

## Historical Sightings

### 1957 Project Blue Book Unknowns

- Japan, Okinawa, Kadena: Sept. 20, 1957, 8 pm. Witnesses: S/Sgt. H.T. O'Connor, S/Sgt. H.D. Bridgeman. One object, shaped like a coke bottle without the neck, translucent and fluorescent. Made four 5-10 second passes from north to south, with 4-5 minutes between passes.
- Italy, Milan: 7:30 pm. Witness: G.U. Donadio, translator for export-import firm. One object "big as a hen's egg" flew very fast, zigzagged, hovered and revolved, then shot up after 17 minutes.
- Mexico, Mexico City, Col[onia] Anahuac Secc: Dec. 13, 1957, 9:35 am. Witness: R.C. Cano. Fourteen-fifteen circular, tapered discs, very bright, flew in a formation "like a stack of coins," then changed to an inverted-V formation. Sighting lasted 20 minutes.
- USA, Colorado, near Grand Junction: Dec. 17, 1957, 7:20 pm. Witness: F.G. Hickman, 17. One round object changed from yellow to white to green to red; red tail was twice as long as the body. It stopped, started, backed up for 45 minutes.
- USA, Colorado, Longmont: July 27 or 29, early morning. Witness: J.L. Siverly. One thick disc, ice blue, with a top "like honeycomb" (interconnected hexagons), hovered and rocked below the hilltops for 10 minutes. Middle band was scalloped, bottom had four kidney-shaped forms.
- USA, Florida, Oldsmar: July 29, 1957, 11:45 am. Witness: E.E. Henkins. One pale yellow fireball glided into the water and exploded. Viewed for 1 minute.
- USA, Georgia, Robins AFB: Nov. 26, 1957, 10:07 am. Witnesses: three control tower operators, one weather observer and four others. One silver, cigar-shaped object suddenly vanished after 8 minutes.
- USA, Louisiana, New Orleans: Nov. 30, 1957, 2:11 pm. Witnesses: three U.S. Coast Guardsmen. One round object turned white, then gold, then separated into three parts and turned red. Sighting lasted 20 minutes.
- USA, New Mexico, Radium Springs: Nov. 6, 1957, 10:50 pm. Witnesses: one Las Cruces policeman, one Dona Ana County Deputy Sheriff. One round object, changing from red to green to blue to white, rose vertically from a mountain top. Sighting lasted 10 minutes.
- USA, New York, Long Island, Merrick: Nov. 8, 1957, 10:10 am. Witness: Mrs. L. Dinner. One bar-shaped object, 3.5' long, giving off blue flashes, made a swishing sound. No further data.
- USA, Ohio, Cleveland: July 29, 1957, 10:31 pm. Witnesses: Capital Airlines Capt. R.L. Stimley, First Officer F.J. Downing. One large, round, yellow-white object dimmed

once, crossed the bow of the airliner, which then gave chase but was unable to catch it. Sighting last 8 minutes.

- USA, Washington, Seattle: Oct. 8, 1957, 9:17 am. Witnesses: two U.S. Army sergeants. Two flat, round, white objects flew in trail formation along an irregular path, frequently banking during 25-30 seconds.

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