

boy from now on out. As long as you live." So that's how he become into Comanche and Apache. But those Apaches there was from the west tribe, and this Maseet is fell-blooded Comanche. So later on they went and the Kiowas bought him. Trade him. Trade something--I don't know what it was for him. So he become a Kiowa--into Kiowa.

(What Kiowa family got him, do you know?)

Well, I don't remember those folks of my father. But I know my grandmother's folks--she's a Kiowa. I don't know what's these folks' name that bought my grandfather. But that's the way it came, you know.

(Did he ever tell you how old he was when he was captured?)

Well, he said that he was just a young boy. He must of been about, maybe fourteen or fifteen years old, when he was captured. See, they captured my grandma when she was just about nine or ten--somewhere along in there.

(Lincoln: They were brother and sister.)

Yeah.

(So your grandfather and his sister were both captured?)

Yeah.

(Well, what ever happened to the sister?)

Well, she died later.

(While she was still young?)

Yeah.

(Lincoln: Did she have any children?)

No. She didn't have no children.

(Did the Kiowas buy her too?)

Yeah, the Kiowas bought her. But she died before she was married.

(Did your grandfather still remember his Spanish?)

Well, I guess he does, but I never get any story from him. Never have..

Yeah, he talks Spancish good. Talks Spanish as good as he talks Kiowa.