

Gyroscope

You did remember to enable the gyroscope first ?
It must be ON in order to navigate (including ESR)

I forgot to mention...

Gyroscope automatically turns off
(after some time, to save power)

We must remember to turn
it on before navigating

This is why "human factors" are important !

Don't panic !

Just switch on the gyroscope

GYR1

Then send another ESR command

ESR

Satellite should re-orient towards the Sun

Oh Dear

It looks like we have made a BIG mistake
We seem to have lost control of the satellite
No radio control signal, no power

Millions of £s of equipment - lost in space !
No way of getting it back again !
What are we going to do ?

Wait a minute !

Now I think about it, I have a vague memory of something very similar happening previously

The "Solar and Heliospheric Observatory" (SOHO)
(which is one of the satellites at Lagrange Point L1)
Was lost in a very similar way back in 1998
They somehow managed to recover it

I suggest you do a bit of research to find out more