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by Thomas King 970.004 KING
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by Steven Charleston 299.7143 CHARLESTON
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by Richard Wagamese 970.3 OJIBWA BY WAGAMESE
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by Billy-Ray Belcourt 814 BELCOURT
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Heart Berries
by Terese Marie Mailhot B MAILHOT
Heart Berries is a powerful, poetic memoir of a woman's coming of age on the Seabird Island Indian Reservation in the Pacific Northwest. Having survived a profoundly dysfunctional upbringing only to find herself hospitalized and facing a dual diagnosis of post traumatic stress disorder and bipolar II disorder, Terese Marie Mailhot is given a notebook and begins to write her way out of trauma.

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by Robyn Maynard & Leanne Betassamosake Simpson 306.0905 MAYNARD
In a genre-defying exchange, the authors collectively envision the possibilities for more liberating futures during a historic year of Indigenous land defense, prison strikes, and global-Black-led rebellions against policing.

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Living Nations, Living Words: An Anthology of First Peoples Poetry
by Joy Harjo 811.008 LIVING
A powerful, moving anthology that celebrates the breadth of Native poets writing today. as Joy Harjo writes in the introduction, "poetry [that] emerges from the soul of a community, the heart and lands of the people. In this country, poetry is rooted in the more than 500 living indigenous nations. Living Nations, Living Words is a representative offering."

California Through Native Eyes : Reclaiming History
by William J. Bauer 970.004 BAUER
Combining oral histories with creation myths, the author tells California history strictly through Native perspectives, including the Pomo, and demonstrates the importance of sacred landscapes.

The Heartbeat of Wounded Knee: Native America from 1890 to the Present
by David Treuer, 970.004 TREUER
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The 500 Years of Indigenous Resistance Comic Book
by Gord Hill G 970.004 HILL
The 500 Years of Resistance Comic Book powerfully portrays flashpoints in history when Indigenous peoples have risen up and fought back against colonizers and other oppressors. Events depicted include the Spanish conquest of the Aztec, Mayan and Inca empires; the 1680 Pueblo Revolt in New Mexico; the Battle of Wounded Knee in 1890; the resistance of the Great Plains peoples in the 19th century; and more recently, the Idle No More protests supporting Indigenous sovereignty and rights in 2012 and 2013, and the resistance to the Dakota Access Pipeline in 2016.

An Indigenous Peoples’ History of the United States
by Roxanna Dunbar-Ortiz 970.004 DUNBAR-ORTIZ
In An Indigenous Peoples’ History of the United States, Dunbar-Ortiz challenges the founding myth of the United States and shows how policy against the Indigenous peoples was colonialist and designed to seize the territories of the original inhabitants, displacing or eliminating them.