis as employed with this abductee."³

He also drew the startling conclusion that the Linda Cortile case provided compelling evidence that the aliens were deliberately demonstrating to the world their presence, their power, and their intent to take command. But even before the book Witnessed: The True Story of the Brooklyn Bridge Abductions had been published, the case - along with Hopkins' reputation - was in big trouble.

Witnessed was being severely criticized by independent investigators, bloggers, and journalists - both inside and outside the UFO community. Many said he'd fallen victim to a bored housewife's fantasies or an elaborate hoax.

Eventually, although the book had been optioned twice, the pending Hollywood movie deal fell through, largely because the story had been so publicly discredited.

It was hard to watch these things happen to a man who had devoted over six years of his life primarily to this single UFO abduction case. But Budd never once backed down or gave an inch

of credence to the "debunkers'" attack on the case. (In our house, the words "debunkers" and "skeptics" were used very much in the way that devout Christians use the words "unbelievers" and "the unsaved.") He continued to tout the major significance of the case long after he knew that Linda had lied to him on multiple occasions.

One June night in 1996 (seven years after Linda's alleged 1989 abduction), I was filming in our kitchen as Linda recounted to Budd and a dinner guest yet another recent, frightening attempt by government agents Richard and Dan - characters in the book Witnessed - to kidnap Linda and her cousin Connie into the back of a van. Linda described the struggle in great detail, including the two women's successful escape.

Budd was aghast that she hadn't told him earlier and said he urgently needed to speak with Cousin Connie. Linda left, promising she'd have her cousin call Budd so he could question her version of the event.

Later that night, the phone rang, and as Budd answered, I watched a peculiar look come over his face. The usually voluble Hopkins was very quiet, mainly listening. After he thanked the caller and hung up, I asked who that was. His smile was as tight and wry as a killer Martini: "That was Linda, pretending to be her cousin Connie."⁴

This, of course, is only the prelude.

The complete story behind the Linda Cortile case will be told in my feature-length documentary with the working title of Something Hidden. It will be released in the summer of 2011, if adequate post-production funding is raised. More information and video clips can be found on my website:

www.carolrainey.com

These two leading abduction investigators, I now believe, are driven by the rules of the game they're in to whip up their best cases, to drive them hard. These ufologists, whose ego supplies are dependent on their standing in this marginalized field, are desperate to keep bringing home the magic. Unless they're to become quickly obsolete, alien abduction experts are expected to deliver the goods: newer, fresher, stranger, and ever more strange reports.

It is not incidental that David Jacobs was intending to write a book about Emma Woods and several other experiencers, people who shared a high strangeness narrative focused on the infiltration of hybrid beings into our society.

In Emma's audiotapes, we can hear Jacobs, before the regression, telling Emma about his other cases, which included their hybrids' violent, sadomasochistic sexual behavior and warning her that they just might discover that in her own upcoming hypnosis session.

That isn't even "leading": it's an outright push for her to then deliver, under hypnosis, the exact narrative he needs for his book.

It is also not incidental that Budd Hopkins does not ever express doubt about the reliability of Linda Cortile's story and the seminal importance of her case. If he did, he might be forced to question his own ability to sort fact from fiction or to spot a rising hoax before it crests and breaks over him.

It's my personal belief, knowing both Jacobs and Hopkins, that they are trapped, like Br'er Rabbit in Tar-Baby, by the very phenomenon they attempt to confront. They can no longer extricate themselves from the surreal, richly imaginative blend of fantasy and reality that is generated around anyone who is deeply involved in paranormal research.⁵

While I was most active in Budd's work, I also felt the powerful, suggestive influence of this ambiguous phenomenon. If I'd come into a room and hear my husband on the phone, asking: "Did they come through the wall this time, too?" it no longer struck me as bizarre.

In relationship, close to a partner holding firm to such ideas,

I sensed an almost gravitational influence of that other person's emotional world. Something like an unconscious resonance.

For a short time, I had come to accept that the alien abduction phenomenon was what Budd and Dave said it was. But I never stopped asking skeptical questions - questions that grew increasingly unwelcome.

These investigators believe so completely in the reality of their own interpretation of these experiences that they have lost touch with both consensus reality and the everyday ethics of human behavior that go along with it. They genuinely feel that the fate of humanity is at risk and any tactic taken is justified by the need to warn the world of the coming takeover.

That's a powerful belief system and in these two men, it is rigid. There's nothing ambiguous or shifting in their ideas. In a most disturbing way, such a fundamentalist type of belief structure leaves them highly vulnerable to credulousness, loss of critical judgment, and outright hoaxes.

Given the stakes (and audio/visual evidence gleaned from my own videotapes over a ten year period), I believe now that these abduction investigators are sometimes trapped by their own deeply held beliefs into becoming the victims of hoaxers - which they adamantly refuse to acknowledge. I'll review one such case below.

In other cases, there's evidence that these same abduction investigators are co-creating the strangest of high strangeness cases with the cooperation of the experiencer/abductee. Sometimes co-creation of the narrative is conscious - by one or both parties - and in other cases, the collaboration seems to be primarily unconscious.⁶

Of course, abduction researchers are acting as de facto therapists for the - abductee," as well as investigators into the phenomena. And a certain type of "co-creation" is often considered part of the therapeutic process, discussed in psychiatric journals and on therapists' websites.

One author states: "Interaction between patient and therapist is now considered to be a cocreation of the patient's inner world resonating with the analyst's inner world."⁷

Both psychodynamic and Gestalt therapy work with the idea that what is created in the therapy is a co-creation in which both the therapist and the patient play a vital role.

I'm in no way implying a relationship of equals in this "work". The imbalance of power between subject and researcher is tremendous. It only takes listening to Emma Woods' audio clips or my own videotapes of hypnosis sessions to realize that.

The researcher is the authority figure - "this famous author," as Linda Cortile refers to Hopkins. The researcher is also often the object of transference, whether he realizes it or not; he is working with a hypnotized patient; and so he has the full responsibility to be aware of and manage the relationship with the subject, using the highest ethical principles.

But the entire enterprise can skid off the side of a cliff if the investigator/therapist is not constantly aware of and analyzing his own conscious and unconscious positions and his own motivations in these delicate encounters.

In actual psychotherapy, of course, many therapists often periodically sit down with another more experienced psychotherapist to discuss their clients' issues, as well as their own response to them.

Many professional organizations require therapists to incorporate third-party supervision into their practice as a way to protect the client.⁸

When an impartial third party reviews what's occurring between therapist and client, serious lapses in judgment or oversights can be caught before something harmful happens - as in Jacobs telling Emma that she suffers from Multiple Personality

Disorder.

Unfortunately, these ufologists work without supervision of any kind. In the Emma Woods case and in the four cases below, I believe we see two psychologically naive investigators who are completely unaware of their own unconscious positions - and completely unaware of the powerful force field that sets up in their encounters with vulnerable experiencers.

Before getting back to Jim Mortellaro, who's still undergoing trauma on the old studio couch, let's look briefly at two earlier cases that I participated in and made short films about.

Dora's Case

Sometimes the most publishable abductees are not even mentally sound. Dora (a pseudonym) was a middle-aged woman with a family in the Southwest, who had corresponded with Budd for several years. Every letter described abduction tales that got more and more outlandish.

During lengthy phone calls with her, Budd's interest grew. Dora's story had always been filled with accounts of meeting aliens in insignia and khaki and now they were taking her to meet their human collaborators - high-level U.S. government personnel.

She'd also sent him drawings of a brutal Hispanic hybrid named Pedro, who tormented her, and a drawing of a spacecraft filled with tanks of floating human body parts.

When we attended a conference in her area in July 1997, Budd did a hypnotic regression with Dora and she gave me permission to film. During the session, she "remembered" being conducted into an underground chamber where the grey beings were waiting for her, along with Colin Powell and Ralph Nader (go figure!).

They forced her to memorize information essential to humanity's survival, but Dora became so agitated and hysterical that Budd brought her out of the trance.

Back home, I went to Dora's file to find the drawings she had talked about. I planned to incorporate them into the short film I'd make for Budd to show on his lecture tours. At the very back of the file, there was a letter to Budd from a therapist and a consulting psychiatrist who had administered the MMPI-2 tests to Dora and did extensive counseling with her and her husband. (MMPI-2 is a standard test that many psychiatrists use to assess personality structure and psychopathology.)

The psychiatrists did not believe Dora's claims of being powerless over abductions were credible, according to the tests. The doctor evaluated her as a volatile, severely sexually and physically abused woman by both her father (from childhood to her teens) and also by her husband; she'd lived in a battered women's shelter and had been a victim most of her life.

The consulting psychiatrist stated: "She has tremendous anger bottled up inside that she needs to get out. I have strong doubts that this abduction material is the real thing."

The recommendation was for Dora to use therapy to focus specifically on issues of sexual abuse and her anger.

The original therapist, who had had his own anomalous experiences, wrote to Budd that he would no longer treat Dora for her alien abduction trauma, referring her, instead, to the more qualified psychiatrist. He stated that he wanted to be sure he was serving his client's best interests "and not allowing someone with rather deep mental/emotional disturbances to use the scenario of alien abductions to bleed out a lifetime of her abuse."⁹

The letter was dated January 27, 1995, but Hopkins continued to do either hypnotic regressions or telephone interviews with her about alien contact for at least three years after receiving the doctors' letter.

Earlier in 2010, I attended the New York City premiere of a new UFO film. It featured Dora, in her still unchanged role of victim/abductee attempting to regain control of her life from

the enemies who surrounded her on every side, black helicopters from above and khaki-clad aliens below.

In this case, the welfare of the patient clearly took second place to the investigator's need for a high strangeness "discovery" - confirmation for the alien/military conspiracy theory.

The Beanie Case =96 A New Crash Retrieval Claim in the Early '60s

Budd first investigated the Beanie case in 1995 with veteran ufologist and astronomer Walt Webb, who had trained under Dr. Allen Hynek and was one of the first investigators on the Betty and Barney Hill case, among others.

Budd and Walt Webb traveled to the tiny town of Santa Rosa, New Mexico to interview a retired X-ray technician in the hospital, Bina "Beanie" Bean.

She had reported to local Mutual UFO Network (MUFON) representatives that in either the spring or winter of 1963, she had been riding shotgun in an ambulance that sped to a crashed saucer site on a remote desert road and returned with several non-human little bodies. She'd X-rayed them, she said, and described them in detail.

A military entourage burst into the hospital and cleaned out every scrap of evidence, threatening the hospital staff to keep their mouths shut. Beanie drew maps and named names. But, as Walt Webb wrote to me several years later: "We had only one anecdotal story by one alleged eyewitness to a 32-year-old alleged episode!"¹⁰ It would be tough to build a case on that. The two investigators returned home in 1995, leaving a long list of possible witnesses for Beanie and Budd to contact.

In 1997, Budd and I returned to follow-up on the Beanie story while in nearby Roswell. I taped Budd's interview with the eccentric Beanie, noticing that she was starting to embroider a great deal around the edges of her original story of a crash retrieval, including claiming her own abduction experiences and asserting that her older sister was the famously elusive nurse who warned off the mortician at Roswell, shortly after that alleged crash.

Neither she nor Budd had tracked down or spoken to any of the long list of possible witnesses. The only glint of confirmation of this single eyewitness's story came during our visit to the elderly widow of the ambulance driver. When pressed, she seemed to vaguely recall that the Air Force had indeed once stripped the ambulance clean and taken the billable trip ticket, as Beanie claimed. But the widow had no idea what year or what decade that might have occurred in.

Upon returning home, I made a short film out of the questionable venture. Beanie was quirky and entertaining and I left the validity of the case up in the air. But Budd showed the film in several conference lectures and seminars around the country. It became his exciting new case, this previously unknown crash/retrieval in early 1960's Santa Rosa, New Mexico.

He presented the case with his typical well-spoken conviction and the clear impression of his own personal integrity. Based on the testimony of his implied impeccable eyewitnesses - Beanie and the widow - Budd publicly asserted that alien remains had been found in Santa Rosa in the spring or winter of 1963 and confiscated by the government.

Disturbed that he'd never tracked down any other witnesses for such a major claim, I reviewed Beanie's file.

In it were two letters to Budd from Walt Webb, written several months after their 1995 expedition... Webb expressed grave doubt about Beanie's credibility, citing major discrepancies in her stories, told to three separate interviewers.

Sometimes she cited three bodies were found and sometimes two. In one account they were lined up under a sheet near the crashed craft; in an account to MUFON, she described the bodies as half-in, half-out of the craft.

In that same report, Beanie talked of a "coroner's inquest" at

the hospital, bringing in people off the street as witnesses; in her account to Webb and Hopkins, she and a Dr. Galvin were the only people present for examination of the bodies.¹¹ But it was too late for such reservations...

The other investigator's grave doubts had been eliminated from the official story now. Based on Budd's unproven assertions and my footage, the case ended up enshrined in the official literature of the field in Ryan Wood's book on famous UFO crash/retrieval cases, *Majic Eyes Only*.¹²

Beanie's story was the start of a case - but far from an established, well-researched study of a possible UFO event.

Unfortunately, it had all the hallmarks of a tale co-created by a lonely old woman hungry for attention and an investigator who needed to generate his next new thing.

The Jim Mortellaro Case

A breath-taking special hook, a new twist on the standard abduction story =96 that now seems to be the Holy Grail for some abduction researchers. That's precisely how Jim Mortellaro caught and held Hopkins' attention after several years of hanging around at the edges of the UFO community. It was how he would take Hopkins for a two-year ride along the lecture circuit, humiliate him, and cost him the resignation of nearly half his Advisory Committee =96 and, indirectly, cost him his marriage.

In my opinion, the Jim Mortellaro case is one of the best examples of what's wrong with the abduction research that I observed, second only to the Linda Cortile case.

Jim claimed to have earned two Ph.D.s, and implied he'd held a national or international marketing directorship with Hitachi, none of which was confirmed by the investigator.

We learned that he was technically skilled in work with computers and electronics when he donated and installed in Budd's Intruders Foundation office a completely new PC, with printer, scanner, and the newest software.

As the one tech-savvy person in our duo, I'd always kept up on Budd's computer and other equipment, so I was there to see how the system was being installed.

That's when I first became aware of Jim's high intake of prescription drugs and asked why he kept a pistol stuck in his boot. It just didn't seem like a good combo to me and I said so.

That day, Leslie Kean, Budd's new protege, advisor, and all-round organizer, was in the studio, too. Just beginning to learn about alien abductions from Budd, she agreed with me. Not a good combination, Jim.

But Jim explained that he was a nervous guy and belonged to the police auxiliary, a volunteer organization for local law enforcement, so he needed to have the gun handy.

Leslie Kean had begun her exploration of UFO abduction by allegedly vetting the Linda Cortile case (from Hopkins' book *Witnessed*). After doing her own review of source material and interviewing both Budd and Linda, she concluded that it was a sound, well-researched case.

Now Kean took up the Jim Mortellaro case in a big way, once she was let in on the spectacular opportunity of his case. It would be the first time that ufologists would be included in a major mainstream, scientific study of the medical evidence of alien abductions.

According to Jim, an upstate group of physicians had discovered, to their shock, that they each had people under their care who had medically inexplicable symptoms, just like Jim's.

Each had between two and five patients with missing time, scarring without having surgery, phobias that seemed inappropriate to the person's experience, low self-esteem, and embarrassed reports of encounters with strange grey beings.

The physicians were fascinated and now had a large number of Jim's fellow abductees enrolled in a self-funded, longitudinal study of patients with this constellation of symptoms. Which would prove, beyond doubt, that something was going on.

They were, however, extremely secretive about the study and Jim was not allowed to give out anyone's number or talk much about it. He did assure Budd, though, that a "Dr. Nancy" was going to put in a confidential call to Budd because she was scared to death of something and needed his advice.

Since Budd was notoriously lax about listening to voice messages and returning phone calls, Jim Mortellaro and Leslie Kean went in together and bought Budd his first cellular phone and a year's service plan, so that the two of them could be in direct touch with him at all times and move this case forward.

One evening after Budd had gone down to the studio to check his messages, he came running back upstairs in great excitement. I must come listen to the message that "Dr. Nancy" had just left on his machine. By now, I was a bit skeptical about several matters, but willing to listen.

Budd replayed the message. A woman's voice came up, identifying herself as "Dr. Nancy."

A high, agitated voice, rushing through her hope to speak to Mr. Hopkins about an urgent matter regarding James Mortellaro. She was concerned, wanted his opinion, would call back, and couldn't seem to get off the phone fast enough.

Listening, I felt my spirits sink toward the rough floorboards of the studio like a deflated party balloon. Oh, no. Budd looked at me in triumph and clapped his hands together. "Now we're really going to get somewhere!" he said.

"Did you hear that voice?" I asked. "Don't you recognize it?"

"What? What do you mean?" Now he was getting angry. "It's Dr. Nancy and I've never heard her voice before this instant!"

"It's Jim." I said, very sorry to bring the news. But startled, too, that he didn't hear it. "It's Jim's voice, electronically altered."

"It absolutely is not!" he shouted. "How could you say such a thing? That's a woman, that's not Jim! Why would you tell me that?"

"Because I've spent twenty-plus years in post-production suites, with the editor or the mixer altering voices up, down, and sideways," I said. "It's certainly not rocket science and Jim knows electronics. Listen, that's his syntax, that's the way he says 'very concerned' and drops his 'gs' on certain words."

But Budd was furious with me, vehemently denying it.

Over the next month, three more voice messages were left.

One, a baritone male voice, identified himself as "Noah," Jim's neighbor. He wanted to testify that while standing outside on his own deck, he'd seen Jim lifted up by a beam of light into a craft.

There was another woman's voice, higher yet, but with words emerging at a snails' pace, who identified herself as Jim's wife and she wanted Budd to know Jamie had been in awful shape, he really had, coming home that night with blood running down both legs, okay, if she could help, just let her know; and another voice message from "Dr. Nancy," still on the run, still agitated, still desperate for Mr. Hopkins' advice.

They are all Jim, I tell my husband. But Budd will not listen, will not be stopped.

Leslie Kean, now actively involved in the case, supported him completely.

Budd began to do the lecture circuit, speaking at various conferences and on radio shows and podcasts about the Mortellaro

case he was building and the coming day of justice for all of ufology when what is known by us will have to be reported and confirmed to the world by the scientists engaged in this ground-breaking study.

One such lecture on the case, now sold by a major UFO media distributor, has become a permanent part of the field's literature. It is entitled "Budd Hopkins Presents 'A 2002 Watershed Abduction In The Environs Of New York City' DVD."

Jim, meanwhile, set up a massive presence on the Internet, posting regularly and noisily to UFO UpDates and multiple other sites about his experiences and perceptions as an abductee.

He posted several documents related to his case on the Internet, one of which purports to be a medical record written by the physician who treated him in the emergency room after a nasty abduction. In it, the alleged physician used language and style I'd never before seen emerge from a doctor's pen.

In this clinical document, the alleged physician reports "nearly miraculous healing of the contusions in the bladder... Very strange, indeed. Very strange." The medical record continues: "We have never before seen such a bizarre case". The phrase "bizarre case" is sprinkled throughout the medical record. The physician's text was obviously forged.

Okay, that was it. I was done and urged Budd to stop, too.

Instead, Budd and Jim together began to address the audiences of several popular paranormal radio shows, with Jim narrating his savage treatment by alien abductors and Budd playing an audio taped hypnotic regression session with a terrified Jim railing and wailing at the aliens. This case, minus the audio, is now part of the publicly available record of abduction research at the BUFO Paranormal Radio website.

On November 9, 2002, the Intruders Foundation hosted a New York seminar in its series called "Jim Mortellaro & Budd Hopkins, An Important New Abduction Case With Extensive Medical Evidence."
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Unfortunately, the only medical evidence was that hoped for, future evidence that would have to be made public by the upstate physicians when they'd completed their study of abductees. That and the forged ER physician's letter. I was too embarrassed and alienated to attend the seminar.

Jim's internet claims were getting broader and deeper. He came off as somewhat unhinged and was attacked on several of the public forums as being a fake.

People on the Intruders Foundation's Advisory Committee - a strong, bright group of people that included an astronomer and two psychologists - were getting increasingly uneasy. They had no first-hand knowledge of Jim's case at all, yet Budd had gone completely public with a case for which he promised to produce evidence in the future. They had never been shown any of the so-called evidence or heard the doctor's voice messages. They had been treated to a highly dramatic audio taped hypnosis session with Jim, punctuated with screams and shouting. Such emotion, Budd assured the committee, was never faked. "How could it be faked? He's not a professional actor. This is a terrified man!" At least that's what his office assistant reported back to me.

I'd also stopped going to the Advisory Committee meetings, even though I was a member.

Jim's High Noon moment occurred one day in 2004 - after two years of collaboration with the world's preeminent abduction researcher.

That day Jim came into our house, saying that he'd just killed a man. As a member of the auxiliary police in his small town north of the city, he'd spotted a burglary in progress and, unfortunately, had to use deadly force to stop him. Now he was considered a hero around town and two days ago he'd been presented with a certain police association's highest award by the town mayor and the head of the policeman's association and he was feeling much more confident about things in general.

Oh, and he'd meant to bring the local newspaper article telling all about the robbery and award, but his elderly mom and dad wanted to hold onto it.

The office assistant and I glanced at each other. This story was so checkable! We left the men to their coffee and went to our respective studios.

She immediately called the Chief of Police in Jim's town. He said there had been no break-ins in the area for over a year and that no shootings of any kind had occurred there for at least five years.

I went to the website of the policeman's organization mentioned by Jim and discovered that they only gave awards to cops who were quite, quite dead and permanently underground. Posthumous awards to heroes, that's what they specialized in. That appeared to rule out our Jim.

No newspaper article ever materialized, and, eventually, neither did the great hope for that elusive study of abductees by physicians.

When word of this obvious hoaxing on Jim's part leaked out to the Advisory Committee members, many of them came to the Intruders Foundation and insisted on listening to the voice messages on tape - "Dr. Nancy," the wife, and "Noah," the neighbor. They just shook their heads.

Then one member, a medical writer by profession, stated that the physician's letter Jim had posted online was a complete hoax. Physicians don't write that way. In fact, the Committee believed that the entire case was a hoax, that the man was pathological, that the very public forum of the case was a disgrace - and that Budd must stop this investigation. They requested a formal meeting with him, a forum for the whole group to discuss what had happened and how there were no checks and balances here. If they were going to continue lending their names and services to his organization, they wanted to be part of the process of teaming up to vet new cases.

Budd responded by getting novice Leslie Kean to write the experienced Advisory Committee a chastising letter about the need to not prematurely restrain Hopkins from proceeding on a case-in-progress.

Budd himself wrote the Committee a letter in which he seemed to dismiss all but one of their many suggestions for "a deepened degree of participation by the committee." That suggestion - that for all cases in the future the advisory group should gather, bimonthly, to listen to recordings of hypnotic regressions done in the previous weeks by Budd with an alleged abductee - Budd conceded was "an excellent idea," then added the kicker:

"I may excuse myself during those meetings, however. Since I sat through these hours of often depressing, grueling sessions the first time, maybe I could just slip off to the Met for a little personal uplift!"¹⁴

In other words, he had no intention of playing on a team that included anyone but himself and would not put himself in a position to have his actions or judgment questioned by anyone.

NOTE: Use of Mr. Mortellaro's real name does not violate his confidentiality because he has both signed a release for my use of his image and words and he has voluntarily been using his name over the Internet and on radio broadcasts for a number of years.

When the Mortellaro case blew up, I resigned from the Advisory Committee and never again filmed a regression session or participated in abduction research. Three other Committee members eventually resigned, including two psychotherapists and an engineer.

Budd conceded to the remaining members that a public statement needed to be made about the case. For a brief period, a one page statement was posted on the Intruders Foundation website. It said, among other things, that;

"This case was of great interest because of the alleged medical injuries resulting from [Mortellaro's] abduction in 2001. Unfortunately, Mr. Mortellaro has never produced credible evidence in support of these claims.

Furthermore, he provided us with two allegedly official documents, which have proved to be fabrications. Therefore, Budd Hopkins and the Advisory Committee of the Intruders Foundation no longer consider this case worthy of investigation."

The page, summarizing two years of work on a hoax, a case not voluntarily stopped by Hopkins, concluded by stating that:

"As always, the Intruders Foundation continues to apply a detailed, cautious and methodical protocol to the consideration and investigation of all potential abduction cases."

It was positively Orwellian. Language with the meaning turned inside out, scientific-sounding language used to deny and deceive. The bottom line seems to be that an abduction researcher is free to make absolutely any claim he cares to make, and as long as the claim is made convincingly and often - they will believe.

There are many complex reasons that the UFO community often finds itself twisted in knots, attempting to defend the validity of a case, even one that is as clearly hoaxed as Mortellaro's. Reasons, too, that any criticism of an abduction researcher with Hopkins' standing in the field will be ferociously attacked.

The subject requires far more development than this article has room for, but George Hansen's erudite and compassionate book, *The Trickster And The Paranormal*, offers one explanation that is especially apt for the situations covered in this article: that "Ufology is a tiny field with a tenuous existence and an attack on Hopkins [and to a lesser degree, Jacobs] has greater repercussions than one on a comparable person in a larger field."

Other ufologists, Hansen continues, identify themselves so closely with the field and with the ET hypothesis, that they perceive any criticism of these men to be personal attacks on them, as well.¹⁵

There's another, simpler reason that "they" will continue to believe. Because it was essentially denied as a hoax by Hopkins, its primary proponent, the Mortellaro case still exists as part of the historical record of UFO abduction case studies - in a Hopkins lecture on the case from FortFest 2002, posted on YouTube; in online pages containing the case materials; audio files of hypnosis sessions; and in multiple DVDs for sale of Hopkins' conference presentations about it.

Anyone attempting to study the evidence of alien abduction might be just as likely to study the Mortellaro case as the Travis Walton case.

The page on Hopkins' Intruders Foundation website was quickly pulled down and there seems to be little evidence that anything went wrong.

However, the official statement is still posted on the Rense.com site, along with numerous other articles by Mortellaro:

<http://www.rense.com/general50/IF.htm>

What about demanding a recall, in such cases? Even a cannery for green peas has to recall a few batches of cans when the product turns out to be spoiled. But when it comes to the wholesale creation and public offering of an entire genre of performance art called "the alien abduction phenomenon", nobody's held responsible for anything. Especially not the man lauded for his role in its creation - an artist whose brief, shining moment in the art world passed over forty years ago.

The final irony occurred barely 19 months after the Mortellaro debacle.

At the March 3, 2006 UFO Congress, pre-eminent abduction researchers Hopkins and Jacobs took the stage. They both spoke on the topic of transgenic beings (otherwise known as -

hybrids") among us. While Jacobs stated (without evidence) that "the evidence has been amassing for years," this is what Hopkins asserted before the large assembly - and to future researchers who will view his statements on the DVD for decades to come:

"This is something that I'm very proud of... that in all the years of the work that Dave has done and I have done, along with a number of other people, we have never had to take anything back, and say: 'Boy, did we make a whopper of a mistake.' We've been very, very cautious. We haven't had cases, one after another... blow up... despite the efforts of many, many, many debunkers. And that's why we can say... that the material we presented tonight, as strange and complicated and difficult as it is - is, I believe, going to stand the test of time, like the rest of it has."16

So there you have it: no mistakes were ever made; the flawed, overly credulous, and at times unethical research tactics in the Emma Woods case, in Mortellaro's, Dora's, Beanie's and Linda's cases did not exist; and so neither the researchers nor the UFO community learned a damned thing.

Denial is such a terrible waste of an opportunity. There's often enormous power in not being paralyzed by the fear of failure, especially when people learn from either watching or making the mistakes.

Certain abduction researchers have been making a lot of mistakes, not just lately, but in the past, as well. Serious gaffes that keep mainstream scientists and public funding of research far, far away from that circus. Serious gaffes on an ongoing basis that send fairly knowledgeable people like me and many others running from the field.

But when will ufology, as a community, bother to learn from those mistakes? And will the community ever have the courage to step up to the two Priests of High Strangeness and say:

"Thanks for your courageous and dedicated work in this field, Hopkins and Jacobs. It's been great; you were true pioneers and we know that your belief system is strict, heartfelt, and sincere as death. But we'll take it from here.

We just don't think it's possible that you alone, you two, exclusively hold The Truth about this human experience with The Other. Face it, you've been engaged in an activity that makes it impossible for you to see clearly; not any more you don't. So, thanks, but we'll take it from here."

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NOTE: All of the cases referred to in this article will also be featured in the author's up-coming feature documentary, *Something Hidden*. Focused on the story of Hopkins' investigation into the Witnessed case (with Linda Cortile), the film is also the parallel story of Rainey's uniquely personal journey into the heart of a human enigma - the UFO abduction phenomenon.

Additional footage and an opportunity to participate in the film can be found at:

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<http://ps.psychiatryonline.org>

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<http://counsellingresource.com/aboutcouns/supervision.html>

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"I'm Like A Monster Who Walks Among Men"

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Date: Sun, 16 Jan 2011 20:14:25 -0600
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David Jacobs, noted abduction researcher, filed the following report Sunday the 19th of December last year on George Knapp's Coast To Coast radio program regarding his "harassment" at the hands of the "shrill harridan and obsessive psychopath", "Emma Woods", a pseudonym.

<http://www.coasttocoastam.com/show/2010/12/19>

Let it be said, once again: all things are not as they appear to be. The reader will find below a few of the most egregious slanders of Ms. Woods et al, with the demonstrated perpetrator whining that he is in fact the victim - where all the evidence seems decidedly in opposition to that. I advise the reader that virtually every statement uttered by Doctor Jacobs on the Knapp program can be unwound in a manner similar to the un-windings below.

We begin:

David Jacobs raves: "She's a persuasive blamer; she's blamed me for any number of misdeeds and horrendous problems that I've caused her... listening to her, I'm like a monster who walks among men."

That was the curious description he used for himself, used over and over... Does the shoe remotely fit Dr. Jacobs?

Perhaps she "...blames" in as much as he... can be blamed! Moreover, I'm not listening to her for evidence that he is a "monster walking among men," no - I only need to listen to him for evidence of such.

The tapes he reports as "doctored" and "out of context" are not challenged by tapes of his own, have passed muster by experts with no dog in the hunt, and are quite clear as a measure of what I'm compelled to identify as blithe malfeasance on the part of Doctor Jacobs. Moreover, I submit that it is he and not Ms "Woods" who is the raging obsessive.

More...

David Jacobs raves: "Every time she listens to a tape of a session she'll find some other charge against me... or something."

Surely not every time, eh? It remains that what she has uncovered seems abundantly damning to an unusual, even impossible, degree. But then one listens to the hours of tape in question, the well vetted tapes, the abundantly damning tapes, the wholly undeniable tapes, the completely revealing tapes - hours and hours of tape! I'm reminded of Nixon reminding us that he is not a crook...

Step down, Dr. Jacobs. Step off, Dr. Jacobs. Step away, Dr. Jacobs.

More...

David Jacobs raves as regards Woods' "supporters": "There are

people [out there] who will believe almost anything... especially if there appears to be [some], quote, evidence, unquote..."

That's right Doctor. Why, I myself will believe almost "anything" if there is evidence for it. Anything!!! Even that which sends a torpedo well below the waterline of a fellow community member for whom I once had the greatest admiration and respect!

Step down, Dr. Jacobs. Step off, Dr. Jacobs. Step away, Dr. Jacobs. If you really want to support the research, recuse yourself now!

Oh, and Doctor Jacobs? Full marks for the depth to which you insult your base!

More submitted as needed or called for... wrong is wrong. Closing, a cogent and greatly expanded analysis of same is found here:

<http://tinyurl.com/45nc4pn>

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And multiple personality disorder was a mental illness made up
by a lone, now defrocked, mental health provider. Please refer
to these links, and others dealing with it:

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Multiple_personality_disorder

<http://tinyurl.com/ck62a8>

<http://tinyurl.com/66zj8x7>

Mr. Lehmborg is correct. This changes things.

But the changes mostly deal with the vetting of the researchers,
and the quality of their conclusions. And the need for real
peer- review.

One could expect a lack of ethics from a novice.

One would expect ethical rigor from an experienced researcher,
regardless their level of formal training.

This doesn't change the need for the abducted, presuming they
have been abducted, to get the rescue they need.

And if the conclusions of Hopkins and Jacobs are valid in any
part, this doesn't change our need to respond to the abductors.

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UFO Sightings Marred By Communication Breakdown, Said Stanley Fulham
Huliq.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/4rnjz23>

Infographic Of The Day: Where Do People See The Most UFOs?
Co.Design
<http://tinyurl.com/6zuu7y4>

Wells Civic Society To Welcome UFO expert
Wells People
<http://tinyurl.com/4pu2v8s>

Outsider Artist Paints Alien Interactions
Wired.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/6amytfd>

From Diana Cammack:

Triangle UFO Described Low Over Fort Worth
Examiner.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/4t4wpek>
[And what was the military aircraft overhead doing - babysitting this triangle, observing but not confronting, or it simply didn't see it? Surely someone in military ought to be able to enlighten the public about events its members witness? --DC]

From Scott Corrales' Inexplicata:

Argentina: Another Water Tank Mysteriously Emptied
<http://tinyurl.com/5va5wa3>

Chile: Undersea UFO Activity At Bajo Molle (Iquique)
<http://tinyurl.com/6xkejmf>

Chile: A UFO over San Fabian
<http://tinyurl.com/5uyyf2a>

From 'The Norm':

Brit Scientists Going Nuts
UFOMystic.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/6e4zj4v>

Finding Time: A Response To Rob Walker On The Digital Afterlife
[On Mac Tonnies]
<http://tinyurl.com/4mmwmce>

Wait, ESP Is Real?
<http://tinyurl.com/6dhyvuu>

Biggest Astrophoto - Ever!
<http://tinyurl.com/6d3dfxe>

The Antikythera Mechanism
<http://tinyurl.com/32lx8tw>

A Sun Halo Beyond Stockholm
<http://tinyurl.com/348nbsz>

Kepler Finds First Definitely Rocky Exoplanet
<http://tinyurl.com/4algfhd>

Why Don't Exoplanets Match Astronomers' Expectatons?
<http://tinyurl.com/4jl6utj>

The "Mad" Egyptian Scholar Who Proved Aristotle Wrong
<http://tinyurl.com/27y5e7r>

Falling Brains Dept:

Mainstream Media's Linking Of UFOs To Jared Loughner
Tucson Citizen
<http://tinyurl.com/6aeaj8t>

Jared Lee Loughner Apparently Sought Community Online At
Abovetopsecret.com
Washington Post
<http://tinyurl.com/46wpvyt>

UFO Phil On His Plan To Build A Giant Pyramid On Pikes Peak
Westword
<http://tinyurl.com/4gsyrvl>

Cyber Star "UFO Phil" Moves To Colorado Springs
Denver Post
<http://tinyurl.com/5sowar2>

January 2011 UFO Wave Over Moscow Is 3rd Independent
Confirmation Of ET Council
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/45uw5gg>

Do Moscow UFOs fulfill NORAD Officer Predictions?
Exopolitics Institute News Service
<http://tinyurl.com/6gm62ok>

World Business Leaders To Discuss UFOs & Extraterrestrial Life
Exopolitics Institute News Service
<http://tinyurl.com/663mxxr>

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Paranormal Cafe Audio With Leslie Kean

From: **Giuliano Marinkovic** <giuliano.marinkovic.nul>
Date: Sat, 15 Jan 2011 13:15:53 +0100
Archived: Tue, 18 Jan 2011 08:19:06 -0500
Subject: Paranormal Cafe Audio With Leslie Kean

Dear Colleagues,

Leslie Kean was interviewed for Rob Simcox's show "Paranormal Cafe" on January 7, 2011, where she talked about updates after release of her book "UFOs: Generals, Pilots and Government Officials go on the Record".

This is the download link:
<http://tinyurl.com/4px9qn9>

Most interesting part of the interview - 15:17 to 23:21 min.

Leslie is talking about production of new documentary based on her book. Documentary is commissioned by History Channel and it is filmed by production company "Break Thru Films". Leslie has returned from 2-week filming from Europe. During production she visited Belgium where first hand witnesses of Belgium Wave are interviewed (police officers, F-16 pilot, colonel Andre Amond, etc)

And from 35:09 to 40:10 min

Leslie is talking what is happening with her projects where she is trying to bring the change together with her supporters using book as a tool.

Best Wishes

Giuliano

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Importance Of Parapsychological Research

From: **Kathy Kasten** <catraja.nul>
Date: Sat, 15 Jan 2011 18:54:22 -0700
Archived: Tue, 18 Jan 2011 08:23:34 -0500
Subject: Importance Of Parapsychological Research

>News Links - 09-01-11

<snip>

>Why Parapsychology Is Amongst The Most Important Of The Sciences
>PNI.Org
><http://tinyurl.com/4txh824>

<snip>

Frankly, as I read the paper cited in the above link, I think it should be read by anyone who is serious about researching the UFO phenomena.

The implication, for me, is that individuals reporting seeing or interacting with the phenomena are experiencing - for a moment - stepping outside of Space and Time. It doesn't mean what they are experiencing is not real just a different type of reality beyond the 4th dimension.

Gosh, I loved reading this paper. In some ways it validated some personal thoughts on experiments I attempted using myself as the subject.

KK

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Interview With Kevin Randle

From: **Thiago Luiz Ticchetti** <ticchetti.nul>
Date: Tue, 18 Jan 2011 05:30:42 -0800 (PST)
Archived: Tue, 18 Jan 2011 09:33:22 -0500
Subject: Interview With Kevin Randle

Hello,

From now on my blog will be in both English And Portuguese.

The interview of the week is with Kevin Randle about his newest book Crash: When UFOs Fall From The Sky: A History Of Famous Incidents, Conspiracies, And Cover-Ups

Check it out here:

<http://www.ufo.com.br/blog/thiagoticchetti>

[Scroll down for English]

Thanks,

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PRG Press Release - January 18, 2011

From: **Stephen G. Bassett** <PRG.nul>
Date: Tue, 18 Jan 2011 09:12:41 -0800
Archived: Tue, 18 Jan 2011 12:26:48 -0500
Subject: PRG Press Release - January 18, 2011

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PRG Press Release - January 18, 2011

Washington, DC - On January 23-25, 2011 over 100 international speakers will present at the 5th Annual Global Competitiveness Conference in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

According to the conference website at www.gcf.org.sa "The Global Competitiveness Forum (GCF), the only event of its kind, is an annual meeting of global business leaders, international political leaders, and selected intellectuals and journalists brought together to create a dialogue with respect to the positive impact organizational and national competitiveness can have on local, regional and global economic and social development. It was founded in 2006 by the Saudi Arabian General Investment Authority (SAGIA), and is held in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia under the patronage of HM King Abdullah Bin Abdulaziz, the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques."

Paradigm Research Group notes with considerable interest the inclusion of the following panel: Contact: Learning from Outer Space - Psychological and socio-cultural assumptions and preconceptions constrain us to a large extent, and shape our views of the universe so that we are inclined to find what we are looking for, and fail to see what we are not. Using knowledge gained from research in the fields of Ufology and the search for extraterrestrial life, what might we possibly learn about hindrances to innovation in other areas of inquiry?

The panelists have not yet been formally announced but will likely include Nick Pope, former head of the UFO desk at the UK Ministry of Defence; Stanton T. Friedman, nuclear physicist and extraterrestrial phenomena researcher; Dr. Jacques Vallee, researcher and venture capitalist; and theoretical physicist, Dr. Michio Kaku.

According to PRG executive director Stephen Bassett, "Political leaders and political journalists in the United States might want to ask themselves how it is a subject the United States Government claims has no validity is being addressed under royal patronage at a conference in the capital of the planet's greatest oil exporter. He added, "They might also note Saudi Arabia is a nation which will be hugely impacted by the inevitable end of the now 64-year old UFO/ET truth embargo and likely subsequent introduction of extraterrestrial derived technologies."

"Last September retired Air Force officers testified at the National Press Club to the direct interference with U. S. nuclear facilities by extraterrestrial craft. These men all held high security clearances. The political media, in particular the Washington Post, did not even bother to ask the Department of Defense for comment. One nation after another is proactively releasing thousands of UFO/ET related files. The Vatican and the Royal Society of London are holding conferences addressing the implications of extraterrestrial life. It's time for the U. S. Congress and the political media to grow up and wake up. It's time for the Obama administration to speak to this issue or be left behind."

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From: **UFO UpDates - Toronto** <post.nul>
Date: Thu, 20 Jan 2011 07:24:14 -0500
Archived: Thu, 20 Jan 2011 07:24:14 -0500
Subject: News Links - 19-01-11

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UFO Spotted In East Kilbride
stv.tv
<http://tinyurl.com/5uq6vht>

Hamilton Stargazer Sees Soundless UFO
stv.tv
<http://tinyurl.com/6a6lygk>

Man Reports UFO Sighting
Forres Gazette
<http://tinyurl.com/6cwbc6y>

New Sighting Of 'Dudley Dorito' UFO
expressandstar.com
<http://tinyurl.com/64fhzqx>

Upstate NY UFO Photographed By Birdwatcher
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/6jtet3c>

January Fireballs Seen Throughout Vancouver Region
UFO*BC - UFO Examiner

Filer's Files #4 - 2011
<http://tinyurl.com/6lf8t3u>

State Dept Warned Embassy Staff Not To Mention Pentagon's UFO
Concerns
Antiwar.com
<http://tinyurl.com/4stsokr>

City Man Part Of Panel Of International Experts
CanadaEast.com
<http://tinyurl.com/68nfxaz>

UFO Seen Over Clovis In April Of 2009
Fresno Famous
<http://tinyurl.com/4a3nbef>

How To Peek Into Area 51 Using Google Maps
DVICE
<http://tinyurl.com/4gdvy3s>

'Para' Or 'Normal': He Wants To Know
Lancaster Newspapers
<http://tinyurl.com/4bucl9p>

Dancing Light UFOs, The Dorothy Izzat Story and Hessdalen
Phenomena Connecting The UFO Dots
DBKP - Death By 1000 Papercuts
<http://tinyurl.com/652nssk>

Bryce Zabel: Are Hollywood And The Government Preparing Us For
Disclosure?

Examiner.com

<http://tinyurl.com/5tgto8y>

'Dark Skies' TV Series DVDs Available: UFO Acclimation,
Disclosure?

UFO Digest

<http://tinyurl.com/65bk2aa>

'Moon Landing Conspiracy' Is Latest Sculpture In UFO Series

Examiner.com

<http://tinyurl.com/6jlr78o>

UFO Believer And The Little Prince Author Believed To Have Been
Taken

HULIQ

<http://tinyurl.com/64m8ryc>

From Frank Warren's The UFO Chronicals:

Were Saucers [UFOs] Spying On Bomb Site?

<http://tinyurl.com/46e5xvk>

From Scott Corrales' Inexplicata:

The Missing Water Enigma

<http://tinyurl.com/5wsr7gt>

From Larry W Bryant:

A Glimpse Into Malmstrom's FOIA Inner Sanctum As The UFO Paper
Chase Continues

<http://tinyurl.com/5sbv7ty>

From 'The Norm':

Thankless Work, No Payoff In Sight

Billy Cox

<http://tinyurl.com/6yhyzbq>

Speculation Trumps News, As Usual

Billy Cox

<http://tinyurl.com/639ul47>

'Emma Woods' - Abductee? vs Dr David Jacobs - Is Hypnosis an
Ethical Vehicle?

<http://tinyurl.com/69nbdms>

Crop Circle Revelation

FateMag

<http://tinyurl.com/6kvyryq>

Philip Corso and MJ-12

Kevin Randle

<http://tinyurl.com/5uy8nyc>

Five Arguments Against the Extraterrestrial Origin Of
Unidentified Flying Objects

Jacques F. Vallee - 1990 - .pdf

<http://tinyurl.com/lbvq46>

Paratopia PodCast 55: Dr. Scott Lilienfeld On Hypnosis, Hopkins
& Jacobs

<http://tinyurl.com/4gej3vp>

Nick Redfern & Greg Bishop on Binnal of America

<http://tinyurl.com/624uebd>

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Spectacular Jan 18, 2011 Moscow UFO Part Fulfillment Of ET
Council's Prediction?

Examiner.com

<http://tinyurl.com/4awawm2>

Billy Meier, I Wanted To Believe

Ghost Theory

<http://tinyurl.com/6g83u6b>

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UpDates Absence

From: Rick Nielsen <nilthchi.nul>
Date: Fri, 21 Jan 2011 21:00:05 -0800 (PST)
Archived: Sat, 22 Jan 2011 08:22:21 -0500
Subject: UpDates Absence

I hope it's a sick server and not a moderator malady.

[A fairly fugly flu... back on resumption of normal body --ebk]

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Ticchetti Blog Updated

From: **Thiago Luiz Ticchetti** <ticchetti.nul>
Date: Thu, 20 Jan 2011 11:31:03 -0800 (PST)
Archived: Tue, 25 Jan 2011 11:46:31 -0500
Subject: Ticchetti Blog Updated

The Photo And The Fact has an interesting photo taken in Brazil.

Check it out here:

<https://www.ufo.com.br/blog/thiagoticchetti>

Thanks...

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Triangular UFO on Google Maps?

From: Dave Haith <visions1.nul>
Date: Thu, 20 Jan 2011 22:17:42 -0000
Archived: Tue, 25 Jan 2011 11:57:49 -0500
Subject: Triangular UFO on Google Maps?

Here's a fun one...

<http://www.p2pnet.net/story/47910>

Dave Haith

[First discussed here in 2007:

<http://www.ufoupdateslist.com/2007/apr/m06-002.shtml>]

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Re: Triangular UFO On Google Maps?

From: Dave Haith <visions1.nul>
Date: Thu, 20 Jan 2011 22:41:50 -0000
Archived: Tue, 25 Jan 2011 12:01:32 -0500
Subject: Re: Triangular UFO On Google Maps?

Sorry please ignore - very old story - this from Above Top Secret The question of what this strange looking triangle is was posed on a fairly popular website lately. Someone who lives in Australia who lives in the area was curious enough to go take a look. Here's what he said... Dec. 18, 2007 email from Australian resident:

"(Triangle is) in an area I was fairly familiar with. The astronomy group I am in goes near there for star gazing as there is no light pollution. I made a trip up to investigate the Google earth mystery on Saturday, December 15, 2007.

I 'interpolated' its position onto a map and we drove up.

It is a large antenna and appears to be a component of the huge wind farm immediately adjacent to it. The wind farm supplies 80 megawatts of power for Perth and is remote-controlled from Perth power company that operates the wind farm.

I think the very high antenna transmits sensor and instrumentation data as well as receiving the control signals from the Perth control centre. It is a very tall antenna with 3 sets of guy wires in a triangle formation. The growth and bushes are most likely cleared out of the antenna area. (We couldn't get close enough to see the base because the roads were blocked with gates and it is rolling hills). The place is fenced and the gates are locked. There are no warning signs, no 'use of deadly force' signs, nor is there any 'keep out' signs. The locked gates are there to keep the vandals and curiosity seekers out."

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UFO Matrix Conference - October 15 & 16 2011

From: Philip Mantle <philip.mantle.nul>
Date: Sat, 22 Jan 2011 10:12:41 +0000
Archived: Tue, 25 Jan 2011 12:07:11 -0500
Subject: UFO Matrix Conference - October 15 & 16 2011

UFO Matrix Magazine Conference

October 15th & 16th, Ponterfract, West Yorkshire, England.

Provisional speakers are:

- Kathleen Marden (first time in the UK).
- Travis Walton - not been in the UK since the movie Fire In The Sky was released
- Nick Pope/Bridget Grant joint presentation
- Robbie Graham
- Malcolm Robinson - may be joined by Garry Wood
- Dave Hodrien
- John Hanson
- Mike Hallowell
- Philip Mantle/Rosalind Reynolds - joint presentation

All speakers subject to change.

The whole conference is being built around the 50th anniversary of the Betty and Barney Hill incident. The working title of the conference is: 50 YEARS OF CLOSE ENCOUNTERS.

The conference will take place over the weekend of October 15 and 16 and will be held at a grade 2 listed hotel in West Yorkshire.

More details available soon.

If you wish to be placed on our mailing list please email me direct at:

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Regards,

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Another Review Of Pilkington's Mirage Men

From: Terry W. Colvin <fortean1.nul>
Date: Sun, 23 Jan 2011 16:04:36 +0700 (GMT+07:00)
Archived: Tue, 25 Jan 2011 12:10:31 -0500
Subject: Another Review Of Pilkington's Mirage Men

<http://tinyurl.com/2axp2e5>

Mirage Men: A Journey In Disinformation, Paranoia And UFOs
Author: Mark Pilkington
Publisher: Constable and Robinson 2010
Price: =C2=A38.99 Paperback
Isbn: 9781845298579

Rating:
An illuminating, insightful investigation into the strange truth behind UFOs

By David Hambling
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<http://terrycolvin.freewebsites.com/>
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PRG Update - January 26, 2011

From: **Stephen G Bassett** <PRG.nul>
Date: Wed, 26 Jan 2011 01:02:39 -0800
Archived: Wed, 26 Jan 2011 05:53:14 -0500
Subject: PRG Update - January 26, 2011

PRG Update - January 26, 2011

Facts, Hype and Video Tape (Commentary)

Over the past year there has been an unprecedented amount of rumor, speculation and prediction regarding a possible Disclosure event ending the 64-year truth embargo regarding an ET presence. Some find this disconcerting as every prediction has proven off the mark, some articles are clearly overspeculative and every video is seized upon with fervor. PRG is neither disconcerted nor surprised by this.

What is happening is a spreading matrix of rumors flourishing on the Internet, which some might claim was invented for the express purpose of spreading rumors. These rumors are beginning to double back on themselves and generate seeming "news" stories.

All of which is to say we are seeing the early stages of a media frenzy, which are messy and hardly precise. But they serve a purpose. The truth embargo is riddled with holes and misinformation. There is no pristine path to its resolution. If the break is to come from the media flank, it will be the result of a group of simultaneous stories which for a time confound the usual political flacks causing one of them to make a fatal mistake, one careless remark on camera causing the eyes of a thousand reporters to instantly fix upon them, questions at the ready. You will see a flash of fear and confusion as the flack gropes for an answer, some thread of rational response, and then the entire edifice will come crashing down.

So, while you might find it a little uncomfortable to watch Disclosure predictions popping up all around the planet - given that every last one of them is, well, very likely wrong - it is exactly what sixty-four years of a truth vacuum was going to produce in its last, pitiful days on Earth.

So rumors will fly. They reflect decades of frustration and a growing expectation the truth will come out. There are several billion people waiting to hear from their own governments about the extraterrestrial presence engaging them. If they are vulnerable to some overspeculation right now, PRG is inclined to lay the blame for that at the feet of their duly elected representatives who collectively decided that "don't ask, don't tell" was somehow the cornerstone of the social contract.

PRG Facebook Organization Page
<http://tinyurl.com/47b2xg8>

Facebook is likely phasing out "Group Pages" for "Organization/Fan Pages" in order to reduce confusion. These Organization/Fan pages have unlimited membership, video/photo archives, plus a discussion board. All PRG Update recipients are encouraged to sign on to the PRG page on Facebook and invite their FBF's to join as well. [Note: PRG executive director Stephen Bassett's personal Facebook page has reached the 5000 limit. New FBF requests will be redirected to the PRG page.]

New Conference Listings

www.paradigmresearchgroup.org/conferences.html

The following conferences have just been listed at the above PRG webpage:

Feb 25 - Intelligent Life Beyond the 4th Dimension - Vancouver
Canada

April 29-May 1 - Wake Up Now Conference, Santa Ana Pueblo, NM

Oct 15-16 - UFO Matrix Magazine Conference, Ponterfract, UK

South and Central America

www.exopoliticsworld.net

There is a considerable amount of exopolitical activity coming out of South and Central America. Also, note there are now five EWN sites in Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Honduras and Mexico. Ecuador goes up next week. It is possible that developments in South/Central America may be a deciding factor in bringing about formal disclosure of the extraterrestrial presence engaging the human race.

Ecuador

<http://tinyurl.com/4a6ze8k>

Argentina

www.exopoliticsargentina.net/

www.france24.com/en/20101229-argentina-record-ufo-sightings

Brazil

<http://tinyurl.com/4etgtum>

PRG Speaking Schedule Update

www.paradigmresearchgroup.org/speaking&eventschedule.html

Note: PRG is in the process of setting up a 2011 university/college speaking tour in the United Kingdom. More on that soon.

March 18-20 - Lawrence, KS - Reykawvik Summit

Leeds, UK - June 11

Leeds, UK - August 5-7

Louisville, KY - November 11-13 - Pythagoras

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Source: exopolitics.blogs.com

<http://tinyurl.com/6c8v9dy>

January 25 2011

Exopolitics Founder Blocked When Exposing Flawed ET Research,
Mars Gate Keeping[!!!!]

An Exopolitics researcher whose ground-breaking book
Exopolitics: A Decade of Contact founded the field of
Exopolitics =96 the study of relations among intelligent
civilizations in the multi-verse was blocked today from exposing
the flawed ET-related research and gatekeeping of Michael Salla.

Alfred Lambremont Webre, JD, Med was unilaterally and without
notice blocked by Michael Salla from posting onto the e-list of
the Exopolitics Institute, of which he was a member he and
Michael Salla has exchanged several posts during which Mr. Webre
(1) challenged Michael Salla=92s 2-year unreasonable refusal to
debate the existence of life on Mars based on the NASA Mars
photographs; and (2) highlighted his disservice to the science
of Exopolitics with his "Source A=94 research in which Michael
Salla gave extended public credence to a series of hoaxed secret
meetings at the United Nations on ET disclosure.

Legal Notice to Michael Salla and Angelika Whitecliff

In a January 25, 2011 legal notice to Michael Salla and his
spouse Angelika Whitecliff, Mr. Webre wrote:

"Michael Salla and Angelika Whitecliff - I am writing to you as
the beneficial owners of the "Exopolitics Institute

My position is that this originally intended community-
controlled Exopolitics organization was in fact illegitimately
absconded with by you both in a covert "run for the courthouse
steps" after enrolling myself and others in a false dialogue as
to what was to have been a community-controlled non-profit think
tank.

In fact, this organization is de facto a part of Michael
Salla's and Angelika Whitecliff's commercial enterprise.

The illegal and improper blocking of my posting privileges was
undertaken by Michael Salla in order to further protect himself
from being exposed as to his faulty Exopolitics research, and
his intentional gate-keeping on the issue of Life on Mars
research.

These actions are to the detriment of the science of
Exopolitics, that my original research founded in a book

Exopolitics: A Decade of Contact written in 1999 and 2000, from which starting in 2003, Michael Salla stole intellectual property without proper crediting of copyright.

Please remove my name and my books from any further association with your beneficially owned, de facto commercial enterprise.

You can rest assured that your attempts to demean the science of Exopolitics will end in ignominious failure, and that a growing group of legitimate, Truth-oriented researchers have caught on to your covert actions.=94

Signed/Alfred Lambremont Webre, JD, MEd
Attorney at Law
Vancouver, B.C.

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Paratopia PodCast 55

From: **Kathy Kasten** <catraja.nul>
Date: Wed, 26 Jan 2011 20:28:34 +0000
Archived: Thu, 27 Jan 2011 07:31:07 -0500
Subject: Paratopia PodCast 55

>Date: Thu, 20 Jan 2011 07:24:14 -0500
>To: ufo-updates-list.nul
>From: post.nul
>Subject: UFO UpDate: News Links - 19-01-11

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>Paratopia PodCast 55: Dr. Scott Lilienfeld On Hypnosis, Hopkins
>& Jacobs
><http://tinyurl.com/4gej3vp>

Thanks for this link, Errol.

After interviewing Dr. Lillianfeld, the hosts discuss their own abduction experiences and the conclusions they arrived at.

Terrific, and I am glad to know there are other people who didn't feel the need to go into hypnotherapy to remember what happened.

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Archived: Fri, 28 Jan 2011 06:22:11 -0500
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Prepping For Disclosure At Global Competitiveness

From: Jay Nelson <jnelson.nul>
Date: Fri, 28 Jan 2011 06:24:49 -0500
Archived: Sat, 29 Jan 2011 05:56:36 -0500
Subject: Prepping For Disclosure At Global Competitiveness

List,

Exopolitican Michael Salla posted about a conference supposedly in Saudi Arabia this last weekend where business leaders were warned of Disclosure, Real Soon Now.

<http://news.exopoliticsinstitute.org/index.php/archives/890>

The article says:

"The unconventional and highly relevant topic of extraterrestrial life forms was addressed by yesterday's panel discussion Contact: Learning from Outer Space. Experts Zoaghloul El-Naggar, Stanton Friedman, Michio Kaku, Nick Pope and Jacques Vallee made compelling cases for the existence of living beings elsewhere in the galaxy, drawing upon empirical evidence, religious theology and logical reasoning."

While completely unfamiliar with the first speaker's name, the rest certainly caught my eye, so I googled it, and at least Stanton was confirmed to have been there. (Second para. from bottom:

http://www.menafn.com/gn_news_story_s.asp?StoryId=1093389044)

Doesn't prove anything about Disclosure, of course, as it sounded like he gave his standard "UFOs Are Real!" stump speech, but any real-world correlation with expolitical claims should be noted.

My question is: were the other gentlemen there? Was there any new information given out? Or was it, if you'll pardon the phrase, bringing the word to the (UFO) infidel?

Even if it was all just rehashing the same old thing, it would have been interesting to hear them all together. And such a forum has to be considered significant.

In any case, I'm happy that Stanton is finally getting some well-deserved attention by the world, and hope that he, Dr. Kaku, Nick Pope and Jacques Vallee had a fine time.

Keep looking up,

Jay Nelson

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Archived: Sat, 29 Jan 2011 05:59:28 -0500
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I figured out the triggers in my environment and simply put up a
"thought wall" to stop it. I couldn't believe how simple it was
to stop it. Now, I am reading encounter accounts and trying to
create a very new way to evaluate them. I have noticed many
serious researchers into the phenomena go to the edge but pull
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Dave:

I notice that Katherina has started using the name "Kay." It was always an issue with her as to how one referred to her. Does it mean she is reinventing herself? I am not criticizing. Just noting the change.

Budd Hopkins is a kind and caring person. Its just he hasn't formally studied hypnotherapy. Listening to Dr. Lillienfeld, he explained how the subconscious works. Especially its willingness to create information that pleases the therapist. This aspect was not acknowledged by either Hopkins or Jacobs.

A very serious lack of understanding the process of hypnotherapy and its limitations.

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Hi Kathy

Haven't heard that podcast. However, in recent years have become more aware of the mind's ability to manipulate our immediate perceptions and to re-create false memories, seemingly willy-nilly but on examination often dictated by 'self-preservation' instincts of the base-brain ('lizard brain').

As a simple example - recall an incident from childhood or early life and then compare notes with others who were there at the time. You'll usually get significantly different accounts - possibly embarrassingly so.

Got impressed by this phenomenon and so collected recent studies, as they were published, showing some surprising results:

- i) some people cannot 'see' anomalous events happening before their eyes if those events offend or shock their 'lizard-brain';
- ii) some folk see the events more or less as they happened but can be confused about the sequence and/or the causes;
- iii) others see the anomalous events but much amplified, their lizard-brain 'adding-on' imaginary causes or agents - mythical or religious or other.

There's a list of the research URLs, with abstracts and text versions at www.perceptions.couk.com/magic2.html#more1

As you can see there's even been a recent attempt - formal publication pending - to link (some of) those different tendencies to physical differences between human brains.

That whole area of research is fascinating and is beginning to reveal how all our perceptions are more or less 'personal' and subjective, possibly even to the extent of differing physical effects on different individuals.

So, these days I rarely come to firm conclusions about reported events, usually at most an 'implied conclusion' if there's a preponderance of evidence, like at www.perceptions.couk.com/ufo-uap.html#rel2 (modern sightings, some filmed by NASA), and at www.perceptions.couk.com/fortrel1883.html#initi, (19th and early 20th Cent. stuff) which was begun by collecting phenomena

recorded by Charles Fort.

BTW - think you're very wise to use that 'wall' or block. It seems that humans facing, or attempting to communicate with any entities perceived as 'other' or supernatural (in Earth terms), can be led down some quite destructive pathways. Whether those pathways originate in the 'lizard-brain' or are imposed on it from outside is a matter for speculation.

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'Teardrop' UFO 500 feet Over LaPorte, Texas
Examiner.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/4uxq695>

Knoxville Witness Follows Low-Flying Triangle UFO
Examiner.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/4682zhp>

UFO Sightings Surge Around Colombian Volcano
Colombia Reports
<http://tinyurl.com/4lab98h>

Air Force To Get Bird's-Eye View Of 'UFO' Trails
The Jakarta Post
<http://tinyurl.com/6j6ttbc>

UFO Enthusiasts Abuzz Over Indonesian Crop Circles
Fox News
<http://tinyurl.com/4mhmypl>

UFO Sightings Going Mainstream, While Wikileaks Safeguards UFO
Files
HULIQ
<http://tinyurl.com/46m2yrz>

USDA, Not UFOs Or Antichrist To Blame For Dead Birds In South
Dakota
Student Operated Press
<http://tinyurl.com/6fwbt6d>

UFOs Help Innovative Thinkers Look To The Future
AOL News
<http://tinyurl.com/5w2zpbj>

UFOs Digging Our Nukes Is Not News
by Billy Cox
<http://tinyurl.com/4v94rne>

UFO Sighting Signature Sri Yantra Discovered In Oregon, Now
Found Worldwide
HULIQ
<http://tinyurl.com/6xsgxdh>

Nick Redfern Talks Conspiracy on The Kate Valentine UFO Show
PR-USA.Net
<http://tinyurl.com/6lc3k3f>

UFO Sighting Witness Testimony Shocking But Comforting, Say
Experts
HULIQ
<http://tinyurl.com/6gmwg4g>

International UFO Convention Tries To Be Serious

TG Daily
<http://tinyurl.com/4byg5rg>

The 1953 Kinross UFO Incident
UFODigest
<http://tinyurl.com/4jyce7n>

The Thomas Mantell UFO Incident
UFODigest
<http://tinyurl.com/47xdmke>

Camille [Stringfield] Reynolds Had Her Own Style
Cincinnati.com
<http://tinyurl.com/4q7sh4g>

From Frank Warren's The UFO Chronicals:

UFO Theorists Gain Support Abroad, But Repression At Home
<http://tinyurl.com/6afxmj8>

Investigative Journalist & Best-Selling Author, Leslie Kean
Joins Host Frank Warren On Eye To The Sky - The UFO Synopsis
<http://tinyurl.com/6ebdtpc>

Two Suns? Night To Day? Doomsday? How Will a Near-by Super-Nova
Affect Our Planet?
<http://tinyurl.com/6zf4oqj>

From Scott Corrales' Inexplicata:

Puerto Rico: UFOs Over Cabo Rojo And Lajas
<http://tinyurl.com/5twypc8>

The Defunct Spanish Society For Cryptozoology
<http://tinyurl.com/69jrkg5>

Spain: Cryptozoology and Tourism
<http://tinyurl.com/5vllbe9>

From Larry W Bryant:

How Valuable Is the U. S. Coast Guard Cutter Spencer's UFO-
Encounter Report?
<http://tinyurl.com/4jx56vf>

FOIA Request To DOD's National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency
Per Wikileaks's Leakage of a UFO-related Cable from State Dept
<http://tinyurl.com/4axkj5m>

From 'The Norm':

Rebranding Ufology
<http://tinyurl.com/4s6xlba>

Jacques Vallee And The Problems Of Ufology
<http://tinyurl.com/4quxmzc>

JFK And Our Secret History
by Richard Dolan
<http://tinyurl.com/4qth62s>

UFO Mystic Exclusive Interview with Paul Kimball
<http://tinyurl.com/68fh78j>

Dr. Paul Davies: Critique Part 1
UFODigest
<http://tinyurl.com/4bb44rj>

Telltale Chemistry Could Betray ET
<http://tinyurl.com/4h8ggzn>

Habitable Exoplanet Claim Gets Another Challenge
<http://tinyurl.com/4dmz3fl>

Astronomers Hunting Alien Earths
<http://tinyurl.com/4ztvzcx>

Falling Brains Dept:

On A UFO, Grey ETs Merged My Son's Soul Into His Body In My Womb
Examiner.com

<http://tinyurl.com/4gndkyj>

UFO Phil: UFO Pyramid Will Provide Jobs & Energy
Ghost Theory

<http://tinyurl.com/6azdyam>

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News Links - 27-01-11

From: **UFO UpDates - Toronto** <post.nul>
Date: Fri, 28 Jan 2011 10:23:21 -0500
Archived: Fri, 28 Jan 2011 10:23:21 -0500
Subject: News Links - 27-01-11

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Triangle UFO Shines Light On North Carolina Witness From 300 Feet
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/6f5e3zj>

UFOs Over Newtown?
Fairfield Weekly.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/6x4m8v9>

Strange Lights Appear In The Sky Above Utah County
ABC 4
<http://tinyurl.com/48tgyyb>

The Siren's Call: Strange Sightings
Los Angeles Times
<http://tinyurl.com/4mr7odf>

Bill Clinton At An International UFO Convention?
Paranormal Utopia
<http://tinyurl.com/4mng672>

World Business Leaders Told Flying Saucers Are Real &
Extraterrestrials Exist [Salla 'Cashes-In On Friedman]
Exopolitics Institute News Service
<http://tinyurl.com/63yh2ul>

UFO Disclosure - ET Disclosure - Why It Will Never Happen From
The President
ZimBio.Com
<http://tinyurl.com/5wxg6ba>

UFO Chasers
Korea Times
<http://tinyurl.com/6de8zc9>

Marfa Lights And Related UFO Phenomena Explained
UFODigest
<http://tinyurl.com/4sgocbh>

The NASA UFO Test Of 1997
Top News Reports
<http://tinyurl.com/6xdss6v>

FEMA Game Prepares Kids For UFOs And Earthquakes
Paranormal Utopia
<http://tinyurl.com/4k2nkjo>

Final Events: Round Trip To Hell In A Flying Saucer
By Nick Redfern
<http://tinyurl.com/45mwmfc>

Mexico: A Blue UFO Over MCIA
<http://tinyurl.com/6eullos>

Filer's Files # 5 - 2011

<http://tinyurl.com/6gh53o9>

From Frank Warren's The UFO Chronicals:

Pilots Ordered To Shoot Down Saucers in Range
Charleston Gazette
<http://tinyurl.com/6cohqsv>

Pilots Ordered To Shoot Down Saucers In Range
<http://tinyurl.com/6x3oyc2>

UFOs Sighted Near Savanah River H-Bomb Plant
<http://tinyurl.com/6d82wpg>

Missile Shut Down at Malmstrom Confirmed By
(Civilian) Veteran of Minuteman Program
<http://tinyurl.com/5wm6eyx>

Disclosure As A Zero Sum Game
<http://tinyurl.com/62u9krz>

From Scott Corrales' Inexplicata:

Colombia: UFO Sighting At Nevado del Huila
<http://tinyurl.com/6lxlmcu>

Colombia: Diario del Huila's Alleged UFO Shots
<http://tinyurl.com/6bqcodk>

From 'The Norm':

Bobby Kennedy And UFOs
Antonio Huneus
<http://tinyurl.com/4pj7uz9>

Could Extraterrestrial Intelligence Sway Religious Beliefs?
<http://tinyurl.com/62qhvty>

Falling Brains Dept:

Extraterrestrials Now Live Among Us In China And In U.S.A.,
Newspapers Report
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/6hfgyhu>

Massive UFO Over Victoria, BC possible ET Chemtrail Remediation
Examiner.com
<http://tinyurl.com/4jkkpf9>

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Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO Video

From: J. Maynard Gelinas <j.maynard.gelinas.nul>
Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 10:14:17 -0500
Archived: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 10:48:51 -0500
Subject: Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO Video

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Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO 2nd Video

From: J. Maynard Gelinias <j.maynard.gelinias.nul>
Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 12:37:06 -0500
Archived: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 12:52:37 -0500
Subject: Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO 2nd Video

>From: J. Maynard Gelinias <j.maynard.gelinias.nul>
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time with what appears to have been a cell phone camera:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iOw8c7XFH0w>

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Re: Paratopia PodCast 55

From: **Kathy Kasten** <catraja.nul>
Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 19:09:22 +0000
Archived: Mon, 31 Jan 2011 07:25:18 -0500
Subject: Re: Paratopia PodCast 55

>From: Ray Dickenson <r.dickenson.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 00:55:41 -0000
>Subject: Re: Paratopia PodCast 55

>>From: Kathy Kasten <catraja.nul>
>>To: <post.nul>
>>Date: Fri, 28 Jan 2011 17:03:30 +0000
>>Subject: Re: Paratopia PodCast 55

>>Did you listen to the PodCast? Dr. Lillienfeld, I thought,
>>explained what is known about how, so far, about how the
>>subconscious works. I agreed with most of his conclusions as I
>>discovered for myself how easily the subconscious obeyed the
>>conscious mind's command.

><snip>

>>I can't imagine someone who has never had highly strange events
>>in their life trying to come to some conclusion.

>Haven't heard that podcast. However, in recent years have become
>more aware of the mind's ability to manipulate our immediate
>perceptions and to re-create false memories, seemingly willy-
>nilly but on examination often dictated by 'self-preservation'
>instincts of the base-brain ('lizard brain').

<snip>

>So, these days I rarely come to firm conclusions about reported
>events, usually at most an 'implied conclusion' if there's a
>preponderance of evidence, like at www.perceptions.couk.com/ufo-uap.html#rel2 (modern sightings, some filmed by NASA), and at
>www.perceptions.couk.com/fortrel1883.html#initi, (19th and early
>20th Cent. stuff) which was begun by collecting phenomena
>recorded by Charles Fort.

>BTW - think you're very wise to use that 'wall' or block. It
>seems that humans facing, or attempting to communicate with any
>entities perceived as 'other' or supernatural (in Earth terms),
>can be led down some quite destructive pathways. Whether those
>pathways originate in the 'lizard-brain' or are imposed on it
>from outside is a matter for speculation.

Ray:

Everyone should be putting up a "wall" or block and scrutinizing
whatever is being picked up in the environment. Let's call it
critical thinking. The ability to step back and review without
getting emotionally involved in the outcome.

I think you, Ray, should be just as wise as I am. I think that
all UFO researchers should be as wise as I am. That is, the
collecting of cases has been done. Okay, now it is time to
reinterview some of the "witnesses" in light of new break
throughs in human psychology, neurology, and all the many
'ologys' that claim to study humans and their perceptions.

Things are not as they seem. It just might be both simpler and more complex than we thought.

KK with more KK

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PRG Update - January 30, 2011

From: **Stephen Bassett** <PRG.nul>
Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 18:53:45 -0800
Archived: Mon, 31 Jan 2011 07:27:07 -0500
Subject: PRG Update - January 30, 2011

PRG
Paradigm Research Group

PRG Update - January 30, 2011

Santa Monica, CA Presentation
www.youtube.com/watch?v=6y5q7Fx-Z2k

Due to the large turnout on January 28, PRG executive director Stephen Bassett will return to the Flying Saucers Cafe (306 Pico Blvd.) to speak for a full two hours plus Q&A on Friday, February 4, 7-9 pm. Come early to chat with the speaker. The theme of this friendly meeting place is not just marketing. Owner/artist Ryan Morris is very serious about the UFO/ET issues and is trying to help raise public awareness. The presentation will focus on the events and the political processes leading toward Disclosure and the Q&A will focus on what to expect in the post-Disclosure world.

New Book - UFOs: Myths, Conspiracies, and Realities
By John B. Alexander
<http://tinyurl.com/6zdz29e>

PRG is extremely interested to find out what Dr. Alexander has to write about the UFO/ET issues circa 2011.

WikiLeaks UFO Cable
<http://io9.com/5736880/wikileaks-cable-about-ufos-revealed>
<http://ufoview.posterous.com/>

PRG is following with interest a developing story around an alleged cable leaked out of the WikiLeaks cache regarding a communique date Nov. 9, 2005, sent to a diplomat at the U. S. embassy in Kiev, Ukraine, stating:

"It is critical all embassy staff understand that they are not to discuss under any circumstance concerns DOD [U. S. Department of Defense] has with UFOs entering orbit, once again the seriousness of this matter cannot be overstated.

Activist Larry Bryant has already filed an FOIA request regarding this cable.

This cable has not been confirmed and could be a hoax. Either way it is drawing further attention to UFO content in future releases from WikiLeaks as stated by Julian Assange in his Guardian newspaper interview.

New Disclosure Video - The UFO Cover-Up In Ten Minutes
www.youtube.com/watch?v=tFhBChbKF6o

Richard Dolan and Bryce Zabel have produced a direct, tight video regarding Disclosure which is getting exposure. Check it out and pass the link on.

Israel Sighting Video

www.youtube.com/watch?v=wLodUYxmSMY

PRG does not comment on sightings often but this video of a January 28, 2011 Jerusalem, Israel sighting is impressive. Any translation of the voices in the video would be appreciated.

And Now There is Open Leaks

www.openleaks.org

<http://tinyurl.com/6lxhtz1> (Washington Post)

As expected a new website modeled after WikiLeaks has been launched. It is called Open Leaks and was founded by a former spokesperson for WikiLeaks, Daniel Domscheit-Berg. According the Washington Post:

"The difference between his group and WikiLeaks, he said, would be that his group leaves reviewing the material up to the publication or advocacy group chosen by the source to receive the information."

PRG believes we are seeing the beginning of a global movement to counter the emergence of "rule by secrecy" since the end of WWII. This movement will bring down corrupt governments, reform churches, blunt the rise of corporate fascism, and yes, end the truth embargo regarding an extraterrestrial presence engaging the human race.

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Re: Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO Video

From: **Steve Sawyer** <stevesaw.nul>
Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 22:27:40 -0800
Archived: Mon, 31 Jan 2011 07:28:49 -0500
Subject: Re: Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO Video

>From: J. Maynard Gelinas <j.maynard.gelinas.nul>
>To: UFO UpDates - Toronto <post.nul>
>Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 10:14:17 -0500
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Hi, Maynard & List,

There are at least two additional, "different" Jerusalem temple
mount alleged UFO YouTube videos, from different angles, but
they both seemed to be digital fakes or hoaxes.

Note that in the second video of this supposed incident, that
the video is edited by a box that no longer shows the man
standing to the right, nor the whitish wall in front of him:

See: <http://tinyurl.com/6gw5fbr>

Then there is this video, supposedly produced in response of
skeptical comments on the first youtube video link Galinas
notes:

See: <http://tinyurl.com/4aweesa>

This video is from a much closer perspective to the Temple Mount,
but the "UFO" shown seems relatively smaller, and centered
exactly over the Dome, before zipping upward at a slight angle,
which is significantly different from the original video taken
from a distance.

Now look at the video linked to below, which uses a pair of red
lines on the original video to show how the wall line in the
foreground wobbles, but the red line on the horizon of the city
lights does NOT, indicating a fake horizon, above which the
inserted digital artifacts have been placed to create the fake
objects.

Additionally, a search of haaretz.com found no reference to this
story at all. Judge for yourself, is my advice, but I'm pretty
sure these videos are of an orchestrated digital fake. Someone
is playing games, again.

See: <http://tinyurl.com/662h575>

Steve

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Re: Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO 2nd Video

From: Steve Sawyer <stevesaw.nul>
Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 23:03:54 -0800
Archived: Mon, 31 Jan 2011 07:38:54 -0500
Subject: Re: Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO 2nd Video

>From: J. Maynard Gelinas <j.maynard.gelinas.nul>
>To: post.nul
>Date: Sun, 30 Jan 2011 12:37:06 -0500
>Subject: Jerusalem's Temple Mount UFO 2nd Video

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Hello Maynard and List,

Here's additional evidence of the "Jerusalem Temple Mount" UFO
videos as having indeed been faked:

<http://tinyurl.com/4r2l8ms>

As you should be able to clearly see, by running this stabilized
and close-up video, the entire foreground of the whitish wall,
man, and tree to the right, move independently_ of the distant
background of the Jerusalem city lights, which indicates some
software "green screen" effect was used around the foreground
objects to isolate them from the distant background city lights,
which move rather differently,_ and out of synch.

Read the text explanation below the video I've provided a link
to, above, to see for yourself. This is an obvious, slightly
sophisticated, but proven fake. Next? 8^}

Steve

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Re: Paratopia PodCast 55

From: Gildas Bourdais <bourdais.gildas.nul>
Date: Mon, 31 Jan 2011 10:28:34 +0100
Archived: Mon, 31 Jan 2011 07:41:11 -0500
Subject: Re: Paratopia PodCast 55

>From: Kathy Kasten <catraja.nul>
>To: <post.nul>
>Date: Wed, 26 Jan 2011 20:28:34 +0000
>Subject: Paratopia PodCast 55

>>Date: Thu, 20 Jan 2011 07:24:14 -0500
>>To: ufo-updates-list.nul
>>From: post.nul
>>Subject: UFO Update: News Links - 19-01-11

>>News Links - 19-01-11

><snip>

>>Paratopia PodCast 55: Dr. Scott Lilienfeld On Hypnosis, Hopkins
>>& Jacobs
>><http://tinyurl.com/4gej3vp>

>Thanks for this link, Errol.

>After interviewing Dr. Lillianfeld, the hosts discuss their own
>abduction experiences and the conclusions they arrived at.

>Terrific, and I am glad to know there are other people who didn't
>feel the need to go into hypnotherapy to remember what happened.

>Apparently, an untrained hypnotherapist can plant "false"
>memories just to support their agenda.

Kathy,

A trained hypnotherapist may fail completely.

Dr Benjamin Simon tried repeatedly to convince Betty and Barney Hill, under hypnosis and separately, that they had been dreaming, but they rejected the idea. It's told, in detail, in their book!

BTW, I have been shocked by the article of Carol Rainey. Here is the copy of the message of support I sent to Budd Hopkins. I would like to see some support of him on this list...

"I have great respect for Budd, whom I met several times, in Brazil, France and Italy, and for Leslie Kean as well. I am sure that his research on abductions is, and will remain, very important, and this is an occasion to thank him warmly for that.

His book "Art, Life and UFOs", which I have just read, also confirm to me his qualities, as a man and as a talented artist. I see the article of Carol Rainey as a very regrettable mistake which, hopefully, will be soon forgotten.

My thanks also to Leslie Kean, for her excellent book and actions, which are, no doubt, very positive for ufology".

Gildas Bourdais

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Photo Captures Chicago UFO Out Of Phase
UFODigest
<http://tinyurl.com/4twy3gr>

Study Closes Hole In 'Hole-Punch' Cloud Theory
USA Today
<http://tinyurl.com/6lavrju>

UFO Sightings Spawn COMETA Report, Fear Of World Crisis
HULIQ
<http://tinyurl.com/4oa465r>

The UFOs And Dead Fish
Brazil Weird News
<http://tinyurl.com/46wlfld>

Beam Me Up, Scotty, I'm Ready
Los Angeles Daily News
<http://tinyurl.com/4bngkhl>

The Roswelsh Incident
The Sun - Nick Pope
<http://tinyurl.com/5tnkcsr>

In Search Of... UFO Captives - Videos
Ghost Theory
<http://tinyurl.com/5v4zq9j>

Astronauts Who Report UFOs Are Heroes
UFODigest
<http://tinyurl.com/6649yuo>

Clear Image Of UFO Near The Sun
UFODigest
<http://tinyurl.com/4txxagl>

From Frank Warren's The UFO Chronicals:

Strange Lights Appear in the Sky Above Utah County - Video
<http://tinyurl.com/4hazh86>

Crossing UFOs And Sacred Texts In A Whodunit
<http://tinyurl.com/48vgakn>

South African Group... Has Called for the Government To Release
Secret UFO Files
<http://tinyurl.com/4ucguua>

From Scott Corrales' Inexplicata:

Argentina: A Swimming Pool Drained Dry
<http://tinyurl.com/5vtqmcj>

Argentina: Strange Object In Carlos Tejedor
<http://tinyurl.com/6kfs7em>

From Steve Sawyer:

Gazing Afar for Other Earths And Other Beings
<http://tinyurl.com/6dbtlam>

From 'The Norm':

Elite Culture Striking Out
Billy Cox
<http://tinyurl.com/4ung5z6>

Seeping Slowly Into The Mainstream...
Billy Cox
<http://tinyurl.com/4m2upq3>

UFO-Like Clouds Linked To Military Maneuvers?
Triple 'hole-punch clouds' appeared close together off South
Carolina January 7
<http://tinyurl.com/4bzzvff>

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where there is already so much ready discredit, ready, eh? Why
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the facilitation of an, at least, suspect status quo. We won't
do it for Morton or Hoagland... how can we justify it for Jacobs
and Hopkins?

Ufology and Abduction research would be irreparably damaged?
Nonsense in the first place, and as it stands, perhaps
justifiably so, in the second! Remember that it is the UFO
compelling research and interest in same... not we small women
and men explicating in its regard. The moment our attention
starts to waver the UFOs provide, on their own, for another
Illinois, Stephenville, Iran, Phoenix, Rendlesham... well, I
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My heart goes out to Budd Hopkins, whose hull breach is
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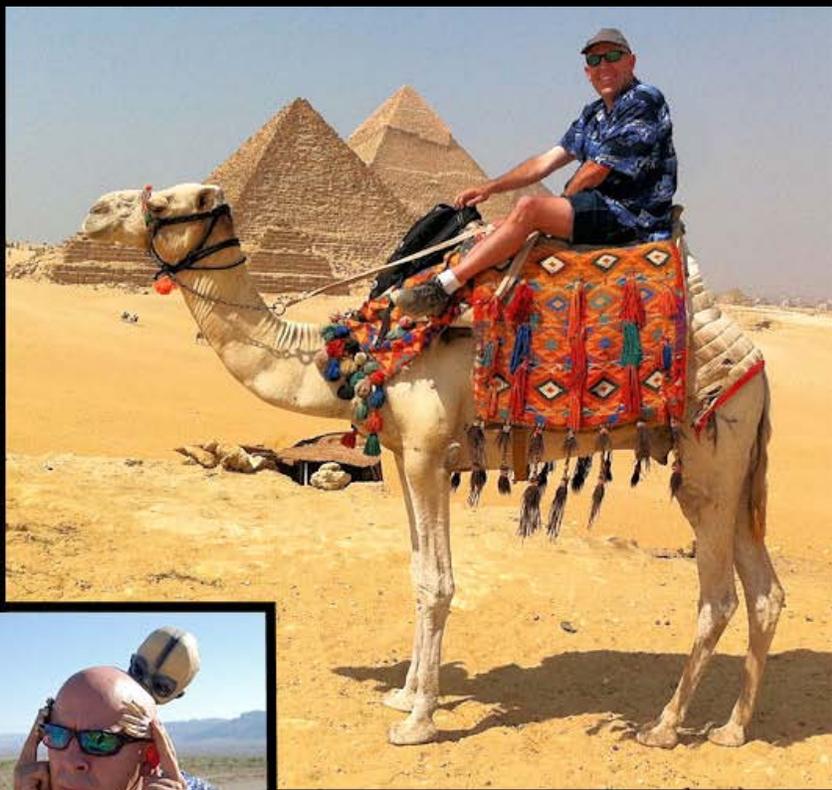
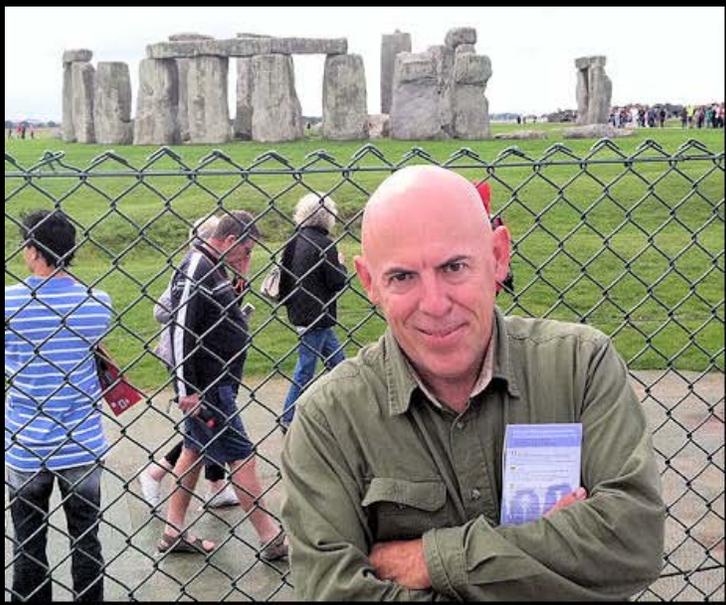
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