Photographie

Aboikonie family members dance and celebrate their dead chief on a village canoe.

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Description

During these performances, the canoe makes several turns rotating around itself. As a part of the ritual, this is a way to represent the hesitations of the deceased’s soul, wandering between the worlds of the living and the dead. The Booko-de ceremony (two days before the burial). Asindopo, Saramaka territory, Surinam.

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