



Investigation Summary Report

Private Residence

Deville, LA

HISTORY

DATE: August 28, 2010

PARTICIPANTS: Tricia Grayson, Bess Maxwell, Kirk Cormier, John Combs

NOTE: The owners of this home have requested confidentiality. Some information may have been obscured to honor their request. Some of the history and specifics of the phenomena have been generalized and abbreviated. These changes in no way affect the data presented or the conclusions herein.

BACKGROUND

The clients, husband and wife, have lived in this home several years. The home sits on ground, in the exact spot as a prior building. Surviving trees and older photographs of this building indicate the home is on the same spot. In earlier years, it is possible that some individuals may have perished in this older building. The front of the current home was once a parsonage, and located on another spot. This parsonage was sold by the church to the current clients, who moved it onto its current location. It is normal procedure for former church property to be deconsecrated when sold. The back side of the current home was also another home move in and attached to the back of the former parsonage. So, extensive remodeling has taken place, both in the attachment process, and to the inside of the current home.

The initial activity as reported by the clients seemed to be that of a combination of activity reported as "normal haunting activity", and that which is often reported as, and attributed to, "demonic" type activity. This latter activity, by the clients admissions, seemed to have a negative effect on their lifestyle. This, in turn, led to a crisis situation. This crisis situation caused both clients to reevaluate their current conditions, and to make positive changes. These changes included having the home blessed. At this time, the activity perceived as "demonic" ceased, but that which is normally attributed as "normal haunting activity", did not stop.

Both clients seem to be curious and inquisitive of the reported phenomena. Both clients seem to be very cognitive individuals, and have made thorough notes and analysis of the reported

phenomena. This includes investigating events, including questioning each other for observations, thoughts, and possible natural causes. Also, others in the home at the time of phenomena have been interviewed for the possibility of human causes to these unusual events. These personal investigations have included attempts to naturally recreate the phenomena using objects in the immediate environment which might could have caused or contributed to an unknown or otherwise unexplained event. During my interview, these particular events and their investigations were gone over, and their efforts did seem quite thorough, well thought out, and complete.

The clients reported a large amount of general activity. Due to the smallness of the local community, and the clients' desire for privacy, these will be condensed and generalized. There have been shadow forms, cold spots, voices, household electrical devices turned off/on and interacted with, pets seeming to see/interact with persons or things not otherwise visible, water being turned on, and numerous events involving object displacement. The object displacement seems to be the largest area of activity, and involves objects moved inside the home, and some taken from the home to the outside areas. Although troubling when objects are lost, this activity does not seem to be malicious in nature.

EQUIPMENT: Infrared digital cameras and DVR systems, digital still cameras, various EMF meters including Tri-fields, various digital audio recorders, motion detectors, ion counters, digital thermometers, PEAR REG-1 units for the detection of anomalous human-type consciousness, with software and Hewlett-Packard computers.

INVESTIGATION

No anomalous motion, cold/hot spots, or anomalous still photos were noted. EMF fields were low and level. No EMF spikes were noted throughout the night in the areas tested, at the time of testing. Nothing was noted on digital video. No high positive ion counts were detected.

In the early evening hours, investigators Bess Maxwell and Tricia Grayson were in the master bedroom. The client (wife) had reported that, in some early morning hours, she had been awakened by the feeling that the bed was being shaken, or the sensation of an on-going vibration. At these times, her husband was at work, and no appliances, such as the washer or dryer, were running, which could have transferred vibrations through the wood floors of the pier and beam constructed home. Bess Maxwell was lying on the bed, as still as possible, trying to feel any type vibration or movement of the bed. Tricia Grayson was in the room, about 3 feet from the foot of the bed, but at this particular moment, observing Bess Maxwell through the mirror of the dresser. Tricia thought she saw an arm (shadow form) moving in an upward direction, consistent with someone picking up, or touching, an object from on the mattress of the bed. Just as she was asking Bess about the arm, the flashlight lying on the mattress, directly below where the arm was observed, came on without apparent human cause. The flashlight had been securely turned off, and specifically not set to come on with a slight touch or vibration, e.g., loosening the front or rear of the flashlight, in an attempt to communicate using the flashlight. All attempts to cause the light to subsequently come on without specifically being turned on were fruitless.

In relation to the perceived vibrations on and of the bed, it is noted that infrasound may cause even large objects to vibrate when struck, and in resonance, with these powerful, but silent wave forms. The areas of the home were searched for a possible cause of high intensity infrasound, and none was noted. This home is also not located near an industrial area where large equipment

could cause such sounds, which can carry over great distances. In the bedroom itself, testing did not yield any infrasound, at the time of testing.

Later, in the living room, investigators Bess Maxwell and Tricia Grayson were attempting to communicate using the audio digital recorders, in gathering EVP. Just as the air conditioning unit (central air) came on, a female voice was recorded, not otherwise heard, saying, "Turn that off NOW". The voice seemed agitated, or otherwise angry. No other EVP voices were recorded.

CONSCIOUSNESS DETECTION - PEAR REG-1 UNITS / SOFTWARE

This testing is passive in nature and designed to statistically detect by probability, the presence of the human consciousness affecting the REG-1 units by using the quantum tunneling method, when all incarnate consciousness has been removed from the area. The minimum reporting standard for this type study is $p < .05$, the industry standard for this type research. A total of 46 tests were run in all areas of the home. At the minimum reporting standard, we could expect to receive about 2.3 tests ($46 \times .05$) as false positives. Our mean score for the tests proved to be .014724. Therefore, using this to compute the number of expected false positives, would yield $.014724 \times 46$ tests, = .68 expected false positives, less than one false positive test.

The test results were as follows:

Laundry room 1	$z = 1.672$	$p < .047262$
Laundry room 3	$z = 2.401$	$p < .008175$
Laundry room 5	$z = 2.159$	$p < .015425$
Laundry room 6	$z = 2.534$	$p < .005638$
Master Bath 2	$z = 2.437$	$p < .007405$
Living Room A	$z = 2.091$	$p < .018264$
Living Room B	$z = 1.948$	$p < .025707$

The statistical probability that all 7 tests were false positives, and not indicative of the presence of an anomalous consciousness reacting through quantum tunneling, is:

$$P < .00000000000116821$$

This constitutes twelve zeros to the right of the decimal point, before a significant digit is encountered.

It is also noted that this was our first visit to this home. If there is a presence in a home, it can sometimes not wish to interact with unknown individuals. This is supported by the fact that the laundry room, in the very rear corner of the home, tested passively with 4 of the 7 positive tests. The master bathroom is also an isolated area. The living room, an area of high activity, did show 2 tests, back to back, but only very late in the investigation. Additional testing and research may lead to an increase in results to gather data.

The flashlight incident and the one EVP, although small in data quantity, do contain strong evidence of an anomalous presence. This is further supported by the 1 in a trillion probability of an anomalous consciousness not being present at the time of testing. From the client interview data, our experience, and reports of thousands of similar incidents over recorded history, we feel that this presence is not of malicious intent. Similar cases bear credence to the theory that

these presences seem to crave attention, and that the less attention they perceive, they more activity is generated to garner such attention.

We at La. Spirits would like to thank the clients for their gracious hospitality, and to compliment them on the thoroughness of their research efforts. We hope that we may be able to visit again soon, and ask the clients keep in touch regarding any on-going activity, as well as any questions or concerns that they may have.

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