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EVELYN CHALEPAH, KIOWA

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GENERAL SUBJECT: SAINDAY AND OTHER STORIES TOLD IN KIOWA BY ABLE BIGBOW
WITH ENGLISH VERSIONS GIVEN BY EVELYN CHALEPAH

PARTICULAR TOPICS:

FIRST SEGMENT: STORY ABOUT HOW SAINDAY COOKS AND EATS HIS OWN LEG;
HIS ADVENTURE WITH THE WHIRLWIND WOMAN, AND HOW HE TRICKED THE
PRAIRIE DOGS AND GOT TRICKED BY COYOTE; SAINDAY PLAYING WITH THE
SUN

SECOND SEGMENT: SAINDAY EXCHANGES CHILDREN WITH A PANTHER

THIRD SEGMENT: SAINDAY MEETS AND TRICKS A WHITE MAN

FOURTH SEGMENT: SAINDAY PRETENDS TO DOCTOR A WOUNDED DEER BUT INSTEAD
LETS IT DIE AND EATS IT

FIFTH SEGMENT: SAINDAY MARRIES HIS DAUGHTER-IN-LAW; BIG DIPPER
CONSTELLATION IS SAINDAY'S ARM

SIXTH SEGMENT: DRIED-UP-SNOT BOY AND SAINDAY BOTH TRY TO MARRY CHIEF'S
DAUGHTER AND SNOT BOY WINS

SEVENTH SEGMENT: SAINDAY AND THE POUNDED MEAT

EIGHTH SEGMENT: SAINDAY TRIES TO CATCH A WOMAN WHILE ENTICING DEER
INTO TRAP

NINTH SEGMENT: SAINDAY TURNS HIMSELF INTO A PUPPY AND LEARNS THAT ONE
MAN HAS BEEN HOARDING BUFFALO WHILE THE CAMP STARVES

TENTH SEGMENT: MEDICINE MAN MAKES TOBACCO OUT OF COTTONWOOD BARK

ELEVENTH SEGMENT: KIOWA MAN'S REMINISCENCES OF BATTLE OF THE WASHITA

TWELFTH SEGMENT: INDIAN LIFE AFTER THE WARS ARE OVER: FEAR OF WHITE
SOLDIERS

THIRTEENTH SEGMENT: INDIAN LIFE IN RESERVATION PERIOD: HOW CERTAIN
LANDMARKS WERE NAMED

FOURTEENTH SEGMENT: DIFFERENCES BETWEEN OLD WAYS AND NEW WAYS

FIFTEENTH SEGMENT: STORY ABOUT GIRL WHO TURNED INTO A BEAR AND KILLED
HER PEOPLE AND TRIED TO EAT HER BROTHERS AND SISTERS WHO TURNED
INTO STARS (DEVIL'S TOWER STORY)