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The Sun completed his songs, after which they all went outside, and when Scarface's face was examined it was seen that the scar was not so plain as it had been.

They entered the second sweat lodge and went through the same ceremony as before. Upon coming out, the scar was found to have been nearly removed.

The third sweat lodge was entered and used as the others had been, with the result that the scar could barely be seen.

After they had finished with the fourth, the Sun made Scarface and the Morning Star change places. Then when his wife had removed the hides from the sweat lodge, he said "Which is your son?" She pointed to Scarface saving "That is our son."

The boy's face was so completely healed that he looked just like the handsome Morning Star. Scarface was much pleased.

Said the Sun "You will not return home soon, my son, you will remain here until next summer, because there are many things I want to tell you. I am going to instruct you."

They gave the young Indian a full suit of the best clothing they had. He remained a long time at the home of the Sun, receiving instruction from him and going about much with his friend, the Morning Star.

One day when the two boys were roaming about together shooting, they saw some large birds which the Morning Star said were very dangerous birds, and that they always killed anyone who went shooting with him.

He wanted Scarface to run home with him to avoid the birds, but the Indian saw that the birds were harmless ones which were always killed and eaten in his country.

The Morning Star retreated. The birds flew at Scarface who raised his bow and using it as a club, knocked a bird on the head killing it. He did the same thing to three others and took the dead birds home to the Sun's lodge. Three of the birds he left outside the lodge and entered with one in his hand.

He received great praise for killing the bird, but when he after a while told them that three more were lying dead outside, they said that he was a very brave young man.

The Sun gave to Scarface the Morning Star's shirt which was decorated with scalp hair, telling him, "This is the garment that brave men wear."

The Sun took charcoal and grease and blacked the young man's face, put a white buffalo robe on his back and tied feathers in his hair.