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## “ SOME QUOTES FROM INSIDE... ”

“The tears and broken hearts of thousands of mothers and grandmothers should be enough to convince anyone that we must take action *now*.”

“In some respects, destructive attitudes have resulted in indigenous people becoming their own worst enemies—defeating ourselves with our own caustic and pessimistic attitudes before we even engage the enemy.”

“We have to shake off the apathy of what has become an all too comfortable ‘cloak of welfare’ and act to fix the problems now.”

“Currently, Aboriginals are likely in the best position ever to integrate economically with the mainstream, to partner with industry, and create wealth and opportunities for all.”

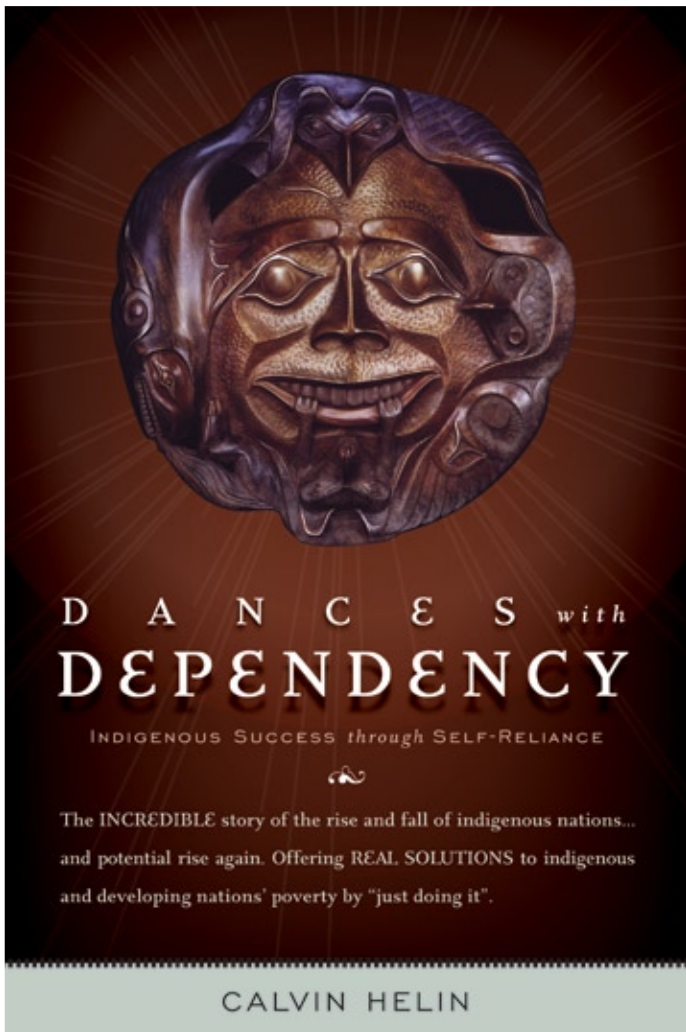
“Reasserting control with a strategic plan for moving forward should ultimately lead to more basic personal happiness... Successfully implemented, this process in turn should pay huge economic and social dividends for Canada as a country.”

“Creating sustainable economies for a system that is, at its roots, deeply defective, will take much more strategic thinking and basic re-engineering... the welfare trap will never be overcome until Aboriginal people take ownership of their problem. As well, government efforts to create positive economic results will never be realized until there is recognition of the existing governance and structural impediments.”

“Modernizing tribal governance structures may after all help to unleash the massive economic potential trapped by the current archaic governance structure.”

## WHAT READERS ARE SAYING...

“I stayed up until 2:00 a.m. reading *Dances with Dependency* and began reading again this morning... I am awestruck. You have been guided by the Raven and have managed to speak honestly and respectfully about the problems faced by our Aboriginal communities. The truth strikes at the heart, and is messaged in such a way that no one can be offended. Thank you, howa’a [Haida for thank you], for speaking out on behalf of our youth. Howa’a for honouring me with the opportunity to read the book. It is truly beautiful. I loved the analogy of the canoe journey, it is so poignant and appropriate.” - Kelly A. MacDonald, B.A., LL.B., LL.M. Aboriginal Lawyer, Member of the National Parole Board and Senior Adjudicator Indian Residential Schools Adjudications



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