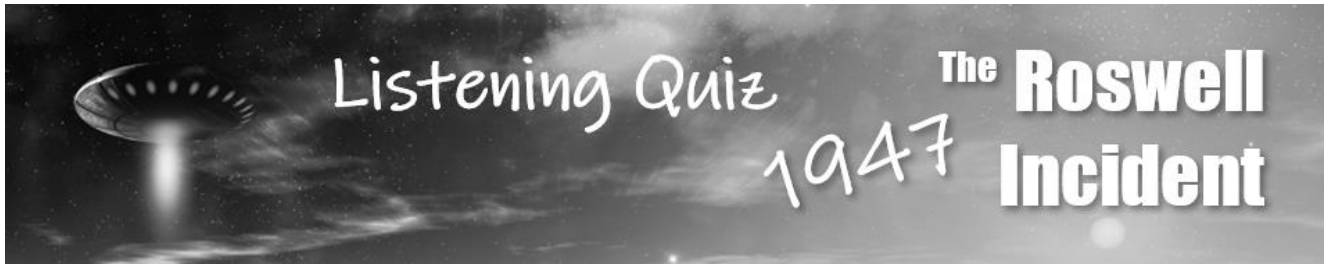


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1. What was the object that crashed in Roswell in 1947 believed to be?

- an extraterrestrial spacecraft
- a weather balloon
- a military aircraft
- a satellite

2. What did the US military say the crashed object was?

- an extraterrestrial spacecraft
- a weather balloon
- a military aircraft
- a satellite

3. What did many witnesses say about the military's response?

- They ignored the incident.
- They recovered the alien bodies and spaceship.
- They claimed it was a Russian spacecraft.
- They destroyed the evidence.

4. What evidence supports the Roswell extraterrestrial theory?

- the absence of historical records
- the denial of the US government
- the lack of eyewitnesses
- the alleged recovery of advanced technology

5. How has the US government responded to the alien theory?

- They admitted it may be true.
- They provided evidence to prove it is true.
- They insist it was a weather balloon.
- They have remained silent.

6. What is the Roswell Incident known for today?

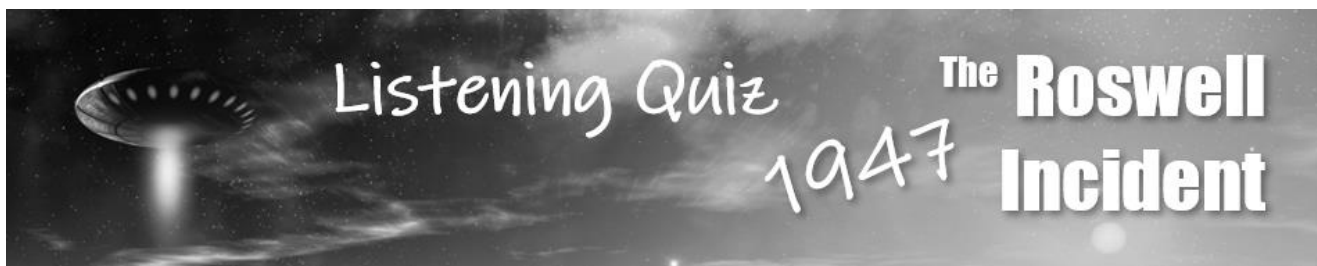
- It is largely forgotten by the public.
- It was an extremely mysterious UFO event.
- It was proven to be a hoax.
- It was the first of several similar UFO crashes.

Discuss these questions with a friend or classmate.

1. What information in the lecture did you find the most interesting? Why?
2. Do you believe the US government really found aliens at Roswell in 1947?
3. What are the advantages / disadvantages of contacting intelligent aliens?
4. Do you think there may be alien life somewhere in the universe? Why? / Why not?
5. Do you think flying saucers exist? Why? / Why not?
6. What three questions would you like to ask an alien?

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The Roswell Incident is one of the most famous and controversial events in the history of ufology. It occurred in the summer of 1947 in Roswell, New Mexico, when an object, believed to be a flying saucer, crashed on a ranch. The incident has been the subject of intense speculation and debate for decades, with many people claiming that the United States government covered up the true nature of the event and that it was actually an extraterrestrial spacecraft.

The official explanation from the US military was that the object that crashed was a weather balloon. However, many people believe that this was a cover-up and that the object was actually an extraterrestrial spacecraft. This belief was fueled by the release of government documents and witness testimonies, which claimed that the military recovered the remains of aliens and their technology from the crash site.

One of the most famous pieces of evidence that supports the extraterrestrial theory is the alleged recovery of alien bodies from the crash site. According to many witnesses, the military quickly arrived at the crash site and removed the bodies of the aliens, as well as any other evidence, and took it to a secret facility for further investigation. This claim was supported by many eyewitnesses, who claimed to have seen military personnel at the crash site, as well as vehicles and equipment that were not commonly used in 1947.

Another piece of evidence that supports the extraterrestrial theory is the alleged recovery of advanced technology from the crash site. Many people believe that the US military recovered advanced technology, such as aircraft and weapons, that were far beyond the capabilities of the technology of the time. Some people even claim that the US government has been using this technology for its own purposes, such as to develop advanced military weapons and to control the population through mind control.

Despite the evidence and claims, the US government has continued to deny the extraterrestrial theory and maintain that the object that crashed was a weather balloon. However, this has not stopped people from speculating and investigating the incident, and the Roswell Incident remains one of the most famous and controversial events in the history of ufology.

ANSWER KEY

1. an extraterrestrial spacecraft
2. a weather balloon
3. They recovered the alien bodies and spaceship.
4. the alleged recovery of advanced technology
5. They insist it was a weather balloon.
6. It was a very mysterious UFO event.