

# Joseph Bruchac

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It is important to understand that there are many different ways of seeing the world and expressing the wisdom of Native belief...No one voice speaks for all voices.

~Joseph Bruchac

The best teachers have shown me that things have to be done bit by bit. Nothing that means anything happens quickly - we only think it does.

~Joseph Bruchac

We need to walk to know sacred places, those around us and those within. We need to walk to remember the songs.

~Joseph Bruchac

Kill every enemy twice, Wilky said. Better than gettin' shot by a soldier pretending to be dead.

~Joseph Bruchac

Strong words outlast the paper they are written upon.

~Joseph Bruchac

A story is a burden which must be carried with as much care as we carry a sleeping child

~Joseph Bruchac

Guilt can make you doubt yourself at the very moment when you need to proceed with certainty.

~Joseph Bruchac

Native people such as the Cherokees are just as human and complex and real as Americans are, and our nation needs to respect American Indian cultures and traditions.

~Joseph Bruchac

As long as we can remember them, our families will always be with us.

~Joseph Bruchac

Knowledge is easy to come by. Understanding what you know takes much longer.

~Joseph Bruchac

Do we make ourselves into what we become or is it built into our genes, into the fate spun for us by whatever shapes events?

~Joseph Bruchac

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