What about UFO's and ETI's?

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Close Encounters

First kind:

- •sighting or detecting a UFO
- •10,000,000+ cases

Second kind:

- physical effects, e.g. burn marks or other damage, from the UFO
- •1000+ cases

Third kind:

- •personal contact with UFO-nauts
- •2,000+ cases

Polls Indicate:

• One in every ten adult Americans has seen at least one UFO.

Famous UFO Witnesses

- Thutmose III, pharoah
- Christopher Columbus, explorer
- Andrew Jackson, president
- John Gilligan, state governor
- James McDivitt, astronaut
- Gordon Cooper, astronaut
- Jimmy Carter, president

Identifiable UFO's...

- fireballs
- Venus
- star clusters
- hoaxes and pranks
- top secret aircraft
- false images
- inversion layer reflections
- Earth lights
- aurora borealis
- phosphorescent dust on birds
- red or green flash
- ball lightning
- balloons

Why it's not ETI...

- heavenly body problem
- origin of life problem
- space travel problem

Evidence of Non-Physical Nature

- 1. At the same sighting, UFO may be seen but not photographed or photographed but not seen.
- 2. At the same sighting, UFO may be radar detected but not seen or seen but not radar detected.
- 3. No sonic boom has arisen from UFO movement; no evidence for air resistance.
- 4. Some UFOs project light beams of finite length.
- 5. UFOs frequently violate laws of physics, e.g. making right-angle turns, sudden stops and accelerations at 15,000 mph.
- 6. UFOs change shape, size, and color at random.

Evidence of Non-Physical Nature, continued

- 7. At the same sighting, a UFO may disappear and reappear or disintegrate and integrate.
- 8. No electromagnetic communication or control signals from UFOs have ever been intercepted.
- 9. There is no physical uniformity to UFOs.
- 10. No UFO artifact or crash debris has been recovered.
- 11. No high resolution photographs of UFOs have ever been obtained. At the same sighting, the resolution of a UFO image may change.
- 12. UFO-related electromagnetic phenomena are out of all proportion with electromagnetic forces verified.

Press Reports...

UFO reports now being published in the popular press recount alleged incidents that are strikingly similar to demonic possession and psychic phenomena.

Press Reports, continued...

Bizarre nature of UFOs "may be part of the whole plan! Perhaps there is a UFO fifth column ... to purposely mislead us."

-Drs. Allen Hynek, Jacques Vallee

Demonology is not just another crackpot-ology. It is the ancient and scholarly study of monsters and demons. ... Thousands of books have been written on the subject, many of them authored by educated clergymen, scientists, and scholars, and uncounted numbers of well documented demonic events are readily available to every researcher. The manifestations and occurrences described in this imposing literature are similar, if not entirely identical, to the UFO phenomenon itself.

-Lynn Catoe, Library of Congress

Evidence of Demonic Nature

- 1.UFO messages are identical to messages received by mediums and mystics:
 - promote racism, illicit sex, drug abuse, astrology, occult practices, etc.
 - deny deity of Jesus Christ, God's judgment,
 salvation through Christ, etc.
 - include many scientific and historical errors.

- 2. UFO contactees suffer the same physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual symptoms as victims of demonomania, e.g. voices in the mind.
- 3. Incidence of kidnapping, rape, murder, assault, and property damage is far higher among UFO-nauts than for the population at large.
- 4. Books dictated by UFO-nauts include content identical to books produced by "automatic writing."

- 5. Cars reported to be driven by UFO-nauts have unregistered license plates.
- 6. Both UFO and demonic phenomena are much more frequent in dim light than normal light.
- 7. UFO-nauts preach the "new age" (actually, the old occult) message: "We have within ourselves the power to achieve perfection without Jesus Christ."
- 8. Both UFOs and demons dazzle men with displays of miraculous power.

- 9. UFO-nauts and mediums predict the future with amazing but incomplete accuracy.
- 10. Noxious odors often accompany UFO events.
- 11. Abnormally high death, suicide, and insanity rates are noted for UFO contactees and researchers.

- 12. UFO-nauts are often featureless.
- 13. UFO and demonic contacts occur exclusively among people who have opened some door to the occult world.
- 14. Demonic theory for UFOs is the only exception to Guerin's law: "In UFO-logy any law is immediately violated by subsequent sightings."

Ten UFO Maxims

- 1. "There is no new thing under the sun"
- 2. Seeing is not believing.
- 3. Instruments can deceive.
- 4. Beware the printed word.
- 5. Records are incomplete.
- 6. Men make mysterious machines.
- 7. "Do you know the laws of the heavens?"
- 8. The odds against ETI are absurdly remote.
- 9. There is no physical evidence for UFOs.
- 10. Encounters with UFOs appear to be spiritual.