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Summary: SpaceX launched its Starship rocket into space in a critical test, sending the colossal craft farther and faster than it had ever flown before it was lost while returning to Earth. The craft successfully separated from its Super Heavy booster as planned and reached near-orbit in space, surpassing the length of its prior two test missions. SpaceX said it lost signal connection with Starship and later confirmed the vehicle was "lost" — likely destroyed — as it plummeted back to Earth, cutting the mission short.

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