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Comments: As a Lakota woman I ask and beg that you do not mine the black hills. This land was originally allotted to us then taken once gold was discovered there. We beg that you do not move forward on this plan to further disrupt the natural sacred way of the black hills. Our creation stories begin there. Please set aside greed and do what is right by our people and by the earth itself.