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Comments along these lines, made by Tennant Creek women to Professor Tay and Dr Bell, seem generally applicable.

Marginalization of Aboriginal women

Eyre's statements are typical; The females, and especially the young ones are kept principally among the old men, who barter away their daughters, sisters or nieces, in exchange for wives for themselves or their sons.

Gender relations in Aboriginal society

One of these sites, 'Southern Stars', developed by students from Maitland High School, contains general information on Aboriginal people, the dreamtime, and Aboriginal astronomy. In the Library section, under the heading Science and Technology, select Astronomy to find a large number of websites developed by students.

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Kim Anderson is the author of *A Recognition of Being: Reconstructing Native Womanhood* Sumach Press, 2000 and the co-editor, with Bonita Lawrence, of *Strong Women Stories: Native Vision and Community Survival* Sumach Press, 2003. If a woman could not be virtuous by strict Victorian standards, which, as Green points out was nearly impossible, she was deemed unworthy of respect. In 1980 she discovered quilting, mastering the techniques which allow her to create the meticulous hand-quilting in her bed coverings and wall hangings.

Terrible Hard Biscuits: A reader in Aboriginal history

Understanding these cultural characteristics and appreciating their impact for Aboriginal people today is a cornerstone of cultural competence. She has also worked as a criminal law judge in youth and adult courts, which led her to work at developing partnerships to better serve the needs of young people in the justice system. Those Aboriginal tribes who lived inland in the bush and the desert lived by hunting and gathering, burning the undergrowth to encourage the growth of plants favoured by the game they hunted.

Living the traditional Aboriginal life

The fact that women were speared or attacked when they breached traditional laws or customs does not at all prove their subservience as the Europeans thought. For example, you may find that Aboriginal children and young people will need to come and go at different times during an activity; therefore adapting your activity to incorporate this can support greater engagement.

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