



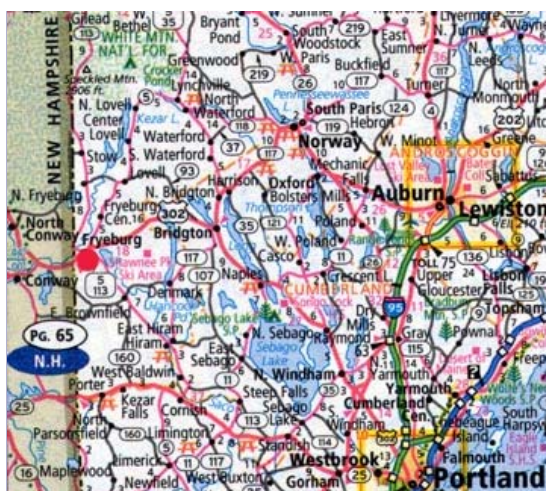
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## More Lights Like Stephenville, Texas, in Maine

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*“A man who is career military here is absolutely perplexed by the photos.” - Jonathan Spak, Fryeburg, Maine*

**October 12, 2009 Fryeburg, Maine** - Jonathan Spak, 37-years-old, was born and raised in Washington, Connecticut. After high school, he attended the Culinary Institute of America and graduated with a degree in culinary arts. After apprenticeship with a French chef, he and his wife opened up their own restaurant and inn two years ago in Fryeburg, Maine, near the New Hampshire border.



Close to the Conway, New Hampshire border is Fryeburg, Maine, a little south of the White Mountain National Forest and northwest of Portland, Maine.



White Mountain National Forest was also the location of the famous September 19, 1961, encounter between Betty and Barney Hill and non-human entities and their craft near Franconia Notch, New Hampshire. Illustration of aerial craft suddenly swooping in front of Hill's car by UFOCasebook. See **August 31, 2007 2-Part Earthfiles**.

Last year on September 18, 2008, Jonathan, his wife and neighbors walked into town for dinner. A couple of months earlier in July, there had been a fire that completely leveled a building at a major intersection in town. The four were looking at the resulting opened view when all saw a bright, white light shine on and off in the night sky.

“Then came a second and third white light shining on and off forming a triangle pattern in the sky. Very deliberate on and off, on and off, on and off in three points of a triangle,” Jonathan explained.

A week later on September 25, 2008, Jonathan Spak was walking to his compost pile and saw five more bright, white lights flash on and off, but that time the pattern was a straight line. To his amazement, later that same night, he saw the on-off flashes of light form

“another straight line of five dots.”

## September 21 and 25, 2009

A year later on Monday, September 21, 2009, Jonathan was walking home when he saw the same colorful, large, twinkling light in the sky he remembered from the year before. He ran in the house, grabbed his Canon Rebel digital camera and tripod, set them up outside facing northwest toward the sparkling light, turned off both auto focus and flash. He quickly took a couple of photographs and then had to get back to his inn for work. Here is one of those photographs.



Canon Rebel digital image, cropped, taken Monday, September 21, 2009, in Fryeburg, Maine. The anomalous, colorful, light is in the upper right corner. Parallel to it is the faint pink streak of a star trail in time exposure. Lower left is top of tree. Image © 2009 by Jonathan Spak.

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### Interview:

**Jonathan Spak, Chef and Inn Owner, Fryeburg, Maine:** “Later in that week on Wednesday night, September 23, we saw it again. And then on Friday night, September 25, was the second night I got the camera out and actually had more time because our restaurant was closed for the night. I set the camera up to take 10 sequential shots so I would not have to press the trigger button and jar the camera.

I went back into the house, came back five minutes later to set the camera to take 10 more sequential shots, but by that time, the light was gone.

SO THE LIGHT HAD DISAPPEARED FROM YOUR CAMERA FRAME WITHIN FIVE MINUTES?

Yes. In the time it took to open and close the shutter for 10 shots, the object was out of the viewfinder. I had to readjust the camera, refocus and try to take the picture, but then the object disappeared.



Friday, September 25, 2009, other Canon Rebel digital images of unusual, 3-dimensional, colorful structure, cropped. Paralleling the anomalous aerial object are the fainter lines of star tracks during the camera's time exposure. Image © 2009 by Jonathan Spak.

THE LIGHTS ARE 3-DIMENSIONAL. THEY HAVE OVERLAPPING PARTS. ALSO, YOU CAN SEE THE NORMAL STAR TRAILS IN YOUR TIME EXPOSURE.

Yes.

WHAT WAS THE LENGTH OF THE TIME EXPOSURE?

Just whatever the Automatic Exposure is. I'm not a professional photographer by any means and I preferred the automatic settings. I took the camera, put it on my tripod, put it on No Flash mode to turn the flash off, turned off auto focus, and clicked the shutter.

[ Editor's Note: Camera specs provided by Jonathan - "Make of the camera is Cannon EOS Rebel XSi, Shooting Mode - Flash Off, Shutter Speed - 20, Aperature Value - 5.6, Exposure Compensation - 0, ISO - 800. I was using my 300mm zoom lens all the way extended. Time lapse length in auto mode is only the duration of the previous picture. For example during a clearly lit sequence, the camera could potentially fire off 10 shots in a few seconds. This being a night shot, as soon as the previous picture was done, it went into the sequence of taking the next and I'm not sure how long that was." ]

WHAT COULD YOU SEE WITH YOUR NAKED EYE?,

I took astronomy in high school and know that planets are typically larger than stars, typically brighter and don't twinkle much. This looked like the larger planet size. It was a large object and you could definitely tell with the naked eye that in the twinkle there was a color change happening.

WHAT COLORS WERE YOU SEEING?

With the naked eye, you could see there was a green and orange and red and yellow – you could see there was a variance in the color as it was twinkling.

IT WAS WHITE AT FIRST AND THEN THE WHITE WAS CHANGED TO A DIFFERENT COLOR?

No, it seemed like there was one central light and there was colorful twinkling going on around it.

[ Editor's Note: Please see **2008 - 2009 Earthfiles Archived reports** below for Stephenville, Texas, and other unexplained light reports. ]

It was out again last night (October 10, 2009).

DID YOU TAKE MORE PHOTOS?

I did get some more pictures, but none of the colorful lines were showing in the pictures.

WHAT WOULD BE THE DIFFERENCE IN THE CAMERA SETTING?

I really couldn't guess. It was just as starry last night, just as clear and you could see it with the naked eye. Same exact color changing in the same exact area of the sky.

YOU WERE SEEING THE SPARKLING COLORS, BUT YOU DIDN'T GET THEM ON THE CAMERA'S DIGITAL FRAMES?

No. I think there were 27 photos I took from Monday and Friday (Sept. 21 and Sept. 25) that are my first pictures. The three I sent you were the three that were most notable (of colorful structure). There was a bunch where all you could see was the bright, white streak. Maybe I didn't catch it at the right time.

## Light Images Unexplained

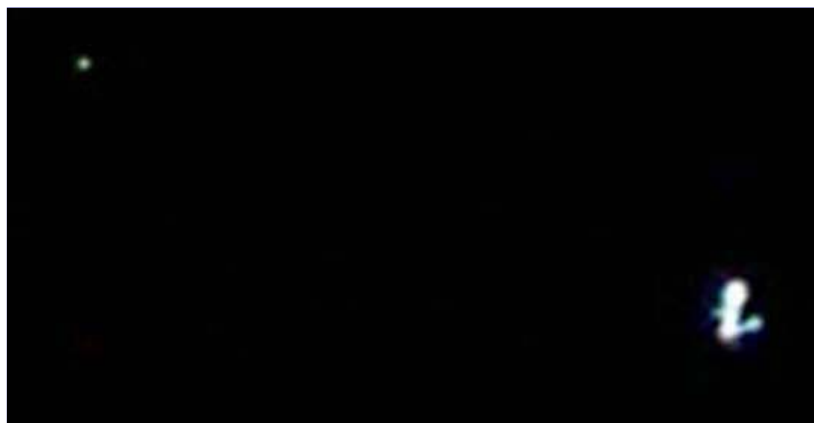
A man who is career military here is absolutely perplexed by the photos. He sent them off to somebody in the FAA and somebody in Washington, D. C. to ask them questions about what it could be. Haven't heard anything back from him yet.

I also sent the photos to the Mt. Washington Observatory, the highest point in the Northeast, to see if they knew anything. They are meteorologists, not astronomers, but the light shows up in that general direction. It's more northwest of Fryeburg. But they don't know either.

ANY JET OR HELICOPTER ACTIVITY AROUND LIGHTS?

Nothing close that I could hear - some plane lights far off in the distance."

Compare to December 10, 2008, 9 PM Pacific,  
Over Washoe Valley South of Reno, Nevada



Normal star in upper left corner with mysterious multiple colored object in lower right.



Normal stars in opposite corners with mysterious multiple-colored object changing patterns between. December 10, 2008, 9 PM Pacific, over Washoe Valley South of Reno, Nevada.  
Image © 2008 by Penny Rubsam. See **January 29, 2009 Earthfiles**.

Compare to February 14, 2009, 9 PM Central,  
Over Elmwood and Plum City, Wisconsin



Images of changing patterns produced by bright, unidentified aerial light taken on February 14, 2009, between 6 PM and about 9:30 PM to 10:00 PM Central by John Smith from his home between Elmwood and Plum City, Wisconsin, looking east.  
See: **February 27, 2009 Earthfiles**.

Compare to January 3, 2009, 7:22 PM Eastern,  
Over Empire, Ohio





Cropped digital image taken at 7:22 PM Eastern,  
January 3, 2009, Empire, Ohio. Image © 2009 by Robert Maxwell.  
See: **January 29, 2009 Earthfiles.**

## Compare to Indiana and Illinois Aerial Digital Video Images on April 5 and 16, 2008



**Left:** Kokomo, Indiana, one of series of aerial light photos courtesy  
of Dustin Cronkhite, taken between 10 to 11 PM Central, on April 16, 2008.  
**Right:** Flashing light photographed through telescope around 11:45 PM Central,  
in Oswego, Illinois, on Saturday, April 5, 2008. Image © 2008 by Gabrielle Johnson.  
See: **January 29, 2009 Earthfiles.**

## Compare to Stephenville, Texas, Aerial Digital Video Images on January 19, 2008





From his home in Stephenville, Texas, home, resident David Caron on January 19, 2008, used his JVC video camera to tape twelve minutes, beginning at 10:10 PM Central, near the Stephenville Clark Field Municipal Airport. He was on the front porch steadying his arm and camera against a post on the porch. You can hear the local road traffic steadily coming and going throughout the videotape. You also hear David Caron speak periodically with another person in the house. At one point, the two discuss that the pulsing multi-colored patterns in the sky look like "hieroglyphs." [ Hundreds of image patterns in several minutes of digital videotape in which the pattern is changing twice a second.]

See [David Caron original videotape of changing light patterns on January 19, 2008.](#)

### More Information:

For further information about similar 3-dimensional, structured, pulsing lights, please see **Earthfiles Archive** of 2008-2009 reports below. Also, for other information about evidence for a non-human intelligence interacting with Earth, please see my books *An Alien Harvest*; the 2-volume *Glimpses of Other Realities*; *Mysterious Lights and Crop Circles* and my documentaries *A Strange Harvest* and *Strange Harvests 1993* now available in DVD format in the **Earthfiles Shop**.

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- 02/27/2009 — More Strange Aerial Light Patterns - Now in Wisconsin
- 01/29/2009 — Part 1: More Mysterious Multi-Colored Aerial Light Patterns Over Reno, Nevada, and Now Over Empire, Ohio
- 01/29/2009 — Part 2: More Mysterious Multi-Colored Aerial Light Patterns Over Reno, Nevada, and Now Over Empire, Ohio
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- 10/31/2008 — Strange Lights Chased by Jets Again October 29, Over Stephenville, Texas, and Crystalline Triangle in Ohio
- 10/28/2008 — More Strange Aerial Lights Seen Over Stephenville and Dublin, Texas
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- 02/08/2008 — Law Officers Describe Unidentified Shape-Shifting Aerial Craft in Stephenville, Texas, Region

### White Mountains, New Hampshire

- 05/05/2009 — Part 7: High Strangeness Files about EBENs
- 03/20/2009 — Part 1: Unusual Animal Deaths from Half Cats to Mutilated Cows
- 08/31/2007 — Part 1: Betty and Barney Hill: Captured!
- 08/30/2007 — Part 1: Military Insiders Comment About Zeta Reticuli and EBENs
- 12/07/2005 — Zeta Reticuli I and II - Binary Home of Extraterrestrial Biological Entities?
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