

John D. Red Eagle

Mr. Red Eagle was born in the heart of the Osage Indian Reservation in Pawhuska, Oklahoma and raised in the traditions of the Osages. The Osage Tribe settled in three separate districts in Oklahoma: Pawhuska, Gray Horse, and Hominy.

The Red Eagle family is from the Pawhuska district. His parents were the late Assistant Principal Chief Edward Red Eagle, Sr., and Virginia Logan Red Eagle. He has two brothers, Eddie and Myron, and one sister, Carole Bayhülle.

Since the 1880s and through his great grandfather's leadership, Asst. Chief Red Eagle and his family have followed the traditions and culture of the Osage Tribe and the Native American Church.

Asst. Chief Red Eagle's paternal grandparents were original allottees Paul and Cecelia Red Eagle from Pawhuska, Oklahoma, and his maternal grandparents were Roman and Mary Logan from Hominy, Oklahoma. His lineage is the Tzi-zho Clan, which is referred to as the Sky People, but in the Osage culture Tzi-zho means Eagle Clan. His mother's Osage people come from the Wa-tian-ka Band. The Osage Tribe has taught him many things in life, such as his heritage, culture, and the Osage way of life.

Assistant Chief Red Eagle attended public schools in Barnsdall and Pawhuska, graduating from Pawhuska High School. After receiving his certification in radiology technology at the Community College of Denver, he transferred to the University of Oklahoma Health Science Center where he completed his training in both radiology and nuclear radiology. Since then he has worked in Oklahoma hospitals and private clinics as a radiologist and nuclear radiologist for 35 years.

Additionally, Assistant Chief Red Eagle is an ordained minister serving the spiritual needs of people at the Indian Camp Chapel in Pawhuska. He received his ordination from the Victory Christian Center in Tulsa.

In July 2006, John Red Eagle was inaugurated as Assistant Principal Chief of the Osage Nation.

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