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A Collection Of Bizarre Solved & Unsolved Mysteries Associated With the University Of Arizona - UArizona - Uof A Located In Tucson, Arizona U.S.A. From 1885 To The Present Day Not a website of the University of Arizona

The May Day Mystery



At the <u>University of Arizona</u>, alumni, alumnus, employees, students, and many many curious others have become intrigued with the University of Arizona's <u>May Day Mystery</u> (see article) since it began years ago one May Day in the very early 1970's.

Since then on every May 1st (a.k.a. May Day and a.k.a. Law Day) and at other seemingly various and random times during the year, unknown persons or a secret society possibly along the lines of a Masonic or Rosicrucian order, or other entities somehow historically related to the University of Arizona have been posting cryptic advertisements in the universities newspaper the Daily Wildcat. Items have also been mailed, posted, appeared in other places and venues.

The classified and page advertisements posted appear mysterious, bizarre, logical, even seemingly illogical and highly addictively curious at the very least.

The ads messages often consist of in depth references and pieces of world history, world geography, higher mathematics and sciences, current and ancient world wide languages, ancient events, world religions of ancient times and today, looks back into antiquity, puzzles and riddles, and an as yet undiscovered mysterious possible treasure of an unknown type or kind.



An enterprising student employee of the <u>Daily</u> <u>Wild Cat</u>, and a foreign student attending the University of Arizona in <u>Tucson</u> (<u>see video</u>) in the mid to late 1990's began noticing the sometimes

often very mysterious cryptic advertisements and soon began checking all around campus for more information on what they might possibly mean, how often they came out, and even possibly who or what organization could have written them.

Those inquiries soon got the student employee very curious. He quickly started a collection of the advertisements, painstakingly scanning them onto a computer along with the help of his black cat, and put together the first serious comprehensive information website for deeper analysis of the entire mystery.



His effort soon drew the attention of yet another student who has proved very elusive not only then, but over the years since that time listed in university records as Winston F. Reynolds.

Within a very short time after the student had started the online website, various communications from all around the world that claimed they were part of the mystery began finding their way to the student in many different forms. Letters, parcels, cryptic messages, ancient gold coins, historic items, manuscripts, and other materials began arriving by mail, email, being anonymously dropped off, and in other often bizarre methods.

Very soon afterwards, records show that Winston Reynolds suddenly began making regular trips overseas. Travel records indicated visits to London, Paris, Moscow, Brussels, Stockholm, Berlin, Mexico City, Peking, Tokyo, Geneva, Madrid, Bombay, Cairo, Istanbul, and a private audience with numerous religious officials in Rome, Italy.

The other student who had been active on the Daily Wild Cat publication also appeared to have suddenly disappeared at one point and engaged in a very mysterious cross country trip around the United States before returning back to Tucson, only to leave once again shrouded by mystery immediately after graduation ceremonies.

Next, not long after his graduation event, the young man was traced to the area in the Northwest of the United States that is known to the FBI as the landing area of the infamous D.B. Cooper who had disappeared with approximately \$250,000.00 dollars (two hundred fifty thousand dollars) after hijacking then mysteriously parachuting out of a commercial jet airliner in 1971 leaving no clues at the time of his whereabouts.

As for the mysterious Winston Reynolds, he seemingly quickly went from life in a dorm room and getting around as many students on the University of Arizona campus, to a nice home located off campus, a new BMW for a few weeks,

before being seen regularly driving a 1970's era XKE Jaguar Roadster.

Yet not long later, Reynolds was also observed on many occasions and always at night, being picked up by an all-black 1970's era Bentley Sedan while still attending classes as a student.

One of his classmates confided to a Daily Wild Cat reporter," Winston Reynolds was a really top student, and has to be one of the smartest guys I ever met. He had this strange charisma that kind of attracted you if he got close to you like he had magnets in his pockets or something, and no matter what subject came up in a campus conversation he seemed to always have had at least some personal experience to draw from about it. He always just seemed like a little of him was mentally someplace else, working on something, holding some great untold unknown secret."

Mysteriously, Winston Farnsworth Reynolds completely vanished only a few hours after his graduation ceremony at the University of Arizona.

Over the years although seemingly living in one area or another according to reports and eye witness accounts of sightings his actual whereabouts to this day remain completely unknown.

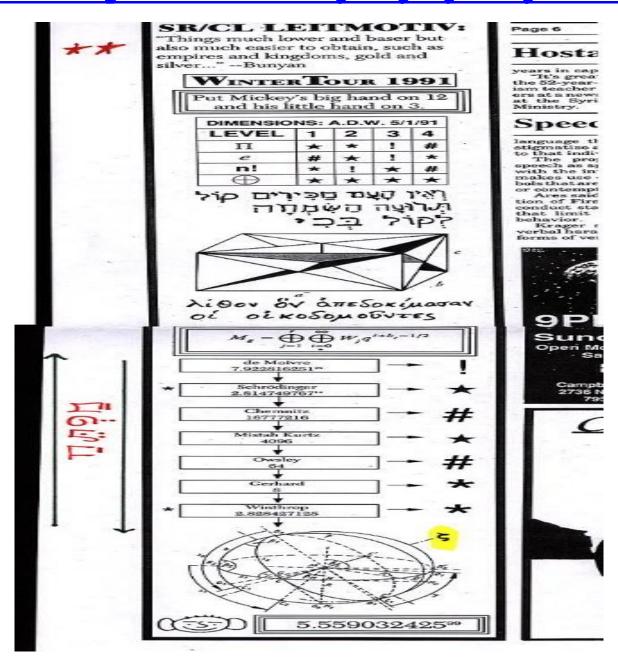
Many unanswered questions surrounding the <u>Mayday Mystery</u> continue to haunt the grounds of the University of Arizona campus and far beyond.

Are the mysterious postings and happenings all from former students of the past connected some how to students or organizations that are still on campus?

Could the May Day Mystery possibly be part of a secret campus group or secret society that began it all in those underground days of the early 1970's at the university and is now faithfully continuing the efforts after it mysteriously surfaced years ago, or possibly even long before that never revealing itself?

Are there new members still being recruited from certain parts of the ranks of the ever incoming generations of new and current University of Arizona students?

Delve Deeper Into The 'May Day Mystery' Here!



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