

Fátima Revisited - Book and Vatican Coincidence

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On a recent edition of Exopolitics Radio, Alfred Webre showed once more his ability to spot patterns few other do by pointing out that the recent Vatican announcement on ET life just happened to be released on the Fatima anniversary which appears to have been the first documented UFO event of the modern era. You can hear his discussion in full here or streamed below.

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Now, in a newly published book entitled *Fátima Revisited: The Apparition Phenomenon in Ufology, Psychology and Science* (Anomalist Books, 2008), an international panel of leading scholars subjects the legendary apparitions to the scrutiny of modern scientific analysis; explores the connections between contact with apparitions, angels, and aliens; and proposes a new paradigm for such unexplained phenomena.

This is the third volume of the acclaimed *Fátima Trilogy*, which includes the definitive histories of the Fátima case entitled *Heavenly Lights* (Anomalist Books, 2007) and *Celestial Secrets* (Anomalist Books, 2007). The *Fátima Trilogy* grew from an exchange of emails between a Portuguese researcher and an American journalist into a multidisciplinary collaboration involving 35 individuals from 10 countries.

ANDREW D. BASIAGO, who led efforts in the U.S. to bring the trilogy into English, observed:
"In The Fátima Trilogy, the Fátima Incident of 1917 is forever redened, from the most famous religious event of the 20th century to its rst major close encounter case."

The papers gathered in this volume have appeared in both peer-reviewed journals and original works inspired by the intense and productive process of "brainstorming" about the "visionary" phenomena of Fátima in 1917 that has taken place under the aegis of the Multicultural Apparitions Research International Academic Network (Project MARIAN), which is coordinated by the Center for Transdisciplinary Studies in Consciousness (CTEC) at the University Fernando Pessoa, in Porto, Portugal. This international project seeks to create a forum in which the great mysteries of human existence might be solved.

This groundbreaking anthology was compiled by Portuguese researchers FERNANDO FERNANDES, JOAQUIM FERNANDES and RAUL BERENGUEL, and edited and translated by American writers ANDREW D. BASIAGO and EVA M. THOMPSON.Press

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MEESEN, the Brazilian psychotherapist GILDA MOURA, and the Canadian neuroscientist
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Fátima Revisited includes essays by WILLIAM J. BIRNES, the host of UFO Hunters on The
History Channel, and RALPH STEINER, the award-winning investigative journalist.

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