



Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Mutual understanding and cooperation among the inhabitants of our global village are important today as never before; and
- WHEREAS: The study of a second language and culture can contribute significantly to that understanding and cooperation; and
- WHEREAS: The call to second language study has been sounded from increasingly diverse sectors; and
- WHEREAS: The linguistic and cultural education of our youth must be commensurate with the state and nation's future needs; and
- WHEREAS: The future of our state and nation is becoming increasingly dependent upon persons in business, government, and education who possess a knowledge and appreciation of a second language and culture; and
- WHEREAS: Our state has established itself as a leader in international business, tourism, and industry; and
- WHEREAS: The citizens of our state represent a wealth of cultural and linguistic groups whose diversity contribute to the quality of life in Minnesota;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of March 4 through March 10, 1984, to be

LANGUAGES AND CULTURES WEEK

#34989
STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
FILED
JAN 26 1984

Jean Anderson Howe
Secretary of State

in Minnesota.

Jean Anderson Howe
Rudy Perpich

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this thirty-first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four and of the State the one hundred and sixth.

#34989