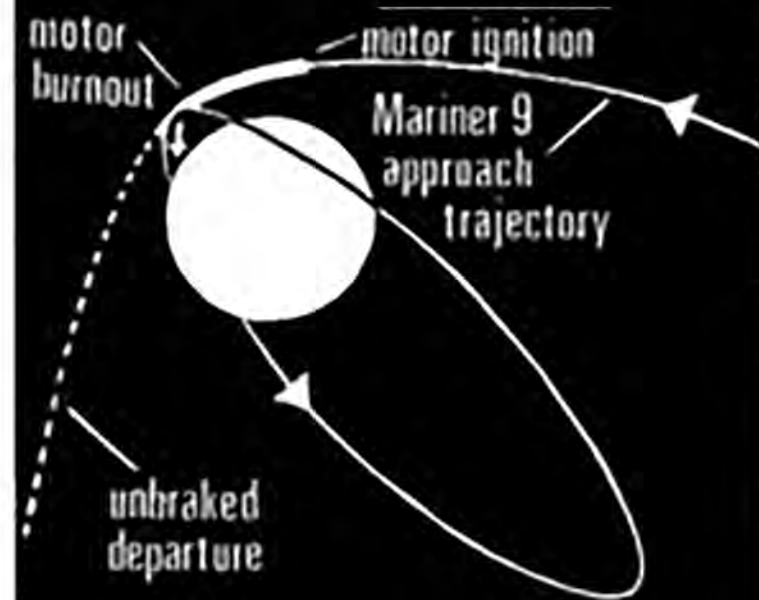
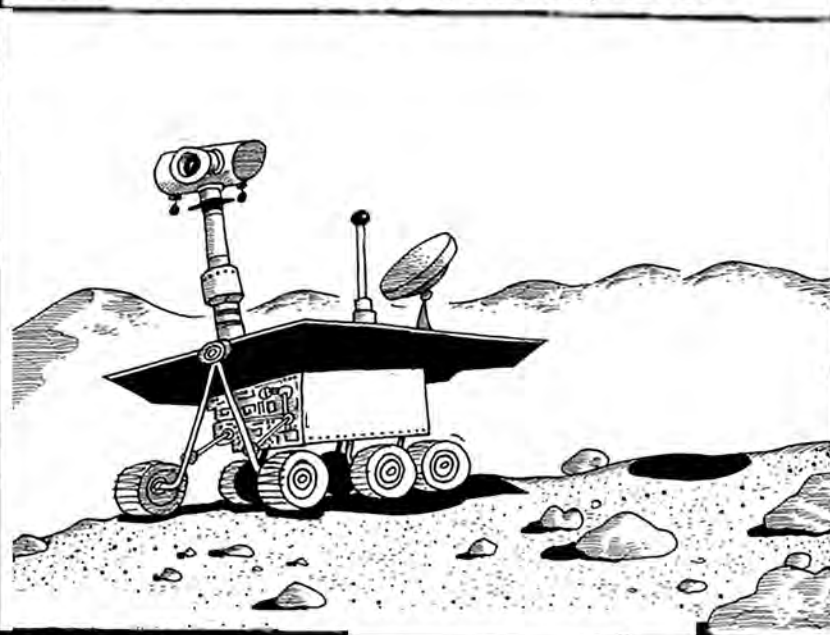


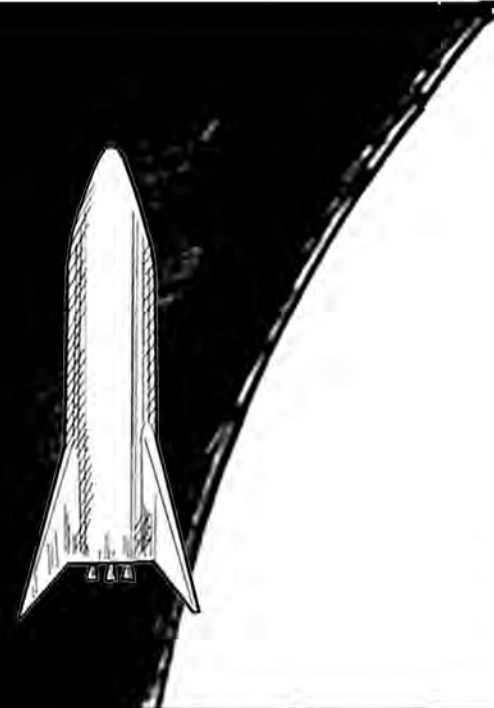
IN NOVEMBER 1971 MARINER 9 FIRED BRAKING ROCKETS AND BECAME THE FIRST MANMADE SATELLITE OF ANOTHER PLANET TO LAND ON MARS.



NASA HAS SENT FOUR ROBOTIC VEHICLES, CALLED ROVERS, TO MARS-- AND NASA PLANS TO SEND ANOTHER SOON A TOTAL OF FOUR ROVERS HAVE TRAVELED TO MARS ALREADY. THE PERSERVERENCE ROVER WILL BE OFF TO THE RED PLANET ON JULY 20, 2020.



SPACE X HAVE ALREADY BUILT AN IMMENSE STAINLESS STEEL ROCKET CALLED THE STARSHIP. IT WILL FERRY PEOPLE AND MATERIALS TO EARTH ORBIT AND THEN ON TO MARS.



ELON MUSK AND SPACE X ARE WORKING ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF A MARS TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE IN ORDER TO COLONIZE MARS. SPACE X'S GOAL SINCE 2017 HAS BEEN TO LAND THE FIRST HUMANS ON MARS BY 2024. BEFORE THAT HAPPENS, SPACE X WILL BE SENDING TOURISTS TO THE MOON.