

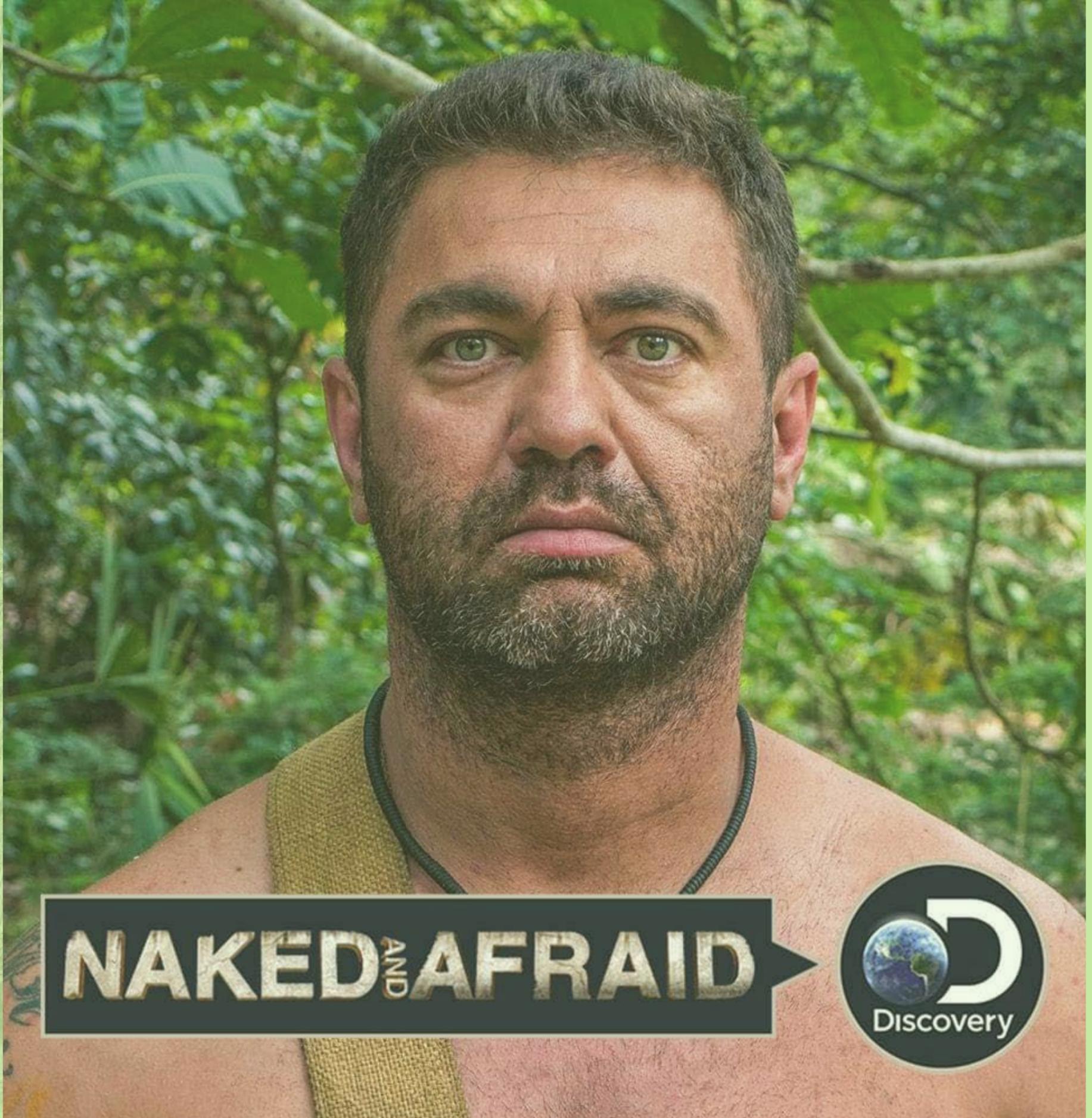
# Barehanded Adventures



Around the World

# The Host

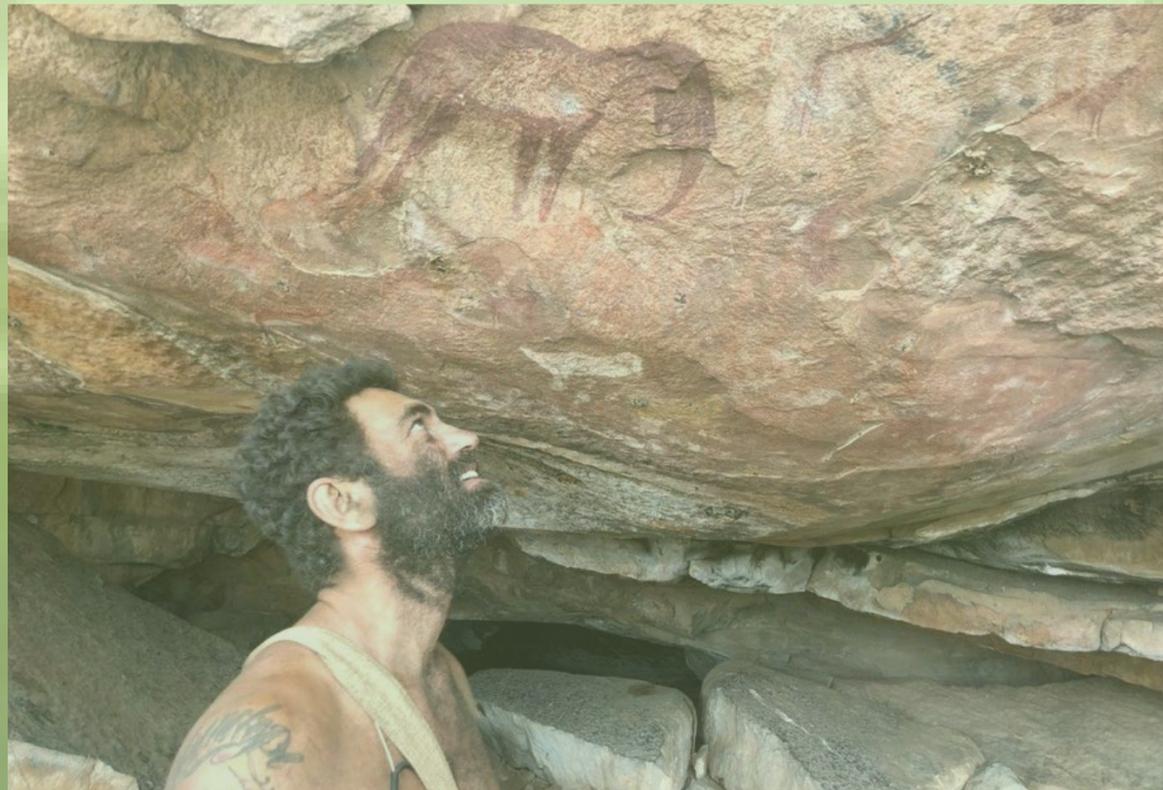
Bulent Gurcan was introduced to unscripted/reality television when he appeared in the Discovery Channel's Naked and Afraid series as a cast member. After successfully completing his 21-Day Challenge in his second attempt, Bulent was chosen for Naked and Afraid XL, a 40-day challenge in the deserts of South Africa.



**NAKED AND AFRAID**



Bulent was paired with other survivalists in the challenge. In an attempt to find his own destiny, Bulent left his partners behind and decided to take on the challenge alone after a mere nine days. Bulent skillfully completed the challenge by himself. He managed to harvest seven catfish - the smallest was eighteen pounds -- three monitor lizards, each around four feet, yielding twenty-five eggs -- two terrapins, each yielding twenty eggs -- and a rabbit. He was nicknamed BareHanded Killer.



His tenacity, vision, and hard work paid off, as he went 30 days alone in the deserts of South Africa. He is known as the lone survivalist.



Bulent relies strongly on his past life experiences. Growing up in a third-world country gave him valuable lessons on how to survive. He learned to catch his own food at four years of age. He migrated to the US on his own; joined the US Army, and is now a US war veteran. He fought against drug smugglers on the southern border as a Border Patrol Agent and Customs and Border Protection Officer. His choices and life experiences continue to serve him under a wide variety of conditions and situations.



# THE SHOW



What would you do if you woke up tomorrow completely alone? How would you feel if you traded places with Will Smith in a real-life I am Legend -- no stores where you could buy groceries, no internet to search for suggestions on survival, no Amazon Prime? How would you survive without modern society? How would you compete with wildlife for food? How would you build a shelter that could withstand the winters of New England?

The Amish have a lifestyle that while simple, emphasizes self-sufficiency. We plan to take survival even further into the wild -- bare human existence -- extreme survival.

Humans have gone from obtaining everything we need from nature to not being able to live without social media. There are thousands of primitive tribes around the world. They make do with what they have in nature. They have lived this way for thousands of years. How do they preserve food without refrigeration? How do they make their homes without Home Depot? What kind of doctor do they see when they are sick?



Bulent will travel around the world to join these resourceful survivors. He will live with them, hunt with them, and build with them. Barehanded Adventures will bring a side of these tribes that has never been seen: their successes, their failures, and their struggles. Bulent will unwrap the secret to each of their uniquely different primitive lifestyles.

# COMPS

Tribe vs. Pride

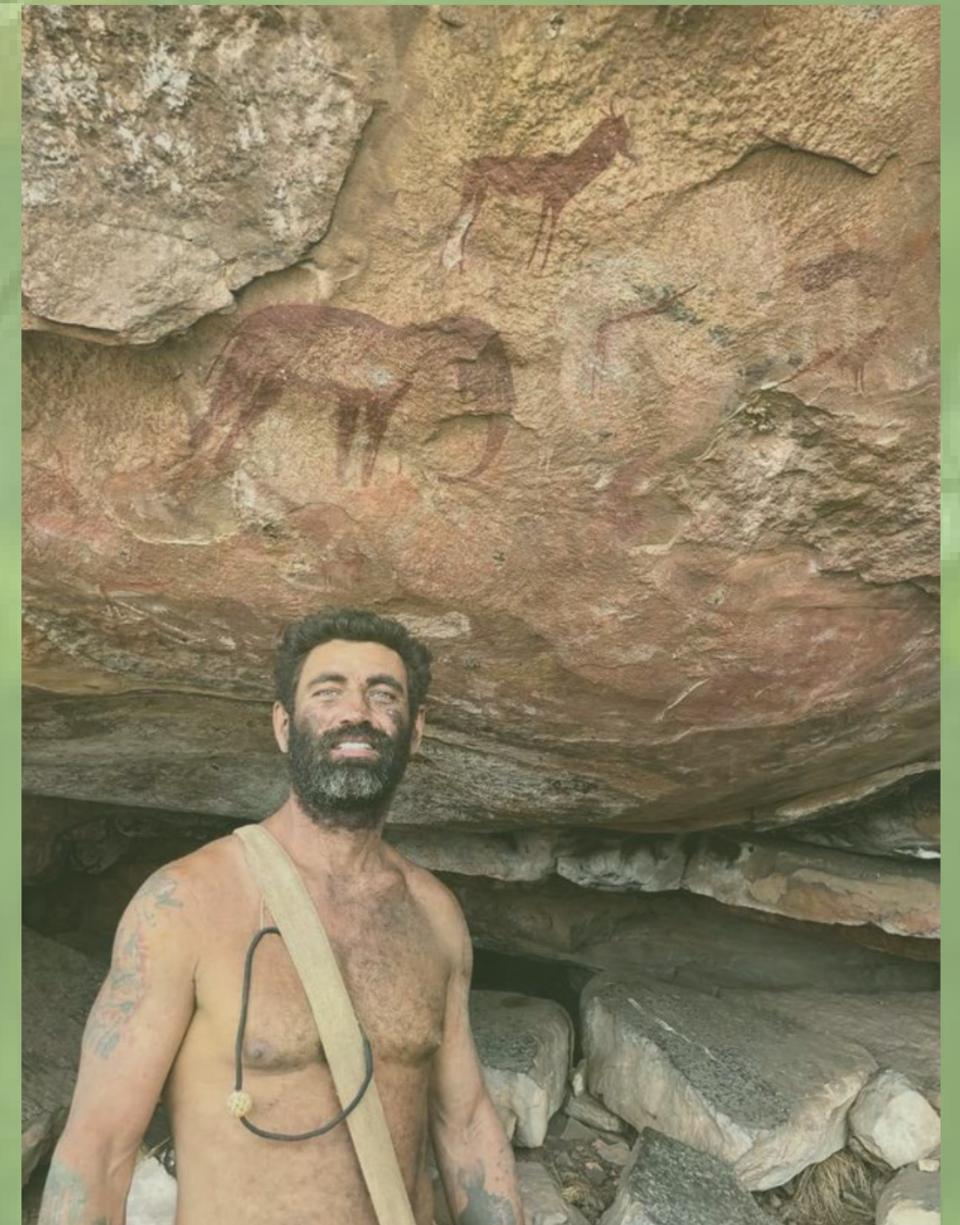
Primal Survivor

New Zealand: Welcome and Wonder



# Episodes

- Chukchi People, in the Arctic Ocean within the Russian Federation
- Ni-Vanuatu People in the South Pacific Ocean
- Dani People of Western New Guinea
- Drokpa Tribe in India
- Himba Women Namibia
- The Terena people of Brazil
- Inuit people of Alaska
- Nomads of Mongolia



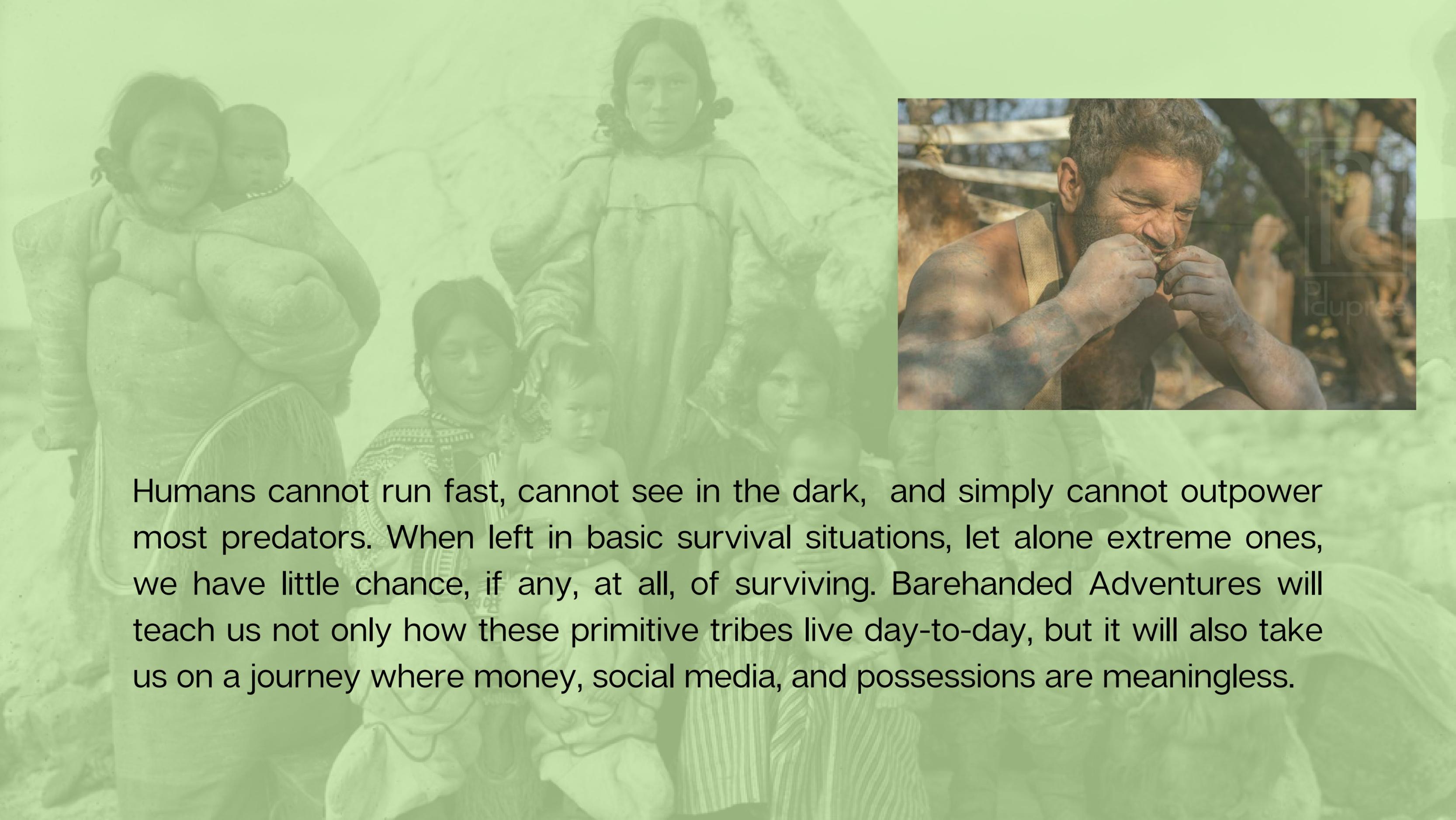


# THE VISION

Imagine a Serengeti water hole to quench your thirst, a white baneberry that looks irresistibly delicious, or a cave on a rocky mountain that may seem like a good place to spend the night -- to most, these are great ideas -- until you speak with a local.



In reality, you would soon discover the water hole has bacteria that will almost certainly give you dysentery, among other diseases. The white baneberry is lethally toxic to most mammals, and could potentially cause cardiac arrest on consumption. The cave you thought might be a safe spot to rest, may very well be home to a lioness with five cubs who will do anything to protect her young.



Humans cannot run fast, cannot see in the dark, and simply cannot overpower most predators. When left in basic survival situations, let alone extreme ones, we have little chance, if any, at all, of surviving. Barehanded Adventures will teach us not only how these primitive tribes live day-to-day, but it will also take us on a journey where money, social media, and possessions are meaningless.

# People from other countries

## Why This Show, Why Now?

**Prejudice** is an adverse judgment or negative opinion formed beforehand without knowledge of the facts.

The only way to diminish prejudice is through **education**. The more we learn about other cultures, the better we can understand and accept one another.

We have come a long way from the days of slavery to a woman or POC's right to vote -- to equality -- to LGBTQ+ Rights. However, there is much more to be done and all of us can help enact the change we would like to see in the world.

Barehanded Adventures is about diverse cultures and their way of living. Through our content, we hope to create social change and true acceptance of others.

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