

Investigation Report



Investigation Site	Stanton Low
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Background information

The ruins of St Peters church lie to the north eastern edge of Stanton Low Country Park, near Great Linford in Milton Keynes. The church itself dates from at least the early twelfth century, and was originally built for the village of Stantonbury (including Stanton Low and Stanton High).

In or around 1485 the Stanton Low locale was gripped by a 'werewolf panic'. Throughout much of continental Europe werewolf epidemics (and subsequent persecutions) were relatively common at this time, and generally went hand in glove with witch trials and purges. In Britain, however, where wolves had long been exterminated and were no longer a credible threat, it was generally witches and not werewolves which were seen as the only real and present evil.

Never the less, the village was gripped by primitive fear of the lycanthrope, and with livestock being slain left right and centre, and children going missing – people began to leave. The depopulation of Stanton Low began in earnest in 1487, and by 1516 the exodus was complete.

In 1520 one Thomas Pipe – a seasonal farmhand – was captured by a militia and accused of shape-shifting. He was taken into St Peters Church and restrained by the mob as two priests attempted some kind of exorcism-cum-interrogation. During the ordeal, in which Pipe was blamed for the demise of the settlement and the scattering of its families, the holy men attempted to cast the demons from his body. Pipe was said to have writhed and snarled, cursing that Stanton Low would never again thrive as a homestead, and that the church building would 'crumble to dust.' He emitted a long, wolf-like howl, then died.

Over the next 400 years the area was repopulated at least twice, but each attempt was doomed to failure, and the village was mysteriously deserted again on every occasion. The only constant throughout this time was the church, but by 1950 – after seven hundred years of religious service - this too was abandoned, and quickly fell into disrepair. Whether the curse of the werewolf was to blame for the subsequent desertions, and what this means for the current housing plans is a matter of some speculation, but even now – nearly 500 years after Pipe's untimely demise – there are occasional reports of eerie howls coming from the empty fields and ruins of Stanton Low on the night of the full moon. <http://www.derelictplaces.co.uk/main/religious-sites/28099-st-peters-church-curse-werewolf.html#.V3qq7vkrKUK>

Pre-Investigation

Sub zero temperatures and a clear sky and a full moon perfect then for a werewolf to appear. The area was very quiet and still with no noise except the occasional plane that flew overhead in the distance. The team did have a plan in place of what they were going to do but this sort of went out of the window because they got very good communication with a Spirit called Lisa during this investigation.

Jessica and Kerry went around investigating the church and when they came back the EDI and EMF had both fallen over face down (they were in the corner where there was no wind or possibility of being knocked over physically and no other team members had been in the area)

21:36 Séance

The Team gathered for a séance, the EMF was already flashing up to red, we made sure phones were all off and there was no interference from any other equipment etc... Kerry Did the opening of the circle with a small mediation.

Kerry and Andy asked Spirit to communicate with the group asking for one of the lights to flash, the EMF started flashing,

Andy asked if it was a male spirit to make the light move on the EMF (no light,) also asked if it was a woman (no light)

Kerry asked if the spirits name was Lisa and the light moved on the EMF, when asked if she was a little girl or a grown woman no lights flashed,

Andy asked if Lisa had a sister (no light)

Andy asked if she was married, the EMF light moved

Andy asked if she had children (no light)

Kerry asked if she was not happy, lights moved on EMF

Andy asked if she loved her husband (no lights moved)

Jessica asked if she took her own life, Lights moved on EMF

Kerry could see Lisa right behind Andy quite strongly as if she felt protected behind him, Andy felt a shiver down his back,

Andy asked if her name was Elizabeth as Lisa is such a modern name (no lights)

Andy asked if she lived in the village and if she was a member of the church (no lights)

Andy started counting the centuries to work out what year Lisa was about, the EMF flashed at 1400 but very slight,

Charlotte felt Lisa behind her,

Kerry and Andy felt another spirit come through,

Lee asked if anyone was here with us tonight to please let themselves know,

Andy got the name John, asked spirit and the EMF flashed,

Andy asked if he lived in the village died in the village but no lights flashed,

Kerry asked if Lisa was still around (no Lights)

Andy asked if this was Lisa and the EMF flashed

Kerry asked if Lisa was 30 (no lights)

Andy asked if she was in her 20's when she died (no lights)

Kerry felt that she didn't mean to kill herself it was a call for help, Charlotte witnessed and felt a young woman's presence named Lisa early 30's she had committed suicide by overdosing on tablets and not actually meaning to kill herself. Charlotte felt that she did it for attention; she was very emotional and was grounded to the place that we visited (Stanton Low) although she wanted to move on but was stuck and didn't know how to get to the other side.

Charlotte could get the sense that Lisa was wearing a white nighty and no shoes,

Kerry could see that Lisa was behind her and Charlotte could feel her, Charlotte felt upset,

Andy asked if she had blonde hair and the EMF flashed

Charlotte asked if she was still sad, lights on EMF flashed

Charlotte asked if she was happy with us being there, the EMF flashed

Kerry asked Lisa to touch Charlotte as Charlotte had felt Lisa behind her for quite some time she made herself known to Charlotte by resting her hands on my back, her presence was warm and friendly but she was a little unsure of the team. But was happy to communicate with the team through the k2 meter making it light up as the team asked questions, also making Eddie the meter box light up as well.

Andy asked if Lisa was buried here (no lights)

Andy asked if she was fixed to this area (no lights)

Kerry asked if she committed suicide at the church (no lights)

Charlotte asked if she committed Suicide at home (no lights)

Charlotte had a feeling that it was painkillers she used to commit suicide

Kerry asked if it was 2014 that she committed suicide (no lights)

Andy asked if it was 2010 (no lights)

At this point, Lee asked to leave the circle due to his feet being cold,

The team linked up again without Lee,

Andy, Kerry and Charlotte did feel that it was the 21st century

Charlotte described her as about 5'5 with short shoulder length hair, blonde in colour and was skinny, she was wearing a white nightie that almost covered her feet, but she didn't have any shoes on.

Kerry asked if Lisa was still here with us (no lights)

Andy asked if she had followed Lee who has just left (no lights)

Charlotte could feel Lisa behind her,

Kerry asked Lisa to make the lights flash (no lights)

Andy asked Lisa to maybe use the cameras that are about to let us know that she is there,

The EMF started flashing (pressure / meaning it was being touched)

Kerry asked Lisa to make the EMF flash again and it did again with pressure,

Andy asked if she could make the EMF lights go all the way up and they nearly did!

Kerry asked Lisa to Press on the EMF again and EMF flashed pressure once again,

Kerry asked again and again EMF flashed pressure,

Charlotte felt the Lisa was a Librarian as Charlotte pictured a pen envelope and some writing paper as Charlotte was trying to connect with her.

Michael asked Lisa if she had written a suicide note, the EVP flashed

Andy asked if she had been abused, the EMF flashed

Andy asked if it was physical abuse, the EMF flashed,

Kerry, Jessica and Charlotte felt a shiver,

Andy asked if it was sexual abuse, if her husband hit her or would shout at her (no lights)

Kerry asked if she was Mentally abused, the EMF lights flashed,

Charlotte asked if she got bullied (no lights)

Andy asked if Lisa cried a lot (no lights) but Charlotte felt tears in her eyes and believes she did,

Michael asked if she was a teacher (no lights)

Andy asked if she did cooking as a job (no lights)

Kerry asked if she was a dinner lady (no lights)

Jessica asked if she was a nurse (no lights)

Andy asked if she was a librarian, the lights flashed on the EMF

The team realised this is relevant to an earlier question about books, paper etc. that Charlotte felt earlier,

Michael was thinking that she might also be a prostitute and the EMF lights flashed when he was thinking of asking the question so Kerry asked out loud to Lisa If she was also a prostitute and the EMF flashed all random lights, hot, cold, pressure, humidity,

Charlotte asked if it was men that abused her (no lights)

Michael asked if it was Lisa that we were still communicating with, Andy said yes before the EMF lights flashed,

Andy asked if she had a pimp, the EDI flashed pressure,

Kerry asked if Lisa was behind her, Andy asked if she was behind him and Charlotte asked if she was behind her (no lights)

Jessica asked if she was behind her and the EDI Flashed also the EVP,

Kerry asked Lisa if she could make the EDI flash red and she did,

Charlotte asked if Lisa was stuck here, the EDI Temperature numbers were going up and down,

Andy asked if she was grounded here (no lights)

Charlotte felt that Lisa was connected to the area,

Michael asked if Lisa used to walk around here, the EMF started flashing

Michael asked if it was for dog walking (no lights) although Kerry was about to ask the same question,

Charlotte asked if she liked walking around here as if it was peaceful feeling for her (no lights)

The EDI was flashing very quickly from hot to cold,

Charlotte said she felt that Lisa was stuck here,

Kerry asked Lisa if she was stuck and couldn't move, the EMF flashed and the EDI,

Andy asked if she would like to move on, the EMF flashed,

Charlotte felt that she was scared to move on, the EMF flashed full red, Charlotte felt a lot of emotion in this lady and she even cried a little which is very rare for her to do. But her energy was very upsetting and Charlotte felt a little helpless for her.

Kerry asked if she would like the team to help her move on, the EMF and EDI flashed,

Everyone was okay to carry this out and Charlotte felt that Lisa was happy too

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The Team together slowly tried to help Lisa move on, unfortunately I felt Lisa get very scared and a car then came along and the occupiers stopped and picked something out of the ground before setting off a firework and leaving the area

Although the team did try to get Lisa back once the car and firework had gone but there was nothing and the area was silent and clam once again with no spiritual energy

22:51 End of Investigation

With the séance over and some of the team having left due to the extreme cold weather the remaining members of the team had one last walk around the area observing in the moon light how crisp the ground sounded as they walked along due to the cold and how once outside the church grounds itself the open ground made for a much more colder atmosphere and at minus 5 it was decided too cold to continue the investigation. How thankful we were to get back into a warm car.

