

for the last time, the Indian people decided, then, that they would create a joyous noise. This joyous noise would be in the spiritual way in appreciation for what God had given them. They created their Stomp Dance Song. Only God could understand that no man on earth shall ever really know the real meaning of the Stomp Dance Song. For in this manner, they sang to their God in appreciation for the way of life that was given to them. In many respects, these songs could be compared to your religious songs, your Christian songs of today. Take Rock of Ages, this gives some encouragement to the individual who hears the religious song, Rock of Ages. The spirits are uplifted, they flow into the heavens and in the same manner of your Stomp Dance songs from the Indian people and the smoke from the fire descends into heaven with the noise and the sounds of the Stomp Dance songs. Very much like the Christian faith, there are only a few Indians, the Cherokee Indians, who believe and follow their own way of life. And the Christian faith there--

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