

Bless Me, Última (2013)

NOMBRE _____

Clase _____

Antes de ver la película

In this movie (which is based on a novel by the same name, written by Rudolfo Anaya), we'll be introduced to the culture of the curandera (faith healer) or people that cure ailments with alternative medicine. This often involves a spiritual element, not necessarily linked to a particular church or religion. Some people erroneously label these people as brujas or witches. Visit this website for a recent article:

<https://www.sfreporter.com/news/coverstories/2015/07/07/the-call-of-the-curandera/>

Al ver la película

1. Write a brief description of the following characters. You can also include what they do and what happens to them in the movie:

Antonio (Tony)

Última

El papá y la mamá de Antonio

Tenorio

Las hijas de Tenorio

Pick another character you liked

2. Describe the importance of these three symbols in the movie:

The Golden Carp

Última's owl

La Vigren de Guadalupe

3. Describe the importance of these scenes in the movie:

Antonio's dream

Antonio's first communion

Lupito's death

Antonio's uncle Lucas' illness

Tenorio shooting Última's owl

Después de ver la película

In your opinion, what is lesson learned from the movie?