

HUMAN CONSCIOUSNESS, HUMAN FORM AND THE VOID:  
OBSERVED ALTERNATING STATES OF BEING IN 1990

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ABSTRACT

In 1990 the author had completed some electrical tests on an odd combination of materials when the anomaly detailed in this paper began; one which lasted several days. He became locked into two distinct alternating states of consciousness and being. In one, the longest duration, everything except his perception of time seemed normal. In the other, of much shorter duration, he became invisible to his wife and experienced what he describes as, " My awareness then was of a void, a nothingness, being perceived by a sensory detached remnant of consciousness, an Observer, which seemed inseparable from this void."

INTRODUCTION

This is the first public report of what was accidentally discovered over eight years ago. Writing about this was delayed until now for reasons which are now resolved. It is by no means certain the exact circumstances which likely induced this anomaly then can be replicated now to yield the same results. I have yet to try this for several reasons but will soon and report the results; in an addendum here if done in time.

One reason I delayed reporting this was my concern that some people who read about this (ones I don't care to know) will for their reasons (ones I don't care about) decide some refined versions of this discovery (ones I don't care to help them develop) might be used by them for purposes (ones I don't even want to know about) resulting in outcomes I don't want any part of. Just recently I realized this is not a possibility due to the nature of this phenomena. And, that any persons who try tinkering with this with less than admirable intentions will encounter more than they can imagine resulting in being dissuaded from continuing unless their intentions change.

THE ANOMALY

(Details of the tests and test conditions mentioned will be found further into this paper.)

One very early morning in early April of 1990 while in my bedroom-turned-into-my-lab in a small concrete block-house way out in the country in upstate South Carolina, I was sitting

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back from my lab bench looking over some notes when I first noticed something odd. I was being distracted by my head stopping-up then unstopping, over and over, like cold or flu symptoms only much stronger. I was considering the likely causes of this when I glanced at the lab bench clock. It showed 3:12 AM. "No wonder I'm feeling odd," I thought. "I'm spaced out from fatigue. Long past time to get to bed to let some sleep clear this up."

Just then my head stopped-up then unstopped. I idly glanced back at the clock which now showed 3:20. "Must have read it wrong," I thought. I looked around my bench to see what needed turning off then back at the clock which now showed 2:52. "No, no, I'm not that tired," I thought. I fixed my sleepy eyed gaze on the clock face. As I watched, the hands jerked to one time, stayed put a moment then jerked to another time, stayed put a moment then- - - over and over and over within about a half-hour window. "Oops!"

Wide awake now I checked the other five clocks in the house. ALL were acting the same. Back in the lab I shut off all the equipment and disconnected the "device" being tested; a simple if odd combination of materials. The cycles of stopping-up and unstopping continued. I continued checking all the clocks for any settling down; none were. At some point I caught my wife leaving the bathroom and had her look me over, disrobed, for any oddities. I stood in front of the kitchen wall with the pots and pans hanging from it. The following is a reconstructed account of her observations.

SHE: "You're flickering." ME: "Flickering? What do you mean, flickering?" SHE: "You're here then you flicker out to not here then you flicker back to here again- - -over and over." ME: "When I'm not here can you see the pots and pans behind me?" SHE: "Yes and listen to me! If you flicker out and stay gone and don't take me with you, I'll hate you forever!"

In later conversations about this my wife, Jay, would have this to add, "It was awesome! Like the transporter on Star Trek." When I asked, "Was there the twinkling before and after like the transporter?" she would always say, "Yes, definitely. It was awesome!" When asked, "Did my clothes go with me?" she always said, "Yes, definitely." (The most recent conversation about this was June 16, 1998.)

That early morning I had Jay follow me around the house to check out the clocks and other things. The clocks ALL acted normally for her. There were no other effects either of us could find; not even in my lab close to the equipment.

#### INSIDE THE ANOMALY

The longest of the two states of being was the "here" which seemed normal except for clock time jumpings. Initially, the durations in this state were about thirty seconds to one or two minutes before "flickering" out. Over the several days these durations got longer until eventually overriding the other state; with clock times also progressively settling down to normal.

Initially, the "other" state lasted for (from my wife's observations) about five to ten seconds. From the inside, because of its nature, it seemed much longer. My awareness then was of a void, a nothingness, being perceived by a sensory detached remnant of consciousness, an Observer, which seemed inseparable from this void. There were no usual human impressions or emotions while in this void. My sense was the Observer was incapable of bringing these along and, even if it could, there was nothing there for these to respond to.

In this state there were NO human senses. No hearing, no touch, no smell, no eyesight, no taste and no sense of a distinct human form, no body. Also no sense of loneliness since there was no sense of any others from which to feel isolated; a necessary condition for loneliness. There was a sense that the void, the nothingness, with which the body and awareness seemed merged, was pure unmanifested potential to become anything at all the Observer directed it to. But, only so within whatever dynamics ruled. None of which were made clear during these short forays; but perhaps might be with many more visits. These are planned, so we'll see.

#### REFLECTIONS AND SPECULATIONS

There has been a great deal written which might provide some clues to what I experienced that early April morning. Some of this is referenced in the bibliography.

In particular, Bentov presents a simple and easy for anyone to experience "experiment with time" during which the second hand on an observed clock will "freeze" its forward motion. (1. P.42-57) Throughout his book, Bearden discusses "time reversed wave" phenomena created by human engineering. (10) In a recent article, Bearden discusses the varying "time dynamics" of EM waves. (11) Callahan has gathered experimental evidence for time as a constantly varying sine-wave. (13. esp. P. 184-191)

In some of my reported experiments; really accidental discoveries later turned into experiments; I have encountered several oddities (15,16) some of which have been determined

to rely on subtle planetary and other cosmic alignments. (17-26) The implications of these determinations are one reason I stated in the INTRODUCTION that it is by no means certain the "exact circumstances- - -can be replicated now to yield the same results." I think they can but only continued experimentation will tell.

It has long been recognized by scientists involved in "leading edge" research, especially that dealing with high-energy particle physics, that established scientific "laws" are regularly disobeyed. (1,8,9) It has been known for much, much longer by those considered to be Mystics (scientists of another kind?) that "mind" is inseparable from all else "that is" and can, with practice, be used to achieve some startling feats. (2-7)

Over the last eight years I have related my accidental discovery to others who have kindly given me their thoughts on what was there. Some think the "there" place was the fourth (time) dimension into which I might get "stuck" if not careful. One thought I had visited Nirvana. Several suggested I was in a corridor of cancelled energies between dimensions. One saw the "there" place as a lower-level state of altered consciousness which practiced Mystics regularly transcend. One said I was at the very level of creation where I could set my intention to manifest anything desired.

This last suggestion, being at the level of creation, comes closest to what I sensed was the case. I did not consciously try to set any kind of intention either during or in between these states of being. Likely there was one unconscious intent though; that to return to the here and now in more or less the same condition. Which I did periodically then (except for clock time jumpings) and have permanently since; as far as I know.

Except for my becoming invisible to my wife, all the rest of this might be dismissed as so much temporary bizarreness or physiologically explainable series of seizures. I did have early childhood epilepsy with full blown seizures which abated, as is often the case, during puberty and has not since recurred. As far as I know, I did not become invisible during any of these childhood seizures. If I had, I'm sure my mother would have noticed and commented. And, although subjective, there were the BIdirectional time jumpings which cannot be explained as simple periods of black-outs during seizures.

As interesting and suggestive of untapped potentials as all this may be, it is moot unless the results obtained then can be reliably replicated now and in the future. And moot unless only the essential elements, materials and test conditions, can be isolated for future developing. Quite a lot to do!

Certainly much more than I can do alone. However, it does seem logical, since I was the one to discover this initially and since there may be some unique-to-me dynamics involved, that I be the test subject for preliminary definitive testings.

Informal arrangements with friends are now being made to begin this process of initial testings (late July, 1998). All will be videotaped and whatever measuring instruments can be obtained will be so there will be at least some documentation. All this testing will be done in my familiar surroundings with at least one trusted friend with me at all times to care for me should this become necessary. It was necessary the first time.

In the next section, as much about the original conditions and materials used as I can think of is provided along with some drawings and dimensions. Likely, much of this is unnecessarily detailed but which is what is not yet known and will only become so through an elaborate process of elimination; trial and error. The results of these testings will be reported separately with some of it in an addendum here if completed in time.

I think there are enough details included for others to begin their own testings, if so inclined. I strongly recommend any doing this use the same precautions I will; have someone they trust around at all times just in case. And, please, share your results with the rest of us. Please don't JUST dump it all onto the Internet but write it up and have it published so those of us who are Internet "challenged" will have the full benefits of your findings.

#### TEST CONDITIONS, DETAILED DRAWINGS AND BACKGROUND BACKGROUND:

The tests which were being conducted prior to the onset of the anomaly were what I considered routine ones intended to learn as much as I could about the odd combination of materials I had put together forming what can be called a "device." This device was to be at the core of a much more elaborate one, one with many more materials, I hoped would be refined into some version capable of using some aspects of gravity for universe-wide communications and maybe even more. A pretty ambitious undertaking with no guarantees of success.

I had learned of the decades long work of a hands-on (not just theoretical) researcher, Gregory Hodowanec, who had evidence from his experiments that gravity is the basic stuff of the universe from which all else is formed. (27,28) He had recorded evidence for what he called the "gravity shadow" preceding the EM (electromagnetic) optical shadow by some 8.3 minutes during several solar eclipses. Evidence which

supported his claims that gravity, what he calls GW (Gravity-Waves), is an essentially instantaneous conveyor of action-forces universe-wide. Essentially instantaneous whether spanning a micrometer or the entire breadth of the universe! (The 8.3 minutes is about how long it took the light-speed bounded EM optical waves to reach the earth. So the essentially instantaneous nature of GW propagations WAS apparent across the nearly 93 million miles from Sun to Earth.)

The core device, the one being tested, was put together using materials thought to have the attributes needed to "modulate;" to cause to vary according to some imposed electrical patterns; ever-present, universe-spanning, straight-line, GW action-forces. In a way, like tweeking a taut string. The attributes within the selected materials were: 1) a mechanical-stress sensitive electrical charge storage medium ("Aquasonic" gel); 2) a way of stressing this medium according to some intelligent electrical patterning (Two "Piezo" elements); 3) a way of transferring the created stressings to an EM sensitive medium (iron particles suspended in the Aquasonic gel, and 4) a way to physically and electrically connect it all (Aquasonic gel).

The tests which were being conducted were but the beginning of many, many more envisioned tests; necessary just to see what might be possible; with other identical devices needed at some testing points. But, as is often enough the case in my experimentation, something more than what was being sought was accidentally discovered; something demanding attention.

#### TEST EQUIPMENT: (see drawings)

FG: Function Generator, Elenco Model GFG-8016G <1HZ>2MHZ, Sine, Triangle and Square Wave, >20V.P-P Max. unloaded output. Internal Frequency-counter, 1HZ-10MHZ.

SG: Signal Generator, Lafayette Model 99-5015, 120KHZ-38MHZ (36-260MHZ on harmonics), Sine Wave, >1V.P-P 120KHZ-25MHZ.

LCR: Inductance/Capacitance/Resistance Bridge, Heathkit Model 1B-5281, 1KHZ operating frequency.

OS: Oscilloscope, Tenma Model 72-320, Dual Trace, DC>20MHZ, 5MV-20V P-P/CM, X1 Probe (1Mohm, 22pf) used for all tests.

VOM: Volt-Ohm-Meter, Simpson Model 260.

VTVM: Vacuum Tube Voltmeter, Hewlett-Packard Model 310B, DC>500MHZ, 3MV-300V RMS. (calibrated against a Weston Standard Cell)

PUC: Pick Up Coil, 1HY, #30 AWG enamel wire scramble wound on 3/8" diameter 4 1/2" long Ferrite rod. SRF (Self Resonant Frequency)= 4.82KHZ. (author constructed)

PS: Power Supply, adjustable 1.3-20 VDC, regulated, >1A maximum output. (author constructed)

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