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Video images from Meteosat-9, a weather satellite. Online, courtesy ESA (European Space Agency).

The ESA provides more information about this satellite and the images it captured on February 15, 2013:

A joint venture of the European Space Agency and the European Organization for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites, Meteosat-9 was launched in 2005 to keep watch on Earth's weather from space. The satellite also took video of the fireball.

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