

## **CHEROKEE NATION**

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Dear Helen:

Thanks for the wonderful fact sheet describing your move to New Mexico. I am so glad you are making this move. New Mexico is such a special place. I am considering joining the board of the Institute of American Indian Arts there in Santa Fe next year. Charlie Soap, my husband, serves on the Board of Wings which is based in Santa Fe. Maybe we can connect occasionally.

I wanted to thank you so much for providing support to Kitchen Table Press and Barbara Smith. As you know, Kitchen Table Press is not just about publishing wonderful works, it is a small, warm family of women who do a great deal of organizing, often on a shoe string.

Barbara has not had a response from the Ms. Foundation so I plan to write to Marie requesting support for Barbara's proposal.

Best wishes to you and your family as you begin this new adventure.

Sincerely,

Wilma P. Mankiller Principal Chief