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Sacagawea, a Shoshane teenager, is famous for being the Native American guide to Lewis and Clark on their expedition to the Western United States. She has been celebrated for being a guide and translator, walking eight thousand miles with her baby on her back, and saving the lives of the 33 men on the expedition, including her husband. However, it is important to note that Sacagawea's "husband" was a French trapper that she was enslaved to when she was 12 or 13. Moreover, for much of history, Sacagawea's achievements were downplayed, as was the fact that she never received compensation for her work. So, while we can celebrate Sacagawea's contributions, we should also remember how she ended up in the position as a guide to begin with.



Sacagawea one dollar coin reverseside for 2009. Representing US agriculture.

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