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The Invention Of Native American Literature-Robert Dale Parker 2018-08-04 It is an original, widely readable, and accessibly written history of Native American literature by focusing on issues of power and literary form. Among the writers Parker highlights are Thomas King, Leslie Marmon Silko, D'Arcy McNickle, Louise Erdrich, and Gerald Vizenor. Parker argues that Native American literature is about more than anything, or who suspect or feel presumed that they have nothing to do, or who seek or feel presumed that they have nothing to do. It is an original, widely readable, and accessibly written history of Native American literature by focusing on issues of power and literary form. Among the writers Parker highlights are Thomas King, Leslie Marmon Silko, D'Arcy McNickle, Louise Erdrich, and Gerald Vizenor. Parker argues that Native American literature is about more than anything, or who suspect or feel presumed that they have nothing to do, or who seek or feel presumed that they have nothing to do.

Coming To Light Brian Swann 2015-12-29 A richly diverse anthology of Native American literature draws on the work of more than two hundred tribes across the United States and Canada and provides information on the historical and cultural contexts of the stories, songs, prayers, and orations.

Handbook of Native American Literature-Andrew Wipfler 2013-06-17 The Handbook of Native American Literature is a unique, comprehensive, and authoritative guide to the oral and written literatures of Native Americans. It lays the perfect foundation for understanding the works of Native American writers. Divided into three major sections, Native American Oral Literatures, The Historical Emergence of Native American Writing, and Native American Renaissance, the book presents over 1200 pages of research, written by scholars of the Association for the Study of American Indian Literature. The book features reports on the oral traditions of various tribes and subjects such as the role of the Indian in American history, culture, and literature. Previously published in cloth as The Dictionary of Native American Literature

Salish Myths and Legends N. Terry Thompson 2008-01-01 The rich storytelling traditions of Salish-speaking peoples in the Pacific Northwest of North America are showcased in this anthology of story, legend, and oratory. From the Bitterroot Mountains to the Pacific Ocean, Salish-speaking communities such as the Bella Coola, Kutenai, Haida, Coast Tsimshian, and Kwakiutl have long maintained a rich oral tradition. The volume presents six case studies of important individuals, movements, and interactions in this history. He recovers the work of some of the most innovative and under-recognized Native American writers.

Narrative Chance-Charlie T. McCormick 2011 Written by an international team of acclaimed folklorists, this reference text provides a cross-cultural survey of the major types and methods of inquiry in folklore. * Contains contributions from major scholars such as Doris Lessing, Linda DeGraf, and Dan Ben-Asher * Numerous photographs bring the subject to life * More than 300 entries, each concluding with a bibliography of references * Over 50 sidebars provide biographical information on major folklorists and scholars

The Greenwood Encyclopedia of Folktales and Fairy Tales [3 Volumes] Donald Haase 2007-12-30 Provides entries on themes and motifs, individuals, characters and character types, natural phenomena, and genres of folk and fairy tales from around the world.
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The One Only Living to Tell Mike Burns 2012-04-01 Mike Burns–born Hoomothya–was around eight years old in 1872 when the US military murdered his family and as many as seventy-six other Yaqui people, women, and children in the Skeleton Cave Massacre in Arizona. One of only a few young survivors, he was adopted by an army captain and ended up serving as a scout in the US army and adventuring in the West. Before his death in 1934, Burns wrote about the massacre, his time fighting in the Indian Wars during the 1880s, and life among the Kwichelupya and Toh BUILDAYA. His precocious position between the white and Native worlds gives his account a distinctive narrative voice. Because Burns was unable to find a publisher during his lifetime, these firsthand accounts of history from a Native perspective remained unseen through much of the twentieth century, archived at the Sheriff Hall Museum in Prescott. Now Gregory McNamees has brought Burns’s text to life, making this classic Native American autobiography available. An indispensable tool for scholars and general readers interested in the West—specifically Arizona history, the Apache wars, and Yaqui and Apache history and lifeways. È

Reading the Fire: Jarold Ramsey 2017-05-01 Reading the Fire engages American Indian literary and cultural perspectives in a larger American imagination and landscape. This revised edition of a book first published to critical acclaim in 1983 includes fourteen new essays. Drawing on ethnographic data and regional folklorists, Jarold Ramsey moves from origin and trickster narratives and Indian ceremonial texts, into interpretations of stories from the Nez Perce, Clackamas Chinook, Coos, Wasco, and Tillasco repertoires, as well as exploration of stories from Native literatures and bodies, into contact with European literature. In his finely worked, erudite analyses, he mediates between an author-centered, print-based narrative tradition and one that is oral, anonymous, and tribal, adding parallels between Native texts and works by Shakespeare, Yeats, Beckett, and Faulkner.

Comedy-Marcus Charney 2005

Stories That Make the World: Rodney Friery 1999-03-01 By using form and visual class indicating pauses, intonations, and gestures, anthropologist Rodney Friery permits readers to hear the oral literature of narrators from the Cuerd d’Alex, Cree, Klikitat, Kutenai, Nez Perce, Sanpoil, and wasco people today in Washington, northern Idaho, and Montana. He places each of the twenty-three narratives in its larger cultural, literary, and expressive context, making this anthology an important resource both for American Indian people and for non-Native scholars and general readers. A glossary and a lesson-plan appendix facilitate the book’s use both in secondary and college-level courses. The Voice in the Margin: Arnold Krupat 1989-01-01 Argues that Native American writers should be included in the body of American literature and

Indii’s Humor: Kenneth Lincoln 1993 Drawing on history, psychology, folklore, linguistics, and anthropology, and the arts, this book challenges “wooden Indian” stereotypes to redefine negative attitudes and humanness approaches to Native American peoples. Moving from tribal culture to literate intercultural literacy, Lincoln explores such topics as the traditional Trickster of origin myths, historical issues, Euroamerican “playing Indians,” feminist Indian humor at home, contemporary painters and playwrights reinvigorating Coyote, popular mixed-blood, and Red English. Lincoln turns to the texts of Native American authors including Louise Erdrich, James Welch, and N. Scott Momaday. To illustrate the rich tradition of Native American humor: a tradition that evolved as the result of and has survived in spite of a history of unconnected suffering and sadness during the course of which seventy percent of the native populations were destroyed. A study of the literary humor of poets like Paula Gunn Allen, Diane Burns, and Linda Hogan provides further evidence of the importance of the role of humor in Native American culture. Indii’s Humor documents and interprets the contexts of laughter among Native American, as they see and are seen by the rest of the world. The study, Lincoln concludes, is much more complex than the poems, visual artists, playwrights, and novelists who make up the cultural renaissance of the past twenty years. Focusing on ethnic humor, from jokes in books and pieces, to intercultural politics, to literature, Indii’s Humor will enlighten and entertain readers interested in Native American culture, as well as scholars of Amon and Ethnic Studies, and

Blood and Land: J.C. King 2016-08-25 Blood and Land is a dazzling, panoramic account of the history and achievements of Native North Americans, and why they matter today. It is about why so understanding of the wider world is possible without comprehending the original inhabitants of the United States and Canada. Native Americans, First Nations and Arctic peoples: this highly personal book, based on years of travel and first-hand research in North America, introduces a deeply complex story: of myriad identities and determined ethnicities—from the desert Southwest to the high Arctic, from first contact between Europeans and Native Americans to the challenges of Native leadership today. Instead of writing a chronological history, King confronts the reader with the paradoxes, diversity and successes of Native North Americans. Their astonishing ingenuity and supplier intelligence, enabled, after centuries of suffering both violence and dispossession, a striking level of recovery, optimism and autonomy in the twenty-first century. Beautifully illustrated and filled with arresting and surprising stories, Blood and Land looks well beyond the “feathers-and failure” narratives beloved by historians to show us Native North America as it was and is.

Native American Storytelling: Karl Kroeber 2008-04-15 The myths and legends in this book have been selected both for their excellence as stories and because they illustrate the distinctive nature of Native American storytelling. A collection of Native American myths and legends. Selected for their excellence as stories, and because they illustrate the distinctive nature of Native American storytelling. Drawn from the oral traditions of all major areas of aboriginal North America. Reveals the highly practical functions of myths and legends in Native American societies. Illustrates American Indians’ preferred engagement with their natural environment. Edited by an outstanding interpreter of Native American oral stories. Red Matters: Arnold Krupat 2010-01-01 The Turn to the Native: A Nice Jewish Boy among the Indians, the final chapter, “A Nice Jewish Boy among the Indians,” presents the author’s effort to balance his Jewish and working-class heritage, his adherence to Western “critical” ideals, and his ongoing loyalty to the values of Native cultures.

The Short, Swift Time of Gods on Earth: Donald Buir 1994-09-30 As a definitive work we are likely to get on Pima-Papago mythology.È—William Bright, author of a Coyote Reader

Humor in Contemporary Native North American Literature: Eva Grauher 2008 Encompassing view of humor in recent Native American literature, with particular focus on Native self-image and identity.

Phonetically Based Phonology: Bruce Hayes 2004-08-12 Phonetically Based Phonology is concerned in the hypothesis that phonologies of languages are determined by phonetic principles; that is, phonetic patterns involving ease of articulation and perception are expressed linguistically as grammatical constraints. This book begins with an essay by a team of scholars who offer a comprehensive overview of phonetic research on word order variation. The papers in this volume discuss word order variation in a diverse collection of languages and from a number of perspectives, including experimental and quantitative text based studies. A number of papers address the problem of deciding which order is ‘basic’ among the alternatives. The volume will be of interest to typologists, to other linguists interested in problems of word order variation, and to those interested in discourse syntax. American Indian Culture and Research Journal—1985

Word Order in Discourse: Pamela Doving 1995-01-01 This volume brings together a collection of 18 papers discussing the problem of word order variation in discourse. Word order variation has often been treated as an essentially unpredictable phenomenon, a matter of selecting randomly one of the set of possible orders generated by the grammar. However, as the papers in this collection show, word order variation is not random, but rather governed by principles which can be subject to scientific investigation and are common to all languages. The papers in this volume discuss word order variation in a diverse collection of languages and from a number of perspectives, including experimental and quantitative text based studies. A number of papers address the problem of deciding which order is ‘basic’ among the alternatives. The volume will be of interest to typologists, to other linguists interested in problems of word order variation, and to those interested in discourse syntax.

Pitch Woman and Other Stories: Coquelle Thompson 2007 Despite the political instability characterizing twentieth-century Taiwan, the value of basied in the lives of Taiwanese has been a constant since the game was introduced in 1995. The game has been popular with young people, especially for its popularity continued after World War II despite the withdrawal of the Japanese and an official lack of support from the new state power, the Chinese Nationat Party.