



Yupik

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Handbook of North American Indians, volume 5
Native Cultures in Alaska
The Native People of Alaska

AK-R 970.00497 HANDBOO
AK-R 306.089 NATIVE
AK-R 306.089 LANGDON

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Always Getting Ready: Upterrlinalruta: Yup'ik Eskimo Subsistence in Southwest Alaska. Large photos depict contemporary subsistence rituals of the Yupik people in the Yukon-Kuskokwim region.

N 979.84 BARKER

Bashful No Longer: An Alaskan Eskimo Ethnohistory 1778-1988. Traces the history of the people of the Kuskokwim Delta area from the Russian-American Company to the modern era.

N 979.84 OSWALT

The Cama-I Book: Kayaks, Dogsleds, Bear Hunting, Bush Pilots, Smoked Fish, Mukluks, and Other Traditions of Southwestern Alaska. Student writings describe personalities, heritage, and lifestyles in their varied Alaskan communities. Includes selected legends.

N 979.8 CAMA I

Eskimo Essays: Yup'ik Lives and How We See Them. An in-depth look at Yupik culture by an anthropologist who has studied Yupik cosmology and Western thought.

N 970.8004971 FIENUP

The Face of Dance: Yup'ik Eskimo Masks from Alaska. This exhibition catalogue from the Glenbow Museum displays both Yupik and Inuit dance masks.

N 391.434 WALLEN

Inua: Spirit World of the Bering Sea Eskimo. Many excellent photographs of Eskimo artifacts gathered by Edward Nelson from 1877-1881.

N 306.08997 FITZHUG

The Living Tradition of Yup'ik Masks. Over 200 19th century masks from southwest Alaska along with their history, meanings and uses in traditional native ceremonies.

N 731.75089971 FIENUP

Medicine Men of Hooper Bay, or The Eskimo's Arabian Nights. These tales are part of the lore of the shamans who practiced healing.

N 398.2 GILLHAM

Raven's Children. Author Richard Carey tells the story of Oscar Active and his family, tracing the changes in the lives of the Yupik people during the Seventies. **N 306.089971 CARY**

The Real People and the Children of Thunder: The Yup'ik Eskimo Encounter with Moravian Missionaries John and Edith Kilbuck. Relates the impact of the missionaries on the Yupik Natives. **N 266.460922 FIENUP**

The Wake of the Unseen Object: Among the Native Cultures of Bush Alaska. A compelling series of essays written by an Alaskan journalist. **N 979.8004971 KIZZIA**

A Yupiaq Worldview: A Pathway to Ecology and Spirit. A unique study written by a Yupiaq researcher and educator familiar with both Yupiaq science and the science of the modern world. **N 305.8971 KAWAGLEY**

Yupik Lore: Oral Traditions of an Eskimo People. Selections from tapes originally recorded by Bethel High School students, 1975-1980, for *Kalikaq Yugnek* magazine. Written in English and Yupik. **N 398.204971 YUUT**

Yuuyaraq: The Way of the Human Being. Insights into the Yupik view of mankind and the universe. **N 362.108997 NAPOLEO**

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Some authors who have written on the Yupik:
Ann Fienup-Riordan **Steven A. Jacobson** **Wendell H. Oswalt** **James W. VanStone**

Magazines and Newspapers

Alaska Journal *Anthropological Papers of the University of Alaska*
Arctic Anthropology *Bristol Bay Times* *Kalikaq Yugnek*

Online indexes: *Anchorage Daily News Archives*

Vertical File The Alaska Vertical File, located in the Alaska Collection on level 3, is an additional source of information. Look under *Yupik Eskimos*

Videos *Following the Star* **VHS 979.800497 FOLLOWI**
From Hand to Hand: Bethel Native Artist Profiles **VHS 979.800497 FROM**
Let's Eat **VHS 979.800497 LETS**
Sam Fox, the Life and Art of a Yupik Eskimo **VHS 979.800497 SAM-FOX**
Yup'ik Schoolroom. **VHS 979.800497 YUPIK**

Selected Internet Sources

Alaska Native Cultural Resources: Yup'ik/Cup'ik <http://www.ankn.uaf.edu/yupik.html>
Alaska Native Heritage Center <http://www.alaskanative.net/35.cfm>
Arctic Circle <http://arcticcircle.uconn.edu/>
Arctic Studies Center <http://www.mnh.si.edu/arctic/features/yupik>

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