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CHEROKEE CLANS

The Cherokee Indians had seven Clans, as follows:

ANI-WA-YA - Wolf

ANI-TSI-SKIWA - Bird - meaning more than one

ANI-WA-DI - Clay - meaning live being

ANI-SOHA-NI

ANI-WAR-DEE

ANI-GILA-HI

ANI-GOR-GAR

The Clans organized by the Indians were supposed to be a sort of Social or Religious side of their lives.