

Kah-Nee-Ta Lodge celebrates 25th anniversary with wide array of events

*Kah-Nee-Ta
(xni'tla)*

A Place, A Person, A Spirit

You were standing close by the hillside today,
bright flame among the smoldering mist; far above
the waters of now....

I wondered how you alone did stay so perfect
there when all your kind were sturdy, Luc'A' red-
brown berries.

Perhaps you scorned the safer way, knowing I
might pass this place and see the grace of you flaunting
the decay of autumn; and, remembering, take
courage when even winter comes,

My friends, you are like one I know in whose heart
there is always the warmth of spring,

Whom the wing of the snow dare not cover for the
light of the fire within...

*This is dedicated to all the employees who work so hard
to make Kah-Nee-Ta the "place" serve the guests, and the
community.*

Kevin O'Gara 1997



Guitar virtuoso Jay "Bird" Koder entertains crowd during blues concert at Kah-Nee-Ta.



Full dress parade concludes at the Lodge, despite a heavy downpour of rain.



Curtis Salgado, left, with Archie Caldera and artwork created by Caldera.



Balloon artist created hats of all shapes for children during celebration.



Members of the Livewire Theater group presented the "Legend of Kah-Nee-Ta" June 3 at Kah-Nee-Ta Lodge. The presentation was produced by the Community Health Education Team and Kah-Nee-Ta Resort.



Special guest Grant Waheneka shares stories of Kah-Nee-Ta.