

WEEK 13 PRIMARY SOURCE

Christopher Columbus's observed that sierras and mountains in Caribbean "that they are so lovely and so rich for planting and sowing, for breeding cattle of different kind, and for building towns and villages." Columbus saw a great opportunity exist in this island. He also observed that people here are very loving and help one another in their own way. From his observation, they have so much gold which he can have in exchange for little favors he offer them.

What does he emphasize most?

Columbus emphasize more about how friendly and welcoming people of this island are. Once they see you are harmless to them, they are so happy to direct you in any way you need their assistance. He also talked about their willingness to offer you gold or whatever they must support you. He Also talk about their diversity in appearance and language; they have a common language that everyone understands the other. They are also timid and would always want to go back to their own way of living even when you try them you own way of life.

The evidence I see here about shaping his account as well as theirs is by offering them things like cloths and all other things he brought with him, but on the other hand these people are "strive to aid us and give us and to give us of the things which they have in abundance, and which are necessary to us."

Screen image of these people projects by Columbus is that people in these islands go naked from birth be you man or woman. The area you see them cover I imagine is their private areas which they made a particular cotton for this purpose. They see others nakedness as a normal way of life. They don't attach any feelings to it.

To them, they see Columbus as God from heaven. Those who saw him first were so afraid because, in their entire lifetime, they have never seen such a creature before or heard about that. That is why they think he comes from heaven.

What accounts for the differences?

The differences here is that Columbus and his men wore cloths, but they are naked. Columbus and his men are civilized but they are timid. They don't really know they values of their natural resources but Columbus know what value their gold and other things they own worth.