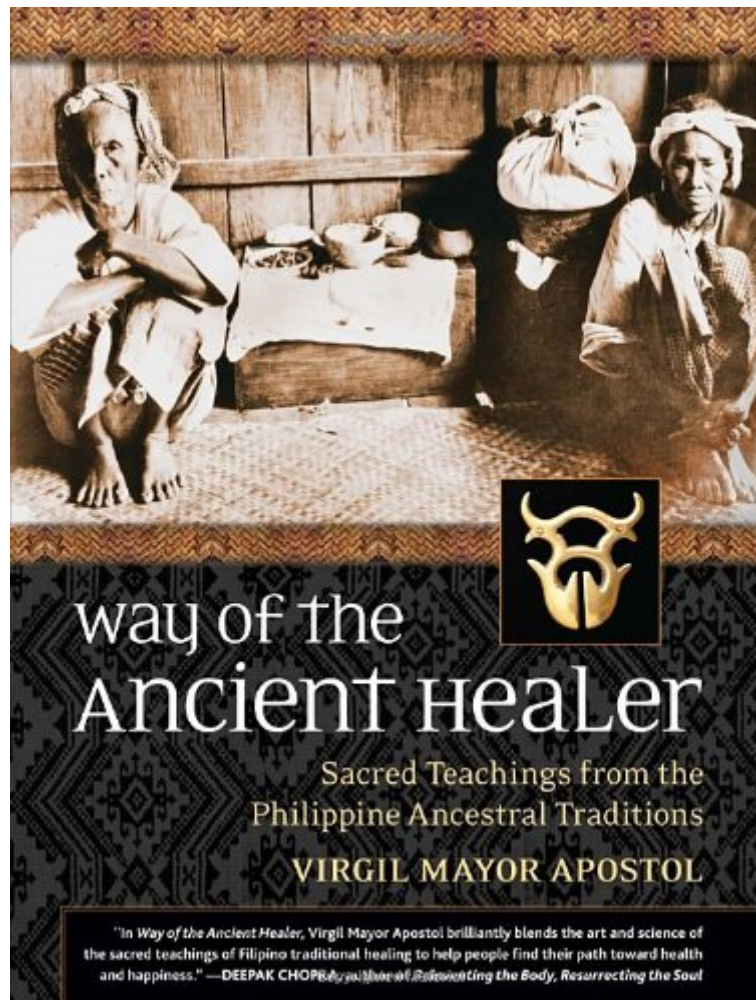


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The book begins with an explanation of Apostol's Filipino lineage and legacy as a healer. After a

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