

Lizzie Peacock's Sacred Bundle

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1)

/u ó·k máh ké·nu ló·məwe,↗ lápi nkát·a- pí·li kéku -ahkənó·t·əm,↗

/m ó·k máh ké·nu ló·məwe

/g and PST HESN long.ago

/m lápi nə+kata pí·li kéku akənōt+əm

/g again 1+want.to/PV different smthg talk.about+1s-(0)/IND

/e And I'm going to talk about something else that was, well, a long time ago.

2)

/u ké·nu, máh nikáhke nuhəmínka↗ énta-wi·k·íhti·t,↗

ná=nə ntap·í-ne·n,→ ó·k náka naxi·s·əmés·a,↗

/m ké·nu máh nikáhke nə+-ōhəm+ənka

/g HESN PST those.PL,OBV.ABS 1+grandmother+PL,OBV.ABS

/m IC+(ən)ta(lī) wīkī+hətīt

/g xx+{smwh}/PV dwell+3p/PPL(OBL)

/m ná ní nət+apī+ənēn ó·k náka nə+-xīsəməs+a

/g PRES that.INsg 1+be.{smwh}+1p/SBD and that.ANsg.ABS 1+younger.sibling+ANsg.ABS

/e Well, it was at the house where my grandmother and her sister lived that my brother and I were staying.

/n máh (OA): stumbles ['maxah...]; lit., 'where my late grandmothers lived';

↗...↗...→↗: pitches are: mid, mid, raised on last stress followed by slight fall, lower.

3)

/u ná ó·k né čuwé·yunk,↗ wwí·k·i·n náka xkwé·yo,↗ luwé·nsu↗ Lizzie Peacock,↘
 Lizzie Halfmoon.→

/m ná ó·k ní čuwé·yunk wə+wīkī+ən

/g PRES and that.INsg on.hilltop 3+dwell.{smwh}+3s/SBD

/m náka axkwēw+a ələwēnsī+w Lizzie Peacock Lizzie Halfmoon

/g that.ANsg.ABS woman+ANsg.ABS be.named.{so}+3s/IND Lizzie.Peacock Lizzie.Halfmoon

/e And on top of the hill there lived a certain woman named Lizzie Peacock, or (originally)
 Lizzie Halfmoon.

/ww-/: sounds so

4) /u ahke·p'ínkwe· náka xkwé·yo. ↗

/m (k)aképínkwā+w náka axkwēw+a
/g be.blind+3s/IND that.ANsg.ABS woman+ANsg.ABS
/e That woman was blind.
/n xkwé·yo. ↗ pitch raised on /é/, then falls to low

5) /u ləna·p·e·xkwé·yo ó·k náka. ↗

/m ələnāpēxkwēw+a ó·k náka
/g Delaware.woman+ANsg.ABS and that.ANsg.ABS
/e And she was a Delaware woman.
/n náka: ['nʌkə]

6)

/u ná=hánkw íka péci nuhəmi·ké·e pó·n, ↗ lo·k·wəní·i, ↗ təlá·a né·l núhəma, ↗
“nkát·a-=tá -kí·kayi·n, ↗ wá nni·č·á·nt·ət. ↗”

/m ná =hánkw íka péci nə+-ōhəm+ihkēwī wə+pā+ən
/g PRES usually there as.far.as.{smthg} 1+grandmother+LOC.PL 3+come+3s/SBD

/m wəlākwənīwī wət+əl+āwa nə·l nə+-ōhəm+a
/g in.the.evening 3+say.{so}.to+3s-3'/IND that.OBV 1+grandmother+OBV

/m nə+kata =tá (na)kəhkayī+ən wá nə+-nīčān+ətət+∅
/g 1+want.to/PV FOC borrow.O2+1s(+3s)/IND this.ANsg 1+child,daughter+DIM+ANsg
/e She would come to my grandmothers' place in the evening and say to my grandmothers,
“I want to borrow my little niece.”

/n né·l núhəma: or nikáhke nuhəmínka (OA), as in 2; /nn-/: [nn-] is clear

7)

/u təlá·o náka núhəma, ↗ “ná=tá nóni. ↗”

/m wət+əl+āwa` náka nə+-ōhəm+a ná =tá nóni
/g 3+say.{so}.to+3s-3'/IND that.ANsg.ABS 1+grandmother+ANsg.ABS PRES FOC that.INsg
/e My grandmother said to her, “All right.
/n náka: preceded by [nʌ no·h...], f.s. for ná nóni (non-absentative).

8)

/u kkásaki-=ta -wí·č·əmukw. ↗
/m kə+kàski =ta wīčəm+əkw
/g
/e She can help you.
/kk-/: [k-]

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| 9) | xú kékú é·lat, ↗ nál=č né ktáli-wi·č·əmúk·wən. ↘ |
| /u | |
| /m | xú kékú IC+əl+at nál =č ní kət+əlī wīčəm+əkwən |
| /g | FUT smthg xx+say.{so}.to+2s-3/PPL(OBL) PRES FUT that.INsg 2+{so}/PV help+2s-3/SBD |
| /e | Anything you tell her to do, she will help you to do." |
| /n | é·lat: [ɛ·lət] preceded by f.s. (2x) |
| 10) | |
| /u | ná šé· ná nəmaí·k·e·n, ↗ wí·k·i·t náka xkwé·yo. ↘ |
| /m | ná šé· ná mawíkē+ən (IC+)wíkī+t |
| /g | PRES EMPH then camp,spend.night+1s/SBD xx+dwell.{smwh}+3s/PPL(OBL) |
| /m | <u>náka</u> axkwēw+a |
| /g | that.ANsg.ABS woman+ANsg.ABS |
| /e | Then I spent the night at that woman's house. |
| /n | ná šé· ná nəmaí·k·e·n: [nʌ̃š·ɛ· nʌ̃mãi ... 'nʌ̃nəmaí·k·e·n]; but why ná ... ná? |
| 11) | |
| /u | ná kékhit-alap·a·i·t·í·i, ↗ ná ntaləmská·ne·n. ↘ |
| /m | ná kékhit alap·a·i·t·í·i ná nət+aləməskā+ənən |
| /g | then very/PP early.in.morning then 1+depart+1p/SBD |
| /e | And then very early in the morning we set out walking. |
| /n | ↗...↗: downdrift |
| 12) | |
| /u | né·skɔ kčinkwehəlē·e. ↗ |
| /m | <u>né·skɔ</u> kəčínkwēhlā+wí |
| /g | not.yet be.sunrise+0s/IND/NEG |
| /e | The sun was not yet up. |
| /n | né·skɔ: preceded by [nɛ·ski ...] f.s. |
| 13) | |
| /u | íka ntəló·x·əla·n sí·p·unk, ↗ ánta-mayá·i-wóli-pəməp·éhəla·k nə mpí. ↘ |
| /m | íka nət+əlōxwal+ān sí·pəw+ənk |
| /g | there 1+take.to.{smwh}+1s-3/SBD stream+LOC |
| /m | IC+(ən)ta(lí) mayāwí VS wəlī pəməpēhlā+k ní nəpəy+∅ |
| /g | xx+{smwh}/PV truly/PV EMPH well/PV flow+0/PPL(OBL) that.INsg water+INsg |
| /e | And I took her to a river, to a place where the water was really flowing fast. |
| /n | pəməp·éhəla·k: [pəmm'p·éhəla·k] (preceded by pause); né: [nəh ...] (mid vowel?) |

- 14)
- /u yúkwe ná-ni[↗] tələwentamənē·yo[↗] yó·k šəwanáhko·k[↗] name·s·í·i-sí·p·u,↘ Fish Crick.↘
 /m yúkwe ná ní wət+ələwənt+amənēwa yó·k šəwanakw+ak
 /g now PRES that.INsg 3+name.{so}+3p-0_{1a}/SBD these.ANpl white.person+ANpl
- /m namēs+īwī sīpəw+∅ Fish Creek
 /g fish+PNF stream+INsg Fish.Creek.(in.Washington.County)
 /e What the White people here call it now is “Fish Creek.”
- 15)
- /u ná=yúkwe=nó šé· ntəlō·x·əla·n náka xkwé·yo,[↗] ya·p·é·i·.[↗]
 /m ná yúkwe ní šé· nət+əlōxwal+ān
 /g PRES now that.INsg EMPH 1+take.to.{smwh}+1s-3/SBD
- /m náka axkwēw+a ya·p·é·i·
 /g that.ANsg.ABS woman+ANsg.ABS on.bank.of.stream
 /e That’s where I took that woman, to the edge of the water.
 /n ná=yúkwe=nó: [nʌyə'kwənə]
- 16)
- /u nkəmē·e=hánkw ntálukw,[↗] “šé·=č=tá=ktá ktéli-wí·č·əmi·n.↘
 /m nəkəmēwe =hánkw nət+əl+əkw
 /g always usually 1+say.{so}.to+3s-1s/IND
- /m šé· =č =tá =ktá kət+əlī wīčəm+īn
 /g EMPH FUT FOC EMPH 2+{so}/PV help+2s-1s/SBD
 /e She would always tell me, “This is what I want you to help me do.
 /n -ktá: has the highest pitch
- 17)
- /u íka ktəla·p·éhwí[↗] mayá·i ya·p·é·i·.[↗]
 /m íka kət+əlāpēhw+ī mayāwī ya·p·é·i·
 /g there 2+lead+to.{smwh}+2s-1s/IND truly on.bank.of.stream
 /e Lead me right to the edge of the water.”
 /n ya·p·é·i·: preceded by [ki·xk] f.s. for kí·xki (mpínk)
- 18)
- /u ná=nə ntənnámən.↘
 /m ná ní nət+ələn+əmən
 /g PRES that.INsg 1+do.{so}+1s-0_{1b}/SBD
 /e That’s what I did.

19)

/u ná énta-áləmī-haté-i·t, ↗ ná tóləmī-laxénəmən nə, kékū=tá.↗

/m ná IC+ənta aləmī ahtēyī+t

/g then xx+{smt}/PV start/PV stoop+3s/CC

/m ná wət+aləmī laxən+əmən ní kékū =tá

/g then 3+start/PV untie+3s-0_{1b}/SBD that.INsg smthg FOC

/e Then when she began to stoop over, she began to untie that, whatever it was.

/n ná énta-: ['nəndə i...], with f.s. for íka; laxén-: [la.'xən];

ná, kékū=tá: /ná/ has mid vowel, with pitch higher than /tá/ (which has high pitch)

20)

/u kékū=ét=tá txí náni, kó· illi no·wa·tó·wən yúkwe.↘

/m kékū =ét =tá taxī náni kó· illi nə+wəwāht+ōwən yúkwe

/g smthg DUB FOC {so.much} that.INsg NEG even 1+know+1s-0s₂/IND/NEG now

/e Whatever that was I don't even know now.

=ét=tá txí: [=et'tətxI]

21)

/u šúkw ná=nə tələwentamən·yo awé·ni·k mi·ko·š·í·k·an.↘

/m šúkw ná ní wət+ələwənt+amənēwa awēn+ík mīhkōšīkan+∅

/g but PRES that.INsg 3+name.{so}+3p-0_{1a}/SBD someone+ANsg medicine.bundle+INsg

/e But what some people call it is “a medicine bundle.”

/n ná=nə (OA): sounds like [nʌna...] ↘

22)

/u mi·kó·š·əma·=húnt=ánkw.→

/m mīhkōšəmā+w =húnt =hankw

/g have.medicine.power+3s/IND HRSY usually

/e She had medicine power, they say.

23)

/u éntxən náxi-kahtínk, ↗ ná mói-čhɔ·phóto·n ná kékū.↘

/m IC+(ən)taxən naxī katən+k

/g xx+{so.many}.times/PV three/PV be.a.year+0/CC

/m ná wə+mawī čəhwāhpwaht+ōn ní kékū

/g then 3+go.to/PV put.in.water+3s-0₂/SBD that.INsg smthg

/e Every three years she would go and soak that thing.

/n ná: [nə:] ↘

24)

/u mayá·i pahkánči wéli-ká··xkte: .↘ [ká.. has high pitch]

/m mayāwī pakánčī wélī kāxkətē+w VS

/g truly entirely well/PV be.dried.by.heat+0s/IND EMPH

/e It was really completely dried up.

25)

- /u aláhši=á=tá tá·x·an li·ná·k·čt,↗ énta- kékhit -ká·xte·k.↘
/m aláhši =á: =tá (mə)tāxan+Ø əlīnākwat+w IC+énta kékhit kāxktēk
/g like POT FOC wood+INsg look.{so}+0s/IND xx+{smt}/PV very be.dried.by.heat+0/CC
/e It looked just like a piece of wood when it was all dried up.
/n kékhit: [kkhit]

26)

- /u ná=nə šé· ó·p·ani,↗ ná=nə ... mpínk hát·e· ná kéku.↘
/m ná ní šé: wāpanī
/g PRES that.INsg EMPH overnight
/m ná ní nəpəy+ənk ahtē+w ní kékru
/g PRES that.INsg water+LOC be.{smwh}+0s/IND that.INsg smthg
/e All night that thing stayed in the water.
/n pitch remains high and relatively flat up to the final drop; mpínk: preceded by f.s. (2x)

27)

- /u kóxpto·n ná wénči čəphiki·ké·e,↗ wénči-=č máta -aləmí·tan.↘
/m wə+kaxpət+ōn ní wénči čəpəhk+īhkēwī
/g 3+tie+3s–0s₂/IND that.INsg from.{smthg} root+LOC.PL
/m (IC+)wənči =č máta aləmīhtan+k
/g xx+from.{smthg}/PV FUT NEG float.off+0/PPL(OBL)
/e She tied it to some roots so that it wouldn't float away.
/n čəphiki·ké·e (OA): [čəphɪ'ki·kɛ̝] (cf. [-ɛ̝] + stress retraction for /-é·yɔ/ in 66-11:11, 30, 41)

28)

- /u ná lápi o·p·ánke,↗ kékhit alap·a·i·t·í·i,↗ ná lápi nna·t·əmáne·n↗ ná kéku.↘
/m ná lápi (IC+)wāpan+ké kékhit alap·a·i·t·í·i
/g then again xx+be.day+0/CS very early.in.morning
/m ná lápi nə+nāt+əmənēn ní kékru
/g than again 1+go.to.get+1p-0_{1b}/SBD that.INsg smthg
/e The next day, way early in the morning, we went again to get that thing.
/n kékhit: preceded by [ʌ...] f.s.; nna·t·əmáne·n↗: stress retracted; kéku: ['kekʊ].

29)

- /u nō·t·əmən né·k·a.↗
/m wə+nāt+əmən né·k·a
/g 3+go.to.get+3s–0s_{1b}/IND 3s/EMPH
/e She went to get it herself.
/n raised pitch?

30)

- /u ónta-péči-áspənink xkwíči ná mpínk,↗ pahkánči wəle·ləmi·ná·k·ot ná kéku.↘
- /m IC+ənta péči aspən+ənk xkwíči ní nəpəy+ənk
- /g xx+{smt} hither/PV lift+3s-0_{1b}/CC on.top that.INsg water+LOC
- /m pakančí wəlēləmīnākwat+w ní kéku
- /g entirely look.strange+0s/IND that.INsg smthg
- /e When she raised that thing to the top of the water, it looked utterly strange.
- /n

31)

- /u wəli-áləmi-pankpe·í·x·ən↗ ná mhúkw.↗
- /m wəlī aləmī pankəpēwīxən+w ní məhkw+∅ [instrumental adjunct?]
- /g well/PV start/PV be.dripping+0s/IND that.INsg blood+INsg
- /e It began to drip blood.

32)

- /u ónta- níke wəski íka -háta·kw mpínk,↗ kékhit ká·xkte·,↘
wəli aláhši tá·x·an mayá·i ká·xkte·k.↘
- /m IC+ənta níke wəski íka aht+ākw nəpəy+ənk
- /g xx+{smwh}/PV that.INsg.ABS newly there put.{smwh}+3s-0₂/CC water+LOC
- /m kékhit kāxkətē+w VS
- /g very be.dried.by.heat+0/CC EMPH
- /m wəlī aláhši (mə)tāxan+∅ mayāwī (IC+)kāxkətē+k
- /g well like wood+INsg truly xx+be.dried.by.heat+0/PPL(INsg)
- /e When she first put it in the water it had been all dried out, just like a piece of wood which is completely dried up.
- /n wəski íka: ['wəskikʌ]

33)

- /u ná=yúkwe=nó še· ó·p·ani -čhɔ·pwí·x·ink ná kéku,↗ ná áləmi-mhúk·u.
- /m ná yúkwe ní še IC+ənta wāpanī čəhwāhpwīxən+k nó kéku
- /g PRES now that.INsg EMPH xx+{smt}/PV overnight be.in.water+0/CC that.INsg smthg
- /m ná aləmī məhkwi+w
- /g then start/PV bleed+0s/IND
- /e Then when that thing had been soaking in the water overnight, it began to bleed.
- /n ná=yúkwe=nó: [nʌyə'kwənə]

34)

- /u kéku=ét=tá txí néni.↘
- /m kéku ét tá taxī néni
- /g smthg DUB FOC {so.much} that.INsg
- /e I don't know what that was.

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| 35) | /u | mwi·kó·š·əma·n náka xkwé·yō. | | | |
| | /m | wə+mīhkōšəmā+ən | náka | | axkwēw+a |
| | /g | 3+have.medicine.power.from.O2+3s(+0s)/IND | that.ANsg.ABS | woman+ANsg.ABS | |
| | /e | That woman had her medicine power from it. | | | |
| | /n | xkwé·yō: extra-high pitch before falling | | | |
| 36) | | | | | |
| | /u | ná=húnt=ánkw ná tənnémən ↗ éntxən-náxi-kahtínk.↗ | | | |
| | /m | <u>ná</u> <u>=húnt</u> =hankw <u>ní</u> | wət+ələn+əmən | | |
| | /g | PRES HRSY usually | that.INsg | 3+do.{so}+3s-0 _{1b} /SBD | |
| | /m | IC+(ən)taxən | naxī | katən+k | |
| | /g | xx+{so.many}.times/PV | three/PV | be.a.year+0/CC | |
| | /e | She did that every three years. | | | |
| | /n | final pitch raised? | | | |
| 37) | | | | | |
| | /u | ná=yúkwe=ná šé· tənnémən↗: mó-i-čhə·phóto·n↗ ná kéku. | | | |
| | /m | <u>ná</u> <u>yúkwe</u> <u>ní</u> <u>šé:</u> | wət+ələn+əmən | | |
| | /g | PRES now | that.INsg | 3+do.{so}+3s-0/SBD | |
| | /m | wə+mawī | čəhwāhpwaht+ōn | <u>né</u> | <u>kéku</u> |
| | /g | 3+go.to/PV | put.in.water+3s-0s ₂ /IND | that.INsg | smthg |
| | /e | That's what she did: she went and soaked that thing. | | | |
| | /n | ná=yúkwe=ná: [nʌyə'kwənə]; kéku: [kəkʊ] | | | |
| 38) | | | | | |
| | /u | šúkw ná=nə təli-nto·xtámən↗ ná kéku təli=-č -wi·č·əmúk·wən, | | | |
| | | tətá=kta kéku=tá é·li-ntó·xta·kw. | | | |
| | /m | <u>šúkw</u> <u>ná</u> <u>ní</u> | wət+əlī | natōxət+amən | <u>ní</u> |
| | /g | but PRES | 3+{so}/PV | ask+3s-0 _{1a} /SBD | that.INsg |
| | | | | | smthg |
| | /m | wət+əlī | =č | wīčəm+əkwən | |
| | /g | 3+{so}/PV | FUT | help+3',0-3s/SBD | |
| | /m | <u>tətá</u> | <u>=kta</u> | <u>kéku</u> | <u>=tá</u> |
| | /g | whatever | EMPH | smthg | FOC |
| | /e | But that was how she asked that thing to help her with whatever it was she asked for. | xx+{so}/PV | ask.for+3s-0 ₂ /PPL(OBL) | |
| 39) | | | | | |
| | /u | ná=húnt=ánkw ná təli-wi·č·əmúk·wən↗ ná kéku. | | | |
| | /m | <u>ná</u> <u>=húnt</u> <u>=ankw</u> <u>ní</u> | wət+əlī | wīčəm+əkwən | <u>ní</u> |
| | /g | PRES HRSY | usually | that.INsg | that.INsg |
| | /e | And that's the way they say that thing helped her. | 3+{so}/PV | help+3',0-3s/SBD | smthg |

40)

- /u k̥hičí·i=éét ná=nə lé:,↗_no·la·mhítamən.↘
 /m k̥ehčīwī =éét ná ní əlē+w nə+wəlāməht+amən
 /g very.much DUB PRES that.INsg happen.{so}+0/SBD 1+believe+1s–0s_{1a}/IND
 /e I guess it's really true, and I believe it.

41)

- /u é·li ahke·p·ínkwe:↗ náka xkwé·yo,↗ šúkw pahkánči↗ ↑wé··mi kéku kóski-mi·kóntamən.↘
 /m é·li (k)akēpínkwā+w náka axkwēw+a
 /g as be.blind+3s/IND that.ANsg.ABS woman+ANsg.ABS
 /m šúkw pakancī wé·mi VS kéku wə+kàskī mīhkənt+amən
 /g but entirely all EMPH smthg 3+be.able/PV work.at+3s–0s/IND
 /e Since, although that woman was blind, she could do just about anything.
 /n mi·kóntamən: pitches are falling, mid, high, low

42)

- /u illi=hánkw hakí·he.↘
 /m illi =hánkw ahkīhē+w
 /g even usually make.garden,plant+3s/IND
 /e She even kept a garden.

43)

- /u kó· kásksi- kéku -ne·mó·u.↗
 /m kó· kásksi kéku nēm+ōwī
 /g NEG be.able/PV smthg see+3s–(0)₃/IND/NEG
 /e She couldn't see anything.
 /n -ne·mó·u: pitches are falling, low with slight rise; followed by [kah] f.s.

44)

- /u mayá·i pahkánči we·í·t·ət ká·nši-lés·əwa náka xkwé·yo.↘
 /m mayāwī pakancī we·í·t·ət kānšī ələsī+wa
 /g truly entirely I.guess wonderful/PV do.{so}+3s.ABS/IND
 /m náka axkwēw+a
 /g that.ANsg.ABS woman+ANsg.ABS
 /e I guess that woman must have had truly extraordinary spiritual power.
 /n rising pitch on all words

45)

- /u šúkw xántki máta ahpi·í·yo.↘
 /m šúkw xántki máta apī+wīwa
 /g but finally NEG be+3s.ABS/IND/NEG
 /e But finally she died.

46)

- /u xó·ha ná wwí·k·i·n.~
/m (na)xōha ní wə+wīkī+ən
/g alone that.INsg 3+dwell.{smwh}+3s/SBD
/e She lived there alone.
/n /ww-/: longer than the /w-/ in 47

47)

- /u xínkwí ná wí·k·i·t náka xkwé·yo.~
/m xínkwí ní (IC+)wīkī+t náka axkwēw+a
/g big that.INsg xx+dwell.{smwh}+3s/PPL(OBL) that.ANsg.ABS woman+ANsg.ABS
/e And that woman's house was big.

48)

- /u šúkw xántki máta ahpi·í·yo.~
/m šúkw xántki máta apī+wīwa
/g but finally NEG be+3s.ABS/IND/NEG
/e But finally she died.

49)

- /u ná=yúkwe=nó šíhkanč.~
/m ná yúkwe ní šíhkanč
/g PRES now that.INsg entirely
/e That's all.
/n ná=yúkwe=nó: [nʌyə́kwənə]