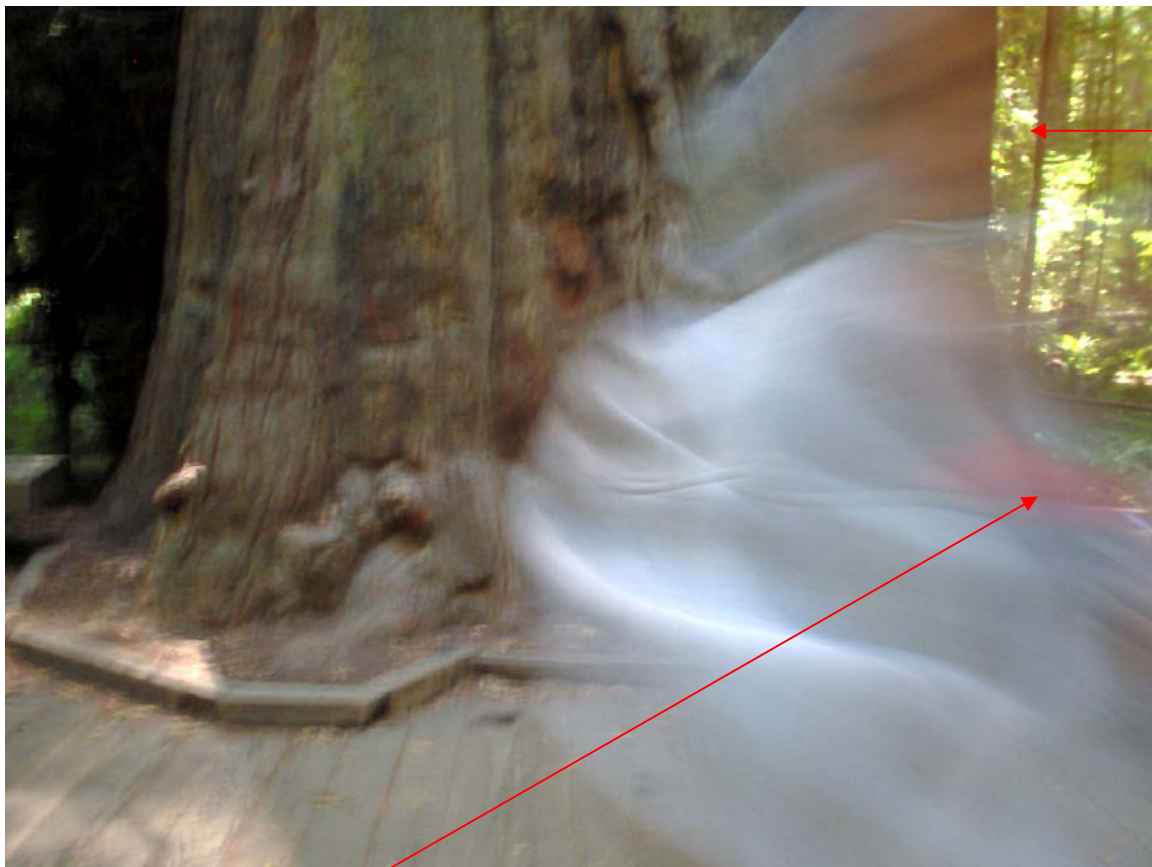


What Is That?

Submitted by Paul Loredo

This is a photograph I took on our vacation in Humboldt County on August 18, 2007. This was the anniversary of my wife's death. I was in front of the biggest tree they have at the Avenue of the Giants. The weather was sunny and calm; and no one was smoking anywhere near me. I did not see this image when I looked through the viewfinder. This was taken with a Kodak digital camera. What do you think? Thanks, Paul Loredo.



What I think:

Yikes! It would be difficult for me to explain this photograph in any way that is not paranormal in nature. The fact that you can see through this "mist," it looks like it has movement, and it has a red glow in the middle of it, leads me to believe that Paul has captured a spirit image. The edges of the "mist" are not sharp and seem to blend in with the surroundings, especially at the bottom of the photograph, making it almost impossible to be contrived via Photoshop or any other photo altering software. I have done many double exposures while in my role as a wedding photographer, and I can say from experience that this is not a double exposure. Is that an image of a face in the top portion of the "mist?" The lines of the tree in the background are running vertical, but the lines in that area are definitely horizontal. It would be very interesting to contact the local rangers to find out if anyone died in this area or if someone who worked here while they were alive has passed on and is still walking the paths at this State Park.

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