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Adobe Portable Document Format Version of Poem: THE FLYING SAUCER

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It's unclear why this item by Tech Sergeant Barnes appears in the March 1950 history of the 27th Fighter Group, Bergstrom Air Force Base, Texas, but it does.

The poem expresses some ideas about flying saucers and frustrations in identifying the nature and source of the elusive aerial phenomena that existed at the time of writing, and still exist today.

If you are out there, T/Sgt Barnes, please contact us at:

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This item, and hopefully many more to come, is a result of the work of Michael Ravnitzky of Silver Spring Maryland. Mr. Ravnitzky obtained a listing of over 500,000 still classified and/or restricted items in the holdings of the US Air Force Historical Research Agency at Maxwell AFB, Alabama. The good folks at The Memory Hole web site have made this list available to us all at: http://www.thememoryhole.com/mil/afhra/

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Mr. James Klotz ADDRESS DELETED BY CUFON

Dear Mr. Klotz

Thank you for your request. The document in question is unclassified and available to the public. A Mandatory Declassification Request is not needed. We have attached a copy of the poem you requested, but the print quality is extremely poor. This is the best copy we could provide.

We hope this information is of value to you.

Sincerely Fint

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Attachment: 27th FG Extract

SPRING (Cont'd)

Spring is here, Wake up, Good cheer, The freshest, gladest time of each New Year. Ho! Feathered freinds keep singing, singing For it's the song we love to hear.

T/Sgt Barnes

THE FLYING SAUCER

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Hearing tales of little men and speeding Ships on high Around me all most every day, I cast a weary eye:

Today I saw men gathered around the hanger docr. They said they saw a Sancer. A Tiny Ship they swore

They pointed to the cloudless sky, "Past Vapor Trails", they sigh, I saw a far off something, Shining in the sky,

We watched it hard, it seemed to move As vapors drifted by I felt the strangest feelings Of course I know not why

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Elusions, stars or men made things Ships from other planets. We watched, we talked and wondered, But none of us could name fite

Because I could not give them (::) The answer is not given, What is the times that shines so bright So far up in the heavens.

T/Sgt Barnes



[Retyped] <u>THE FLYING SAUCER</u> By T/Sgt Barnes March 1950

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