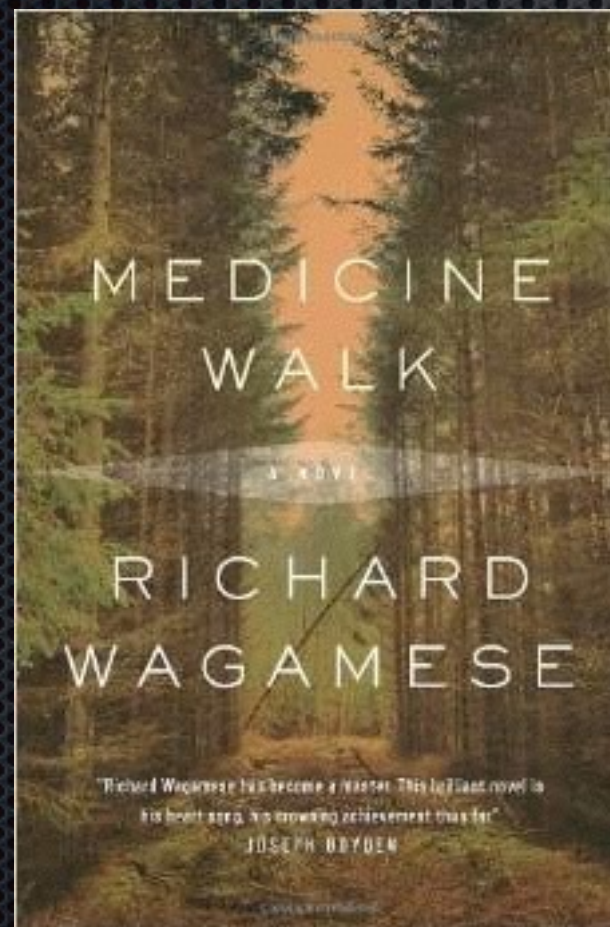


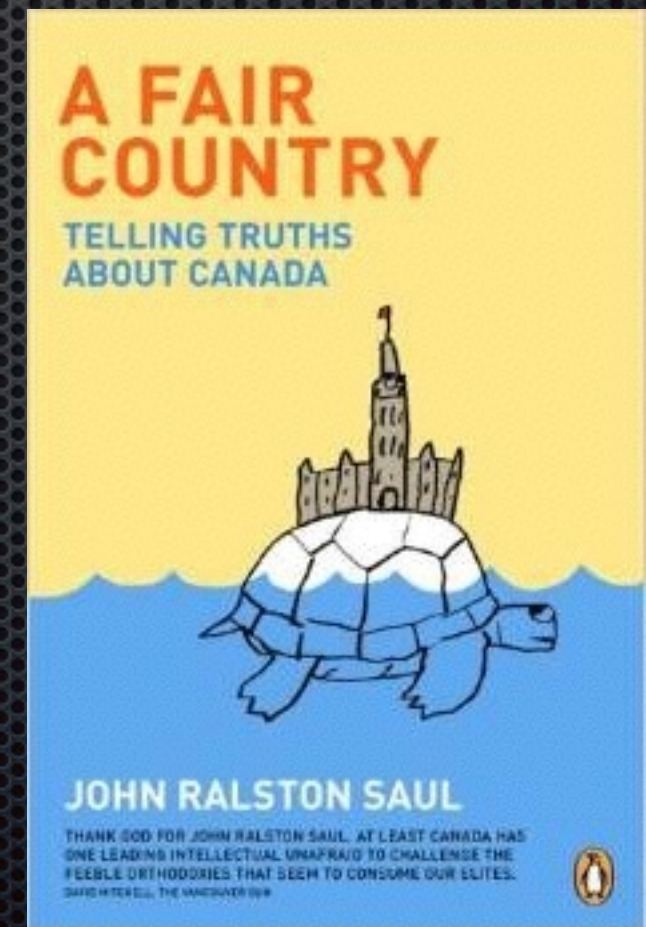
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# Session 3 - Agenda

1. Opening - Joseph Campbell Sayings.
2. Richard Wagamese Videos
3. Joseph Campbell Videos
3. Selecting the Evening Questions
4. Break
5. Discussions in Small Group
6. Discussions in the Whole
8. Closing -



# Opening

Some sayings of Joseph Campbell.

<https://www.youtube.com/-watch?v=1xplGaNWSoU&list=UU6Y0dUDo-xnOsrJ-YbC093g-2m25s> - 2m24s







# Video

## - Richard Wagamese

Performance Storytelling 2 - 9m6s

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hkwYI-KBKVo>







# Videos

## - Joseph Campbell

1. Hero's Journey - 4m04s

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kJwPliUPfK4>

2. Initiation Through Trials - 3m59s

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SzhIQqVL6Vc>

3. The Mythic Symbolology of Release - 4m02s

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zzj8aE1KPPQ>















# Selecting the Questions

Reading: Sept 29 Medicine Walk - Ch 10-18 ( pages 70-169)

The Father

1. Is the father's notion of a noble death an act of redemption?
2. In what ways do Joseph Campbell's insights into mythology help illustrate the characters in this story?
3. What is a "Story"? What are the various stories here?
  1. "It's all we are in the end, our stories" (Becka, page 103)
  2. "Stories get told one word at a time" (Father, 142)
4. Consider the meaning of your name ("Starlight" - from the stars, pages 158-9)
5. Forgiveness - it is sometimes harder to forgive oneself than to forgive another (p. 169).
6. What is the significance of the title "Medicine Walk". (p65)
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# BREAK

15 minutes





# Discussion Questions

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# Next Week

Oct 6 Medicine Walk

- Ch 18-26 (pages 169-246 end) The Mother



# Website & Course Materials

Website:

[mwa.fc.stdavidscalgary.net](http://mwa.fc.stdavidscalgary.net)

[sduc.ca](http://sduc.ca)

Summary Presentations,

Videos are linked,

Handouts

Links to additional information

Printouts for those without internet.



# Closing

Richard Wagamese

One Native Live - Impossible Blue - 2m24s

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZjynIJ\\_1LXw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZjynIJ_1LXw)



