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Drumbeat is pleased to bring you their Catalog of Music of the East & Southeast Cherokee, Creek, Iroquois, Mic Mac, Pequot, Seminole, Seneca

Eastern States

ATSIAKTONKIE

- THE ANCIENT ONES - A CALL TO THE ANCIENTS

We are the Ancient Ones who were promised to come here and to bring peace to all people. The Great Change is soon and we send this CD filled with our original songs of long ago. They are all healing songs to touch your spirit. To the ones who hear these songs we promise your spirit will soar. Hear with your spirit! We speak all the Ancient languages and have many messages. Peace is our way and the reason for these songs is felt by your soul. Feel the songs! 11 songs including *Celebrating The Grandfathers*, *Building The Ancients*, and *Walking The Good Road*.

SWR 1001 CD \$16.98

WALKER CALHOUN

- WHERE THE RAVENS ROOST - CHEROKEE TRADITIONAL SONGS

From the Big Cove community on the Qualla Cherokee Reservation in the Smoky Mountains of North Carolina come these songs and stories. Includes green corn, horse, beaver, bear, quail, booger, peace pipe, eagle, Six Nations and friendship dance. Also includes: *The Trail of Tears Song (Guide Me, Oh Jehovah)*. Walker Calhoun recorded these songs at age 72 and received the first Sequoyah Award for his contribution to the folklife of the Cherokee Tribe at a gathering of the Eastern and Western Bands of the Cherokee in 1988 to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Trail of Tears. Extensive notes included with song texts, notes on the dances and biography of Walker and life at Big Cove.

MHC 1 Cassette & CD

CHEROKEE NATIONAL CHILDREN'S CHOIR

- CHILDREN'S SONGS IN THE CHEROKEE LANGUAGE

See the **Children's Collections** for more information.

CNCR002 CD only (Out of Print.)

- VOICES OF THE CREATOR'S CHILDREN

See the **Gospel/Christian Collections** catalog for more information.

CNCR003 CD only

CHEROKEE NATIONAL YOUTH CHOIR

- BUILDING ONE FIRE

See the **Gospel/Christian Collections** catalog for more information.

CNYC 004 CD \$15.98

- JESUS IS BORN TODAY

See the **Gospel/Christian Collections Christmas Section** catalog for more information.

CNYC 005 CD \$15.98

- CHEROKEE SUNDAY MORNING

See the **Gospel/Christian Collections** catalog for more information.

CNYC 006 CD \$15.98

- COMFORT AND JOY

See the **Gospel/Christian Collections Christmas Section** catalog for more information.

CNYC 007 CD \$15.98

- PRECIOUS MEMORIES

See the **Gospel/Christian Collections** catalog for more information.

CNYC 008 CD \$15.98

DRUM CIRCLE SINGERS

SSCT 4358 Cassette \$8.98

EAGLE SPIRIT SINGERS

- LIVE

SSCT 4361 Cassette \$8.98 (Out of Print.)

EASTERN EAGLE SINGERS

- MAQ-ATTAQ POW WOW SONGS FROM THE MIKMAQ NATION OF EASTERN CANADA

Thirteen pow wow songs including *Flaunt Your Shawl*, *What Dreams Are Made Of*, *Keep On Dancing*, *Feathers In Flight*, *Yat-Yo*, *Flat In The Grass* and more. Singers: Gary, Ivan and Brian Knockwood, Colin, Mark and Jason McDonald, Billy Joe and David Meuse, Mike and Nathan Sack, Sam Greer, Simon Nevis, Darren Myo, Scott Taylor and Jonathan Marshall.

SOAR 169 Cassette \$10.98 CD \$18.98

- TRADITIONALLY YOURS - TRADITIONAL SONGS FROM THE MIKMAQ NATION OF EASTERN CANADA

Ten songs including *Mi-Kmaq Honoring Song*,

Gathering Song, *Kwan-Do-Daey*, *Ko-Ju Wa-Kena*, *Eagle Circling* and more.

SOAR 178 Cassette \$10.98 CD \$18.98

- MIC MAC EAST SIDE CONNECTION (formerly FREE SPIRIT)

Singers: Brian Knockwood, Greg Marn, Jonathan Marshal, Billy Meuse, Mark McDonald, Simon Nevin and Nathan Sack. Ten songs including: *Copenhagen Joe*, *Bomberry Song*, *Scottian Bay*, *Duff Land*, *East Side Connection* and more.

SSCT 4345 Cassette \$8.98 CD \$15.98

- SACRED FLIGHT

The EASTERN EAGLE SINGERS are a group of young Mi'kmaq men from the Indian Brook First Nation in Shubenacadie, Nova Scotia, Canada. They proudly represent the Mi'kmaq Nation. They have been singing together since 1993 and have travelled to pow wows throughout Canada and the United States during the past four years. 13 songs including *Mi'Kmaq Pride*, *Native Princesses* and *Gusto*.

AR 1160 Cassette \$8.98 CD \$17.98

- GOOD MEDICINE

Over the past few years, this crew of Mi'kmaq pow wow singers from Canada's East Coast has become one of today's premier singing groups. This recording was inspired from the exhilarating feeling derived from a well-balanced mind, body, and spirit. Lose yourself in the voice of the drum. Members present on this recording are Greg Marr, Brian and Gary Knockwood, Jason McDonald, Jonathan Marshall, Robert Gloade, Jerrich and Tania Morey, Levi Herne, Pipogoes Augustine, and Matt Sanipass. Flute played by Stewart Augustine. 16 songs including a gathering song, a chicken dance, a side step, honour songs, women's and men's traditionals and more.

AR 1220 CD \$17.98

- SIPEKNE' KATIK

One of the ancient seven directions of the Mi'kmaq Nation meaning "where the ground nut grows." 15 more pow wow songs from this Mi'Kmaq drum. Songs include *As The Sun Sets*, *River Of Fire*, *War Scout*, *Duck and Dive*, *Love Spirit*, and *Our People's Medicine*.

AR 1267 CD \$17.98

FEATHER RIVER SINGERS

- DAUGHTERS OF THE EARTH

Feather River Singers is a Native Women's drum group dedicated to singing traditional Native

American music in native languages as well as English. They are of Cherokee, Choctaw, Blackfoot, and Comanche heritage. Of the 12 songs on this CD, eight songs are in Cherokee and four are in English. Songs include *Beautiful World, Fry Bread, Women Warriors of the 507th, and Eternal Fire*. The singers are Jesse Harris, Gwen Cochran, Anna Eyre, L.E. Honeycutt, Barbara Warren, Kathleen Shain, Seth Honeycutt, and Pamela Ames.
FRS 5238 CD \$15.98

FOUR WINDS SINGERS

- FOUR WINDS SINGERS - IROQUOIS SONGS

Recorded May 28, 1995 at the 2nd Annual Cherokee Festival, Ambler Pennsylvania. The FOUR WINDS SINGERS are Arnold and Grace Greenberg, Joseph Leon, Nick Aponglook and Ralph Malendez. Twelve songs including: *Jack Peterson's Song, Kiowa War Dance, Ojibwa War Dance, Fish Dance, Eskanye, Men's Traditional* and more.

SSCT 4267 Cassette \$8.98

FREE SPIRIT

- MIC MAC (MI' KMAQ) SONGS

Eight Mic Mac Songs from the Indian Brook Reservation, Nova Scotia, Canada. Songs include *Mi' Kmaq Honor Song*, round dance, gathering song, *Ko' jua* and *Mi' Kmaq Feast Song*. Singers: Garry Knockwood, Michael Doucette, Vaughn Doucette, Anthony Morris, Darrel Morris, Roy Herney and Greg Marr. A welcome addition to our selection of songs from the Eastern Tribes.

SSCT 4093 Cassette

IROQUOIS SOCIAL DANCE SONGS

- VOL. 1 - IROQUOIS SOCIAL DANCE SONGS

Standing Quiver Dance, Old Moccasin Dance, Cold Dance, Round Dance, and Delaware Skin Dance.

15140 CD \$15.98

- VOL. 2 - IROQUOIS SOCIAL DANCE SONGS

Rabbit Dance, Scalp Dance, Duck Dance, Robin Dance, War Dance, Raccoon Dance and Alligator Dance.

15141 CD \$15.98

- VOL. 3 - IROQUOIS SOCIAL DANCE SONGS

Strike-the-Stick Dance, New Woman's Shuffle Dance, Naked Dance, and Pidgeon Dance.

15142 CD \$15.98

KEVIN LEWIS

- VOL. 1 - CEREMONIAL SONGS AND DANCES OF THE CHEROKEE

Kevin Lewis sings fifty songs accompanied by a gourd or drum. Kevin learned the songs from his grandfather, Bud Lewis, who was 116 years old at the time of this recording and was still an active singer. Includes corn dance songs, running songs, bear dance songs, women's songs, marriage songs and black star songs.

IS 9001 Cassette (Out of Print.)

- VOL. 2 - CEREMONIAL SONGS AND DANCES OF THE CHEROKEE

Songs by Kevin Lewis. Black Star Society Songs, *Trail of Tears*, turtle dance, stomp dance, "Maturity" and social dance songs. Recorded in Oklahoma.

IS 9002 Cassette (Out of Print.)

SARAH "FLOWER" MICHAEL

- MICMAC SONGS - Contemporary Sarah is from Nova Scotia, Canada. She performs her songs at various Maritime gatherings, schools and pow wows. Contemporary style songs in English and Mic Mac with guitar and drum. Eleven songs - *Be Proud, Listen to my Heartbeat, Grandmother* and *Gather Around Little Children*.

SSCT 4163 Cassette \$8.98

- FLOWERS IN BLOOM

All songs written and performed by Sarah. Twelve songs including *The Eagle Flies, The Love I Sent You, Tipi Of Love, Laura, I Am Mic Mac* and more.

SSCT 4232 Cassette \$8.98

MYSTIC RIVER SINGERS

The MYSTIC RIVER SINGERS are from the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe.

- MYSTIC RIVER SINGERS

Randy Phelan (lead), Mike Thomas, Chris Pegram, Tyson Merrick, Jeff Pegram, Bill Runs Above, Delray Smith, Happy Three Stars Jr., Marvin Bull Tail, Jim Todome. Ten songs: Intertribals, and one Grass Dance and Round Dance song.

SSCT 4251 Cassette \$8.98

- CONNECTICUT

Eleven pow wow songs including *Grand Entry* intertribals, traditional, ladies traditional, *Teen Girls Crow Traditional* and more. Singers of different Nations came together in the east as a strong voice to the people, young and old. Singers: Jack Bull, Bill Runsabove, Brian Kelly, Seymour Eagle Speaker, Tyson Merrick, David Morsett, Kenny Merrick Jr., Sean Sherman, Jim Genia, Mike Thomas, Chris Newell.

SGMR 81796 Cassette \$8.98

- SCHEMITZUN 1996

MYSTIC RIVER SINGERS were Honorary Host Drum at Schemitzun, 1996 Pow Wow, a gathering of champion singers from all across Indian Country. Singers: Seymour Eagle Speaker, Jim Genia, Bill Runsabove, Tyson Merrick, Mike Thomas, Kenny Merrick Jr., Sheldon Sundown, Jack Bull, Brian Kelly, Chris Newell and David Morsett. Twelve pow wow songs including: *Grand Entry, Intertribals, fancy shawl, Golden Age Traditional*, and more.

SGMR 92096 Cassette \$8.98

- STRAIGHT AT YA

Brothers and sisters from many different Nations come together to present their original style. We hope you all enjoy the music!!

WRMR 005 Cassette & CD (Out of Print.)

- THUNDER FROM THE EAST

WRMR 025 Cassette & CD (Out of Print.)

- LIVE ON THE TRAIL 2000

Recorded live April 24, 2000 at the First Nation Winter Games in Saskatoon, Canada. MYSTIC RIVER SINGERS are: Kenny Merrick (lead),

Mike Thomas, Jeff McDonald, Tyson Merrick, Eric Plain Bull, Wayastie Richardson, Crow Belcourt, Chris Newell, Glenn Tait and Albert. Ten songs.
WRMR 029 Cassette & CD (Out of Print.)

- ROUND DANCE MYSTIC RIVER STYLE

RCR 9740 Cassette & CD (Out of Print.)

RED HAWK SINGERS

- VOL. 1

Recorded May 28, 1995 at the 2nd Annual Cherokee Festival, Ambler Pennsylvania. The RED HAWK SINGERS are Jim Springfield (lead), Bob Hawk, Marty Willits, Quentin Naracoosee Fuller, Jason Corwin. Ten songs including *Flag Song, Victory Song, Grass Dance, Traditional 49, Intertribal* and more.

SSCT 4266 Cassette \$8.98

- VOL. 2 - AMBLER, PA

This exciting band was recorded live at their performance at the 3rd Annual Cherokee Festival held in Ambler, PA. From Pittsburgh, they are a familiar host drum to many eastern pow wow gatherings. Their traditional music is a celebration of their Cherokee heritage. Ten songs including *Chief's Honor Song, Grass Dance, Tiny Tot Song* and more intertribal and traditional songs.

SSCT 4300 Cassette \$8.98

- VOL. 3 - CHEROKEE

SSCT 4359 Cassette \$8.98

RED THUNDER CLOUD

- VOL. 1 - SONGS AND LEGENDS OF THE CATAWBA

Red Thunder Cloud was born in 1919 and was 73 at the time of this recording in 1992. A member of the Catawba Tribe of South Carolina, he is the last living speaker of the Catawba language and the only one still performing his peoples songs, stories and rituals. Legends and stories are told in English. Songs are in Catawba with English introductions and translations. Red Thunder Cloud has recorded multiple tracks to create the effect of several people singing. Accompanied by drum and rattles. A very enjoyable tape representing the cultures of the Southeastern U.S.

RTC 01 Cassette

- VOL. 2 - SONGS AND LEGENDS OF THE CATAWBA

All voices, drums and rattles performed by Red Thunder Cloud. Like Volume One, Volume Two contains legends and songs, but it also includes three original compositions. Tez was a remarkable, warm, loving and funny man who had many friends and loved children. This recording is offered in memorium of Tez. Fifteen songs and legends including *Welcome Dance, Eagle Dance, How the Skunk Became A Hero, Black Snake Dance, Never Touch The Wren's Nest, How The Wolf Became Wild, The Hawk and The Buzzard, War Song, Phoebe Bird Song, Green Corn Dance, Horse Dance, Hunter's Dance* and more.

RTC 02 Cassette

SENECA SOCIAL DANCE MUSIC

From Allegany Reservation, Cattaraugus County, New York, recorded 1977 to 1980. Thirty songs by Avery and Fidelia Jimerson including *Seneca*

Anthem, stomp, moccasin, alligator, rabbit, round, robin, and shaking the bush dance songs and seven ladies' dance songs by the Allegany Singing Society.

FE 4072 Cassette

SENECA SONGS FROM THE COLDSRING LONGHOUSE

Recorded in New York and Ontario, 1941-45. Songs: *Gané O'On (The Drum Dance)*, *I Yondathade dé Swadenyon (Quavering-Changing-a-Rib)*, *Quavering*, *Bear Society Dance*, *Fish Dance*. Sung by Chauncey Johnny and Albert Jones.

L 17 Cassette

TRACY SHENANDOAH

- SONGS OF THE ONONDAGA

Shenandoah uses his spirited voice to share numerous Onondaga social dance songs. Tracy served as musical advisor on the Paramount Pictures film "*The Indian in the Cupboard*", and also performed one of the Onondaga songs in the film.

RVR 0964 Cassette (Out of Print.)

SIX NATIONS WOMEN SINGERS

- WE WILL ALL SING

A collection of traditional and social songs from the Seneca, Onandaga and Cayuga nations. Performing together for 28 years, these women have also participated together in the traditions of Longhouse religious and social music and dance. They are an arm of a larger organization called the Six Nations Women's Singing Society.

SOAR 175 CD \$18.98

SONGS AND DANCES OF EASTERN INDIANS FROM MEDICINE SPRING (Cherokee) & ALLEGANY (Cherokee & Seneca)

Ritual, ceremonial and social music from the Eastern U.S. Side 1 is Cherokee songs recorded at Medicine Spring Ceremonial Ground, Sequoyah County, Oklahoma. Includes long dance, doubleheaded dance and stomp dance songs. Side 2 is Seneca (Iroquois) songs recorded at Salamanaca, New York. Includes shake the bush, rabbit, corn and pigeon dance songs.

NW 337 Cassette & CD

SONGS FROM THE IROQUOIS LONGHOUSE

Recorded in New York and Ontario, 1941. 18 songs including *Great Feather Dance*, *Dream Song of the Creator at the White Dog Sacrifice*, *Medicine Dance*, *Onodaga Address to the Hunchbacks or False-Faces*, *Song of the Bushy-Heads or Husk-Faces*, *Scalp Dance*, *Women's Shuffle Dance*.

L 06 Cassette

SONGS OF THE CHEROKEE, DELAWARE AND CHOCTAW

L 37 Cassette

TURTLE ISLAND SINGERS

- LIVE @ S.E.C.C.5TH ANNUAL CHEROKEE FESTIVAL

SSCT 4363 Cassette \$8.98

TOMMY WILDCAT

- CHEROKEE STOMP DANCES, DANCERS OF THE FIRE

The Stomp Dance centers of the structures of old tribal towns, ancient clan dances and oral traditions of the old ways as well as on the 7 Families of the Cherokee as lived: the bird, deer, wolf, blue, red paint, long hair and wild potato. In the Circle of the Brush Arbors the dance begins with a stomp caller who summons the leader, followers and shell shakers who dance in counterclockwise stomping motion around the ceremonial fire. Singers are Tom W. Wildcat (leader) is 1996 Master Craftsman (Living Treasures Award) and Tommy and Lucas Wildcat (leaders) and Tammy Wildcat (shellshaker).

WILD-2 Cassette (Out of Print)

- CHEROKEE STOMP DANCE

Tommy Wildcat dedicates this album "To our Cherokee people who recognize the need to teach and enlighten our children so that our ways remain alive and are never forgotten".

RVR 0968 Cassette (Out of Print)

- CHEROKEE VOICES, SONGS & FLUTE

See the *Flute/New Age Collections* catalog for a complete description.

WILD-1 Cassette (Out of Print)

- CHEROKEE FLUTE - A WARRIOR'S SPIRIT

See the *Flute/New Age Collections* catalog for a complete description.

WILD-3 Cassette & CD

- FLAMES OF FIRE

See the *Flute/New Age Collections* catalog for a complete description.

WILD-4 Cassette & CD

- THE FIRE PEOPLE

See the *Flute/New Age Collections* catalog for a complete description.

WILD-5 Cassette & CD

- POW WOW FLUTES

See the *Flute/New Age Collections* catalog for a complete description.

WILD-6 Cassette & CD

- AH-NEE-YVH-WE-YVH

See the *Flute/New Age Collections* catalog for a complete description.

WILD-7 CD \$15.98

Southeastern States

CEREMONIAL SONGS OF THE MUSCOGEE

The members of the sacred grounds start watching for signs, as the warm days begin to be more and more, to return to their respective grounds to begin their age old ritual. For when the time is right, the sacred fire will be rekindled again to start the cycle all over again. Seven ceremonial dances led by John Proctor (Tallahassee), Jimmy Gibson (Duck Creek), Eunice Hill (Nuyaka), Phillip Deere (Nuyaka), Leon Bell (Tallahassee), Billy Joe Jackson (Gar Creek), and Thomas Yahola (Tallahassee).

IH 3008 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

LITEFOOT

- CHEROKEE, CREEK AND YUCHI, STOMP GRASS SONGS

This is Litefoot's second installment to further promote and preserve the songs of Native people from the southeastern portion of Indian Country. Tommy Wildcat lends his voice to these songs as he did in Litefoot's first Stomp Dance recording (RVR 0968).

RVR 0965 Cassette (Out of Print)

LEGENDS OF THE NORTH

AMERICAN INDIANS

- VOL. 1 and II - Twelve stories told by Jackalene Crow Hiendlmayr (Cherokee/Creek). See the *Legends/Storytelling Collections* catalog for more information.

IH 9041 Cassette

IH 9042 Cassette

SONGS OF THE MUSCOGEE CREEK

Starting in May and ending on October, the dances of the Creek (Muscogee) Nation revolve around the main Green Corn Ceremonial usually held on chosen days in July or August. Originally from the states of Georgia and Alabama, the Creeks were removed to Oklahoma in the early 1800's, and after reestablishing their towns in Oklahoma, the Green Corn Ceremonial has been followed down to the present day. The Green Corn Ceremonial differs somewhat from town to town. The Ceremonial itself was practiced in related forms by most tribes of the Southeast, songs and practices in Georgia hardly differing from those in Louisiana. However, it is the Creek (Muscogee) Nation, including the confederated Yuchi and closely related Seminole, who retain to this day the purest, most complete forms of the Green Corn Ceremonial.

- PART 1 - SONGS OF THE MUSCOGEE CREEK

Buffalo dance, Long Dance, and 5 stomp dances sung by Harry Bell, James Deere, Netche Gray, Frank Jackson, Tema Tiger, and David Wind. Shell Shakers are Frances Deere, Stella Deere, Helen Tiger and Eliza Wind. Recorded at Seminole, Oklahoma. (Now on CD.)

IH 3001 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

- PART 2 SONGS OF THE MUSCOGEE CREEK

The continuation from Volume 1. Three Stomp dances, Friendship Dance, Gar Dance, Guinea Dance, and Morning Dance. (Now on CD.)

IH 3002 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

SONGS OF THE SEMINOLE INDIANS OF FLORIDA

- RECORDED 1931-1933

Recorded 1931-33 by Dr. Frances Densmore on cylinders. Includes corn dance, Cypress Swamp hunting and buffalo dance songs, snake and bird dances, plus songs for treatment of the sick and songs concerning removal of Seminole to Oklahoma. Notes.

FE 4383 Cassette & CD

STOMP DANCE

Stomp Dance is part of a social ceremony which takes place mainly in the summer months from May until October. Although each square ground has their own calendar and customs, there are

usually five main dances at each ground during the year. For these recordings, an effort was made to select leaders from different grounds, and with different styles of singing in order to present a few of the many styles of stomp dance singing. (**Volume 1 and 2 now on CD.**)

- VOL. 1 - MUSKOGEE, SEMINOLE, YUCHI

Six Stomp dances led by Jimmie Skeeter, Oscar Pigeon, Vernon D. Atkins, William M. Beaver, John McNac, and Harry Bell. Shell Shakes are Linda Alexander, Francis Cosar, Edna Deere, Caroline Harry, and Eliza Wind. Recorded at Okemah, Oklahoma.

IH 3003 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

- VOL. 2 - MUSKOGEE, SEMINOLE, YUCHI

This continues from Volume 1 with six more Stomp dances led by David Wind, Red Hicks, Joe Sulpher, Wade Bucktrot, Jr., Tony E. Hill, and Tema Tiger.

IH 3004 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

- VOL. 3

This volume includes a traditional introduction by Spencer A. Frank, appropriate and necessary because it is a major part of the Stomp Dance Ceremony and it had not been recorded in earlier volumes. Singers are Gary Bucktrot, Sonny Bucktrot, Spencer A. Frank, Ralph Gray, George McNac, Billy J. Scott, Joe Sulpher, Eugene Thomas, Tema Tiger, and Sam Watson. Shell Shakers are Linda Alexander, Wenona Bunny, and Chumona Harjo. Liner notes by Joe Sulpher explain the importance and role of the Stomp Dance Ceremony. Recorded at Bristow Oklahoma, March 8, 1991.

IH 3005 Cassette \$9.98

- VOL. 4

This volume includes the Double-Header Dance and the Garfish Dance (which had almost faded from the Stomp Dance Ceremony). Singers are Gary Bucktrot, Sonny Bucktrot, Spencer A. Frank, Ralph Gray, George McNac, Billy J. Scott, Joe Sulpher, Eugene Thomas, Tema Tiger, and Sam Watson. Shell Shakers are Linda Alexander, Wenona Bunny, and Chumona Harjo. Liner notes by Joe Sulpher explain the importance and role of these dances. Recorded at Bristow Oklahoma, March 8, 1991.

IH 3006 Cassette \$9.98

STOMP DANCE BLUES

- A TRIBUTE TO JOHNNA

Recorded September 1999 in Miami, Oklahoma this recording features six stomp dances (three with English words) led by John Ballard, Ben Barnes, John Gibson, James Squirrel and Troy Little Axe Sr. It is lighthearted, a 'social' stomp dance to be enjoyed by all. The album is dedicated to Johnna Gibson, daughter of John and Terri Gibson. We hope you enjoy it.

IH 3101 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

STOMP DANCE SONGS OF THE MUSKOGEE NATION

- VOLUME 1

7 ceremonial stomp dances led by Wayland Gray, Farron Culley, Andy Butler, Jimmy Gibson, Russell Thompson, Wendell Reschke and Chapman Cloud. Recorded at the Muscogee Nation Omnplex, Okmulgee, Oklahoma, July 18, 1999.

IH 3009 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

- VOLUME 2

7 ceremonial stomp dances led by Kevin Mack, Roman Hill, Vincent Butler, Darren Mack, James Mosquito, Joe Sulpher and Wesley Butler. Continued from Volume 1 recorded at Muscogee Nation Omnplex, Okmulgee, Oklahoma, July 18, 1999.

IH 3010 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

TALLAHASSEE CEREMONIAL GROUND OF THE MVSKOKEE NATION - CREEK

Tallahassee is one of the 14 active ceremonial grounds of the Mvskokee Nation, located in eastern Oklahoma. Liner notes by Thomas Yahola explain the narrative and procedure of the dances. These songs are about expressing God's Love for one another, about their elders - for their well being and for elders that have passed on. Includes a Peace Dance, six Stomp Dances, and ends with one Old Dance. Recorded at Wetemka Oklahoma, October 22, 1994.

IH 3007 Cassette \$9.98 CD \$15.98

Language

BEGINNING CHEROKEE

Second Edition - By Ruth Bradley Homes and Betty Sharp Smith. This book is the first of its kind to teach the rudiments of Cherokee, the native tongue of about 20,000 Americans. Cherokee has had several recognized dialects in the past. Two main dialects are the Northern Carolina, spoken on the Quella Reservation by about 3,000 persons, and the Oklahoma, or Western, which is a consensus of the different ways of speech among the Cherokees mingles there after removal from the East in the 1830's. This book uses the Oklahoma dialect. *BEGINNING CHEROKEE* was written to fulfill increased interest and demand for those who would like a convenient source book on the Cherokee language. The Cherokee language frames an outlook and an intellect that contributes much to civilization. Contains a Study Guide for 27 lessons, Vocabulary List - Cherokee/English - English/Cherokee; 14 Appendices covering original & modified syllabary, Seqoyah's numeral system, tree-plant list; verbs, reading list and more.

Companion cassettes sold seperately contain

Lessons one through 16

BC 114637-BK (book only)

CHEROKEE MADE EASY

A revision of *PRESERVING THE CHEROKEE LANGUAGE* by Prentice Robinson. This course is in booklet form with three 60 minute cassettes containing vocabulary with sentences and phrases of common usage. The first lesson tape includes vocabulary. The second lesson tape moves on to sentences and phrases. The third tape includes an understanding of the syllabary with instruction on how to read and write Cherokee. The full syllabled form of pronunciation is used rather than common usage or slang form. Robinson has spoken the language since childhood. He is a retired school teacher and has served as Education Director for the Cherokee Heritage Center at Tahlequah, Oklahoma. Many students report ease of usage. No other study is as clear and simplified.

CLC-3 Book with 3 cassette tapes

CLC-3CD CD with book

CHEROKEE STUDY COURSE 1

This is a basic beginning study containing sixteen lessons with some everyday vocabulary, sentences and phrases. It gives the student an opportunity to practice writing the Sequoyian Syllabary and at the same time learn the correct pronunciation using the companion audio tape. Included are tests for each lesson with the answers in the back of the book so the student can test themselves. This study is in the Western or Overhill dialect, but can be used by the Eastern or Kituwah as well, as there is very little difference in the two dialects. Prentice Robinson taught Cherokee at Tulsa Junior College and in community centers for over 20 years. As in each of his study programs, every effort has been made to produce accurate and authentic material in both the written and the audio with the intent that an absolute base of information be established for generations to come.

CLC-4 Cassette with book

CLC-4CD CD with book

CHEROKEE STUDY COURSE 2

A continuation of the CHEROKEE STUDY COURSE 1 presented by Prentice Robinson. This course contains 22 lessons with accompanying quizzes. This course delves deeper into the Cherokee language teaching more phrases than simply words. It asks the questions - Who?, What?, Where?, When?, and Why? The perfect companion to the first course for anyone interested in a functional understanding of the Cherokee language.

CLC-5 Cassette with book

CLC-5CD CD with book