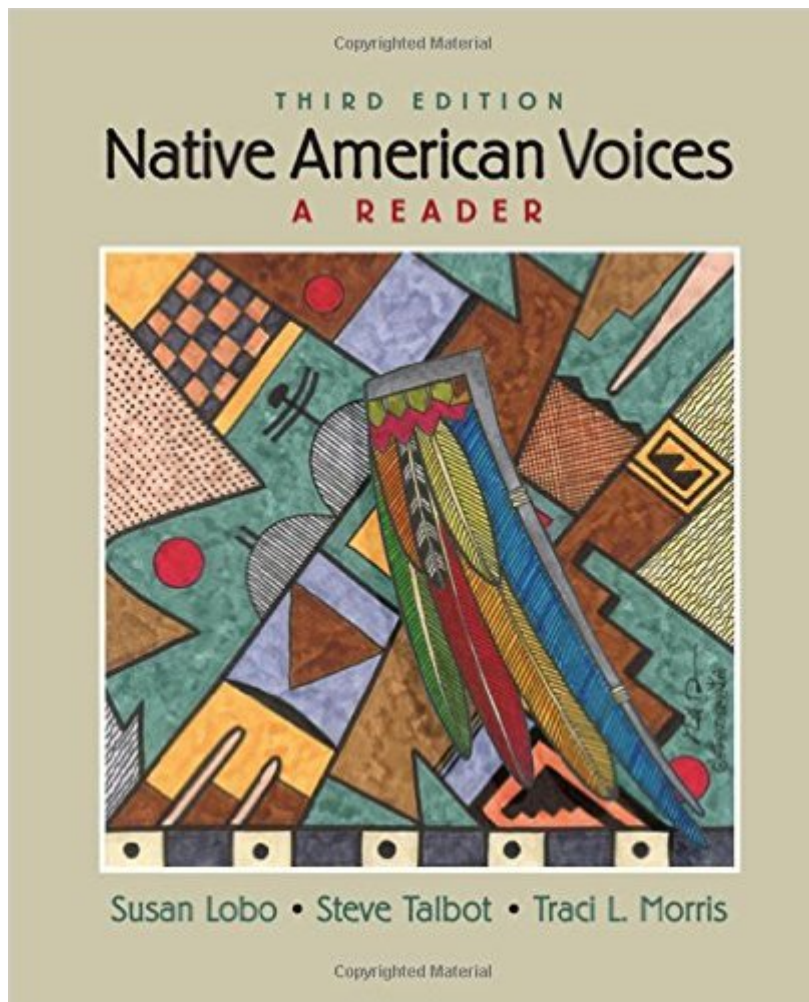


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Not my exact cup of tea (more of a science kid), but it was a required book for my Native American Culture course to fulfill a humanities requirement, so I bought it. The book has an overall nice layout for the chapters, and gradually progresses through some of the notable events in Native American culture, and describes their effects on the social development of the Native Americans. It appears that a lot of time and research went into crafting this book, and that effort is something I genuinely appreciate.

Lobo et al. Produced a wonderful piece in this edition concerning the problems and concerns of native studies in the colonized world. Particularly issues of identity and sovereignty were highly descriptive. I have referenced this book in further studies after purchasing it for a initial course. As a textbook I

would say it is a good introduction to both the blind who do not see contemporary native issues and the unlearned who do not see how deep they are.

Whether its for class or just for your own personal pleasure, this is a great book. Very informative and helps to understand the current topics of Native American culture. We must remember their history is not just something in the past, but is current, alive and strong today

Some parts of the book are a bit dull and unexciting but other parts grab my attention and reel me in to the issues. I can't get into the heavy statistics that some authors use when supporting their evidence, but other authors grab your attention and get you to think about the history and events that have occurred.

I purchased this book as a requirement for a class and the stories and history in its pages have touched my heart. It is both enlightening and interesting to read. I have kept this book as a part of my personal collection to share with others in search of a deeper understanding of Native American culture and History.

Pretty dry, yet informative.

Interesting book. It was required for my American Indian Studies class!!!

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