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EUGENIA'S PARENTS

(Mrs. McDaniels: She's talking about her step-father--)

I don't know how he died.

(Wha'ts her step-father's name?)

(Mrs. McDaniels: I think that's Hummingbird.)

(Kiowa conversation)

. . .my father died. And my mother got married again. And you know I named after my second--step-daddy. His name is Hummingbird. That's my step-dad. They call me Eugenia Hummingbird. That's what they call me. They never name my name on my own daddy. They think this is my daddy.

(Well, what is your own daddy's name?)

That's the one that you got-- pu' belo' koi -- that's my own daddy.

(Is he the one that was the medicine man?)

Yeah, he medicine. And this one ain't medicine man. He's nothing.

(How old were you when your mother married Hummingbird?)

Well, maybe I was about twelve. When I got through thirteen I went to school.

(Now Hummingbird, was he the one that used to gamble quite a bit?)

No, he don't gamble. He's a Indian police. We just live by the Agency.

Oh, he's nice man. He's just like my own daddy.

(Where is this Agency you're living by? Is that here in Anadarko?)

They got some houses. About four-room houses. They build four-room house.

That time they just do anything for you. They make house and make us live in there. And they give the rations every-two--every Friday. They feed them.

(How did Hummingbird get fo be in the Indian police?)