

• f gitwalgots houses ✓

Myth abstracts

- The Adorth of Brashwaks 1915 do over again
- Akek, a great Gitwalgots Warrior, Clifton, 1952

Name

Houses

Names

Crests

Territories

Origins

gitwilgots informants

1. Mr Charles Moffat, 60, gispawudwadz, gitwilgots
2. Richard Bryant, 59, ganhado house of mkskamben, gitzi's.
3. Mrs. Richard Bryant (^{wid'e't}) gispawudwadz house of gilax'a'ks, gitwilgots.
4. Mrs. Marc Wright, a qinaxangik woman from a gitwilgots father, living with the gitwilgots.
5. Mr. James Wright, (wigib'e'o), about 80, of ganhada, gitwilgots
6. Mrs Emma Musgrave
7. Caleb Fabre ('algaaym sxe'xs) of gispawudwadz house of wut'sint, gitwilgots
8. Herbert Wallace
9. Abbe Johnson

Interpreter: William Beynon.

gat wal g̥̥. ts

Chas Budoward 31 May 1960

- I saxsa'xt (gispo̥dwa'da)
2. ni'st̥̥. ext
3. ligiu tkwe.tk
4. le. is
5. n̥̥s lo's ?nis.
6. 'yä'han

II

- III lä'dax (ganhä'da)

likakiget

- IV ~~taxlitkwac~~ (no hatitkwac here) halitkwac

V wut̥si:n

VI algamxä:
brave dare

gamsne'os

he.'li

sädzän

- VII lug̥̥. l
alone xaiget

VIII

IX nigisgag̥.

X gilax'a'ks (xpi'nyan)

XI t̥̥samayzmbän

XII

XIII 'winam̥.lk

XIV gwashaw̥.l

XV tam̥ga'o sam̥t'kwa

gitwilg̓ats

I saxsa'axt

(gispəwudwa'də)

(a) saxsa'axt

(b) ɿniast̕-ex

(c) ɿgiat̕kwε'.t̕k X

(d) le-s

(e) ɿnis̕-s

(f) ye'han

II iyo'-ans

(laxsk̕i'ək)

III la'-dəx

(g.anha'də)

IV halit̕kwa'

(laxsk̕i'ək)

V wut'si'.nt

(gispəwudwa'də)

VI alg̕amxε'.

(g.anha'də)

(a) alg̕amxε'.

(b) gamsne's

(c) he'ələ

(d) se'dzan

VII lu'g. ɿ-1

(laxsk̕i'ək)

(a) lu'g. ɿ-1

(b) xai'get

VIII ɿnis̕-omayε'

(gispəwudwa'də)

IX lag̕is̕yag̕-

(g.anha'də)

X g̕ilax̕aks (spi'.nyan)

(gispəwudwa'də)

XI ts̕ama'yamben

(g.anha'də)

XII kwus̕-axse'.laks

(laxsk̕i'ək)

XIII gwunbe'.t

(g.anha'də)

XIV wi'n̕m̕-lk

(g.anha'də)

XV gwus̕-awε'.l

(laxsk̕ibu')

XVI t̕amga'o samtkwa'

(g.anha'də)

gitwilgots houses

In order of rank.

samqiget I	saxsa'axt	(gispawudwa'dz)
	(a) saxsa'axt	(d) fe'ss
	(b) 'ni̥st̥t̥-ex	(e) 'ni̥st̥l̥-s
	(c) tigiutkwe'tk	(f) ye'han
II	iyo'̥-̥ns	(laxskis̥k)
III	la'.dəx	(ganhada)
lekakiget		
IV	halit̥kwac	(laxskis̥k)
V	wut̥si̥-nt	(gispawudwada)
VI	algamxe'	(ganhada)
	(a) algamxe'	(c) he'̥s̥
	(b) gamsne's	(d) sedzan
VII	tu'w̥g̥-i	(laxskis̥k)
	(a) lu'g̥-i	(b) xai'get
VIII	niz̥omaje'	(gispawudwada)
IX	lagisrag̥-	(ganhada)
X	spi'.ngan	(gispawudwada)
XI	t̥s̥ma'yambən	(ganhada)
XII	kwusa'xse'-ləks	(laxskis̥k)
XIII	gwunb̥e'-t	(ganhada)
XIV	wi-nam̥-t̥k	(ganhada)
XV	gwus'awe'-l	(laxsib̥u)
XVI	t̥amqa'a'səmt̥kwac	(ganhada)

Wallace 1915

g'itw'ig's'ts

refers to 'is' which has to do with living on
saltwater and trading with new people
The expression has changed since into
g'itw'u'is.

M. Johnson

It will go to
a place where
people are lying on
the sand.

go to lie in canoe or boat.

"to stop at a place for some time with
canoe."

Rank of all houses (wright)

New Order

Royal

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|---|-----------|
| 1 | saxsa'axt |
| 2 | iyo'sans |
| 3 | la'dəx |

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|-----|----------------------|
| I | gispawudwada |
| II | laxskia ^k |
| III | ganhada |

leka^kiget

- | | | | |
|----|--|------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | ha li'tkw | IV | laxskia ^k |
| 2 | wut'si'nt | V | gispawudwada |
| 3 | algamxε! | VI | ganhada |
| 4 | lug>l | VII | laxskia ^k |
| 5 | nizs'omaye' | VIII | gispawudwada |
| 6 | legisqag>. | IX | ganhada |
| 7 | gilax ^a ks (formerly spi'ngz) | X | gispawudwada |
| 8 | t'samayām beñ | XI | ganhada |
| 9 | kwus ^a xs ^e laks | XII | laxskia ^k |
| 10 | gwun b-e'.t | XIII | ganhada |
| 11 | wi>n>m>lk | XIV | ganhada |
| 13 | gwus'āwe'. | XV | lax ^k ib ^u |
| 14 | təmga'osomtkwa ^c | XVI | ganhada |