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### **Lesley Williams**

Tbt: my great grandma Mamie Dale -  
Paiute from Stillwater, Nevada.

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### **Climate Change: How to Make the Big Polluters Really Pay**

*Naomi Klein, Guardian UK*

Klein writes: "When the call came in that the University of Glasgow had voted to divest its £128m endowment from fossil fuel companies, I happened to be in a room filled with climate activists in Oxford. They immediately broke into cheers. There were lots of hugs and a few tears."

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*"We think creativity, like information, should be accessible to everyone in a community, and that the library is the perfect deomocratic space to make that happen."* [libraryasincubatorproject.org](http://libraryasincubatorproject.org)

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## **Brad Pitt's HBO Miniseries 'Lewis & Clark' Open Casting Call for Lead Roles**

Nationwide Open Casting Call - HBO Miniseries 'Lewis & Clark' open casting call for lead speaking roles. [projectcasting.com](http://projectcasting.com)

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The **National Coalition for Core Arts Standards (NCCAS)** may be found at [nationalartsstandards.org](http://nationalartsstandards.org) on an interactive website as an option for teachers and other users to create customized standards handbooks that match their curriculum and student learning needs.

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## **New Loan Model Supports Women Entrepreneurs**

Donna Davis, Regional Administrator, Region IX

Helping banks get to “yes” on small business loans for women entrepreneurs has never been more important to America’s economic health than it is right now.

Smaller firms are driving our recovery, creating nearly 2 out of every 3 private-sector jobs. That’s why we’re encouraging banks to join our lending network and increase lending activity to small business owners, especially women and minority-owned firms.

In our region, women-owned businesses comprise 1,245,000 or roughly 30% of all small firms, and they need capital to invest in new equipment, new buildings and to meet a growing payroll.

We’ve recently streamlined the lending process by rolling out a credit scoring model for SBA small dollar loans of \$350,000 or less, combining personal and business credit scores. This model eliminates the requirement for banks to submit cash flow analysis on loans of \$350,000 or less, cutting the time and cost of applying for a loan.

This new credit scoring method helps lenders to generate more loans which will ignite more economic activity. And, by establishing a quicker, cheaper and consistent loan process, lenders can do more small-dollar lending.

A study by the Urban Institute found that women and minorities are three to five times more likely to be approved for an SBA-backed loan than a traditional bank loan. In other words, if the SBA doesn’t get capital to these entrepreneurs, often no one will.

This new credit scoring model will inevitably support the growth of all small businesses, but especially women and minority-owned small businesses, because it will expedite their access to capital.

Approval of smaller loans is a vital part of our promise of equal opportunity in America. Therefore, I call on our local lenders to work with us in Region IX, and to use our quick credit scoring model for small dollar lending to quickly advance loans and expand capital access.

Small businesses will benefit and that means our economy will benefit.

For further lender information, please visit us at [www.sba.gov/for-lenders](http://www.sba.gov/for-lenders) .

### **To The Indigenous Woman, Poem by 1491s**

Raise Awareness and Help End the Epidemic of Violence against Native Women in the U.S.—  
Please Share this Video from the Indian Law Resource Center, [www.india...](http://www.india...) youtube.com

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**"People say that Indians have bigger problems than mascots and use of Native American images, but I disagree. If you can't see me as an individual, then how can you understand the problems we have as a people?"**

**-- Frank LaMere, Winnebago**

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### **Where Mud Is Archaeological Gold, Russian History Grew on Trees**

By DAVID M. HERSZENHORN

More than 1,000 birch-bark documents have been uncovered after being preserved for hundreds of years in the magical mud of Veliky Novgorod.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INTERDISCIPLINARY SOCIAL SCIENCES

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### **Films For Action     02:23**

This Painting Captures a Disturbing Truth about the History of Our Education System

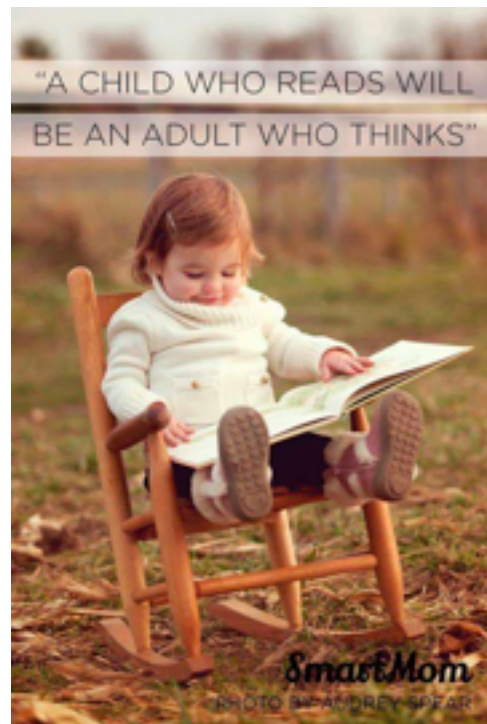
This is a clip from **Schooling the World: The White Man's Last Burden**. Thanks to the generosity of the film-makers, for a few more days you can watch the full film online for free and in HD!

Watch it here while you can: [http://www.filmsforaction.org/watch/schooling\\_the\\_world\\_2010/](http://www.filmsforaction.org/watch/schooling_the_world_2010/)

2 Minute Video Link: <http://www.filmsforaction.org/watch/this-painting-captures-a-disturbing-truth-about-the-history-of-our-education-system/>

Filmmaker's site: <http://schoolingtheworld.org/>

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# Round Dance/Potluck November 15th 2014 Yerington Paiute Colony Park



## **Faith and fears in Wendell Berry's Kentucky**

BY DARBY MINOW SMITH

What it's like to drink bourbon with one of America's most respected writers -- and to meet the farming community that surrounds him.

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## **Bosco Verticale is Italian for dope urban treehouse**


BY SAM BLISS

This just in: We no longer have to choose between living in the city or the forest.

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**Report: U.S. Water Systems, Deteriorated and Slow to Change, Need New Strategy – And Money**

More of the same is not working in changed conditions of the 21st century. Photo © Scott Strazzante / Circle of Blue Oakdale SCO Storage Basin project in Toledo,... [Read More...](#)

*If your name is Bundy.....but if it is Dann or Yowell.....*

## **Six Months After Bundy Standoff in NV, the Federal Govt. Still Hasn't Responded**

It has been six months since the federal government called off its attempt to round up cattle belonging to... [splcenter.org](http://splcenter.org)

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## **Lakota People's Law Project ONE SMALL SACRIFICE: Lost Children of the Indian Adoption Projects**

We would like to take this time to thank Chase Iron Eyes for all of the work that he has done to help us create a permanent solution to the foster care issues that plague the Lakota children in South Dakota.

In addition to being the South Dakota Legal Counsel and Spokesperson for the Lakota People's Law Project, Chase Iron Eyes has been central in helping his Lakota brothers and sisters.

Iron Eyes is one of the founders of Lastrealindians, which has just started printing its monthly publication! He also spearheaded the funding to buy back Pe' Sla and the Healing the Rez campaigns. Iron Eyes is a spokesperson for the Black Hills Treaty Council and an Honor The Treaties board member.

Thank you Chase for all of your contributions!



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## **Nevada K-12 Education Funding Remains Below Pre-Recession Levels**

October 21, 2014 - Troy Wilde, Public News Service (NV) [Play Audio in Browser Window](#)

CARSON CITY, Nev. - The [results of a new study from the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities](#) shows education funding for K-through-12 schools in Nevada remains below pre-recession levels.

Ruben Murillo, president at the Nevada State Education Association, says the research shows Nevada's per-pupil spending is four percent less than it was in 2008.

"What it tells me is our public schools are hurting," he says. "They can't really provide the education to our students without the resources and the personnel."

According to the study, at least 30 states are providing less funding per student for the current school year than before the recession, and 14 of those states have cut per-student funding by more than 10 percent. Oklahoma, Alabama, and Arizona lead the nation with the deepest cuts.

As the November 4th general election quickly approaches, Murillo says the governor and state Legislature should make the education of Nevada's future workforce a top fiscal priority.

"Smaller class sizes, expanding learning time, hiring and retaining the best and the brightest teachers and support staff," says Murillo. "Something has to give in the Legislature to not turn a blind eye to these facts that are so blatant and in your face."

Murillo says voter approval of a proposed two percent tax on businesses, also known as the Margins Tax or Question 3, would generate an estimated \$800 million per year to fund public education. He says that much money would help restore funding for K-12 schools to above pre-recession levels.

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[Why is the global climatic cataclysm of the sixth century virtually unheard of?](#)

There was a sign from the sun, the like of which had never been seen and reported before. The sun became dark and its darkness lasted for 18 months.&nbsp; Each...

[ancient-origins.net](#)

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[HUD Secretary Julián Castro Witnesses 13 People Living in 2-Bedroom House on Pine Ridge Indian...](#) [nativenewsonline.net](#)

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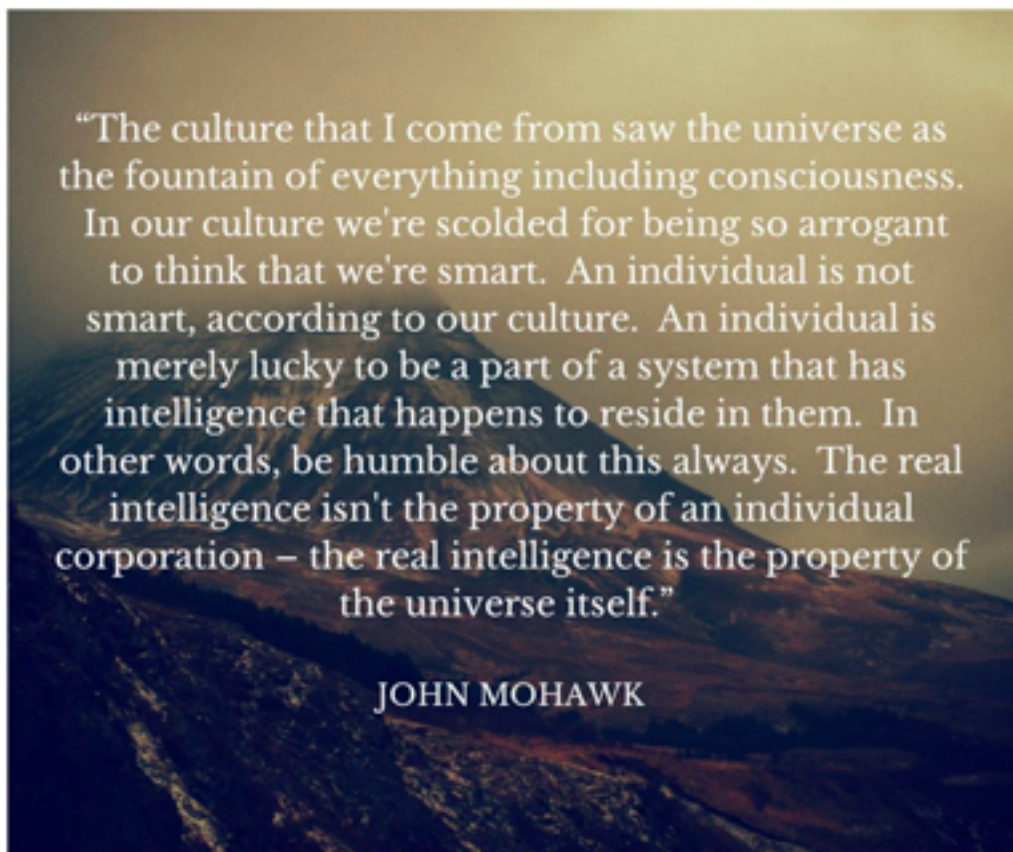


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ords of wisdom from the late John Mohawk, Seneca elder, scholar, activist, farmer and [#Bioneer](#)

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### Beating Climate Change by Retooling the Economy - The Story Begins in Navajo Country *Mary Hansen, Yes! Magazine*

Hansen reports: "From the East Bay in California to the mountains of Appalachia, fossil fuel companies have drilled, burned, and mined their way into towns, cities, and rural areas...disrupting the lives of people and damaging the environment." [READ MORE](#)

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### Tribe, agencies lay out arguments in water lawsuit

The Desert Sun

Two *water* districts, the federal government, and the Agua Caliente Band of ... of *California's* drought, as seen at the Whitewater Groundwater Replenishment ...

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[Thoroughly modern humans interbred with Neanderthals - life - 22 October 2014 - New Scientist](#)

The oldest genome from a modern human reveals that modern humans with modern behaviour...

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Jennifer Moreno died in Afghanistan while rushing to help her fallen comrades. Her story shows that courage in combat knows no gender. <http://bit.ly/1onh555>

SHARE to honor her sacrifice, and that of the nearly 150 other female soldiers who have died in Iraq and Afghanistan.

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**Ceci Schimmel: The Tough Love Mother Native America Needs** [nativenewsonline.net](http://nativenewsonline.net)

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### **Marge Harjo taking her final walk**

[Bucky Harjo Reno, NV](#) ·

This evening, there was a beautiful rainbow over mom's house, a gentle rain high in the sky.... Heaven opening the door's for you, I am trying to be strong, but I am a child, a boy, a man, and I hurt knowing that you will soon depart this physical world. I love you very much that word's cannot describe. You gave birth to eight beautiful babies, 5 son's and 3 daughter's, and we are all praying for you along with grandchildren and great grandchildren. You brought us home to Nevada, and I am grateful to see the home where you lived. There are moments you shared with me all throughout my life, your guidance, wisdom and discipline among other thing's that I will not ever forget, I remember the life you gave me, bringing me into this world as you did with all 8 of us. Yes, it is difficult to lose your mother, a mother's love and strength is very strong but when the thought of not being able to hold you no longer, I cry, but this is life, we had fun in our crazy family, we didn't ever have much but we had love and knew how to make a feast out of very little. We will mourn but we will be strong and continue on that bond that we as a family know, crazy as it be, even in difficult time's we still smile and laugh. I only have one mother you were both a mother and a father as well as a friend....You have always been my hero....Love you mom....

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The strength in family is very strong. We had many members of the family, friends of the family come and visit with mom this past weekend. Her day's are limited and precious, it is up to her when she is ready. It was very uplifting to have that kind of support, and prayers.

I don't see death as the end but as a graduation, from one world into the next. I (we), will miss having our mother but we know she will be with us in spirit. The photo's I will post and have posted are our family. 25 photo's

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October 21, 2014 10:15p.m. Our mother began her Spiritual Journey.....It was a peaceful graduation, my niece's and my brother and I were talking about photograph's above the bed, joking and laughing and reminiscing our childhood day's. We kissed her and thanked her and loved her, yes it is difficult and has been since she had gotten ill. We had many laughs through the hard times, as mom was a very strong will woman, having raised eight children, working to at time more than one job to raise us all. Mom was a great person, a hard working nurse and

knew her occupation well, as she had us to work on for the many childhood accidents we all had, she had us back up and running in no time! Not to mention what a great cook she was, she taught me at a young age. Mom was 93 young, she may have been blind in her last years, but that didn't stop her, I am amazed how long she continued to live long after she could no longer drink water, and what water she did drink, was very little, and no food to eat. Imagine the world in which she lived? 1921 to 2014! How the world had changed in her lifetime! We are blessed to have the mother that birthed all eight of us. When grandchildren were born she was a very happy woman, and even more when the grandchildren were born! Love you momma!!!! We love you mom!!!!

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