1. Record Nr. UNINA9910136561903321 Ciulirnerunak Yuuyaqunak/Do Not Live Without an Elder: The Titolo Subsistence Way of Life in Southwest Alaska / / edited by Ann Fienup-Riordan; translated by Alice Aluskak Rearden 2016., : University of Alaska Press Pubbl/distr/stampa Fairbanks, AK **ISBN** 1-60223-298-9 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (409 pages) : color illustrations, photographs Classificazione SOC002000 Disciplina 497/.14 Soggetti Yupik languages Yupik Eskimos - Social life and customs Yupik Eskimos Subsistence hunting Subsistence fishing Subsistence farming FOREIGN LANGUAGE STUDY - Native American Languages SOCIAL SCIENCE - Anthropology - General Subsistence hunting - Alaska Subsistence fishing - Alaska Subsistence farming - Alaska Yupik Eskimos - History Texts. History Alaska Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. "In October of 2010, six men who were serving on the board of the Sommario/riassunto Calista Elders Council (CEC) gathered in Anchorage with CEC staff to

spend three days speaking about the subsistence way of life. The men

shared stories of their early years growing up on the land and

harvesting through the seasons, and the dangers they encountered there. The gathering was striking for its regional breadth, as elders came from the Bering Sea coast as well as the Yukon and Kuskokwim rivers. And while their accounts had some commonalities, they also served to demonstrate the wide range of different approaches to subsistence in different regions. This book gathers the men's stories for the current generation and those to come. Taken together, they become more than simply oral histories--rather, they testify to the importance of transmitting memories and culture and of preserving knowledge of vanishing ways of life"--