

Five Nation Longhouse Confederacy

'Ka-nin-he-a-ha - People of Flint'



KAHNAWAKE KANIENT'KEHÁ:KA NATION

Two days after the 11th New Moon, October 23rd 2025.

Proper exercising of the Three Sacred Human Responsibilities *pertaining to proper burials of our Loved Ones*

From the very beginnings of Creation Herself, the first Mother gave birth to Her First Sacred Responsibility, the proper bearing of Her children.

Her second Sacred responsibility is to lovingly care for all of Her children equally.

The Third sacred Responsibility was not carried out by our First Mother but rather, by Her children, in the proper care and Ceremonial passing of our Great Mother, including the proper burial of Her Sacred body.

In the Proper way, Her body was returned to the roots of our Great family Tree, free of hindrance, so that her essence could in turn **give back** to the body of the Great Tree, thereby, She is able to continue to nourish and care for Her children in the Good Way - as the late Ann Jock, Kanienkehaka Bear Clan, used to say in the Longhouse all the time.

All true human beings must be free to carry out these Sacred Responsibilities without hindrance of any kind whatsoever, in order to remain a part of the continuum of our Great Family Tree.

Just as we are limited to average times of gestation and then, human lifespans, there are also "average times" to our return to the Earth, when we are cared for and Ceremonially buried in the "proper way", in the roots of our Great Tree.

Since the evolution of humans, every human on earth has been returned back to the Earth in the proper natural way, with variances only due to different climates, cultures and physical conditions.

However, through the advancement of colonization encompassing all countries on Earth, all people are now subjected to man made laws and practices that prevent these Three Sacred Responsibilities from being fulfilled. This, not only restricts and prevents our humanity from being exercised while in this world, but then, even restricts and or prevents our return to the roots of the Great Tree of Life in the "proper" amount of gestational time, to be born into our next realm of existence.

These restrictions are crimes against our collective humanity and the processes of life itself and are to be corrected by all people, in every country and culture that is now preventing free and proper shroud burials.

Many countries are restricting our remains from returning properly back to the Earth, by outlawing **shroud or open burials**. This is a crime against Creation Herself, as it interferes with the most sacred processes of life itself, wherein we are supposed to give back what we have taken out from the Tree, in the proper way, free of hindrance, in the proper time to our death/gestational process.

This, in accordance with the Great Law of Peace and the Two Row Wampum Peace Treaty between the Original People of Turtle Island and the colonial forces that have come from across the Great Waters.

Everyone on Earth should govern themselves accordingly

Skennen kowa,
Great peace,

Stuart Myiow
Wolf Clan representative
Kanienkehaka Traditional Council
PO BOX 531, Kahnawake
Mohawk territory
J0L 1B0