

but what the Comanches had the similar group, and the Kiowas, and the songs. But getting back to these Apache big shots--they're the ones that accepted this from these Lipans or these Barefoot Indians, or whoever they were. They came down there and told 'em about this. And the story goes beyond that, I don't know how many years--but it's in the Bible. In Genesis. And it's in Romans. And one other chapter too. However, that corresponds with the Bible in more ways than one.

(Some irrelevant conversation)

(Have you ever heard of an Apache woman named besbizi ?)

That has something to do with metal. Iron or metal. Do you have a translation on that?)

(The only thing I have is "Iron Bert.")

besbizi. Yeah. Iron Belt. No--that's the first time I heard that. besbizi. -- that's metal or iron belt.

(Did you ever know May Spotted Crow?)

Yes I know her.

(Is she Apache?)

Half. She's half Apache and half Arapaho.

(Is her mother Apache?)

She's half Arapaho and half Apache. But she married a Cheyenne. She marry Antelope, and later--when he died, she married another Cheyenne. Cheyenne-Sioux--Spotted Crow.

(You said she was half Apache. Was it her mother what was Apache?)

Yes, I think that's the way I heard it. We used to be affiliated with these Arapahoes. Way before we got with these Kiowas and Comanches. Up in the Dakotas.

(Did you ever hear who this May Spotted Crow's mother was?)

No, Louise probably knows. You got to ask her about that. But I just heard.

Louise could confirm that.

(END)