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CHARLES VANN, CHEROKEE
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GENERAL SUBJECTS: SOME VIEWS AND OUTLOOK AS EXPRESSED BY A YOUNG FULL-BLOOD INDIAN IN TODAY'S WORLD

TOPICS DISCUSSED:

INTRODUCTION
DISCUSSES SEQUOYAH AND ART
ART WORKS
SPEAKING OF TODAY'S INDIANS

BACKGROUND OF INFORMANT:

Charles Vann, age 32, is a full-blood Cherokee Indian who lives in Salina, Oklahoma, in Mayes County. Mr. Vann is an Indian artist in his own rights and depicts much of his Indian heritage combined with Indian feelings and Indian causes. He was born and raised in Spring Creek Country in Mayes County. Attended school at Iron Post, Balleu and Locust and high school at Salina. He attended college at Okmulgee.

NOTE: The other interviews on this tape are: Hulsie King, Creek
Thelma Murphy, Shawnee
Wilson Haynie, Creek
Joe Ross, Cherokee