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Iroquois White Corn Project

* Processes white corn, hard shell, teeth can’t bite through. They remove it.
* Integral to food sovereignty
  + Important
  + “I grew up learning about taking care of the White Corn as part of my childhood”
    - Shows how vital it is to their family lives
* How does White Corn stay around?
  + “Coming from a family that stewarded the white corn, became a part of my family legacy”
  + Grandfather grew white corn
    - Passed down ceremonies and traditions
* Process of removing hull
  + Long, labor intensive “ceremony for the food”
  + Connecting back to the earth and eachother at corn husking events
  + Kinship with mother earth, food sources, and eachother