Nov.4, 1975

Description:

On Nov. 4, 1975, at 9 PM, during the first clear night in many days, while watching stars on my back terrace, together with my next-door neighbor who wanted to see a UFO himself, at 9PM, two bright, fuzzy edged, white lights came into our line of vision travelling relatively fast and parallel to each other. Each somewhat elliptical circle had a thin layer of a slightly transparent light around its fuzzy perimeter, a small black center, and a sliver of a well-defined white dome outside most of its right side. I recognized them immediately and pointed them out to him. Cassiopeia was to their left side, Pleides to their right side, and Mars on their far right side.

As they flew across the broad sky, one light at times curved slightly closer to and then further away from the other light, while the other flew uniformly straight. When they reached the zenith above us, I had to turn my shoulder and body to continue to see, and lost sight of them after that. But my neighbor who'd been facing that way said, "They're still there". Then they disappeared in the distance.

The neighbor's following description was, "They were moving in completely straight lines, two of them, white or pinkish, very fast."

Total time 2 and 1/4 seconds.

Pre-conditions:

I'd been wondering about their construction, their movements' physics, and their technology. I'd been almost expecting to see them that night, because it was so clear. The tv had announced that Mars would be most visible around 9 PM, and I was impressed at the UFOs' exact timing.

Subjective after-thoughts:

The sighting was relatively vague because we were emotionally excited, and he was at first talking during it. I realize that a less experienced viewer would not note the same or as many details. I was glad to have a witness seeing the objects with me, and relieved that local people might then stop seeing me as a hallucinating UFO-nut. That made up for the UFOs' movements being not very strange.