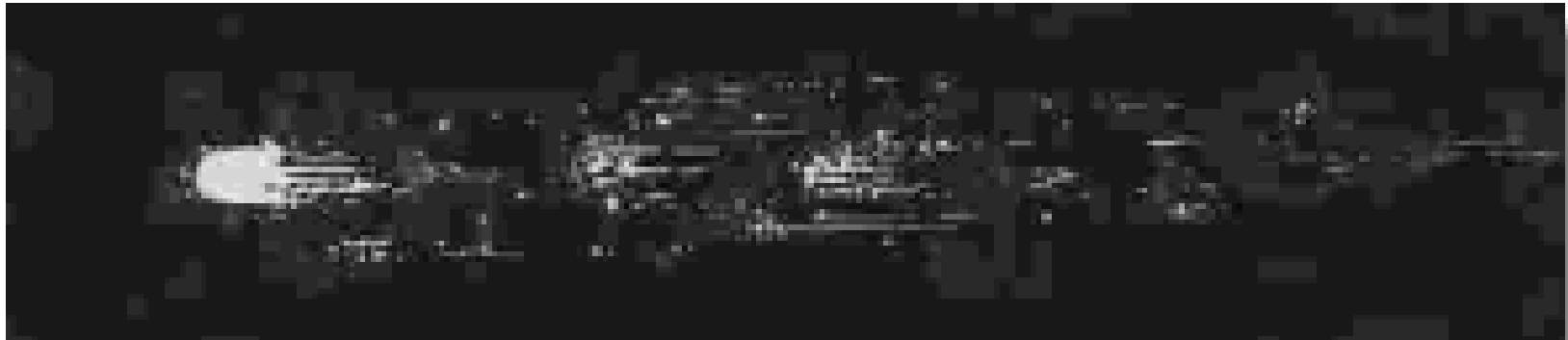


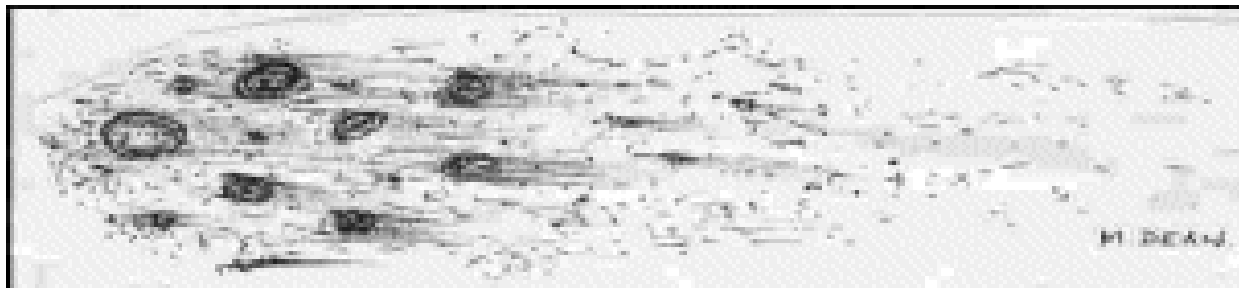
“Lights in the Sky - a UFO above the Bahamas”

1985 Jan 11

http://www.motygido.co.uk/bahamas_lights.htm



A fantastic stream of 'fireballs' and lights were seen across the northern Bahamas. Drawing made by Rod Attril, the author, on the back of an envelope as the lights were being observed.



This drawing by M. Dean is similar to Attril's observation

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“Structured object” reports



*Anne Parnell believes she saw
a metallic shape behind the lights.*

Anne Parnell

Attril: “Calculations made based on the arc of sky covered by the object, and its estimated height, placed its length at anything from around eight hundred feet - if it was at a height of two thousand feet, to a staggering half mile in length at five thousand feet. **Whatever it was it was certainly big!**”

Attril: “Most other accounts were similar, but some varied in a most interesting way. Patsy Saunders thought she saw **‘a huge shiny metal object with lights coming from the sides as if through windows,’** and Anne Parnell on the roof top patio above the Swank Club said it looked like **‘the body of a plane, with cabin lights shining.’** Judson Thompson of Village Road and Lionel Symonette of Highland Park independently shared their views. All felt they had seen **an actual shape with lights coming from it** rather than a series of apparently connected but random lights. ”

[Group Sighting of 400 Foot UFO in the Bahamas – 1985](#)

www.ufo-talk.com/

- *Account of event in January 1985, recounted in 2013 by wife of a retired pilot who was on his boat with friends and were the direct eyewitnesses.*
- Everyone turned toward the Ocean to see (very clearly) a 350' to 400' cigar shaped 'craft' hovering very quietly & still above the Sea.
- The whole ship had a pulsing 'glow' about it with a strip of what appeared to be windows that changed colors (not hard colors but soft glowing) in a pulsing way. I hate to even say this but they said they could see 'figures, moving' in the 'windows.'
- This Craft just sat there, no one had heard it arrive and since it was so huge they could not imagine how that was, as the night was very quiet.
- The Craft eventually lifted slowly, and then accelerated to what all I talked to said was 'Hypersonic Speed' Totally quiet! & disappeared.
- Several days later we sailed to Nassau & read in the paper that 'numerous Balls of lights' were seen by many and reported to the paper.
- **What my husband saw was not a ball of light but a clearly defined Craft.**

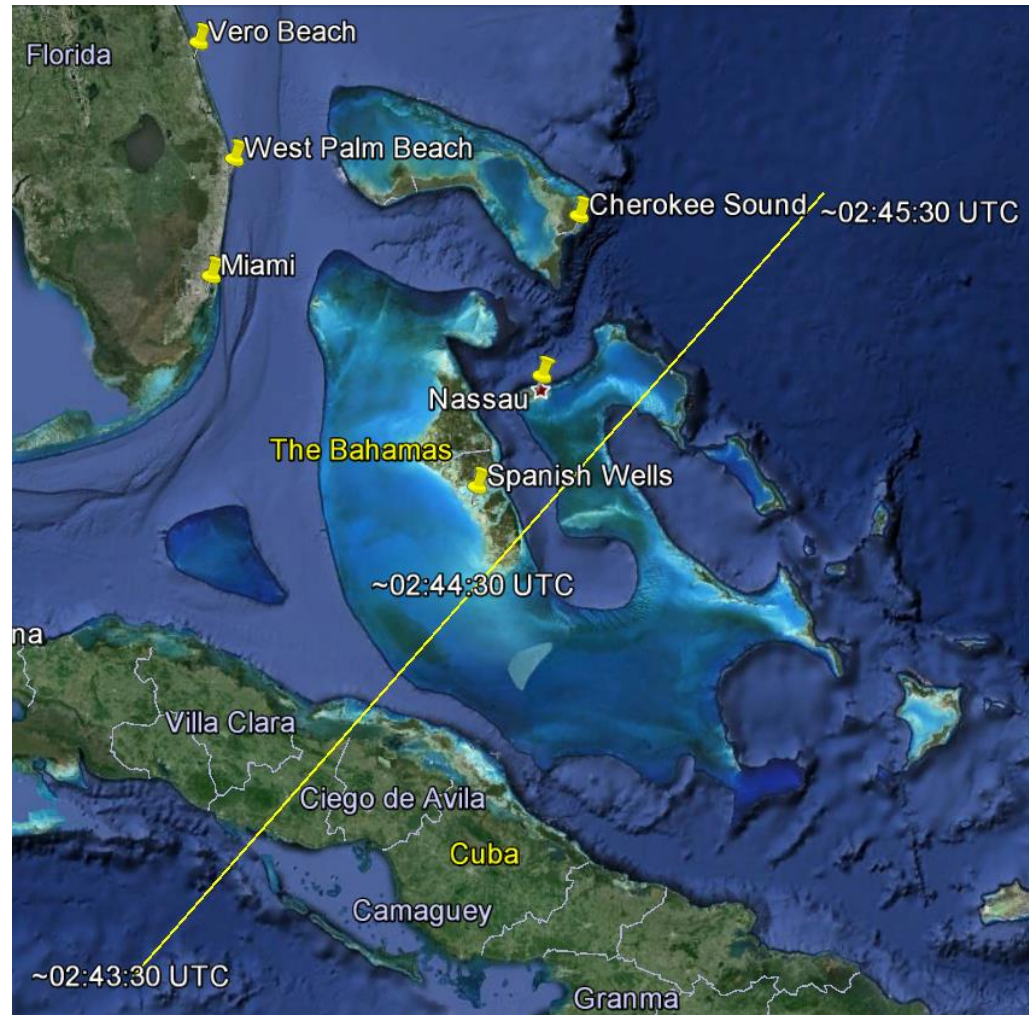
Kosmos-1465 rocket body reentry

http://articles.sun-sentinel.com/1985-01-11/features/8501010947_1_meteor-coast-guard-object

Stargazers Mystified As Object Crosses Sky [Miami 'Sun-Sentinel']

January 11, 1985 | By James H. Tolpin and Timothy Dodson, Staff Writers

- According to authorities along the So. Florida coast, more than two dozen people from the southern Bahamas to Vero Beach called shortly after 10 p.m. to report an orange-red object with a long tail.
- Mike Land, a Federal Aviation Administration employee in Vero Beach, said area callers sighted the object traveling north - south.
- An FAA supervisor in Miami said 2 callers told him the fiery object, traveling from west to east, crossed McNab Road in northern Broward County, headed out over the ocean and turned north.



Discussion

- Classic mix of reports of either a fireball swarm or a cigar shape with row of windows
- Many “felt they had seen **an actual shape with lights coming from it** rather than a series of apparently connected but random lights. ”
- One group of witnesses describe motion as remaining still and then zooming off
- Same group reported seeing humanoid figures behind the craft’s windows