



RADICAL INDIGENOUS LOVE

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The Indigenous "I Love You" Project

What are your traditional words for love?



NATIVE *Love* IS
COMMUNITY



Love for our Beloved Mother Earth



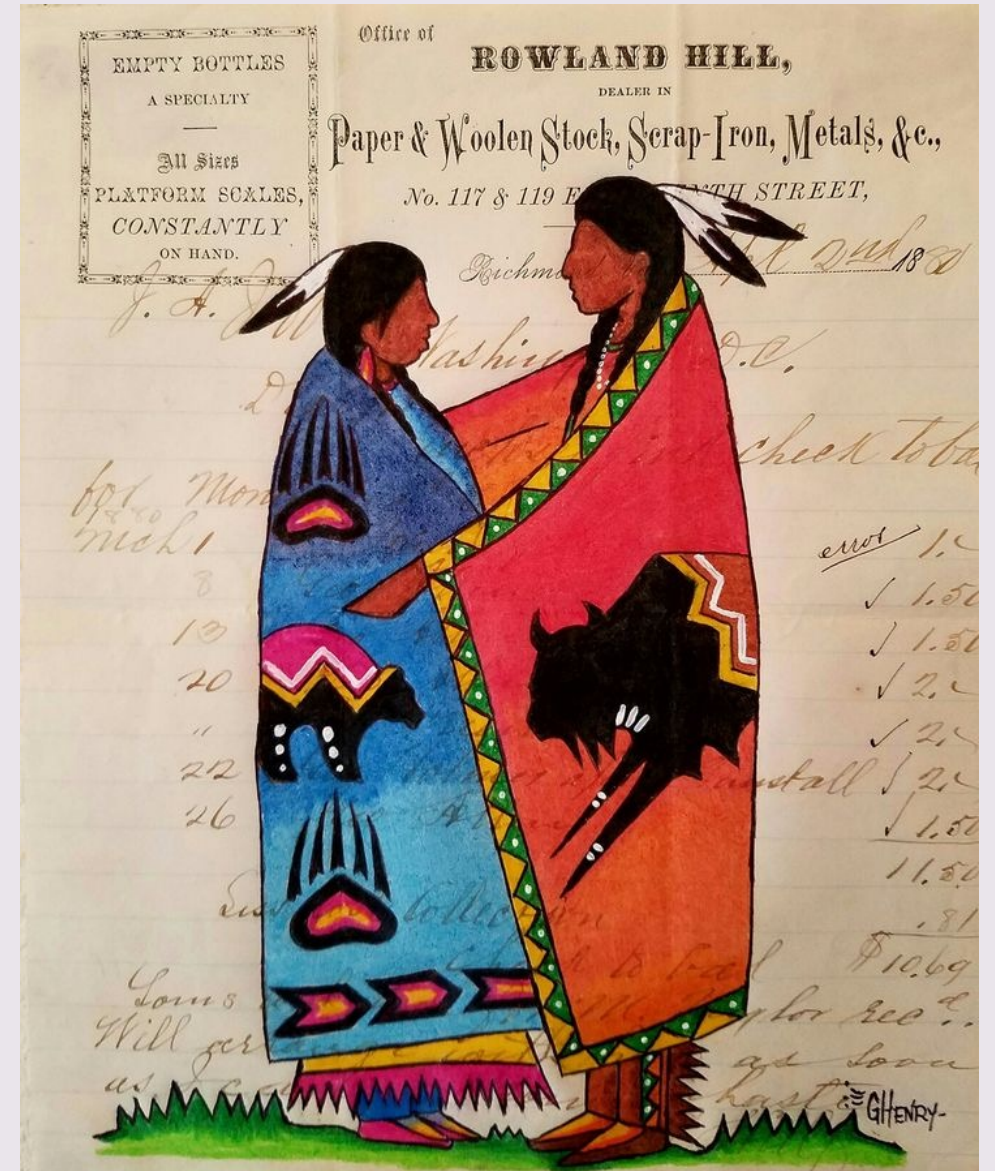
Love for our ancestors and Creator

Walking, I am listening to a deeper way. Suddenly all my ancestors are behind me. Be still, they say. Watch and listen. You are the result of the love of thousands.

Linda Hogan (b. 1947)
Native American writer

“To love well is the task in all meaningful relationships, not just romantic bonds.”

— bell hooks, All About Love: New Visions



“To truly love we must learn to mix various ingredients – care, affection, recognition, respect, commitment, and trust, as well as honest and open communication.”

— Bell Hooks, *All About Love: New Visions*



“Abuse and neglect negate love. Care and affirmation, the opposite of abuse and humiliation, are the foundation of love. No one can rightfully claim to be loving when behaving abusively.”

— Bell Hooks, *All About Love: New Visions*



What are ways you show love?

