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THE BIBLE ACCOUNT OF CREATION.

( Genesis, Chapter 1, and Chapter 2, verses 1 to 3)

*Rev.*  
(Translated by Thomas Richardville into the Miami.)

- (1) Kindoki Kacihiwia kactoka kicikwi nahi cikiwi.  
*Hebath God created the sky and the earth.*
- (2) Cikiwi maniwiki motyi kikalimakatwatto; nahi pakon-zakiki mizahaki.  
*The earth not then not it was known; and dark-ness everywhere.*
- (3) Nahi tci-tcikamili Kacihiwia kitcikamiungi kitcongi  
And the soul God on the seas in top of pambalita.  
*he walked.*
- (3) Kacihiwia kalotwanga wasatctolo, nahi wasakiki.  
*God commanded make light and light (was)*
- (4) Kacihiwia nangi wasakiki, paqkapandanga; nahi Kacihi-wia napatananga wasakiki pakonzakiki.  
*God saw the light, it seemed good and God decided the light the darkness.*
- (5) Kacihiwia wasakiki kakikwa itanga, nahi pakonzakiki  
God the light day he called it and the darkness pakondaki itanga. Alakwiki nahi caiipawa mitami ka-night he called it the evening and the morning first kikwa.  
*day.*
- (6) Kacihiwia kilokwatta kicikwi lamingtonji kamikiungi,  
God said the sky in the middle of the waters napatinando kamiki ahingondji kamiki.  
*let it divide the waters from the waters*
- (7) Kacihiwia kicikwi kactoka nahi napatinanga kamiki  
God the sky created and divided the waters mitakingondji kamiki pamingondji; nahi nicicinaq'ki.  
*below the waters above, and it was so*
- (8) Kacihiwia kicikwi itanga kicikwi; nahi alakwiki  
God the sky he called it the heaven and the evening caiipawa ninjakwinakaki.  
*the evening second day,*
- (9) Kacihiwia kilokwatta kamiki mitakingondji mamawi  
God said the waters below together piatca n'gotwana, nahi pangwangi cikiwi ici kati ne-mingi, nahi nicicinaq'ki.  
*let come in one place and dry land for will be seen, and it was so.*

- (10) Nahi Kacihiwia cikiwi itanga pangwangi kikiwi,  
 And God the earth he called it day land  
 nahi mamawipiaki kamiki itanga kitcikamiki; nahi  
 and the coming together the waters he called it the sea; and  
 Kacihiwia nangi, paqkapandanga.  
 God saw, it seemed good.
- (11) Nahi Kacihiwia kilokwatta n'gacikiwi piotca mita-  
 And God said let the earth bring grass  
 katwi; kakapitci kipinsa kanimini akotangi; nahi  
 all kinds of bushes seeds bearing and  
 kakapitci tawana kiko, akotangi; nahi nicicinaqk'ki.  
 all kinds of trees something bearing; and it was so.
- (12) Nahi cikiwi pitoki pikukki mitakatwi, kakapitci  
 And the earth brought grass all kinds of  
 kipinsa kanimini akotangi, nahi kakapitci tawana kiko  
 bushes seeds bearing and all kinds of trees something  
 akotangi; nahi Kacihiwia paqkapandanga.  
 bearing and God it seemed good.
- (13) Alakwiki caiipawa nassokanakaki.  
 The evening the morning third day.
- (14) Kacihiwia kilokwatta wasaqkikitca kicikungi kati  
 God said let lights be in the sky will  
 napati kakikwa pikondakiongondji; ici kati cicinaqki  
 divide the day from the night for will be signs  
 akami kakakiki, akami kakikwa, akami piponwa.  
 every season, every day, every year.
- (15) Kilauqli kati wasaqkokangi kicikungi, nahi apoci  
 Is that will will be light in the sky and also  
 wasaqkokangi cikiungi, nahi nicicinaqk'ki.  
 will be light on the earth, and it was so.
- (16) Kacihiwia kactoka ninjwi macaki kilsoki, ayolka  
 God created two great stars more  
 macakiwasakolaki ici kati asanzangi kakikwa, mataha  
 great light for will sunlight the day less  
 wasakolaki kati wasakosagi pikonda; lan-gwa-hi apoci  
 light will light the night the stars also  
 kacihata.  
 he created them.
- (17) Kacihiwia asata kicikungi ici kati wasaqkokangi  
 God put them in the sky for will make light  
 cikiwi.  
 the earth
- (18) Ici kati asanzangi kakikwa nahi wasakosagi pikon-  
 for will sunlight the day and light the  
 daki; ici kati napatcinaki wasakiki pakonzakiongondji,  
 night, for will they divide the light from the darkness.

nahi Kacihiwia paqkapandanga.

and God it seemed good

(19) Alakwiki caiipawa nayakonakaki.

The evening the morning fourth day

(20) Kacihiwia kilokwatta kamiki pitotca wissa tokiki  
God said the waters let bring many moving  
matcihana kakita, nahi wasanzaki ambauwiteciki pamingondji  
creatures living and birds they fly above  
cikiungi nalaqukwa kicikungi.

the earth between the sky

(21) Kacihiwia kacihata matcikilitciki lenipinjahi kakiteciki  
God created great whales they live  
tokiteciki; nahi kamiki pitotca wissa kakapitci icinako-  
they move, and the waters brought many all kinds of winged kind  
kitciki, tcaki alangwaniteciki; Kacihiwia paqkapandanga.  
things all winged things, God it seemed good.

(22) Kacihiwia paqkiipinalata; ilwata nanitcansiko kitci-  
God blessed them he said to them have young the  
kamiki mokinatoko, nahi apoci wasanzaki nanitcansiko  
seas fire and also the birds have young  
cikiungi.

in the earth

(23) Alakwiki caiipawa yalanakonakaki.

The evening the morning fifth day

(24) Kacihiwia kilokwatta cikiwi pitotca kakiteciki matci-  
God said the earth let bring living crea-  
hanjiki kakapitci lananzoki pamitacimotciki nahi was-  
tions all kinds of cattle creeping things and all  
saki cikiungi, nahi nicicinaq'ki.  
animals in the earth and it was so.

(25) Nahi Kacihiwia kacihata kakapitci wassaki cikiungi  
And God created all kinds of all animals in the earth  
kakapitci lananzoki, kakapitci pamitacimotciki; Kacihiwia  
all kinds of cattle all kinds of creeping things God  
paqkapandanga..  
it seemed good.

(26) Kacihiwia kilokwatta kilona wicihatawi lania napi  
God said we let us make man like  
icinaqkoki kionani; kapalindamowatci panalawatca, kikonassa-  
bodies one qash in the night hemayaashelites the fish  
hi, wasanzaKi, tcakikiko cikiungi, pamitacimotciki ciki-  
the birds everything in the earth the creeping things in  
ungi.

the earth

(27) Nahi Kacihiwia kacihata laniali icinaqkia, icinaqki  
And God created man in his likeness the beavers  
wiaawi Kacihiwia kacihata; laniali nahi mitamsali kacihata  
of himself God he created him, man and woman he created them.

- (28) Nahi Kacihiwia paqkikiipinalata, apoci Kacihiwia ici-  
 And God he blessed them also, God he  
 mata nanitcansiko mokinatoko cikiwi; tcipalindamoko; apoci  
 Said to them have you, file the earth rule over it also  
 tcipalindamoko kikonassahi, wasanzaKi, nahi tcakiko, kakiki  
 rule over the fish the birds and everything living  
 cikiungi.  
 in the earth.
- (29) Kacihiwia ilwata wapandamoko kimililamwa tcakikiko,  
 God said behold I have given you everything  
 kakapitci kipinsa kanimini akotangi, kakapitci tawana ki-  
 all kinds of bushes seeds bearing all kinds of trees stone-  
 ko akotangi ici kati kimitcionimi.  
 things bearing for will be your food
- (30) Nahi tcaki wassaki cikiungi, nahi wasanzaKi kicikun-  
 And all, all animals in the earth and birds in the sky  
 gi, nahi pamitatcingwitciki cikiungi kakiteiki nimilaki  
 and creeping things in the earth they live I have given them  
 tcakikiko matciwaki ici kati mitciwatci, nahi nicicinaq-  
 everything growing for will be their food and it was so.  
 k'ki.

(31) Nahi Kacihiwia nangi tcakikiko kactoki, ayakami paq-  
 And God saw everything he created very it  
 kapandanga. Alakwaki caiipawa kakatswikonakaki.

Seemed good. He resting the morning sixth day

### Genesis CHAP. 2.

- (1) Niandji kicikwi nahi cikiwi matcitoki nahi tcakikiko  
 Thus the sky and the earth finished and everything  
 (2) Nahi swatatsokonakaki Kacihiwia matcitoka ici wicitoka  
 And the seventh day God finished what he made  
 nahi angwapita swatatsokonakaki teakiko ici kactoki.  
 and he rested the seventh day everything what he created  
 (3) Kacihiwia paqkiiipinatoka swatatsokonakaki wiongondji an-  
 God blessed the seventh day because he  
 gwapita mactoki tcakikiko.  
 rested finished everything ####

T H E L O R D ' S P R A Y E R.  
(As rendered in Miami by Thomas Richardville)

Nosína kicikungí wáakianí matcalimakokwí kiwinzonámi.  
Our father in the sky thou dwellest beyond very great thy name  
Akimayotakaní piaki. Owáha napi kati cilinianí mita-  
kiungí napilani icinaqki kicikungí.  
low just like it is so in heaven  
Mililoma nungi kakikwa nawawinakananinámi.  
Give to us now(this) day daily bread  
Nahi wanipilakilo nilona masanahamangi íci nilona wa-  
napilekiangi masanahamawamindjiki.  
we forgive what they owe us  
Apoci wikata awacsolon'ma malauqki ciliniangi, ataci  
Also you must not lead us evil we do but  
cikwihioloma malauqkingondji. Kitakimayotakaní, kitapilindamáni  
free us from evil thy rulership thy power  
kipaqwalimaqwi, monjaki pamaka nilwininahoatta. Amen.  
thy glory always never will it end.

T H E L O R D ' S P R A Y E R.

(As rendered in the Peoria by George Finley)

Kosina paqkiungici wayakiani, kiwinzonámi matcalindamingi  
Our father in good place thou dwellest thy name very great(being)  
idjamatci.  
I wish it  
Akimayoni piatca icilaniani cikiungí napicinaqki paq-  
Chieftainship come do as you like in earth just like it is in  
kiungici.  
good place  
Mililoma kakikwa mitconi akama wapangi.  
Give to us today food every day  
Nahi ponalindando maqsanahamangi napici ponalindamawakindji  
And forget what we owe like we forget them  
azaqki maqsanahamingi.  
all owing to us  
Apoci malauqkiongondji awacsoloma nahi nahawaciloma. Wi-  
Also away from evil lead us and lead us right be-  
ongondji kilakimayoni, kila cindjilawiani, kila paqkilin-  
cause thy rulership thou art strong there art  
damani, monjaki ayakkami. Amen.  
Splendid always forever

## THE LORD'S PRAYER.

(As rendered in the Wea by Sarah Wadsworth)

Kosína aíngici mätcälimakoki kiwízonámi nilona natawá-  
 Our father when thou art very great be thy name we we de-  
 lindamagi.  
 Give it

Kitakimayonámi piatca. Nowaha kati tciliniangwi napí  
 Chieftainship come here will all do you will like  
 tciliniangwi Kosina aingi pamíngi.  
 all do you will <sup>Our father when he is above</sup>  
 Mililoma nungí kakikwá mitconi ákami wapangi  
 Give to us now today food every day  
 Alawinamawiloma malaugki ipinalihangi íci nilona alawina-  
 Forgive us our we have done to you as we for-  
 mawakindji malaugki ipinacamingiki.  
 give them evil they have done to us  
 Wikata malaugkiongici wacsoloma tací malauqkiongondji pi-  
 You must not into evil lead us but away from evil bring  
 ciloma.  
 us.

(Sarah Wadsworth is a Roman Catholic, and their form of this prayer ends at this point. The dialect differences in the three versions are slight, the apparent differences being merely different modes of expressing ideas for which they have no exact words)

A P R A Y E R.

( Such as commonly used by the Miami Baptists, by Rev. Thomas Richardson.)

O, Nósá! Kacihiwiá, kitamikálímiloma. Nungí ówaha piaian-  
( O my father Create of all have pity on us new here we come  
gi íci kati lalaminaolangí mikiyani kikwissa Jesus,  
for will virgin about the gift thy son Jesus  
íci wissa kisinalingi nahi "ángihangí wióngondji katwi  
for much he suffered and he died on account of why  
pilakihiangí n'gicikaminanaki. Kitalalaminayolamina tcákikiko  
the healing of our souls we thank the everything  
iciwigilawiangi. Niandji pialo Nósá ówaha ahí mamawi-  
then last done for us. Therefore come my father here when we come  
piaiangi; witcilmiloma tanika ciliniwataka ilalimiangi.  
Together help us whatever they desire it we do  
N'gikialindamina pámaka íci katopalciwangikiko, witcilmisi-  
We know never ~~with~~ <sup>for</sup> we can do anything there do not  
wangi. Kikwissa winzonámi kiwikotawilimina. Amen.  
Help us. Thy name we ask it



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