

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 3 Nov 68 4/0310Z	2. LOCATION Memphis, Tennessee (1 witness)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR EVALUTION
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION None Noted	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS SEE CASE FILE
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE None Noted	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM

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Memphis, Tennessee

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION (AFSC)
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REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TDET/UFO

16 February 1967

SUBJECT: UFO Observation 3 Nov 66

Mrs. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Memphis, Tennessee 38117

Reference your unidentified observation. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

JAMES C. MANATT, Colonel, USAF
Director of Technology and Subsystems

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FTD Form 164 w/envelope

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Memphis, Tenn

Dear Sir,

Until this afternoon, I thought I would not be able to get anyone to listen to me. My account of an experience that happened to me last night will probably be one of the many you have heard. Nevertheless, it is true, and I just have to tell someone.

I was sitting at the dining-room table. The front door was in my view. There are two, small, high windows on the door. Suddenly, a flash of light came through those windows. I knew it was much too high to have been car headlights, so I was curious. I opened the front door, and saw that just above the roof tops across the street on a side street, were two, large, bright lights. Around these lights was a ring of blue. At first I thought the blue was a haze from the lights. My mother-in-law and I were alone in the house. She told me they looked like out-door yard lights on top of a house. She wasn't at all curious about those lights, but I was. I got in my car and drove across the street to get a better view. All I saw was street lights. Suddenly there was such a tremendous roar, I rolled down my window and looked up. I just couldn't believe what I saw. So I got out of my car.

"space-craft" of some sort. I was so afraid because it was so strange, and its noise was very loud. I didn't see it from the front, or what I supposed would be the front, because it was flying right over me. It was so close I could have thrown a rock and hit it. It looked as if it were in a tilted position, and by the streetlight I could make out its color. It was a dark brown-rustic color. It was disc-shaped. There were no blue lights around the craft. On the top there was one blue light, and one flashing-red light. I could see nothing inside the craft there were no lights.

As I was standing there, watching it go away, my mother-in-law called to me from the house. I heard her, but I didn't take my eyes from the sky. At this time she noticed those two lights across the street were gone. They came out, and we both watched the craft go out of sight. It was going direct east. I brought my car back home and we both stood on the lawn because we could still hear the noise. As we looked up, it came back over the house and was going direct west. It was much higher when it returned, and my mother-in-law admitted that she couldn't tell the shape. Its red light was still flashing and I watched it go out of sight.

This happened between 10 and 10:15 last night. I came in and got my binoculars so that if

I three times, when I was in the house, I heard that same "motor-like" noise. I went outside and saw what I believe was the same object. All three times, the object was flying east.

That's all I have to say about what happened. I'm being laughed at by the newspapers and the television studio but I just had to let somebody know about this. I really don't care if they laugh, but I was in hopes that someone else in Memphis saw it. I'll probably never know.

Thank you, sir, for your time. I thought maybe you would be interested in its description. I just wish I knew what it was.

In hopes I see no more of them!

Mrs. [REDACTED]

P.S. I wrote to you because of the account in the Memphis Press-Scimitar by Mr. [REDACTED]. He came into contact with people from one of these "space ships." The UFO Center was mentioned. I wanted to tell you about my experience.