

A herd of bison is shown in a snowy, open landscape. In the background, a large, stylized green letter 'S' is visible, suggesting a path or a specific geographical feature. The bison are scattered across the scene, with some in the foreground and others further back. The overall atmosphere is cold and serene.

Creating Bison Pathways:

Using a Métis Worldview and Inspiration from Bison to Inform Mental Health Practices in Canada

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Who am I to
be doing this
work?



Thesis Focus:
Exploring
transformative
mental health,
addressing
health
disparities,
improving
mental health
for all



Bison has
been
instrumental
in my work
and has a lot
to offer:
Bison
Teachings



Unearthing
petroglyphs,
revealing
knowledge



The power of story, revealed knowledge and metaphor as an Indigenizing element in research



Lit review:
bison in 4
parts
(settled,
segregated,
eradicated,
resurgence)



What if
Indigenous
had a say in
the
development
of service?

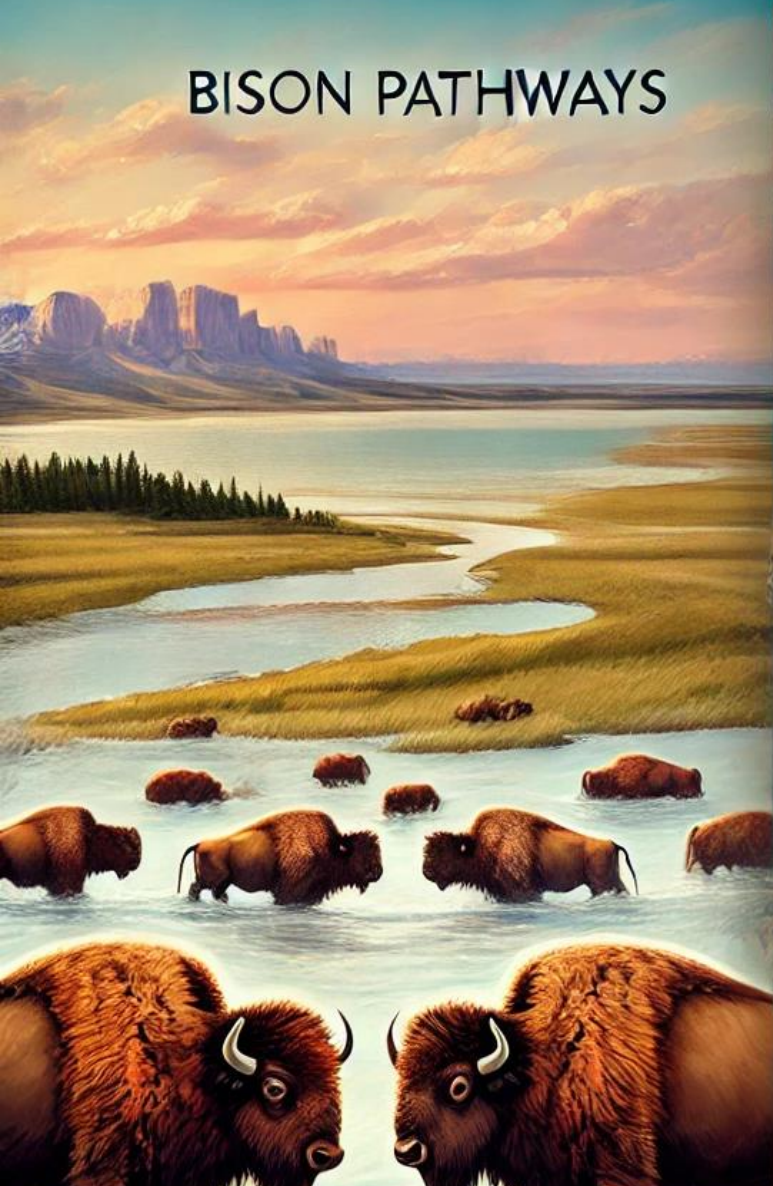


All can benefit: a perpetual intertwining of culture and reciprocity

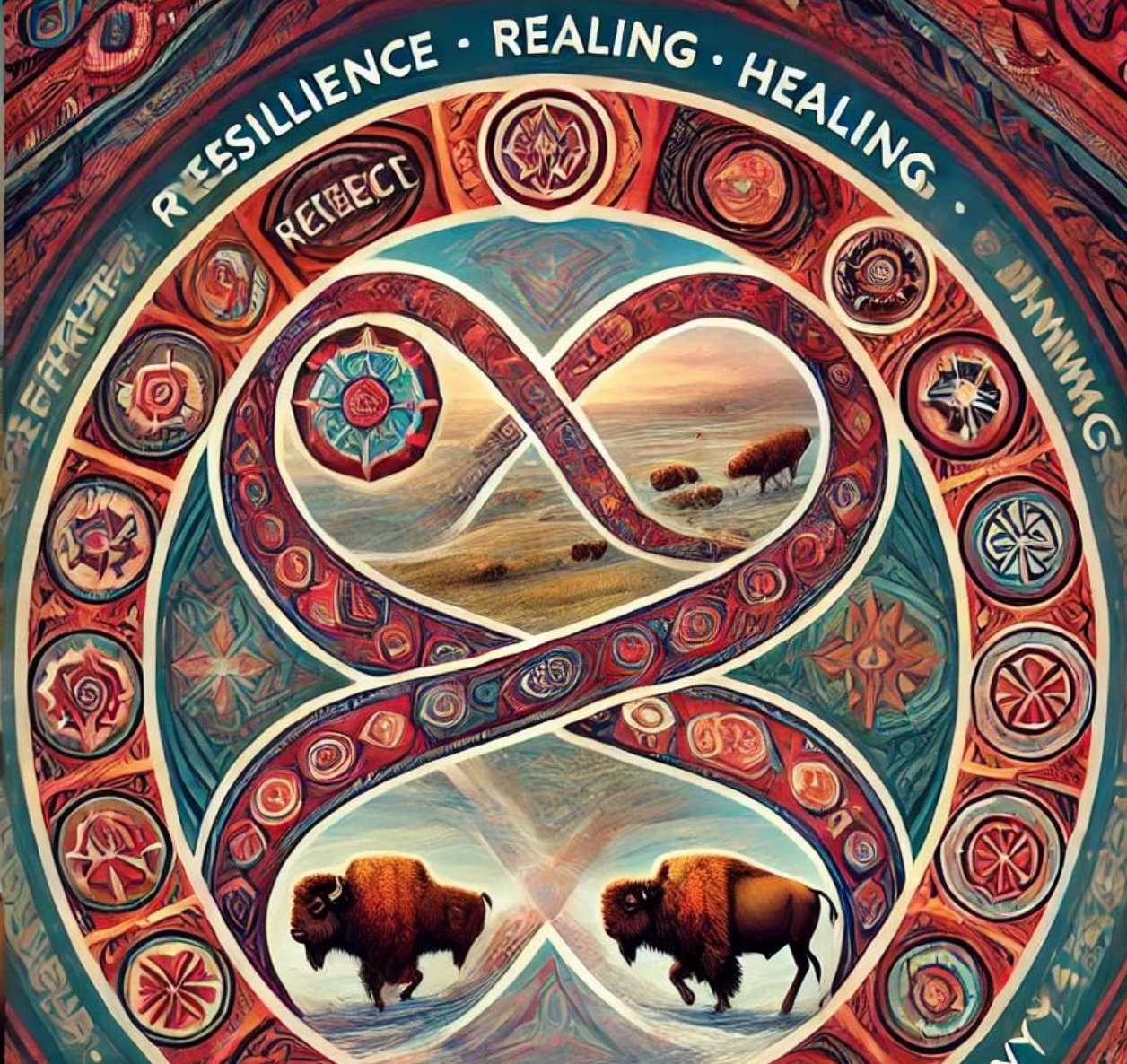
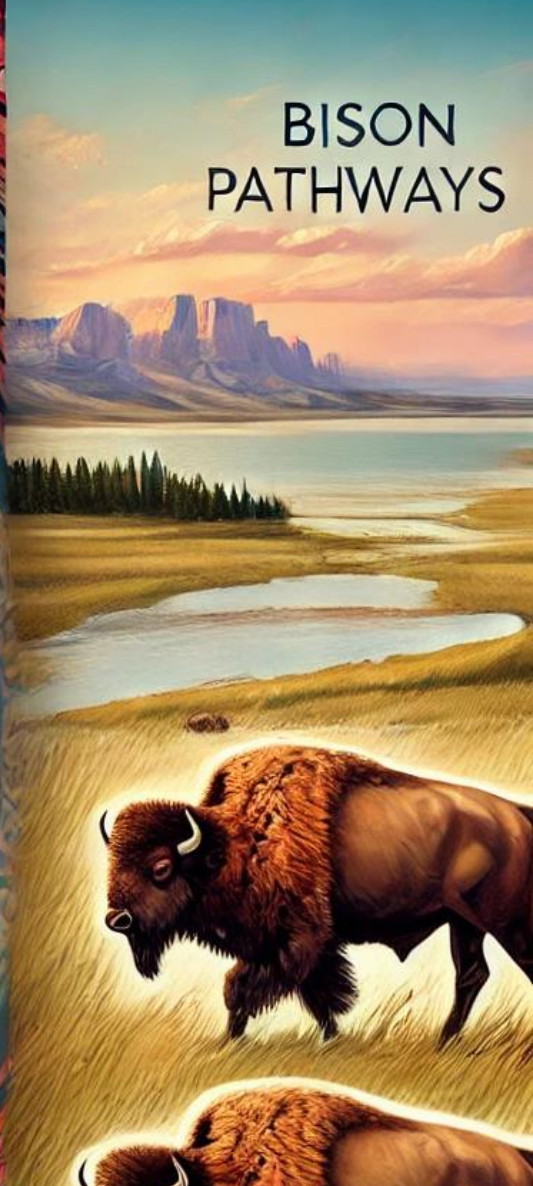


Creating Bison
Pathways:
Resilience,
Respect,
Community,
Holistic
Healing,

BISON PATHWAYS



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 Questions?