

OUR MISSION

The mission of the Inti Wayna Project (children of the sun) is to build schools that will provide an education to children between the ages of 8 and 16 years, who lack economic resources, it will provide an education that allows them to acquire particular training that will prepare them to face the rest of their lives in successful manner, while maintaining their ancient cultures. During this initial phase, the Inti Wayna schools will focus on children from the Aymara, Quechua and Shipibo peoples in Peru. south america. The focus of the second phase will be extended this program to other indigenous groups worldwide. The primary focus of our educational program will be incorporae the ancient teachings of the native technological education.

OUR VISION

See a people and culture walking synchronistically with the beauty and harmony of the cosmos



CHILDREN OF THE SUN FOUNDATION

Inti Wayna School

Shipibo community of Cachibococha lagoon,
Pucallpa, Perú



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Lake Titikaca, where the Children of the sun memory lives

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Building the path to a positive future for native peoples

INTRODUCTION



Andes - Amazon future leaders

The Inti Wayna school project is the fulfillment of a collective vision born in 1980 at Ollantaytambo, Cusco, Peru during a prayer journey of native elder leaders of the north and south American continents. The vision was to have a Indian College as an educative entity of the ancient traditional way, on the other hand, this entity can incorporate the contemporary pedagogic technology to favor future indian generations. Its mission is the historical and culture continuity of native peoples at this new space and time. The first intent to make true this educational project happened years later.

This failed because the leaders of those time not only lacked of economic resources but also their support people were divided in political ideologies. The most fruitful work of elder leaders were encourage to next generation of leaders make true this vision. The Inti Wayna leaders not only have taken up this collective vision but also their own vision.

In 1992 the Inti Wayna leaders hosted two gatherings. Leaders of north and south America continents joined again in order to pray for a new and better time for their people. The first of these encounters was in august at Ollantaytambo, Peru, and the second in october at Teotihuacan, Mexico. Both gatherings of elders were really amazing, especially when the wise elders spoke about the current critical state of mankind in this age and that it is mandatory to open our ancient traditions to contemporary society.

The Inti Wayna leaders believe that one way to contribute positively our contemporary society is trough an educational project addressed to native peoples. The educational paradigm is based in the ecological - spiritual unity perception of the world. We will combine the ancient teachings and contemporary pedagogic technology and use them to train the young generation. This training will provide them with very useful jobs in their daily lives and allow them to contribute positively to their community.

INTI WAYNA SCHOOL LOCATIONS



- Agriculture community of Kirpon, Morropón, Piura
- Shipibo community of Cachibococha Lagoon, Pucallpa, Ucayalli.
- Quechua people: Paucartambo, Cusco
- Aymara people: Ticalaco river valley, Ticaco, Tacna