

Native American

TITLE **Ancient Drugs**
PUBL INFO New York : Distributed in the U.S. by New Video Group, c1998
DESCRIPT 1 videocassette (ca. 50 min.) : sd., col. with b&w sequences ; 1/2 in
SUMMARY Since mankind's beginning, in every civilization, human beings have found ways to alter their consciousness in search of something "greater" than everyday reality. This film delves into mankind's psyche in search of the key to our pervasive drive to experience something "beyond." Historians and spiritualists explore the ancient rituals of cultures worldwide that have sought visions and truth through altered consciousness.

CALL# **BL65. D7 A53 1998 – Videocassette**

TITLE **Conquistadors**
PUBL INFO [Alexandria, Va.] : Distributed by PBS Video, c2001
DESCRIPT 4 videocassettes (240 min.) : sd., col. ; 1/2 in. + 1 index sheet
SUMMARY Four part series on the discovery of the Americas by the Spanish conquistadors and the subsequent fall of the Aztec and Inca empires.

CALL# **E123. C65 2001 pt. 1-4 – Videocassette**

TITLE **Cree hunters of Mistassini**
PUBL INFO Watertown, MA : Documentary Educational Resources, c2006
DESCRIPT 1 videodisc (59 min.) : sd., col. ; 4 3/4 in
SUMMARY Shows the annual move north of the Cree Indians in the James Bay area and shows the conflict produced by the James Bay development scheme between the hunting culture of the Cree and the dominant white culture that has come to rely heavily on large-scale technology.

CALL# **E99. C88 C74 2004 – DVD**

TITLE **Discovering American Indian Music**
PUBL INFO Sacramento, CA : Water Education Foundation, c2001
DESCRIPT 1 videocassette (46 min., 50 sec.) : sd., col. ; 1/2 in. + 1 guide ([9] p.)
SUMMARY "Whether it was about protection or exploitation, the various interest groups at Lake Tahoe have spent more than a century arguing. The conflicts have involved a lot of issues: gaming, forest practices, cattle grazing, development and property rights, environmental protection, recreation and a lot more. But now most of the arguing has stopped because stakeholders understand one issue is more important than all the others: the jewel of the high Sierra must be saved."—Container

CALL# **F868 T2 F37 2001 – Videocassette**

TITLE	Into the Circle: An Introduction To Native American Powwows
PUBL INFO	Tulsa, OK: Full Circle Communications, c1992
DESCRIPT	1 videocassette (58 min.) : sd., col. ; 1/2 in. + 1 guide (1 sheet)
SUMMARY	An introduction to Oklahoma powwows including an explanation of the meaning of powwow in Indian culture, how it has evolved, the role of the drum, the head singer and the songs in powwows and related celebrations. Includes excerpts of dances at powwows across Oklahoma and discusses how best to enjoy attending a powwow.
CALL#	E98.P86 I57 1992 – Videocassette
TITLE	Mystery Of The First Americans
PUBL INFO	[South Burlington, Vt.] : WGBH Boston Video, c2000
DESCRIPT	1 videocassette (60 min.) : sd., col. ; 1/2 in
SUMMARY	In 1996, near Kennewick, Washington, a suspected murder victim is identified by forensic anthropologists as Caucasian - but turns out to be almost 10,000 years old. The discovery of the Kennewick Man, along with several other startling finds in recent years, has embroiled scientists in a bitter conflict with Native American groups who want the scientific study of early Americans halted.
CALL#	E77.9 M87 2000 – Videocassette
TITLE	19th Century Turning Points in U.S. History
PUBL INFO	New York, N.Y. : Ambrose Video Publishing, c2002
DESCRIPT	8 videocassettes (200 min.) : sd., col. ; 1/2 in
SUMMARY	Shows what happened in the United States in the nineteenth century when it went through three wars and went from being an agricultural nation of 16 states and 5.3 million people to the end of the century when it had become an industrial power of 45 states and 76 million people.
CALL#	E337.5 A2 2002 v. 1-8 – Videocassette
TITLE	The Peyote Road: Ancient Religion In Contemporary Crisis
PUBL INFO	Berkeley, CA : Distributed by Berkeley Media , [2006?]
DESCRIPT	1 videodisc (61 min.) : sd., col. with b&w sequences ; 4 3/4 in
SUMMARY	A documentary on the religious use of peyote by Native Americans and of efforts to establish protective legislation for practicing peyotism. Includes a 1994 legislative update discussing the passage of protective legislation.
CALL#	E98. R3 P48 2006 - DVD

TITLE **The Ride To Wounded Knee**
PUBL INFO Westport, CT : Cinnamon Productions, c1992
DESCRIPT 1 videocassette (86 min.) : sd., col. ; 1/2 in
SUMMARY The record of a journey on horseback, taken by a group of Lakota Indians in December, 1990 across South Dakota. The ride is more than a challenging test of physical endurance, it is a spiritual quest, which allows each rider to come in contact with the spirits of his ancestors. The ride commemorates the 100th anniversary of the Battle of Wounded Knee.

CALL# **E83.89 R53 1992 – Videocassette**

TITLE **Savagery And The American Indian**
PUBL INFO Princeton, N.J. : Films for the Humanities & Sciences, c2000
DESCRIPT 2 videocassettes (101 min.) : sd., col ; 1/2 in
SUMMARY Describes the impact of white settlement on the American Indian. Part 1 covers the period from 1620-1890 when the Indian population had fallen from 5 million to 250,000. Traces the expansion of white settlement; the resultant depletion of the native peoples and the way in which contemporaries recorded the events. Part 2 traces developments since 1890 when the Indian reservations were established and the residual tribes were compulsorily moved into them. The program talks of the native peoples efforts to retain more of their own culture in the face government endeavors to assimilate them, and the resultant cultural and social problems.

CALL# **E77. S283 2000 pt. 1-2 – Videocassette**

TITLE **The Strange Disappearance of the Anasazi**
PUBL INFO New York : A&E Television Networks : Distributed by New Video, 1999
DESCRIPT 1 videocassette (ca. 50 min.) : sd, col. ; 1/2 in
SUMMARY This documentary explores the antiquities, dwellings, history, and origins of the Anasazi and their disappearance from the American Southwest.

CALL# **E99. P9 S77 1999 – Videocassette**

TITLE **Understanding Ancient North America: A Conversation With Paul Zobrod, James Adovasio, Frederick Seely**

PUBL INFO [Erie, Pa.] : Idea Channel, c1992

DESCRIPT 1 videocassette (47 min.) : sd., col. ; 1/2 in

SUMMARY "Can physical archeology and the oral traditions of existing North Americans be brought together in the search for a better understanding of past cultures? Paul Zolbrod, Frederick F. Seeley Professor of English at Allegheny College and James Adovasio, Director of Anthropology and Archeology at Mercyhurst College, explore this potential linkage. In a 50-minute conversation, the two professionals discuss the importance of and need for these two sciences to come together in order to give depth and dimension to past cultures"—Publisher

CALL# **E77.9 U53 1992 – Videocassette**

TITLE **The Unholy Tarahumara**

PUBL INFO New York : Filmmakers Library, 1998

DESCRIPT 1 videocassette (56 min.) : sd., col. ; 1/2 in

SUMMARY Documents the ways of the Tarahumara Indians of Chihuahua, Mexico, who are torn between the lure of modern life and maintaining their age-old traditions.

CALL# **F1221. T25 U54 – Videocassette**

TITLE **When The Fire Dims**

PUBL INFO Ho-Ho-Kus, NJ: New Day Films, 1998

DESCRIPT 1 videocassette (17 min.): sd.,col. 1/2 in

SUMMARY Explores the social and psychological reality faced by many Native Americans, and examines the complex relationship alcoholism, cultural alienation, colonization and urban existence play in one man's life as he struggles to survive this unknown world. The story is told through Jimmy, a Romo Indian who has left the reservation for promises of a better life in the city.

CALL# **HV5045. W44 1998 – Videocassette**