

The way I look at it, this Ghost Dance--there's lot of thing I--just like I study--I think about them, study them. I go to Pentecostal Church. I listen. I see people. And that's just the way that Ghost Dance is. People used to get up and shake and all that. That way. That's where that Ghost Dance they call come from, I always tell these people. That's just what it is. And then these Pentecostal people, they fall on the floor and they say they talk in tongues. And I have seen all these, you know--Arapahoes--when they had Ghost Dance--there used to be woman laying over there, or men--just all over, just fall. And they used to just talk. And you couldn't understand them. And that's where this Ghost Dance come from is Pentecostal religion--that's the way I look at it. That's the way I look at it. It's just like that Ghost Dance. Now these men be singing and everybody be singing and dance--somebody come out shaking, jumping up--that's just the way the Pentecostal people do. And I always say that's where it come from. So when people make fun of it, I think they making fun of the One that give it--I always think that way--like the Lord. Maybe the Lord sent it down to the earth for somebody to--you know. Like these preachers, they say, "If you ask, the Lord is going to help you." Well, He helped these people. And they brought this out. And there's some people that makes fun of it. But the way I look at it, it's just like a Pentecostal--because I've gone to Pentecostal, and it reminds me of it. I used to see them--down here east--they used to dance. I used to dance. I used to see them do that--hold their hands up and shake. That's the Ghost Dance. And holler, and say, "Father, Father, Father." And that's the way they do at Pentecostal. And I don't think it's any different from this Ghost Dance, the way I look at it. That's the way I think about it. But you know, people, they make fun of it, but I don't think they ought to.

(Make fun of the Ghost Dance?)

No--make fun of the Pentecostal. They had a respect for that Ghost Dance. They didn't make fun of it. And when they come to, they used to say they seen Heaven. They seen people that had already left this world. They used to say that. That's just the way the Pentecostal people do. And I don't think anybody ought to make fun of it. They ain't no different in it. A preacher preaches same thing--they pray the same way. And I don't see why they make fun of it--of these Pentecostal people. In other churches, you go to churches and you go to sleep. They don't stay--but over here in the Pentecostal church, you can feel the Spirit. They can make you feel it. The way they--they really wake people up, I think. But some people--I heard some white people say, "Why do you go to that crazy church?" I just told that man, "Praise the Lord." He said, "You're going to that crazy church."