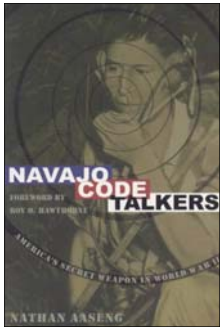


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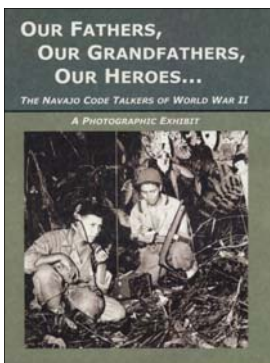
A SAMPLE OF SOME BOOKS & MOVIES ON THE NAVAJO CODE TALKERS



Navajo Code Talkers
 America's Secret Weapon in World
 War II
 By Nathan Aaseng
 114 pages \$8.95

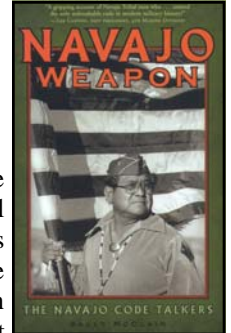
On the Pacific front during World War II, strange messages were picked up by American and Japanese forces on land and at sea. The messages were totally unintelligible to everyone except a small select group within the Marine Corps: the Navajo code talkers - a group of Navajos communicating in a code based on the Navajo language. This code, the first unbreakable one in U.S. history, was a key reason that the Allies were able to win in the Pacific. A new foreward by Roy O. Hawthorne, vice-president of the Navajo Code talkers Association, provides further insight based on his experience as a code talker in World War II. Includes photographs, bibliography, index and maps.
 0-8027-7627-2

Our Fathers, Our Grandfathers, Our Heroes...
 The Navajo Code Talkers of World War II
 A Photographic Exhibit
 A school project students at Wingate High School
 88 pages \$19.95



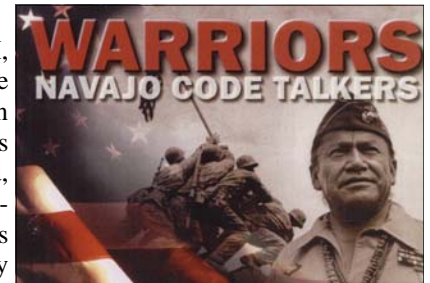
Between 1942 and 1945, on the tiny Pacific Islands, thousands of miles from the security of their Four Sacred Mountains, Navajo Marines spoke in a code forged from their native language. While it amazed the American troops, this code baffled the Japanese and greatly helped win World War II in the Pacific. The idea to use a Native American language as a code was not new. It had been used minimally in World War I. The United States Marine Corps, however, tested and developed a complex network of nearly 400 Navajo Code Talkers that spanned all six Marine Divisions. Beautifully put together, this book starts at the beginning with how it all began, lists the first 29 volunteers, and continues with excellent photos and even the code. An exceptional photographic remembrance.
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Navajo Weapon
 The Navajo Code Talkers
 By Sally McClain
 212 pages \$16.95



Based on first-person accounts and Marine Corps documents, and featuring the original code dictionary, NAVAJO WEAPON tells how the code talkers created a unique code within a code, served their country in combat, and saved American lives. It relates the events of nine key battles of the South Pacific, including Bougainville, Cape Gloucester, New Britian, Saipan, Guam, Peleliu, and Iwo Jima. Told with great pride and passion, well written, interesting and historically correct. An absolute must for the library of the serious military historian.
 1-88789-632-5

Warriors
 Navajo Code Talkers
 Photographs by Kenji Kawano
 107 pages \$19.95



During World War II, as the Japanese were breaking American codes as quickly as they could be devised, a small group of Navajo Indian Marines provided their country with its only totally secure cryptogram. Recruited from the vast reaches of the Navajo reservation in Arizona and New Mexico, from solitary and traditional lives, the young Navajo men who made up the code talkers were present at some of the Pacific Theatre's bloodiest battles. They spoke to each other in the Navajo language, relaying vital information between the front lines and headquarters. Their contribution was immeasurable, their bravery unquestionable. Seventy-five of the surviving Navajo Code Talkers are included in this book, their faces testaments to long and valiant lives. Kenji Kawano is a native-born Japanese who came to America in 1973 and was drawn to the mystery and beauty of the Navajo reservation, where he met Carl Gorman, one of the patriarchs of the Navajo Code Talkers Association. His interest and their trust led to his appointment as the groups' official photographer. His portraits are honest and sensitive representations.
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Winds of Freedom

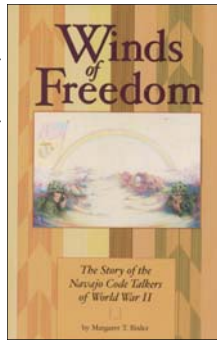
The Story of the Navajo Code Talkers of World War II

By Margaret T. Bixler

173 pages \$16.95

In this volume, we not only have a compassionate and thoroughly readable account of one of the least known human dramas in America's World War II Pacific campaign, but a glimpse of the role played by one group of American Indians in that war. This story is both surprising and enthralling. The first two chapters of this book go briefly into the colorful history and fascinating prehistory myths as told to Navajo children. This way one can appreciate the sacrifices of a remarkable group of men known as the Code Talkers of World War II. Theirs was the only code the enemy could not break. These brave youths, many underage and coming from a 'foreign' culture into the Anglo war culture of the Marine Corps, were able to adapt, to integrate, and yet retain their beliefs in the Navajo Way. A beautifully written accounting of the Code talkers. Included in this volume are photographs, appendices which include the Navajo Code, and a map showing the Navajo Nation's land.

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The Unbreakable Code

A children's book by Sara Hoagland Hunter

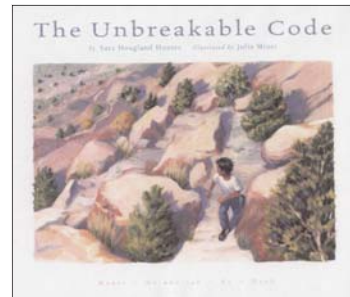
Illustrated by Julia Miner

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John is scared. His mom married the man from Minnesota, and now he has to leave the Navajo Reservation. John has never lived off the Reservation. What will it be like? How will he measure up to the people who live outside of the Four Sacred Mountains? But John's grandfather tells him he will be all right, for he has something very special to take with him: he has the unbreakable code—the code that saved the lives of thousands of Americans in the Pacific during World War II, invented using the then unwritten Navajo language. *The Unbreakable Code* portrays the quiet pride of a Navajo

code talker as he explains to his grandson how the Navajo language, faith, and ingenuity helped win World War II. Beautifully illustrated.

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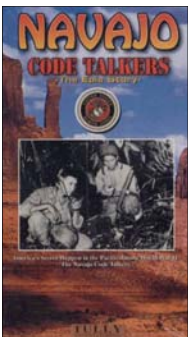


A Documentary and Movie about the Navajo Code Talkers

NAVAJO CODE TALKERS: THE EPIC STORY

From 1942 until 1945, the U.S. Marine Corps recruited over 400 Navajo Indians for duty as communication specialists. These specially trained Navajos - known as *Code Talkers* - devised an unbreakable voice code to transmit battlefield messages during the Pacific Campaign. From Guadalcanal to Iwo Jima to Oki-nawa, the Code Talkers transmitted and received military messages in coded Navajo that could not be broken by the Japanese. *NAVAJO CODE TALKERS: THE EPIC STORY* is the first authoritative and comprehensive documentary to examine a little-known chapter of both Marine Corps and Navajo history during World War II. This brilliant and fast paced video brings to life the compelling story of the Navajo Code Talkers whose amazing skills played a vital role in America's victory in the Pacific. The code was so important that it was classified and the Navajo's role in WWII could not be acknowledged publicly until the early 70's. 55 minutes

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WINDTALKERS

In the brutal World War II Battle of Saipan, Sergeant Joe Enders guards - and ultimately befriends - Ben Yazzie, a young Navajo trained in the one wartime code never broken by the enemy, the Navajo Code. But if Yazzie should fall into Japanese hands, how far will Enders go to save the military's most powerful secret? John Woo directs this exciting "against-all-odds battle adventure" inspired by the true story of the Navajo soldiers whose courage and sacrifices helped win the war in the Pacific. Starring Nicolas Cage, Adam Beach, Roger Willie, and Christian Slater. 134 minutes. Close Captioned. Rated R.

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WINDTALKERS (Director's Edition)

Three disc DVD collector's set includes personal on-camera introduction by the director, three audio commentary tracks, historical documentary, WW II tribute, scene diaries, "actor's boot camp"- featurette, photo gallery and much more! Beyond the story - explore the true story of the Navajo Code Talkers and retrace their journey from Marine recruits to decorated heroes. Behind the scenes - get an inside look at the making of this epic adventure from the actor's rigorous training to the filmmakers' sweeping battle recreations. Close Captioned.

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