

# Sighting in Raleigh, North Carolina

I was going over a report of a pterosaur sighting in North Carolina and noticed similarities with Susan Wooten's sighting in South Carolina. There are also differences.

## Date of Sighting

- NC: March 23, 2013
- SC: about fall of 1989

## Size of Flying Creature in Wingspan

- NC: 5-6 feet
- SC: 12-15 feet

## Feathers or not

- NC: "NO feathers"
- SC: "NO feathers"

## Conditions and Time

- NC: driving on a highway at sundown
- SC: driving on a highway at about 3 p.m.

## How High Above Highway?

- NC: "about 7 or 8 feet off the ground"
- SC: "probably 20 ft or so" (above the highway)

## Tail Details

- NC: "a LONG tail with a spade at the end"
- SC: "long, long tail"

## Head of Flying Creature

- NC: "enormous pointed beak, with a pointed top of it's

head.”

- SC: “Big thing coming out of its forehead like a boomerang, and also the same in the back.”

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We could just as well compare this sighting in North Carolina with other sightings in the eastern states of the USA. Many eyewitnesses have reported a large flying creature with a long tail but no feathers. Some report a “diamond” or similar structure at tail-end, and some report a head crest.

The March-2013 sighting in North Carolina needs to be taken in perspective in relation to other sightings in North America. Details in these reports need to be compared and evaluated.

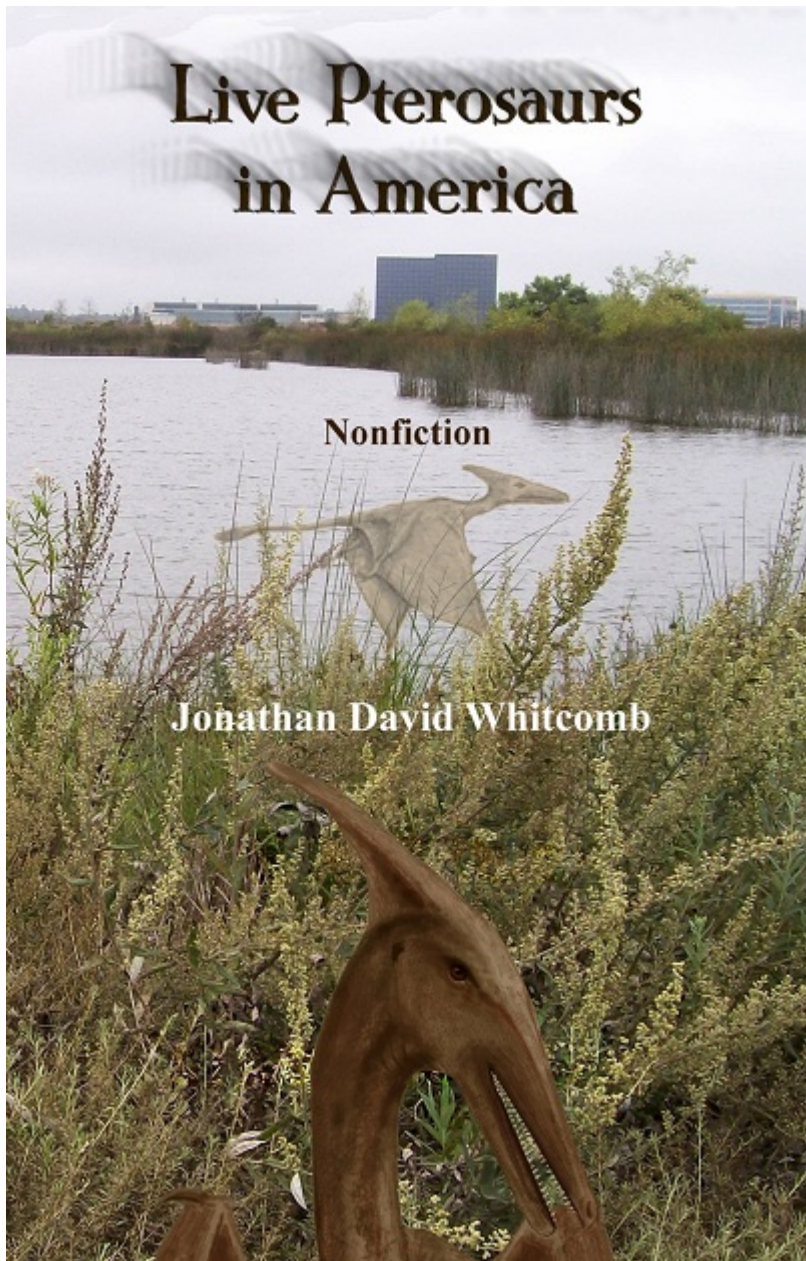
### **Pterosaur Sighting in North Carolina**

*When somebody reports a pterosaur sighting in Raleigh, North Carolina, we can expect objections from skeptics. That’s what we got earlier this year, on a musicians’ forum.*

### **Pterosaur Sightings in North Carolina and Spain**

*. . . saw something HUGE above me in the sky. It looked like a pale greenish white and smooth-skinned. It didn’t appear to have any feathers, and it had the tail with the diamond shape on the end.*

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*Live Pterosaurs in America* (nonfiction cryptozoology book)

From page 124 of the book:

*"I saw two pterosaurs . . . flying together at low altitude, perhaps 100 feet, very close in range from where I was standing, so that I had a perfectly clear view of them. . . .*

*The rhythm of their large wings was very graceful, slow, and yet they were flying and not merely gliding . . ."*

*The marine observed details, later recording them in his sketch: The head was large in proportion, with a large head*

*crest; the short "hind legs" were attached to the trailing part of the wings; the vertebrae were noticeable; the end of the tail had a "tuft of hair."*