

Assessment

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The Essentials of the Greer Proposal

- 1) Disclosure of the reports of defense/security investigations of the UFO phenomena since the 1950s reveal that Extra Terrestrials [ETs] are a source of many of these events.
- 2) ETs are harmless.
- 3) ETs are here to help humans advance their state of consciousness and civilization.
- 4) ETs can be contacted by humans and share a productive, communicative relationship with humans if humans move into a unified [universal] state of mind and invite ETs to connect with them in this state of consciousness.
- 5) A pervasive Defense/Security State exists in the U.S. and worldwide that suppresses information about the ET phenomena being made available to the public.
- 6) This Security State group is promoted and controlled by an elite of powerful corporate and political entities with vested interests in the status quo.
- 7) Humans can independently come together and overcome the negative influence of this cabal [threat based concept of ETs] if they join in meditative groups all around the world and invite ETs to engage humanity peacefully.
- 8) 1% of the world's population engaged in such outreach as individuals and in groups can overcome the negative situation and transform societies.
- 9) Concerned humans need to gather in groups, commit to this goal and do the work to invite ETs "in." A Protocol has been developed to assist groups to do this work – meditate and attract ETs to connect and develop a positive relationship.

Evaluation of the Greer Proposal

Is what Greer is proposing an ET religion?

The proposal has many of the features of a religion including:

- a) There is a dedicated leader/prophet – Greer and other organized promoters/disciples.
- b) There is a commitment to non-human, "spirit like" entities – ETs that are held to be of a different dimension of reality.
- c) Humans can contact these ETs, and these entities will function as exclusively positive agents offering humans a path to achieve a peaceful and advanced future. This is the positive offering that gods are held to make.
- d) ETs are of a different dimension of reality, but they can be contacted through individual and group ritualized activities [meditation/prayer and Protocol

defined group meditation/religious services]. These activities promote a non-rational state of mind [meditative or religious state of consciousness] in which humans can evoke these ET entities to manifest and provide positive guidance for humans. This is comparable to religious ritual to invoke the gods.

Are ETs just replacements for the beneficent gods of standard religions?

Is there any more evidence for ETs than there is for gods? Maybe; this is a key question – addressed again below.

Related and Additional Questions:

- 1) Is there any evidence for the claimed exclusive positive intentions of ETs with regard to humans? Not all reported contact experiences are positive.
- 2) If ETs have exclusively positive intentions for humanity and are so advanced in their capabilities, why have they hung around for at least thousands of years waiting for humans to recognize their importance and invite them in? Such attributed power, but such passivity! Surely such advanced ETs could just instantly transform humans into whatever state of consciousness they liked.
- 3) Is it a sign of paranoia to believe – as Greer does – that a “Deep State” kind of situation exists that is hiding the facts of ET encounters with humans from the public worldwide? This to the point where even major members of Congress and the President and Vice President are held to not have access to the full information? What is the evidence for the existence of this colluding, exclusive set of security agencies nationally and internationally?
- 4) Are ETs the manifestations of collective human thought under the conditions of an alternative state of mind – unification, “Wherever two are gathered together in My name, ask and it shall be given.” Are ETs just PK manifestations?
- 5) Isn't there a conflict between seeking the unification of self with all of reality in which all separation, time, space and causality disappear and the claim of separate ET entities in this unified reality with functions separate from humans but potentially causal for humans?
- 6) Are UFO phenomena necessarily evidence of ETs? We know that many reported UFOs are in fact uncommon atmospheric or electromagnetic events, or observations of secret experimental aerial phenomena. ETs provide UFO phenomena with the cover of cause and intention. What is the actual evidence for this attribution? Or does this qualify as an assumption in Greer's proposal?

Overall Assessment

A lot depends on corroborating material evidence to support Greer's assertions, and the comparable assertions of other UFOlogists!! Much has been claimed that this evidence exists in the form of the material remains of both crashed ET craft and “bodies,” as well as much better visual evidence. What is the “evidence” for these evidence based claims? Clouding this picture are the additional claims of ET like entities being “created” multiple times for nefarious

purposes by those protecting access to the evidence. Without independent examination and confirmation of this material evidence the claims of such are not scientifically credible.

A full report summarizing all of the UFO/ET information in the various security and defense agencies of the U.S. government is supposed to be made available by June, 2021. Six months after this date, there seems to be no such report. And the expectations are that if such a report does appear, it will be heavily redacted with whole sections requiring the highest level of security clearance – even beyond that of the highest elected political representatives of the public. If this is the case, continued hiding is facilitated, and this situation ends up lending support to all kinds of UFO related proposals, including Greer's.

Instead of ritualizing the UFO/ET phenomena and promoting an indirect way to seek both disclosure of the related information and potential contact benefits, it seems more productive for the public to gather together and insist that all available information be made public. Then, if that information truly substantiates the existence of ETs, the pursuit of peaceful contact with these ETs becomes justified. And that contact can be achieved through whatever means are possible – universal consciousness or the full electromagnetic spectrum of energy, which pervades all of reality. Whatever ETs are, if they are real and manifest in material reality, they participate in the energy spectrum and must be approachable in that domain. Universal consciousness may be real, but it is certainly not the first means of communication to be explored! So, for many reasons jumping on Greer's universal consciousness, worldwide bandwagon does not seem justified at the present time.