

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

2. LOCATION

24/00300

Norwalk, Ohio (1 Witness)

10. CONCLUSION

INSUFFICIENT DATA

4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS

One Bright Flame

Form 164 sent over 30 days ago and not returned as of this date.
If form is returned, sighting will be reevaluated.

5. DURATION OF OBSERVATION

Not Reported

11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS

SEE CASE

6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION

Ground-Visional

7. COURSE

Not Reported

8. PHOTOS

Yes
 No

9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

Yes
 No

FORM 10073-100 (10-61) Previous editions of this form may be used.

25 Aug. 1967

Dear Major Quintanilla,

Being a Air Force veteran (1952-1956) I heard several talks or open discussions on M.F.O.'s at the Air Bases where I was stationed. These were more of an overheard nature than anything else. I really never paid any attention to what I heard on the flight lines. I thought maybe like your articles have claimed in several magazine articles I have read. Some of the things heard were indeed frightening to say the least. How true they were I couldn't tell you. I hope they were not.

In the past few years I myself, along with members of my family have seen lights that seem be stationary in the sky and go out slowly like a light bulb. Sometime they reappear lower in the sky and much larger than 1st visual contact. Just Sunday evening
(20th of Aug)
8:30 P.M. again

at around 8:30 P.M. we saw what looked to be a small "star" in the Eastern sky, just north of Norwalk, Ohio on RT 250. We were in my auto at the time so I stopped to get a better view to see if it was a star since no other stars were present in the sky. This star-like object climbed slightly and slowly and then just went out. I got back in my car and proceeded south toward Norwalk, about 10 minutes later I and my father seen a very large (to) star like object over the tree line on the East direction of RT 250. Again I stopped my car, got out to look and be sure I wasn't looking at a windshield reflection. I wasn't, it was still there. It moved erratically, and slowly. It just plain went "out" and vanished completely. About 1 hr. later near Medina, Ohio we saw a brilliant object zoom overhead about the same color and size of the last Norwalk, Ohio sightings.

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a couple of other cars stopped along RT 250
 in Norwalk, Ohio and seen exactly the same
 object that we saw. I just can't go along
 with the swamp gas or planet in the sky
 answer. This brilliant object moved slowly and
 elatically before it simply vanished. The sighting
 in Norwalk and on RT 18 near Medina was
 about the size a small bead held at arms length.
 Brilliantly colored like a very large starlike
 quality I would say covered its brilliancy. I
 respect you and your job in the Air Force.
 The press hasn't been too kind to you to say
 the least. I have no bones to pick. I sincerely
 hope this letter may be of some help no
 matter how small it may be. I just wonder
 if anyone else has written you about this sighting
 near Norwalk or Medina at the time. If you
 have time I would like to hear from you. If
 not I will understand. Thank you



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akron, Ohio (44305)

Draft date

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WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO 45433



REPLY TO
ATTN OF TDET/UFO

AUG 29 1967

SUBJECT UFO Observation 20 Aug 67

TO:

[REDACTED]
Akron, Ohio 44305

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.

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

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FTD Form 164 w/envelope