

... there are many different ways to work for peace ... there are many different visions of how to devote our efforts to create a peaceful and just world where human rights are valued and cherished ... The women's peace movement continues to empower women, by providing opportunity for women to learn and grow together on both a personal and political level through bridging our many varied backgrounds and experiences and working together to create new ways, ideas, structures and visions for the future. (*Camp International des Femmes Pour la Paix, Place du Nations, Ave de la Paix, Genève, Suisse, October 22, 1985*).

¹Research on this process is presented in *Women's Ways of Knowing: The Development of Self, Voice and Mind* by Mary Field Belenky, Blythe McVicker Clinchy, Nancy Rule Goldberger and Jill Mattuck Tarule (New York: Basic Books, 1986).

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³We were inspired by Elise Boulding's *The Underside of History: A View of Women Through Time* (Westview Press, Boulder, CO. 1976).

⁴Carol Gilligan has argued that males and females differ in their moral reasoning. See *In a Different Voice: Psychological Theory and Women's Development* (Cambridge: Harvard Press, 1982).

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⁶"Images of Women/ Transforming Myth: Using Film to See Ourselves in New Ways" is an experiential workshop offered by Marion Dodds and Rosemary Sullivan. Imagery exercises and a 27-minute video compilation of the images of women in National Film Board films

from 1942 to 1987 enable us to transform myths and let go of limiting stereotypes by discovering positive images we can create for ourselves as women.

⁷"Images for a Peaceful Planet: Tools and Strategies for Teachers" is a one-day workshop designed by Lanie Melamed and Rosemary Sullivan for the 1987 PACT/PAPT Québec Teachers' Convention using imagery exercises and highlighting film and video resources for peace education. It offers an opportunity to practice some innovative teaching/ learning strategies and to discover new ways of facilitating peacemaking in the classroom and community. For more information write NFB Education Officer D-5, P.O. Box 6100, Station A, Montréal, Québec, H3C 3H5

⁸Pigeon Hill Bruideen/ Peacemaking Centre is the location where Rosemary Sullivan offers space for personal retreats, psychosynthesis workshops for small groups, and opportunities to learn experientially about personal transformation and social change.

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Précis

I don't know why she took to him; he was a nothing, a scatterbrain, bulge-eyed, inconsiderate, too many legs to be still in houses, fidgety as a corsetted aunt, and sure to die young. She mourned him as if he lay buried in her throat; she spoke little, ate much, kept cows, At last, animals no consolation, she died bloated and lonely. Of course.

LORINDA PETERSON

In the Wombs of Our Fathers



We're endangered species scared and running, left to follow old tracks on the face of new snow. We have taken nothing with us, gathered no facts.

We're the sexless ones, degendered; it's a slight of fortune tattooed on our hollow loins, slapped red and forced to breath. We learn to think them quickly.

We're the nurtured in the fancy of our father's wombs, made whole by taking nothing; warriors of the stone faced moon. We wear our breasts like armour for our own protection.

