ダ串 HOODOO MAYN Hoodoo Nation Festival 8th Annual Akan Ancestral Religion Afurakanu/Afuraitkaitnut (Africans) in North America Registration: www.odwirafo.com/Hoodoo_Mayn.html October 15th • 1pm • Free Livestream Event

Aakhuamuman Amaruka Atifi Mu, the Akwamu Nation in North America through the agency of Hoodoo Gyaasedan - Hearth-Shrine of Akan Ancestral Religion in North America, welcomes the Afurakani/Afuraitkaitnit (African-Black) community to participate in our eighth annual HOODOO MAYN - Hoodoo Nation Festival. Our focus is restoring the consciousness of Akan Ancestral Identity as Hoodoo in family blood-circles, culture and ritual as preserved in North america for centuries. Amansesew -Nationbuilding/Restoration is rooted in this, our spiri-genetic inheritance.

HOODOO MAYN [hooh'-dooh mah'-eehn] is defined in the Akan language as:

HOODOO NATION

HOODOO MAYN is the only festival of its kind, celebrating and examining our Akan [ah-kahn'] Ancestral Religion as brought to North america in the blood-circles of our Akan Ancestresses and Ancestors and maintained to this day. It was through **Hoodoo** that we were



guided and empowered to heal ourselves, educate ourselves, sustain ourselves, train ourselves, wage war against the whites and their offspring and force the end of enslavement in North america. It is through

Hoodoo that Akan people in North america today will complete our Revolutionary-Resolutionary function of Amanne, Nationism, as a component of the larger collective of Odwiraman, Purified Nation - Afurakanu/Afuraitkaitnut (Africans~Black People) in the Western hemisphere.



Hoodoo is open to Afurakanu/Afuraitkaitnut (Africans-Black People) only, for the Abosom and Nsamanfo (Deities and Ancestral Spirits) are inherited via our direct spiri-genetic blood circles, our Afurakani/Afuraitkaitnit (African) Ancestral clans, via reincarnation. All non-Black individuals and groups are excluded from this inheritance and thus ritual practice without exception. The corruptions of

Hoodoo deliberately propagated by the whites and their offspring will be exposed inclusive of the reality that jesus/yeshua, moses, abraham, hebrews, muhammad, allah, yahweh, etc. are absolutely fictional characters who never existed. Moreover, the bible, quran, hinduism, kabbalism, european pseudo-folk-magic, pseudo-'native'-american 'spirituality', wicca, new-age pseudo spirituality, 'devil worship', extraterrestrialism, dissexuality/homosexuality, promiscuity, other forms of sexual deviance, marijuana, alcohol and other drug use have absolutely nothing to do with Hoodoo – Akan Ancestral Religion in North america. Our Ancestral Religion is today what it has been for thousands of years: the ritual incorporation of Divine Law and the ritual restoration of Divine Balance. We align ourselves with Divine Order, and thus the Great Mother and Great Father Supreme Being, Nyamewaa and Nyame, through the agency of the Deities and Ancestral Spirits, Abosom and Nsamanfo, who are assigned to us and through whose spiri-genetic blood-circles we are continually reborn.



We will have presentations by those involved in **Hoodoo** from an authentic Ancestrally inherited Akan perspective. We also have our **EGUA - Marketplace** vendors.

Registration is Required.

Free livestream Event

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Registration is open to Afurakanu/Afuraitkaitnut Africans~Black People) Only



HOODOO MAYN - Hoodoo Nation Festival Journal

We published three volumes of our Hoodoo Mayn Nhoma (Journal) in the first three years of our HOODOO MAYN Festival. Prior to these nhoma we also published our seminal work HOODOO PEOPLE. Download the free e-book versions of these four books and all of our 31 books from the publications page on our website: <u>www.odwirafo.com/nhoma.html</u> Presenters:

Osomfo Amma Maati and Obrafo Jojo Maati, Instructors within Obaatansem and Heru Core and hosts of the Red Moon Purple Saturn podcast will present:



HOODOO OBRABO Hoodoo Lifestyle

Obra bo is an **Akan** term often translated as "ethical existence and generativity". It describes a mode of existence wherein one endeavors to 'create and live a good life'. For Akan people, to create and live a good life is to execute our Divine function in the world as given to us by **Nyamewaa-Nyame**, the Great Mother and Great Father Supreme Being. The benefits of such endeavor are received by all in Akan civilization.

Akan civilization in North america is the Hoodoo Nation. The principal values of Obaatansem and Obarimasem, Afuraitkaitnit (African) Womanhood and Afurakani

(African) Manhood, are the foundation of a sound family-structure in authentic Hoodoo culture. These principal values as examined in our books OBARIMA and OBAATAN are rooted in Akan cosmology which is born of the Abosom and Nananom Nsamanfo, the Deities and Spiritually cultivated Ancestresses and Ancestors. Ritual adherence to our principal



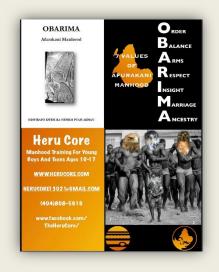
values is what has sustained us as a Hoodoo Nation in North america for over 300 years.

Jojo Maati and Amma Maati will examine Ancestrally grounded masculinity and femininity in the context of Hoodoo cosmology as a foundation for realizing Obra bo, a lifestyle of ethical existence and generativity.

Amma Ma'at Kheru Aberewa Maati is an Osomfo, traditional Shrine Attendant and Diviner and Okyerefo, Instructor within the Hoodoo tradition passed down through the blood-circles of her Akan Ancestresses and Ancestors for centuries in North Carolina and South Carolina. Amma is also the Owner of Amma Kraftz: www.etsy.com/shop/AmmaKraftz

Kojo Jojo Maati is an Obrafo, traditional Shrine Attendant and Okyerefo, Instructor within the Hoodoo tradition passed down through the blood-circles of his Akan Ancestresses and Ancestors for centuries in North Carolina and Mississippi. Jojo is also the Owner of Heru Core: www.herucore.com







Jojo and Amma are the husband and wife team who host the podcast Red Moon and Purple Saturn:

www.facebook.com/RedMoonPurpleSaturn

Odwirafo Kwesi Ra Nehem Ptah Akhan of Aakhuamuman Amaruka Atifi Mu, Akwamu Nation in North America will present:

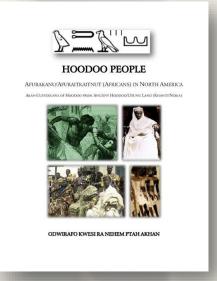
HOODOO KASA Etymology and Cosmology of Hoodoo Ritual in North America



When Akan people from the region of contemporary Ghana and Ivory Coast, West Afuraka/Afuraitkait (Africa) were forced into the western hemisphere as prisoners of war they continued to practice Akan Ancestral Religion. The Akan term ndu (oohndooh') meaning 'medicine' from 'roots, trees, plants', also meaning 'to become heavy with the spirit', became the general term for Akan Ancestral Religion in North america. Ndu came to be pronounced Hoodoo. The terms ndu (hoodoo), kankye (conjure), mogya (mojo), agya and agyapade (jack, jack ball), hintin (haint), dwo

(shout), komfo (goofah), Jama Kakadu (John Conqueroo) and others are all Akan terms born of the cosmology of Akan Ancestral Religion and culture.

The ritual practices and cosmological knowledge expressed through these terms are proof of this reality. Hoodoo is not a 'magico-botanical' art, mixed with european and pseudo-native-american practices. Hoodoo is the Akan Ancestral Religion born of the blood-circles of Akan people in North america, a comprehensive Ancestral Religion spanning thousands of years which is passed down to us only via our spirigenetic Ancestresses and Ancestors.



Our **unbroken circulage**, our **Ancestral blood-circles** borne of ancient Khanit (Khan land/Nubia) to Akan civilization in West Afuraka/Afuraitkait (Africa) to **Kankye** (Conjure) in North America, is the **anato** - the pedigree - of **Hoodoo**. This is the transcarnational inheritance of **Akan** people in North america.

Odwirafo Kwesi Ra Nehem Ptah Akhan will examine these issues in detail proving the spirigenetic Akan foundation and transmission of Hoodoo as delineated in his book HOODOO PEOPLE as well as his books series AKRADINBOSOM which demonstrates how we maintained our akradin, soul-names, and our Soular identity based upon the Abosom (Deities) governing the Okra/Okraa (Soul) and the 7-day week in North America. The distinctions between Hoodoo (Akan), Voodoo (Ewe, Fon), Juju (Yoruba) will also be defined in their proper context as Ancestral Religions in North America.

Odwirafo Kwesi Ra Nehem Ptah Akhan of Aakhuamuman Amaruka Atifi Mu, the Akwamu Nation in North America, is an Odumafo, traditional diviner of Hoodoo passed down through the blood- circles of his Aakhuamu (Akwamu) Akan Ancestresses and Ancestors for centuries in Mississippi, Alabama and Chicago.



Odwirafo is the author of 31 books, Founder and Instructor of 34 courses within the institution Akonguasua, Founder of Hoodoo Gyaasedan and Producer of the award-winning documntary film Amarukafo Adebisa: African-American Ancestral Divination.

See his website: www.odwirafo.com/akonguasuapage.html



Ndu Akuaba – Hoodoo Akuaba found in Virginia in the 12700s (1700s). This Ndu Akuaba carved by the hands of one of our Akan Ancestresses during the enslavement era is part of the Akan Ancestral Religious Heritage of North america. It is in the possession of Aakhuamuman Amaruka Atifi Mu (Akwamu Nation in North America). Our Ndu Akuaba is always placed on the Nsamankommere (Ancestral Shrine) at Hoodoo Mayn for the community to see. This sacred shrine is an expression of Afurakani/Afuraitkaitnit (African-Black) Ancestral Heritage in North america.

[See: www.odwirafo.com/Ndu_Akuaba.pdf]



Image from our Obradwira Nananomsom – Aakhuamu New Year Observance, September, 13016 (2015). Ndu Akuaba on the Nsamankommere (Ancestral Shrine).





Cockle Shells (seashells) and Water, *nworaa ne nsuo*, employed in our Uab Odwira Adebisa the major form of adebisa (divination) within Aakhuamuman Amaruka Atifi Mu (Akwamu Nation in North America). Hoodoo Divination maintained within the Ancestral blood-circles of Akanfo in North America: <u>www.odwirafo.com/adebisa.html</u>

Mogya and Agyapade - Akan Origin of Mojo and Jack Ball



NDU AKUABA - Akan Origin of the Hoodoo



NYAMMA AND KAKADURU: Akan Origin of 'High John the Conqueror'

- The Man and the Root Revealed



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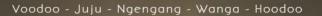


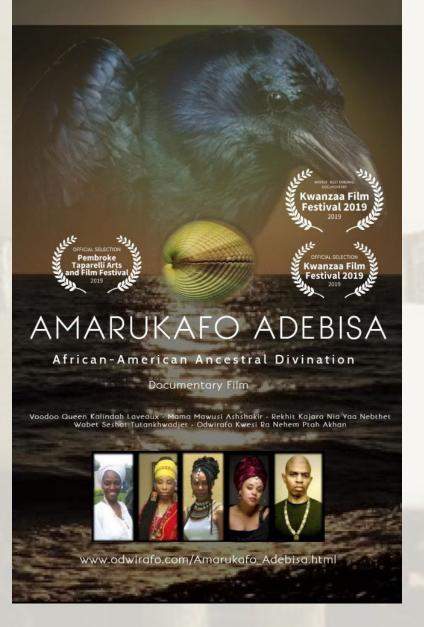
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