

where people might get sick in the meeting but not sick at their stomach?

Is there any other way it could make you sick?)

Well, they always say that peyote is good medicine when you're sick on the inside of your stomach. But outside, it won't do nothing. But if you're sick inside, it'll be good for you. You might could use it on the outside--I don't know--like a sore salve or something. Some of them, they use that green peyote and if they got a sore they put that on there. Tie it up. They say it will draw all that poison out. If you got a sore you can just slice it (the peyote) and put it on there. Tie a rag over it. And for rheumatism they say you can make your tea--hot tea and soak a towel in there and while it's still hot, you can rub your knee or something with that towell and all that--I don't know what's in them joints--will come out. It'll draw it out. They say it's good for that. I never did try it.

(Is there any other way, like if you were eating peyote in a meeting, that it could make you sick besides this being sick at your stomach and having to throw up?)

No. It don't make you sick--unless you eat chili. Chili and peyote don't mix. That's the only time it'll make you sick. But some people like to throw up when they eat peyote. They just go out and throw it up and come back and eat some more.

(Do they have to get permission to get up and go out?)

Yeah, but they don't get sick. They just got that habit. They just want to go out and vomit and then come back in. And they say it's good for that, you know. If you feel sick in the stomach, peyote will work on you and make you throw all that up--whatever you have in your stomach.

(And they go and take more the rest of the evening?)

Yeah, eat some more. Then they're all right. If you're sick on the inside of your stomach, they say that peyote is good. Lots of times