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Mr RB and his wife were in bed talking, when their attention was suddenly draws to an object moving across the window. RB immediately lept up out of bed and ran to the curtains. Here he saw the "sight of my life".

There was a dome on top of a quidt, pale bluish light. It had a sheen effect that was similar to glass. Indeed the image that immediately spring to his mind

was that of a crystal ball. The bodywork beneath this was akin to an upturned dinner plate. It was coloured a deep yellowy orange, similar he says to the way the indicator lights on 1940 cars were. On the outer rim of the object there was a very slim vapour trail, or white light. The colours seemed to blend together in a surprisingly nice way. In size it looked to be very large indeed.



The object moved in a straight line towards a hill between Accrington and Oswaldtwistle. As it did so he noticed that it was banked a little, giving the overall impression of a majestic fried egg! It diminished in size as one would except as it approached the horizon on its smooth flight.

However, this was not the end of the sighting, for it returned in the opposite direction. It came about a quarter of the distance back towards him and them banked away in the opposite direction, heading out of sight above the viaduct that is a prominent feature of the Acorington skyline. The sighting had lasted several minutes.

The next day RB went to the town centre to mert his brother, but was a little early. So he engaged in conversation with a man, who told him "you should have been here last night". This man had been sitting in the tewn centre between 23.24 and 23,26, eating fish and chips with his wife, when they had seem a brilliant bluish light moving silently across the sky. RB regards this as Confirmation of his own experience, after which he became interested in UFOs.