

CASE 41289

On July 13, 2012, at 10:15 pm, a mother was standing in her driveway on the north side of her house saying goodnight to her daughter, who was in the drivers seat of her minivan with her 4 year old son in the rear seat. Looking south from the minivan, the daughter could see the front of the house and the sky above, while the mother was facing north with her back to the house. The mother looked past her mom and saw something above the garage roof, stretching from the chimney on the house to a tree about 75 feet away. She stopped mid-sentence and said "Mom, what is that?"

The mother couldn't see the object from where she stood, so the daughter told her to run to the east corner of the house, where she first saw the object. The daughter quickly got out of the van and the two women ran around the east side of the house to the back yard. In that time, the object had moved 200 feet south from the mother's house and yard and could be seen behind a line of 100 feet tall trees moving slowly west to east. Both women described the object as huge, big enough to cover the 150 feet wide property, shaped like a lampshade or a cone with its top lopped off. It had a distinct outline and was brilliant white. The bottom of the object appeared to have a curved convex bulge to it, and there was a row of bright red lights along the lower edge of the object. The daughter saw the red lights "racing" in sequence, while the mother described them as "flashing." Both women described several rows of brilliant white lights ringing the sloping sides of the object, as brilliant as the lights in a stadium.

The craft made no noise as it moved slowly over the neighbors property to the east, then accelerated. By the time the women ran to a space between two trees to see where the object was going, it already seemed to be over Waukesha County. Then suddenly the red and white lights went out and the object disappeared into the night sky. The whole sighting lasted about 25 seconds.

The mother has three neighbors with houses within 500 feet, all well within sight of the object. But the neighbor to the east, whose house the object flew directly over, is elderly and goes to bed early. The house to the south is built into the hillside and doesn't have a single window looking north, so no one inside would have been able to view the object. The house to the west is down a steep, heavily wooded slope, so that neighbor would not have had a clear view of the object. In fact, the mother asked that neighbor if he had seen anything outside his house the night of the 13th, and she says that he said no.

The two women both made sketches of what they saw, and even though the daughter said that the mother's picture was not accurate, the two pictures are in fact nearly identical (see attachments). After the object disappeared, both women panicked, and voiced their fears that one or the other of them could have been "beamed aboard" the object. Both women felt that the object wanted them to see it, but didn't want them to see too much. They both felt that there was conscious control of the object and that it anticipated their thoughts and intentions, which led to the fear that they might be beamed aboard. Meanwhile, the 4 year old boy in the minivan was crying, because his mother was so scared.

There did not seem to be any physical effects to the grass or trees, but magnetic readings around the garage and back yard --where the object had been immediately overhead -- were odd. The needle did waver back and forth by about 30 degrees at times for no apparent reason.

Interestingly, the mother's husband, who was inside but did not see the object, and seemed somewhat skeptical, watches UFO shows on TV and suggested that the mother report the sighting to MUFON, which she did. The daughter did not want to report the sighting at all, but agreed to talk to me after I

had interviewed her mother.

