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*Native America* Indiana Historical Society

Reminiscent of I Dream a World this is a book of quietly beautiful photographic portraits of Native-American women, accompanied by their own reflections on what it means to be a woman and an Indian in America. 85 black-and-white photographs.

*Native American Portraits* Syracuse University Press

Toba Pato Tucker, who has photographed the Navajo in the Southwest, the Shinnecock and Montauk Indians on eastern Long Island, and the Pueblo people of New Mexico and Arizona, now creates a record of the Onondaga Nation, the Native people who have inhabited the hills of central New York for fifteen thousand years. Using a simple black backdrop and available daylight, her portraits show the timeless, contemplative images that reify the spirit that has maintained the Onondaga for centuries. Of her work Tucker has said, "Native Americans are an ancient people striving to retain their traditional way of life and integrity while confronting modern society and the dominant culture. I want to record them, for history and for art, at the end of the twentieth century."

*Native Family* Bulfinch Press

Essay from the year 2016 in the subject Art - Visual artists, grade: 1,30, University College Cork, language: English, abstract: This essay critically analyses the painter's use of visual means to represent the subject and demonstrate that Catlin did not depict his sitters entirely lifelike by focusing on the authenticity, modifications and external influences of his portraits. The brief historical and cultural contextualisation of the topic will be followed by an analysis of the portraits of the tribal chiefs Stu-mick-o-súcks and Máh-to-tóh-pa as examples of 'Republican Indians'. Subsequently, it scrutinizes the historical impact of the artist's portraits by introducing Catlin's narrative portrait of Wi-jún-jon, which documents an Indian individual's fate and reveals the artist's attitude towards Native Americans' encounter with civilisation. Work completed under the supervision of Dr Simon Knowles in fulfilment of the requirements of the Module HA 2009 "Creator and Subject: Themes in Portraiture", University College Cork, 2016.

**Paths of Life** Crown Pub

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*Curtis* Ten Speed Press

In an era before photography, three painters--Charles Bird King, George Catlin, and Karl Bodmer--traveled far and wide to record the culture of Native Americans. For the first time in one volume, "Native Americans: A Portrait" presents a major selection of original paintings, drawings, and lithographs by these three artists. More than 1,000 full-color reproductions offer eyewitness accounts of battles, hunts, ceremonies, and daily life.

**George Catlin's Portraits of Native Americans** Fort Phil Kearny/Bozeman

Native Family presents some of the finest examples of Edward Sheriff Curtis's portraiture, especially of women and children, as well as images that portray the traditional costumes, rites, and character of the individuals who made up the native nations of North America. Photographs of a wide variety of tribal groups from the Pacific Northwest to the Desert Southwest to the Great Plains are included. The images, selected by Curtis expert Christopher Cardozo, are from Curtis's landmark publication, *The North American Indian*. This twenty-volume, twenty-portfolio magnum opus contains thousands of photogravures and accompanying historical and descriptive text, some of which has been excerpted here to bring the pictures to life and provide information on family structure, marriage customs, living conditions, child-rearing, relationships, and other components of these native peoples' often difficult existence. Compiled over thirty years beginning in 1898, Curtis's study of more than eighty tribal cultures on the brink of extinction captured the essence of the Native American way of life.

*Picturing Indians* University of Arizona Press

Introductory essays by Katakis (photographer and writer), Vizenor (Native American literature, U. of California) and Preucel (curator and professor of anthropology, U. of Pennsylvania) discuss how the attitude of the photographer affects the image produced, whether a photograph is worth a thousand words, and the multitude of voices represented by the 48 full-page bandw photographs. The loudest "voices" speak of Manifest Destiny, progress, and industrial capitalism, which have both defined and controlled the ongoing conversation between native peoples and whites. Annotation copyrighted by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR

**The McKenney-Hall Portrait Gallery of American Indians** UPenn Museum of Archaeology

Even as their nations and cultures were being destroyed by colonial expansion across the continent, American Indians became a form of entertainment, sometimes dangerous and violent, sometimes primitive and noble. Creating a fictional wild west, entrepreneurs then exported it

around the world. Exhibitions by George Catlin, paintings by Charles King, and Wild West shows by Buffalo Bill Cody were viewed by millions worldwide. Norman Denzin uses a series of performance pieces with historical, contemporary, and fictitious characters to provide a cultural critique of how this version of Indians, one that existed only in the western imagination, was commodified and sold to a global audience. He then calls for a rewriting of the history of the American west, one devoid of minstrelsy and racist pageantry, and honoring the contemporary cultural and artistic visions of people whose ancestors were shattered by American expansionism.

*American Indian Portraits* Grin Publishing

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • A photographic and narrative celebration of contemporary Native American life and cultures, alongside an in-depth examination of issues that Native people face, by celebrated photographer and storyteller Matika Wilbur of the Swinomish and Tulalip Tribes. "This book is too important to miss. It is a vast, sprawling look at who we are as Indigenous people in these United States."—Tommy Orange (Cheyenne and Arapaho), author of *There There* Longlisted for the Andrew Carnegie Medal In 2012, Matika Wilbur sold everything in her Seattle apartment and set out on a Kickstarter-funded pursuit to visit, engage, and photograph people from what were then the 562 federally recognized Native American Tribal Nations. Over the next decade, she traveled six hundred thousand miles across fifty states—from Seminole country (now known as the Everglades) to Inuit territory (now known as the Bering Sea)—to meet, interview, and photograph hundreds of Indigenous people. The body of work Wilbur created serves to counteract the one-dimensional and archaic stereotypes of Native people in mainstream media and offers justice to the richness, diversity, and lived experiences of Indian Country. The culmination of this decade-long art and storytelling endeavor, Project 562 is a peerless, sweeping, and moving love letter to Indigenous Americans, containing hundreds of stunning portraits and compelling personal narratives of contemporary Native people—all photographed in clothing, poses, and locations of their choosing. Their narratives touch on personal and cultural identity as well as issues of media representation, sovereignty, faith, family, the protection of sacred sites, subsistence living, traditional knowledge-keeping, land stewardship, language preservation, advocacy, education, the arts, and more. A vital contribution from an incomparable artist, Project 562 inspires, educates, and truly changes the way we see Native America.

**Edward S. Curtis Portraits** Smithmark Publishers

Having built his reputation on his photographs of the Dells' steep gorges and fantastic rock formations, H. H. Bennett turned his camera upon the Ho-Chunk, and thus began the many-layered relationship. The interactions between Indian and white man, photographer and photographed, suggested a relationship in which commercial motives and friendly feelings mixed, though not necessarily in equal measure.

**Women of the Native Struggle** Univ of Wisconsin Press

"In *Strong Hearts*, popular visions of American Indians are challenged by artists and writers for whom self-representation is often as much a political as an artistic statement. For example: the darkly emotional scenes staged by Carm Little Turtle; Larry McNeil's metaphorical images of eagle feathers; Zig Jackson's satirical pictures of tourists photographing Indians; Maggie Steber's intimate portrayal of the Wildcat family; images of joy and of pain captured by the children in the "Shooting Back from the Reservation" project; and Jeffrey Thomas's close-up portraits of traditional powwow dancers. Three distinguished authors write about the struggle to overturn stereotyped perceptions of Native Americans. Paul Chaat Smith, cultural critic and writer, compares the nineteenth-century arms race that nearly wiped out his Comanche ancestors to the ways in which the camera has been used to form unyielding perceptions of Native people. Theresa Harlan, curator at the C.N. Gorman Museum, tells how constructed mythologies about Native people threaten not only their cultures but their very survival. Photographer and educator Jolene Rickard regards contemporary Native image-making as "documents of our sovereignty, both politically and spiritually." In their essays, all three show how the photographers in *Strong Hearts* use the camera to represent Native American people today. One hundred twenty-five images by thirty-four Native American photographers are complemented by poetry that echoes ancient story-telling traditions. From an anonymous Swampy Cree poem capturing the forces of Nature to Luci Tapahonso's narrative "Raisin Eyes"--a humorous, clear-eyed picture of modern love--this collection reveals enduring traditions central to Native American literature." -- Publisher's description

**Bones on the Ground** GRIN Verlag

"This group of extraordinary portrait photographs of Indians, taken just before World War I, lay buried in neglected files for more than fifty years -- a forgotten byproduct of the third Rodman Wanamaker expedition to the American Indian. Even the name of the photographer who took the pictures is not known for certain. They are credited to the expedition leader, Dr. Joseph K. Dixon. In any case, they come close, as few other such pictures have done to "capturing the Indians' souls," as *Life* magazine has said in a recent article. There are 120 portraits altogether, beautifully printed in their original size, of representative Indian men, women and children from tribes across the country in 1913. Individually, each is striking and memorable; collectively they offer a composite portrait of a people dispossessed and resigned, yet of dignity unimpaired."--Book jacket.

**Native Americans in Early Photographs** Random House Value Publishing

"This collection of portraits by photographer Edward S. Curtis captures the dignified spirit of Native Americans. Curtis portrayed the traditional customs and lifestyles of over eighty Native American tribes in over 2000 photogravure plates. This calendar showcases 13 of his intimate photographs.

**Beyond the Reach of Time and Change** University of Arizona Press

A collection of photographs from museums, collectors and private dealers that documents five centuries of Native American artistry.

**Real Indians** Routledge

A collection of early photographs of Native Americans, including the Southeast, the Southwest, the plains, plateau and basin, California, the Northwest coast, the subarctic, the arctic, and the Northeast.

*Indians on Display* Cambridge University Press

Always an important part of early circuses and Wild West shows, Native Americans are shown here in respectful portraits by the great circus photographer.

[Strong Hearts](#) Syracuse University Press

A history of the Native American, retold through archive photographs and narrative. It covers key events in Native American history from the first

contacts with Europeans in the 1500s, through centuries of conflict and struggle for land, to life in the territories today. It draws on hundreds of old photographs sourced from archives all over the USA and Canada and investigates the economic, social and spiritual life of the peoples - a traditional Indian childhood; the 19th century boarding schools; belief and superstitions - and maps which highlight shifts and diminishing Native territories.

**This Song Remembers** Applewood Books

Reminiscent of *I Dream a World* this is a book of quietly beautiful photographic portraits of Native-American women, accompanied by their own reflections on what it means to be a woman and an Indian in America. 85 black-and-white photographs.

**Tending the Fire** Detroit : Visible Ink Press

Produced in association with the American Indian College Fund and Wieden + Kennedy, with generous support from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation  
Curtis Stewart, Tabori, & Chang

A study of the literary influence of Edward Curtis's multi-volume collections of Native American photographs.