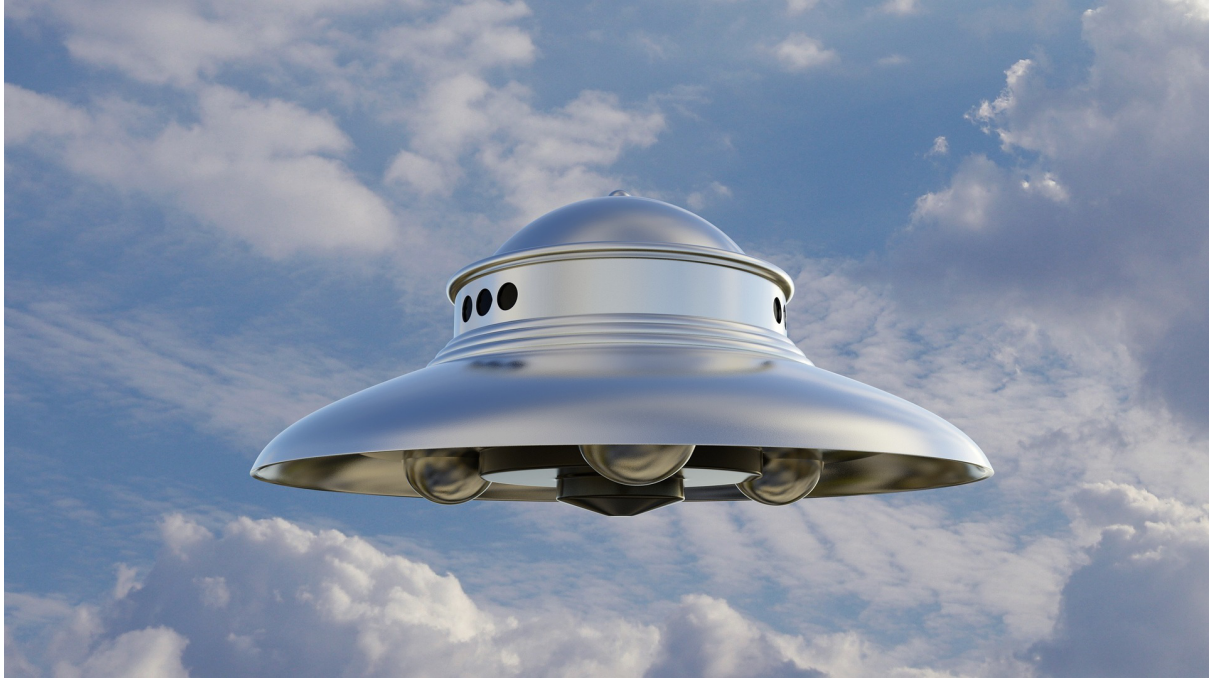


Summary and Comments

I Was on the Planet Venus



- At a lecture on the UFO phenomenon attended by Salvador Villanueva Medina, after the testimonies of those present, the question was asked, “Has anyone here had physical contact with the crew of a spaceship?” And that was what prompted him to speak out about it for the first time. A year and a half had passed without him saying anything about what he had experienced. Curious, isn’t it?
Comment: With his Gnostic studies, one of our missionaries would have had the necessary arguments to present an interesting lecture on the UFO phenomena in a more or less scientific and religious manner—regardless of whether people believed him or not—even if his own contact with extraterrestrials had been only oneiric or astral in nature. But in Salvador Villanueva’s case, this was not so. It is clear he was chosen above all for his honest character so his message could reach people like him, without the dangerous tendency toward mythomania, egomania, and paranoia.
- The tall vegetation and the soil left an unmistakable imprint of the ship.
Comment: Scientific evidence is important but honesty and sincerity are more compelling evidence than science itself. Let’s see why.

Here in Mexico City, we know a man who was on the planet Venus. We are honored to have visited him.

One night in winter we arrived at the doors of his house. We were lucky enough to be welcomed by him. The family was watching television but they very kindly turned off the television, and left us alone with him in his living room.

He is a very sincere and kind man. He is not an occultist or spiritualist or anything like that. He does not presume to be wise, and in spite of having lived the most extraordinary cosmic adventure, he really has no pride at all.

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- Salvador Villanueva, and his fear of being ridiculed for recounting his experience with extraterrestrials.
Comment: It is so true that *there is only a fine line between the sublime and the ridiculous!*¹ This explains and justifies Salvador Villanueva’s insecurity at having to testify about something so out of the ordinary in the 1950s—namely, testifying not only that there is life on the planet Venus but also that he was physically there. This world is inhabited by a civilization far superior to our own. This assertion not only shatters the scientific frameworks of our scholars but also challenges our interpretation of all the sacred texts regarding life throughout the universe.
- Forty-eight kilometers into the trip, a noise occurred in the car’s transmission, curiously, on an unpopulated stretch of the highway.
Comment: It is very likely this mechanical incident was part of the same intelligent plan these beings had to attract Salvador Villanueva’s attention.
- First, one extraterrestrial approached him, and only later did the other arrive.
Comment: A strategy to gradually gain Salvador Villanueva’s trust.
- The magnetic field that protects them is provided by a belt.
Comment: But surely, that belt was merely a receiver for the magnetic field of those humans who possess a significant degree of awakened consciousness.
- The planet these beings come from (Venus) is more populated than ours.
Comment: This shocked Salvador Villanueva due to his ignorance of the subject, as is the case with most of our Earthling brothers and sisters. But what makes no sense is that we would be the only inhabitants of a planet.
- The mineral and plant-based fuels of our world are harmful.
Comment: Only through our Gnostic studies can we comprehend that we humans, and above all divine beings in all their manifestations, are the primary source of an infinite energy that does not pollute. However, to access this energy there is only

¹ This iconic phrase, “From the sublime to the ridiculous is but a single step,” is attributed to Napoleon Bonaparte (“From the Sublime to the Ridiculous: The Downfall of Napoleon Bonaparte”). It describes how greatness, solemnity, or success can collapse in an instant and turn into something grotesque or shameful.

one path to follow, that of the Great Work within. Its final result is the Philosopher's Stone, the original source of all universal electricity and magnetism.

- Their world: a single sea but larger and deeper than ours.
Comment: A planet without a sea would be nothing more than a moon or the corpse of a world. An ocean is the semen of a planet, which is why the hydrological cycle of water is possible there. So, it is also possible for it to have its own atmosphere. A humanity like that of Venus, with absolute control over magnetism and electricity, can make all of this invisible.
- They told him about a planet that was not Earth but Salvador Villanueva did not realize it.
Comment: But to him that race of men seemed strange, from the way they dressed to the great wisdom with which they were endowed. Later he would discover they were men of peace.
- They were able to breathe in our world without any problems.
Comment: At this point, the explanation given to Salvador Villanueva confirmed for him that the science of these beings is far superior to ours.
- Children on their world are not seen on the streets; their education and vocation.
Comment: Children from any country, continent, or planet are the future of all humanity; therefore, it makes perfect sense that children on the planet Venus are educated in a special way, for example, they're taught to develop the ability to communicate telepathically at a very early age. In an education system like that, there is only room for the truth; lies, deception, and falsehood are impossible. In this way the family is all of humanity.
- The climates on their world are reduced to a single climate and a single light.
Comment: On our planet, four seasons arise from the **rotation of the tilt of the Earth's axis** (about 23.5°) relative to the plane of its orbit around the Sun. As the planet moves, this tilt causes the northern and southern hemispheres to receive different amounts of sunlight and heat. Therefore, to achieve a single climate and a uniform light, this tilt of the axis of rotation must be reduced to 0°. And, as we can imagine, our planet has no science of magnetism or electricity capable of doing this. However, it is said that the new Golden Age will be one of perpetual spring.
- Question, "Do they know about our planet?" [Answer,] "Yes, through specialized devices and through people like you who have infiltrated your society."
Comment: In the Gnostic studies, we are well aware that inhabitants of other planets live among us, not to spy on us but to secretly help us.
- Accounts from extraterrestrials about the history of their world, which is very similar to ours. Their poor public administration, combined with vanity.
Comment: We have said the defect of vanity seems most harmless but the facts demonstrate that it's because of vain personalities that cooperation among us is very

limited, and it's why there are many poor people while a few rich people control global society.

- This is why they abolished the concept of nation and homeland to become simply “citizens of their world.”

Comment: Citizens of one world means all of humanity from every part of the universe, one family, thereby dispelling selfish individualism. Borders disappear in such a world and, incredibly, money does not exist. As such, the reason for existence is quite different; it is simply the inner self-realization of the Being as both unity and diversity. From this point on, Salvador Villanueva began to sense that he had to bear witness to this.

- How Salvador Villanueva's fear transformed into trusting them.

Comment: Given all the above, it's only natural that the small amount of fear or insecurity he initially felt gradually transformed into absolute trust. With a science-religion like that of these beings, if they had wanted to conquer our world, they would have done so already. They told him that, simply by using a special gas, they could have taken control of our minds.

- The change of clothing while he slept.

Comment: For us, this is a violation; for a solar humanity, it is different.

- It's curious that he never asked them the name of the world they took him to.

Comment: How is a detail like that possible? Traveling faster than the speed of light—300,000 km per second—it's very likely that something like this could happen to any Earthling because it's a journey through such an impressive expanse of space-time that you don't even have time to ask the usual questions.

- The average height of the population on Venus is one meter.

Comment: Giant civilizations, such as those of Lemuria and Atlantis, were needed as receiving antennas for the transformation of cosmic energy during our world's transition from the etheric round to the physical round. This means shorter civilizations, such as that of Venus, moving from the physical round, must now conquer the etheric round.

- The small stature of the race is because they chose it that way.

Comment: When it says “they” chose it, it's clear that we must comprehend “they” as a reference to the holy gods incarnated in human bodies who guided and continue to guide the Venusian humanity.

- The beauty of the Venusians in contrast to our own.

Comment: Through transcendental logic, we understand that this refers to physical beauty, a reflection of inner or spiritual beauty.

- He didn't know where the light in that world came from.

Comment: It was light from electrons or particles orbiting atomic nuclei.

- How he learned the name of the planet they took him to. See the last chapter. **Comment:** The way those beings fulfilled their promise to Salvador Villanueva to help him better share his experience of them is fully described at the end of the book, which was a perfect combination of telepathy, clairvoyance, and intuition. Because of it, he could state without the slightest doubt that he had physically been on the planet Venus.

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