

and still make advancements in white man's society? Think you can be both? Can you be an Indian, I'm talking like if you want to go to an Indian dance or go to a pow wow, or sing Indian songs, that doesn't keep you from being successful in our everyday economic life, does it Howard?)

Howard: It sure doesn't. You can be both. And I think this is a great advantage for the Indian, that he can know the Indian culture and still get this advancement in education and going to pow wows and so forth. But, let's go back to this, also, I've been a Sunday school teacher for about 17 years now, teaching adults all this time. Now, in the church life, it's a little different. They want you to stay away from pow wows, they want you to stay away from Indian doings, culture, you know. Forget about this and lead a Christian life. You look at these things and then I think back there's also, well, maybe I'm wrong, this is my opinion, say Indian preacher he preaches to get away from the pow wows, get away from Indian culture, and about pow wows. For instance, my Boy Scouts, in the Boy Scout organization, we can't get away from the Indian culture and everything. We're Indians. And then, maybe the preacher, instead tells us don't go to pow wows, don't do this, don't go to the Indian doings, but when we go to camp out, all the other white boys wants to be an Indian. They want to dance, they want to be Indian. (Laughter) And here we are Indians and they're telling us not to be. Of course, looking at it there's two different ways looking at it not to be an Indian, but still these Boy Scouts look at you and say here's a real Indian, you know. Say, "We'll learn a lot from 'em, and everything." Well we haven't been dancing. The kids, they've been taught a different way and they get away from this Indian doings. Then, what are you going to do when you got a group of white kids and even when you go to campment why white people say, these Indian kids are good at something, "Come here. We are gonna