

BAKER INVESTIGATION REPORT

Investigations Conducted:

- Preliminary Investigation May 5th, 2002
- Investigated July 12th, 2002
- Investigated Oct 2002
- Investigated March 8th, 2003

Findings:

Once arriving at the Baker on both occasions, we were still amazed at the size of the Baker.

After a 3-½ hour drive from Oklahoma to Texas, fatigue set in, but our energy quickly returned at the mere site of this hotel.

3/2003 Investigation ~ GHOULI was training two new potential members, and arrival to the hotel was an experience. A person can forget how exciting it is just to view the hotel for the first time. Anticipation was high, and butterflies set in. The hotel still creates a large amount of intimidation & excitement for those who view it in person for the first time.

After the informative tours, and finally getting to meet those who we have conversed with for so long, it was time for us to get to the heart of the matter, investigating the Baker Hotel.

Potential Evidence / Activity:

There were too many unexplainable occurrences on both occasions for us to go into detail with. We will list some phenomena as it happened. We will only list happenings that were witnessed by two or more people while investigating the Baker. Here is a small list of what happened & what we experienced during our visits. It may seem like a small list, but its hard to describe some of the things we all witnessed & felt.

Smells ~

3/2003 ~ On this trip we experienced a couple new smells, that should be reported. The first smell was a baby power smell on the 5th floor. Tonya a few moments earlier witnessed a young boy run into one of the rooms of the hotel. The child like figure was also witnessed by MPR team member Joyce. A rather thrilling view for us, this was the first apparition seen by GHOULI at the Baker Hotel.

Soap Smell ~ This one is hard to explain. There was a very clean smell similar to a light soap. The hotel does not smell clean, it has a distinct smell of dust, mold and just abandonment. So when the fresh smell occurred it stood out. This smell only lasted for a few seconds then vanished. There were no air sources found in this room that could have created the scent, everyone was "sniffed out" & these smells were not from team members.

Coconut ~ We related this smell with tanning lotion, how it used to smell long ago. It is a very pleasant smell, which was always welcome. The smell would pop out of nowhere, then disappear. It was very strong and feminine.

Cigar ~ This smell did not follow us throughout the hotel; it seemed to linger around our camp area, in the Brazzos room. It would float in, and go around the room, then dissipate abruptly as it entered.

The smell would come about; it only seemed to be watching us. Which is common at the Baker, the feeling of being watched.

Sweet Tobacco ~ Not to be confused with the Cigar smell, we only witnessed this smell on once occasion, during our first visit.

Burnt Rubber ~ This smell was not pleasing in anyway, in fact while this smell appeared, the air would get thick, and more then one presence was felt. This smell intimidated us on the second visit to the Baker; we did not witness this smell on our first visit. Two team members were touched on their lower backs, while we were investigating this smell.

Floral Perfume ~ A very pleasant smell that we witnessed, this feminine entity seemed to like the attention on men. We were able to capture several orbs, on video & photos while Jerry (www.Dallasghosts.com) attempted to communicate with this entity.

There are other smells associated with these investigations, but we will report only what GHOULI team members witnessed first hand.

Other Phenomenon:

3/2003 ~ Many loud noises were present during this investigation. One occurred at exactly 2:00 am, according to one persons time piece. The bang was so loud, that we were hesitant to investigate it. Similar to a gunshot, we were apprehensive about checking it out, but a few minutes later, we headed to the Gym to see what the noise was. There were no signs of entry from vandals, and nothing had fallen down. They gym hold great acoustics, therefore the sound was amplified. There was a door that was left open, that is usually closed, we tried to recreate the sound, by slamming the door shut, the sound was similar, but once again, the door was open when we got there. During our time of tracking this noise, we were lead to the basement. We witnessed something strange on the stairs leading to the basement, wet footprints began at the lower part of the stairs, and continued down the halls cement floor. The footprints stopped in the middle of the trail, leading to nowhere. Photos were taken. Water being on the stairs is not common, one of the caretakers assured us there was no leaks in that area, and a standing pool of water is a new phenomena. We continued to look for trespassers, and found nothing. The doors were locked after we finished up in that area, if there were vandals, they are still in the Baker basement. (ha ha)

Footsteps ~

As we descended down the halls of the 8th floor, footsteps were behind us, they were not ours, they sounded like a person wearing hard sole shoes. Once we stopped, the footsteps would stop, this lasted only a few yards.

Voices ~

Once again, the small team I was with heard faint voices descending from the halls, not being able to interpret them, we just listened to this unexplainable conversation, between

two women.

Cold bursts of air ~

While MPR member Joyce was communicating with a small child, we felt a burst of cold air run between us, there was about 6 of us in this rooms doorway at this time, and we all felt the cold run past our legs as the "child" left the room. The Hotel was chilly anyway, so cold spots were very obvious. While in the Brazo's room, Brenda of MPR and Tonya was consumed with cold air. About a 10-15 degree differential.

Touched ~

Tonya was tapped on the should in the Bakers suite.

*****Seen Visible Ghosts*** ~**

Possible apparitions were seen on two occasions during this visit. The first was a small child running into one of the rooms of the Baker. This was witnessed by two people.

*****Another Visible Ghost*** ~**

In the Sky Room, later in the evening, we assisted Jeff, one of the caretakers of the Baker to the Sky room, as we entered, we seen a person standing on the ledge of the balcony, thinking it was a trespasser, we approached slowly, I video taped this possible apparition, as we soon realized it was not a living person. The figure stared over the ledge for about 4 min, as we took slow steps to approach it, and get it on video. The sky room is a large room, and I was having trouble getting focused on the apparition. The figure was a woman, standing with arms folded, staring over the ledge, not moving, just standing there, then she was gone. Was this the infamous "lady" who was pushed or jumped from the Ballroom ledge? Video is being analyzed at this moment, we have our fingers crossed that what we seen, appeared on the video tape. Potential EVP is currently being analyzed. This time around, there was a great deal of focus on EVP, and time was spent on working with the buildings natural acoustics to collect audible EVP.

Hit Flashlight ~

A Ghoul Team members flashlight was struck with great force during dowsing session, she turned on the light to see the rob movement, the flashlight was hit with great force.

Audible Noises / Voices ~

Voices heard while taking a break, GHOULI Members heard music playing from the upper floors of the Baker, we placed it as swing music. On both investigations, both male & female voices were heard randomly. On the second investigation, a child's voice yelled out to us. It was disturbing. Voices were usually heard when everyone was silent.

Other Noises While discussing architectural elements of the hotel, we heard what sounded like something rather large falling throughout the elevator shaft. This noise was also disturbing and loud. We left the scene shortly after the sound was heard. Footsteps were heard. On GHOULI member heard keys rattling at one point. We received a friendly "Cat call like whistle" while out by the pool area.

We have documented several video anomalies, which will be posted soon.

**We have taken close to 1,000 photos combined from each investigation.
&
Several Potential EVP were collected, hours of audio still being analyzed.**

EMF readings were hard to distinguish at this location; there are live wires throughout the Hotel.

Once you can get over the intense feeling of being watched, someone following right behind you, deciphering smells and trying to translate voices that you hear, the Baker Hotel is one of the most romantic locations to visit. The elegance & classic charm still holds firm within the walls. As for the Ghosts at the Baker, it will take many more visits to meet all of them, or even a fraction of them. The aura of the Hotel is difficult to describe, one of those "you have to be there" feelings. Every person who has visited the Baker has literally fell in love with the place; GHOULI is not an exception to the Bakers magic. The subject has been brought up many times, if you die, and you happen to become a ghost, go stay at the Baker, because it seems that the good times there have not ended.

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