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FORMER CIA DIRECTOR: UFOs ‘not a nonsense’

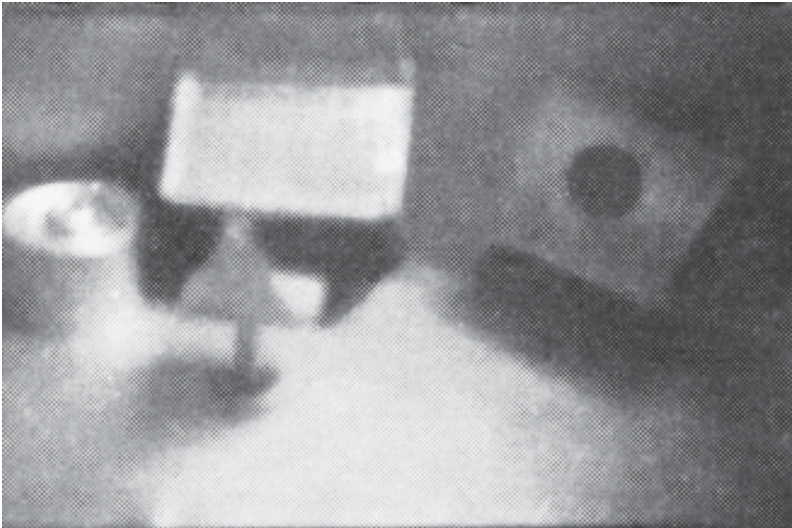
Amsterdam - UFO *contactees* have been deliberately defamed and derided since the 1950s, says Dutch researcher Gerard Aartsen in his latest book.

So, when a Dutch university lecturer dared to speak seriously about the UFO phenomenon in December 2011, he was duly trashed by his peers in the academe as a ‘UFO loonie’ and an ‘idiot’.

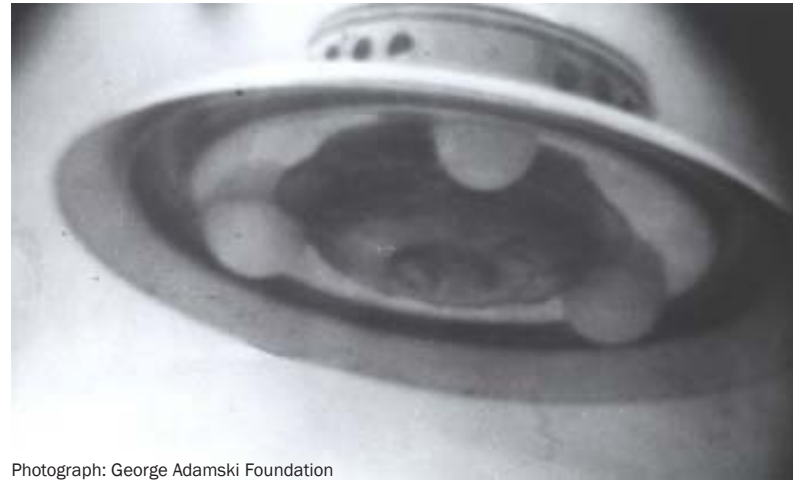
However, former CIA Director Roscoe H. Hillenkoetter already noted in the *New York Times* of 28 February 1960: “It is time for the truth to be brought out in open

Congressional hearings... through official secrecy and ridicule, many citizens are led to believe the unknown flying objects are nonsense.”

In 1963 Italian Consul Alberto Perego, too, wrote that contactees from the 1950s were “discredited in every way, and derided by our ‘scientists’...” He was referring mainly, but not only, to George Adamski



Control cabin of a flying saucer that landed near Francavilla, Italy, in October 1958. Source: Alberto Perego, 1958



Photograph: George Adamski Foundation

from California, USA, and Dino Kraspedon from Brazil who both, independently, witnessed the landing of a flying saucer and were contacted by one of its occupants, on 20 November 1952.

Aartsen says it is striking that the stories of contactees from the 1950s are increasingly confirmed by dignitaries and officials who consider the extraterrestrial presence an indisputable fact, such as astronauts, diplomats, army officials, professors and others.

In his book *Here to Help: UFOs and the Space Brothers* the author quotes Apollo astronaut Dr. Edgar Mitchell, former Minister of Defence and Deputy Prime Minister of Canada Paul Hellyer, former President of Kalmykia and FIDE President Kirsan Ilyumzhinov, Italian diplomat Alberto Perego, and many others.

From historical records, documentary evidence and eyewitness testimonies Aartsen shows that

the visitors from space are here to help humanity understand that we can only survive the current social, economic and ecological crises by creating a civilization that is based on justice and freedom for all.

***Here to Help: UFOs and the Space Brothers* is Gerard Aartsen’s second book. His first publication, a rehabilitation of George Adamski, is already available in English, Dutch and Japanese, while work on German and Spanish editions is in progress.**

- Dutch author’s book casts new light on UFO phenomenon
- Reveals sensational historical photographs
- Numerous dignitaries agree: ‘UFOs are real and here to help’



Extraterrestrial pilot. Source: Alberto Perego, 1963

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