UFO Sighting

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People have encountered aliens – these people claim, after encounters, they have radioactivity in their bodies. Please come over, sit, listen, share with me a hot toddy...

Two American presidents have seen UFOs –
A serious one, and ol' Jimmy Carter.
Brazilians, and desert people have seen UFOs – just for starters.

The Belgian Air Force is set up in order to greet
Aliens, with speeches, flowers, and good things to eat.
They have a rocket launching, a rocket receiving pad –
And no one in Belgium gets mad
About paying taxes –
in their government, there's no fighting –
Because farmers, dairymen, textile dyers
have had many sightings.

In the U.S., before the craze and fad
Of UFO sightings affected millions of kids, moms and dads —
A couple in New Hampshire reported
A space ship sighting-landing;
Eight 'greys' peering out of windows;
They were illuminated by piercing-bright lighting—
The couples' four hour trip lasted more than seven —
They claimed abduction, endured experimentation by aliens —
They received no messages from "heaven."
The man was stuck with needles —
On his side the aliens left a bald spot,
Surrounded by strange, raised warts —
When home again, photos of the couple were taken,
their car's radioactivity
Was measured and all recorded, of course...

At a nearby air base, radar technicians made a UFO report – A top-ranking officer (a technically-trained guy—his Exam and blood tests showed HE was not "high") Had written on the report "Verified."

Do you know what discredited the couple – all around – As people then ignored their sparkling metal shards –

Ignored the burned grass and unknown marks On grass on the ground?

We toss empirical findings
Up and Out into the trees —
We explain sex to children
As "the birds and the bees..."
Their unusual experience was written up in the press,
timidly and weak
The British journalists wrote about it with mirth and cheek —
We humans wasted, squandered a chance to answer the UFO Question —

All because, due to the existence of cartoons and T.V. – The names of the two was mocked...
A ridiculous ridicule....
The true names of the couple?

Betty...and...Barney!