

# Investigation Summary Report

# Private Residence Youngsville, LA

#### HISTORY

The private residence is a single family home, built approximately seven years ago in a fairly new subdivision in Youngsville, Louisiana. The land was primarily used as a large sugar cane field over the years. The residence is occupied by a married couple and their three children, all of school age.

### EXPERIENCES

The first two to three years at this residence, the homeowners reported no strange activities. About four years ago, the family's middle child, approximately five years old at the time, began hearing and seeing unexplainable phenomena. The young boy reported seeing a young man, said to have been approximately twenty-one years of age and named "Johnny". According to the young boy, Johnny would visit him at night and had died in a car accident. This interaction would continue for the next several years until present-day.

After additional conversations with the mother, the young boy was on several medications for ADHD and stayed primarily to himself, yet was an extremely intelligent child. Over the last year or so, in addition to interactions with "Johnny", the young boy claimed to occasionally see an unknown "creature" appearing and disappearing into thin air. Several weeks before our investigation, the young boy had an alarm clock that was plugged in and was placed next to the bed. One morning, the mother noticed that the electrical cord to the radio had been cleanly severed, as if it had been cut with a pair of sissors.

It is not uncommon for a middle child to express such behavior, as many kids who suffer from "middle child syndrome" often generate elaborate stories for attention. The youngest and oldest children never reported any strange encounters in the home. However, the mother of the family had recently been experiencing strange encounters as well, in the form of unexplainable shadows and the voice of a young girl calling out "mama". When friends of the mother would come over and visit, they often made claims that the home felt "uneasy".

## INVESTIGATION

Date: 7/26/14

Investigators: Doug Hargrave, Brad Duplechien and Scotty Rosatto

We arrived at the residence around 7:30pm and was greeted by the gracious homeowner. She gave us a tour of the home and pointed out the areas where the phenomena had occurred. Above the mantle was a photo collage of the owner's sister-in-law and 18mos. old nephew who had both tragically died in a collision with a train only two days before the photographs were taken. In another room, was a small urn containing a small portion of a former family member's remains.

We positioned four IR cameras throughout the home, primarily focusing on the middle child's bedroom. We began taking base EMF readings throughout the home and were quite amazed at what we found. In the many years of investigating, we have often found random spots throughout a home that may contain explainable high levels of electromagnetic energy, normally due to poor wiring or some other electrical device. However, in this case, every inch of the home had a high base reading of 2.5 to 4.5 milligauss.

We used every type of EMF meters that we had, and all gave the same readings. When held 4-5 feet off the ground, the base reading was virtually zero. As the meters got closer to the ground, the EMF energy grew higher until the base reading would max out when on the ground. We then went outside to the front yard and the same readings were obtained.

Unsure as to the cause of this, we went to the backyard where our questions were quickly answered. The home was on the northern-most edge of the subdivision. Immediately to the rear of the home, were massive sets of main power lines that all led to a nearby power station. The lines were sending the large amounts of energy straight into the ground, radiating upward, an obvious explanation for these high levels of EMF energy.

I asked the homeowner if these power lines had always been there. She advised me that they had ironically been added around the time that her son began encountering strange phenomena. As we have learned over the years, persistent exposure to high levels of electromagnetic energy can be unhealthy, often causing symptoms of paranoia, nausea and even hallucinations.

However, high levels of EMF energy doesn't necessarily mean that there is no paranormal activity taking place whatsoever. In some cases, these high levels of energy also serve as breeding grounds for strange occurrences, as the added energy can assist spirits in manifesting or interacting. Consider it a "white noise" of sorts.

We proceeded to conduct our investigation in the standard manner, running continuous audio, monitoring our IR cameras, and more. Throughout the night, we conducted random Spirit Box

sessions, which generated a few interesting results, which we have included for you to hear. However, with the high levels of potential contamination, sole encounters of interests with the Spirit Box is not enough for our group to officially label a location as "haunted".

#### ADDITIONAL PERSONAL REPORTS (SCOTTY):

Equipment used by Scotty: RT-EVP, 3 additional voice recorders, IR Emitter, 2 hand held cameras, Mel Meter w/ Rem Pod built in, Stand REM pod, Ovilus, Spirt box

Evidence Captured:

Girls Bedroom: Placed hand held IR in bedroom with IR illuminator (no DVR Camera in that bedroom). IR camera was focused on MEL EMF Meter with Built in REM pod. Recorded the duration that we started investigation, however no change in Mel meter with EMF or REM pod activity alarm. Temp did fluctuate due to AC being turned off. However no temp drops however temp did raise due to lack of AC.

My Recorder (Sony Recorder # 1):

Boy's Bedroom: Whispers and other possible EVP's were captured. Several what appears to be relevant questions answered by the spirit box. I will submit to Brad for review.

12:45: Some type of chanting (file named "Chanting")

My Recorder (Sony Recorder #2):

Ovilus: Picked up "Farmer" and "Accident"

Master Bed Room: Creaks reported and heard by Doug and Myself while I was in the living room doing an evp session and Doug was in the Master Bed Room and reported a dresser "creaking".

40:51: Loud Bang (File name: Loud Thumps after we asked to give a sign)

41:35: Loud Bang again (Same File Name)

41:48: Loud Bang Again after I asked to give us a sign (Same file name)

42:41 Loud Bang Again (File name: 4th and fifth bang 5054 and 533)

43:09: Strange Noise after me asking to make another noise (File name: 4th and f5th bang 5054 and 5337)

45:30:22:23: Whispering (over client talking) (File Name: Whispering)

50:54 Bang Again in Master

53:37: Bang Again

\*\*\*\* 1:28:13: Marry or Marriage right before Obvilus says what sounds like "Mary"

Living Room: Clients cat was reported as acting strange, I myself did not see or capture it. Most sounds appear to be coming from cat, however there was one episode when questions were asked from the client if her sister in law was there and if she could make a sound, and a "knock" or some other noise was heard on my EVP recorder. (Time 3.42 into my recording and again at 4.45 after asking a question was asked if sister in law was here). Doug was positioned in the

Master Bedroom (you can hear him on the RT-EVP recording) stating the dresser made a noise (or was settling as he put it). He instructed us to continue to ask about sister in law and Doug asked client to enter into Master bed room with him after hearing strange noises. His evidence of that conversation should've been captured on his recorder.

Sprit Box Session: (Possible relevant responses):

2:01:01 (Sony Recorder 1 in boys bedroom): Possible "Yes" when asked if Crystal was with us

1:56:27: (Sony Recorder 1 in boy's bedroom): possible "I'm Here"

1:54:10: (Sony Recorder 1 in boy's bedroom): Possible "Help"

#### My Report (Scotty Rosatto):

Brad, Doug and I got to the location after 7pm: Doug proceeded to interview the client, while Brad and I asked additional questions and started setting up. I placed Recorders in the boy's bedroom, and Master Bedroom. We also placed a Mel meter w/ Rem Pod on girl's bedroom bed and placed an IR illuminator and hand held camera directly on the meter to monitor it. We also placed a REM pod on the boys top bed bunk.

Brad took notice of high emf readings towards the floor all the way to about waist level. We then all decided to test every room, Doug with his meter and Brad and I with two separate K2 meters and me with a Mel meter. We were able to confirm that EMF's were at least a 2.5 in each room at waist levels. Doug even went as far as checking at the neighbors home and found similar results. We also cut all power to clients home to rule out any appliances or other interference besides Power Lines in back. Brad made another observation that large power lines were within 20-50 feet from clients home. I also noticed a "feeder pole" within 20 feet of the clients house also. Brad took readings outside and found that EMF's were still high levels outside.

Never the less we proceeded with our investigation and explained to the client the dangers of high emf readings and so forth and the problems which can occur because of them such as hallucinations and other strange phenomenon.

After approximately 3.5 hours of investigation using EVP recordings, Ovilus, spirit box and testing for EMF with meters, we concluded that the clients main issue was high EMF throughout her home which was most likely causing "paranormal" episodes.