



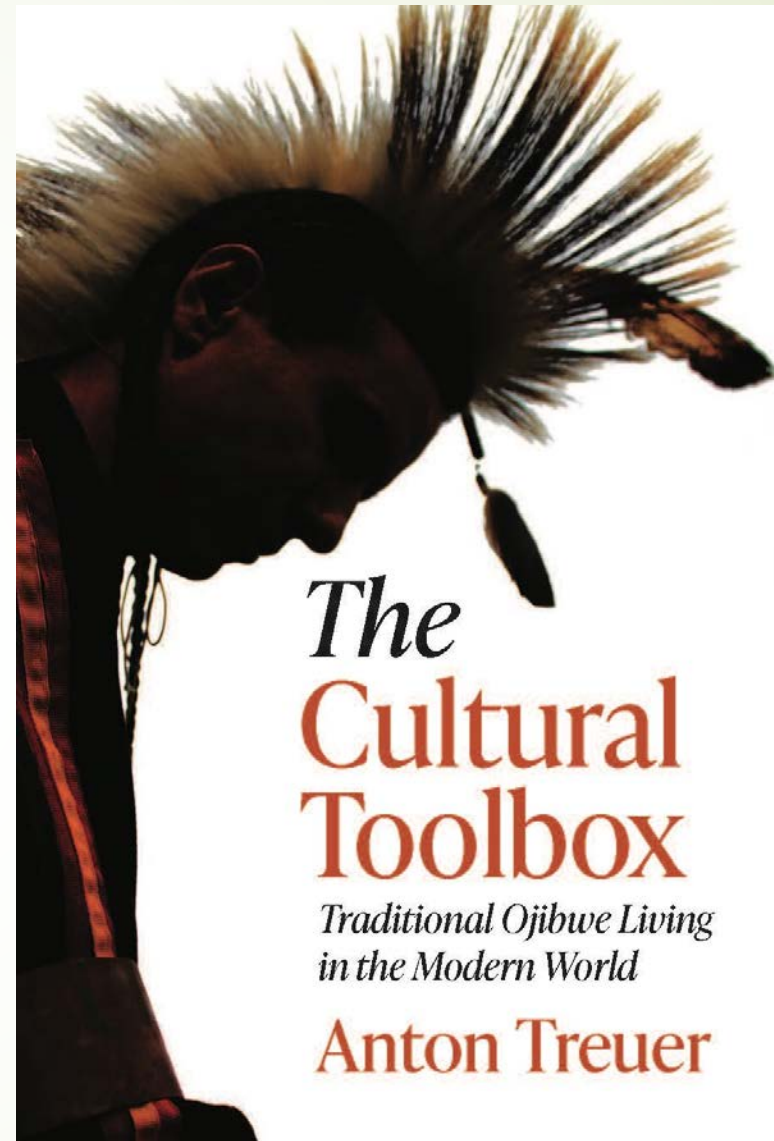


# The Cultural Toolbox

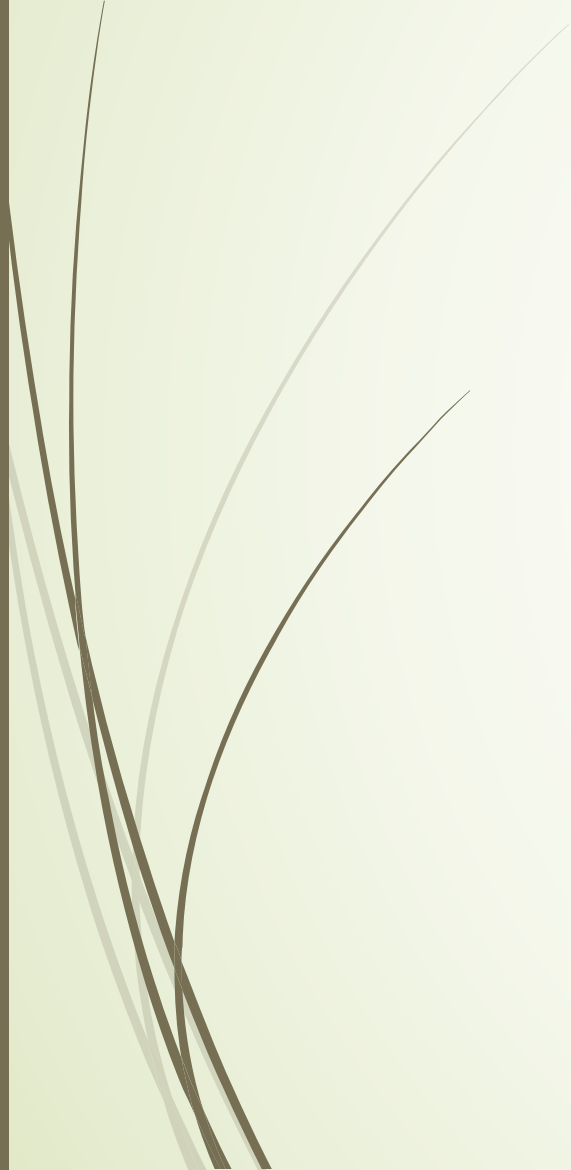
Traditional Ojibwe Living in the Modern World



You are a complete, fully realized human being. You are a soul who has a body. You are the one your ancestors were praying for and waiting for through the generations. You have been given a unique set of gifts, and you yourself are a gift to the world.












Who are the Ojibwe

My culture, not the culture

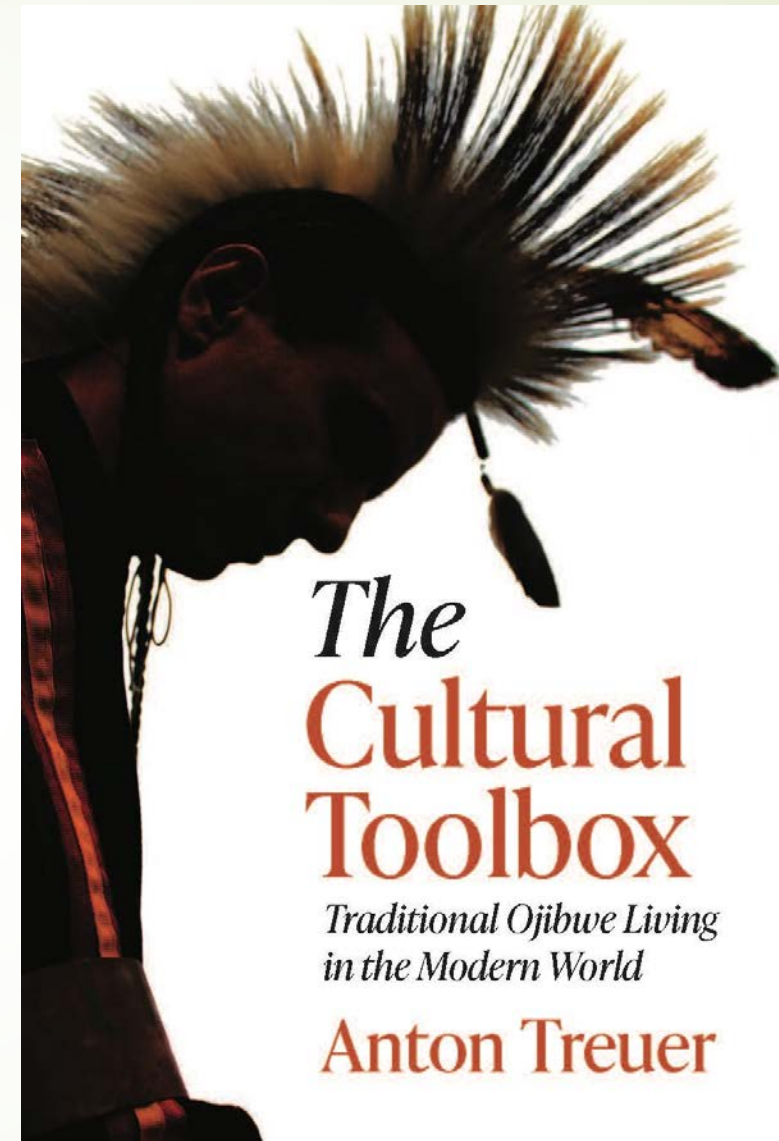
Four seasons

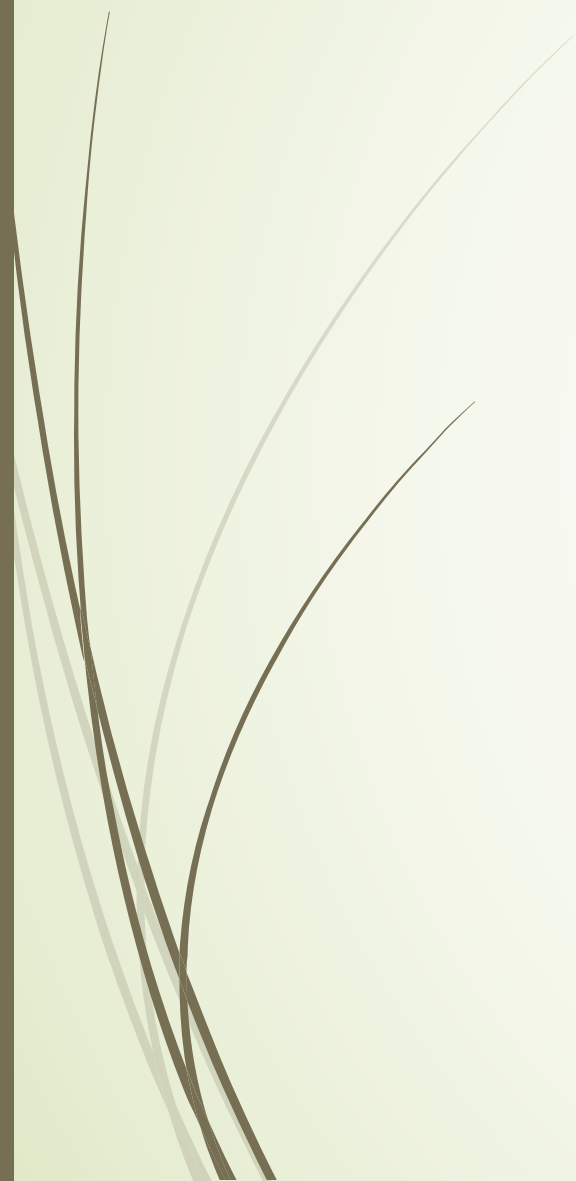
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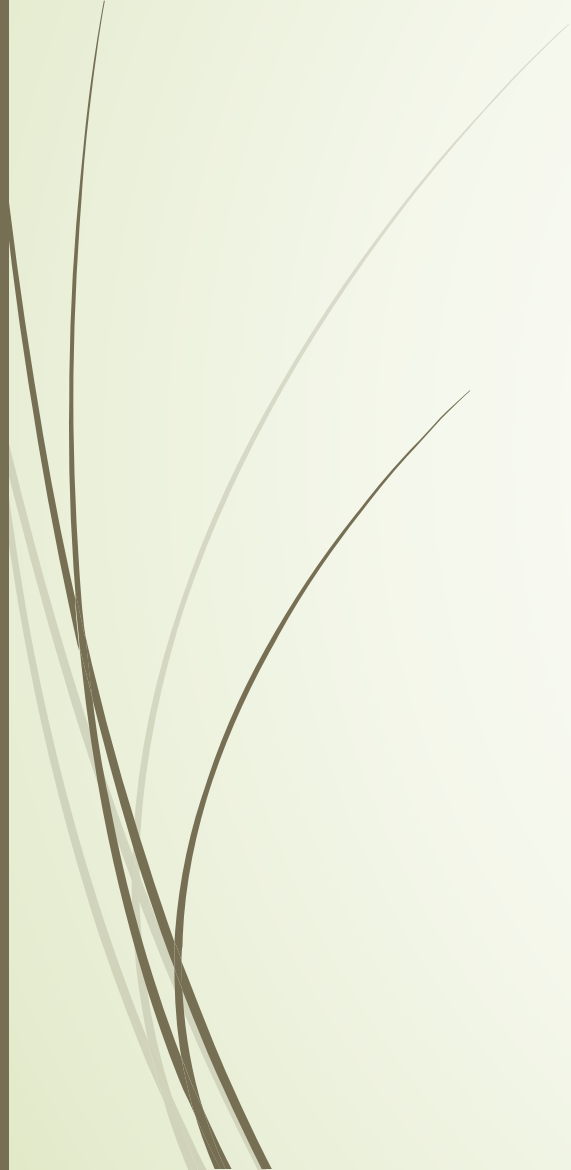
Connection and culture live inside of us. Having a rich cultural life is not just about looking out and looking for; it is about looking within. We can do that wherever we live. The awakening is healing and empowering.

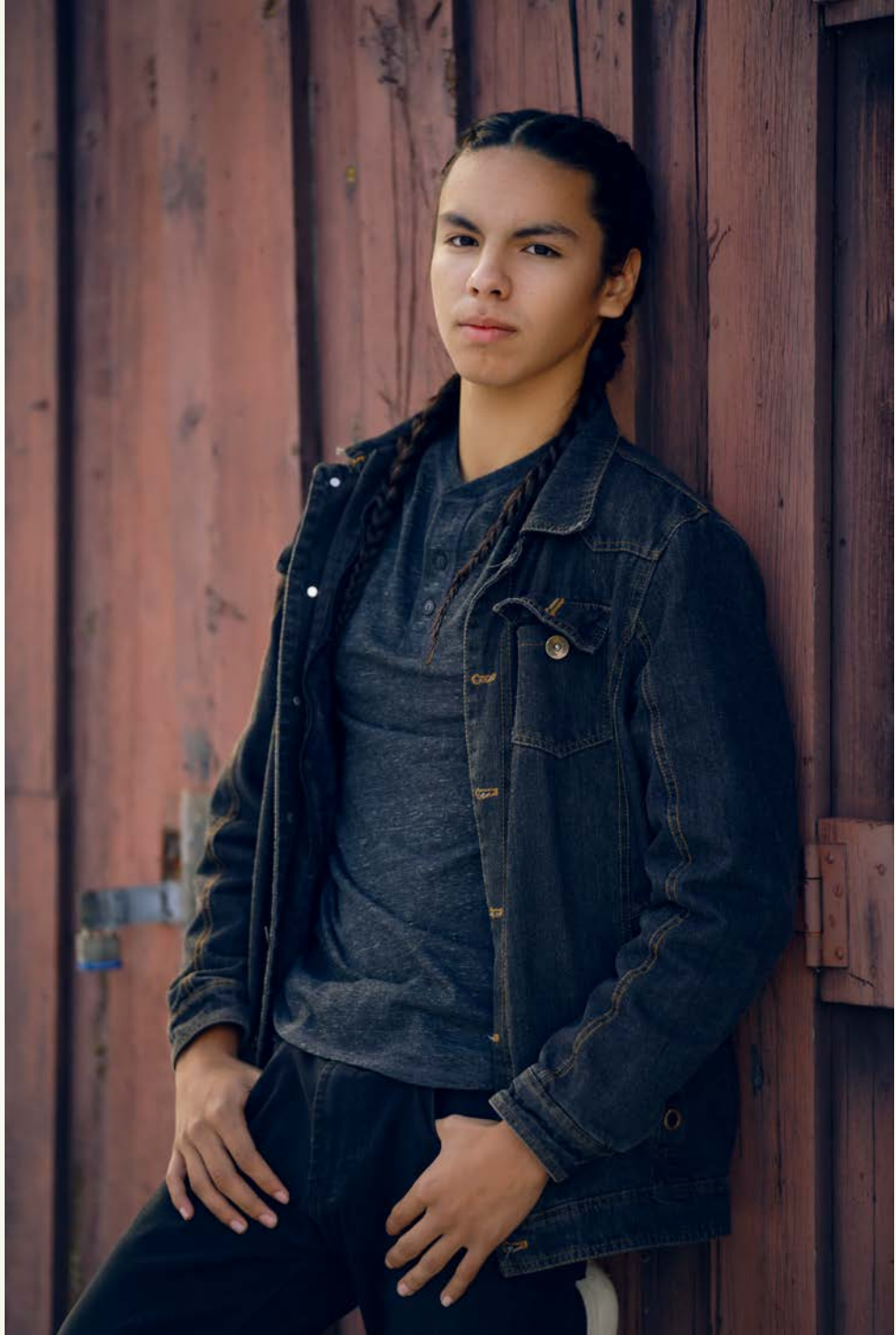


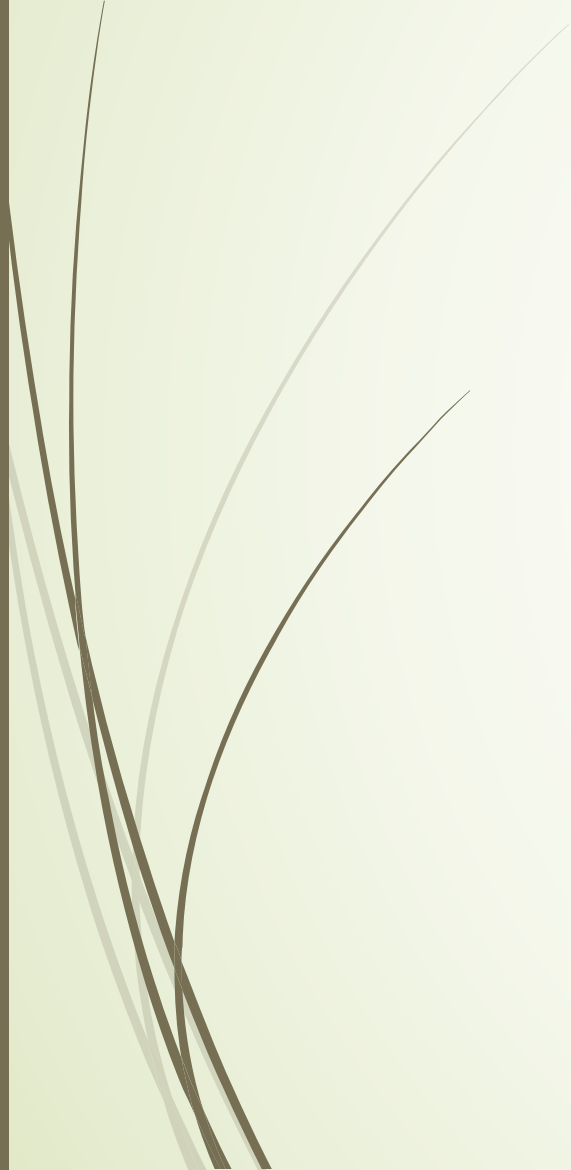


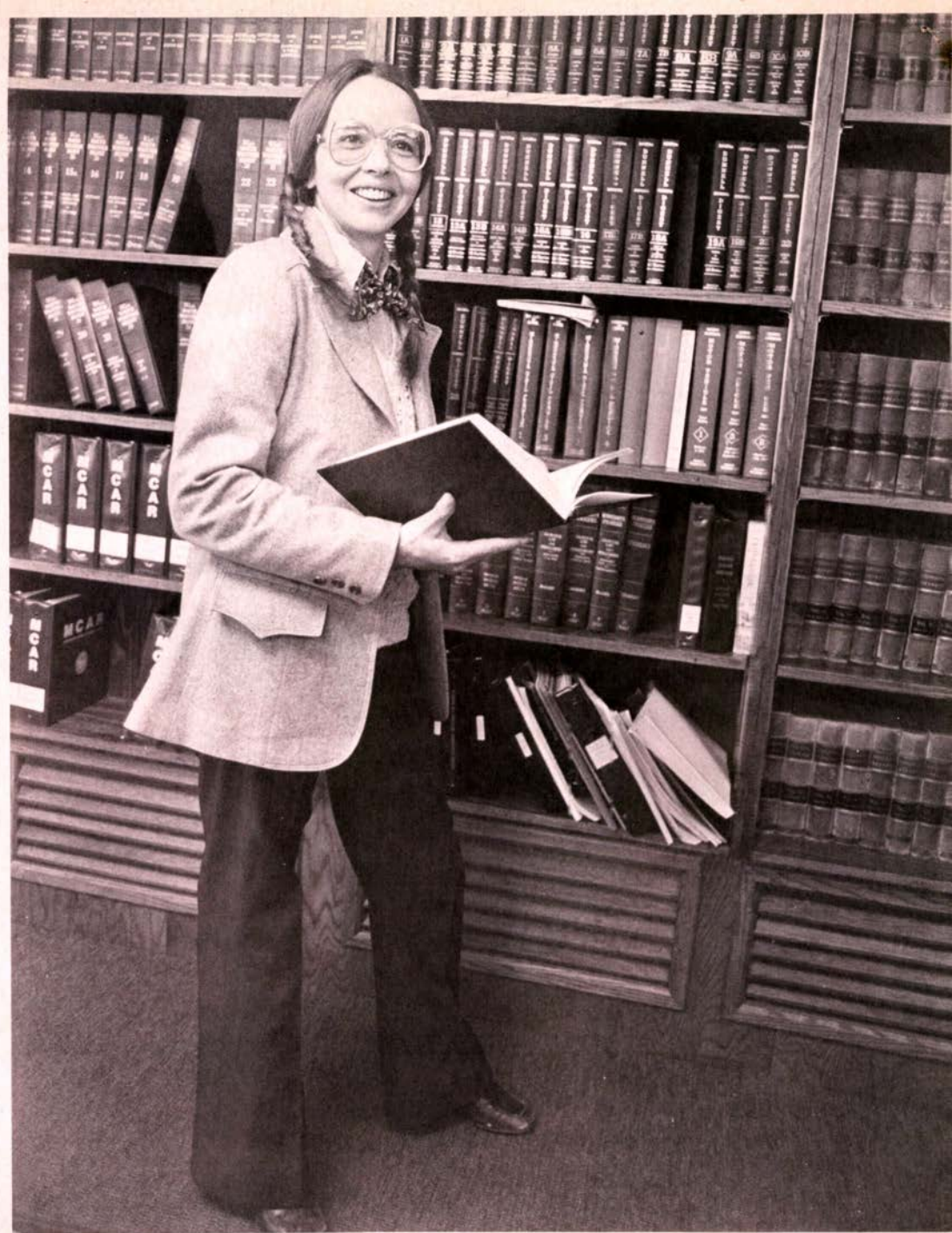




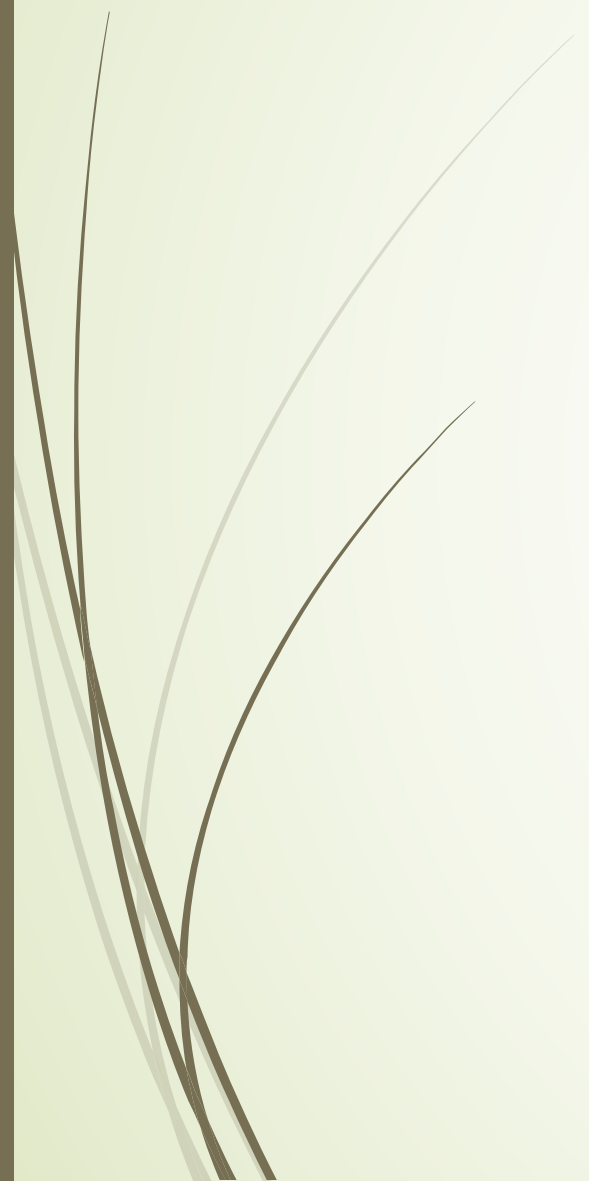















We don't live in two worlds. We live in one world. We don't have to code-switch to make it out there. We don't have to maintain a dual consciousness. People from other cultures don't have to sacrifice theirs to enter our world, and natives don't have to sacrifice their cultures to navigate the modern world. We can be exactly who we are—exactly who the creator wanted us to be—and thrive.

