

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 1st Monday, August 1957		2. LOCATION Jacksonville, Florida		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☐ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 530-600 pm GMT 2230Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not reported		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one		9. COURSE northeby	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Report of object in front of moon, letter to President requesting info as to what the object was.				11. COMMENTS Letters written in 1961 requesting information about a sighting in 1957. No ephimirus for 1957. Possible occultation. Report unreliable and information too meager for evaluation. Case considered as an unreliable rpt.	

RFD 5-Box [redacted]
Jacksonville 17th and
September 18 1961

Dear Miss [redacted] Previous filed in W. 4

I am happy to hear from the president and miss Lyndon, Will my daughter Barbara Elizabeth Kirkland in College School in Atlanta Ga. something I will like to tell the president and you and the whole world about it. I will call it the moon the moon does not look like the missile they are shooting it was across the moon when I was looking up at it. It was in my front yard on the street I was carrying out garbage can and I was so long up Bucky and I that I was looking up at it and I put my hand up at the moon and I said look at the moon and Bucky did and he say Oh my God what that thing did the moon so Bucky show it to his brother and his people from then to now and the call my girl Bucky while she was coming to the front of preacher son came in the morning to Beaven Street the boy or man now was the first to be in with the first people in manatta. The garage it was in the first Monday in August 1957 the thing was the same color as the moon the evening it was going north it was in 5:30 or 6 o'clock and when I got to the yard it was very little like a little ball same year I was to go barefoot the ground my foot and mother said my mind is not the same Miss [redacted] Kirkland

3 October 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY DIVISION, SAFLL

SUBJECT: Reply to Mrs. [REDACTED]

The following is a proposed draft of reply to Mr. [REDACTED]:

"The Office of the President has asked the Air Force to reply to your recent letter concerning unidentified flying objects.

"The Air Force, as part of its air defense role, is charged with the responsibility for the investigation and evaluation of unidentified flying object sightings.

"Your interest in telling us of the sighting you witnessed in 1957 is appreciated."

WILLIAM T. COLEMAN, JR.
Major, USAF
UFO Project Officer
Public Information Division
Office of Information

Aug 1957
1ST MONDAY

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9 October 1961

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Sincerely,

C. R. CARLSON
Colonel, USAF
Chief, Public Information Division
Office of Information

[REDACTED]
R.F.D. [REDACTED]
Jacksonville 5, Florida

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OFFICE OF INFORMATION
10 OCT 1961

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RFD 5 Box [redacted]
Jacksonville 3 Florida
October 12 1961

Dear Sir:

I am still trying to find out why
it was not in the moon when I first
look up at the moon. But the next time
I look up at the moon it was there. We
carry two 2 cans to B. Street that morning
when it just set there on the moon as long
as I look at the or it on the moon it did not
move and when I look at the Boy and talk
to the Boy and look back at the moon it
had move a foot across the moon and as
it then north it look like a round Ball
it was getting dark then. We was in back
of the house, if we could see it with my
eyes I can would it look like a do if there
was a telescope and where did it go if there
why all the planes fall I am not playing
wifery, just put in best on the outside
for last morning. I was at Mr. Herman's
ter house on 9th Street and between 7th and 5th
Street someone was flying a plane in
field in back of the house. It was a very big
plane and before I know what it was I
am going back to Marietta and it was said
tall as I can tall from the ground and it was about
about 5 feet and some about 2.00 p.m. and
some more

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Sincerely yours
Mrs. [REDACTED]



B. Street
Moon and
the thing, sold
yellow color a little red
the same color as the moon
like a light at it more north from
the moon, it was the same color
as the moon

House about
here