

**GLOSSARY**

<b><u>Bodo Term</u></b>	<b><u>English Meaning</u></b>
<i>Alari Bathi</i>	An earthen lamp which is made of mud adding fuel to it and use Thread for lighting
<i>Alasi Jalainai</i>	Visiting near and dear one
<i>Achan</i>	Bangles
<i>Aronai</i>	Traditional Scurf of Bodos
<i>Aghor</i>	Embroidered design in Dhokona
<i>Ailong</i>	Supreme god of traditional Bodos
<i>Amtisua</i>	Rites beliefs on the agricultural on The month of Ashar
<i>Aloukhangnai</i>	exorcist of the Body by the Doudini
<i>Agrang</i>	god of water
<i>Asu Mainao</i>	Ahu rice god
<i>Athmangal</i>	post marriage ceremony after eight Days later visiting bride's family
<i>Annan Gosai</i>	Almighty God
<i>Astham</i>	Finger ring
<i>Asan Suri Thebnai</i>	Carrying Bracelets
<i>Agor</i>	Design in Dhokona
<i>Asu</i>	A kind of rice

<i>Abla Khungur</i>	Powerful God
<i>Abhir</i>	Herbal oil
<i>Ari</i>	Class / Tribe/ social Division
<i>Aoluri hinjao</i>	Unskilled/Indiscipline women
<i>Aijwfwr</i>	Women folk
<i>Bwrai</i>	old man
<i>Bwisagu</i>	Spring Festival (Bihu in Assamese)
<i>Bakhri</i>	Granary
<i>Bathou</i>	Bodos Traditional Religion
<i>Bwrai Bathou Tanshali</i>	Old God Altar / Assemble hall
<i>Ba</i>	five/ to carry on back
<i>Biban Langnai</i>	carrying Laden
<i>Barlangfa</i>	A male persons who leads by Carrying two earthen pots during Wedding ceremony
<i>Bwirathi</i>	The women group in the wedding Ceremony
<i>Boro Somaj</i>	Boro Society
<i>Bathi</i>	Bamboo pole which is used for Carrying the load/ use during Carrying dead body
<i>Bwrsi</i>	Hook

<i>Bato gab</i>	Parrot colour
<i>Basainai</i>	Saving
<i>Bad</i>	Social offences
<i>Bokhali</i>	Babysitter maid
<i>Chhwranao</i>	Guest room
<i>Chaurai</i>	flatten rice
<i>Dainas</i>	Witchcraft Witch hunt
<i>Daini</i>	Witchcraft women
<i>Dahal</i>	Shield
<i>Douri</i>	A male priest
<i>Dhuli</i>	Rice storage bamboo basket
<i>Doudini</i>	A women who perform as a mad
	Women in Kherai Puja
<i>Dhoka Habnai</i>	Widow remarriage
<i>Dhokona</i>	Bodo women garment
<i>Dwnkarnai Haba</i>	Elopement marriage
<i>Dongkha habnai haba</i>	A marriage when both widow women and a man agree to get married
<i>Dhoti</i>	A lower garment of man
<i>Dhara</i>	A bamboo mate
<i>Don</i>	A bamboo basket
<i>Daotu Koro</i>	Dove head

<i>Daodwi</i>	Egg
<i>Dao Twi lwngnai</i>	Sucking Chicken blood
<i>Eri</i>	Silk worm
<i>Endi</i>	A plant eaten by Eri silk worm
<i>Fagun</i>	Spring Season
<i>Gamcha</i>	towel clothes
<i>Garjashali</i>	Assemble hall of garja puja
<i>Gwrjia Lakinai</i>	Groom Staying at Bride's house
<i>Gongkhon hwnai</i>	Giving Bracelets
<i>Goi Khaonai</i>	Cutting Betel nut
<i>Guntung</i>	Nose
<i>Gwmw</i>	Yellow
<i>Gwtang</i>	Green
<i>Gwka Gwkwi</i>	bitter and sour
<i>Gwja</i>	Red
<i>Gandeola</i>	Dragonfly
<i>Gosai</i>	god
<i>Gannai Fwrbw</i>	Wearing festival
<i>Hasib gonsi</i>	Broom stick
<i>Hadungwra</i>	Head man / any leader
<i>Halmaji</i>	care taker
<i>Hamaha</i>	Alluvial soil

<i>Haal Jhangkra</i>	finishing day of cultivation rice in Field and enjoying with mud
<i>Hinjao bwnai Haba</i>	forcefully marrying a girl
<i>Hinjao gwdan Lainai</i>	bringing bride
<i>Hathasuni haba</i>	A type of marriage system in Bodo
<i>Hajira</i>	Daily wage labour
<i>Haba</i>	Marriage
<i>Iswr</i>	God
<i>Iching</i>	Kitchen
<i>Jokhar/Jakhua</i>	Joint family
<i>Je</i>	Net
<i>Jong</i>	Spear
<i>Jota</i>	small Cymbal
<i>Jumgra</i>	Wrapping towel
<i>Karsonnai Haba</i>	A girl run into the boys's Home and get married
<i>Khophra</i>	Waiting house
<i>Khamsali</i>	Verandah
<i>Kaosa</i>	small basket
<i>Kardoi/ karo</i>	Alkaline/ homemade soda
<i>Kobai</i>	Make from Bamboo for keeping Fish

<i>Khulli Mutta</i>	hand bracelets
<i>Kobira Tangnai</i>	first information of marriage
<i>Kwma</i>	ear
<i>Kho</i>	Hen nest
<i>Koka</i>	A kind of fish trap tool
	Make from bamboo
<i>Khoila</i>	South
<i>Khoijema Pobnai</i>	Burying red ants
<i>Kham</i>	Traditional Drum
<i>Laokar</i>	Shepherd
<i>Laroo</i>	Food item make from rice powder
<i>Mai Hanai</i>	Harvesting rice
<i>Mairong</i>	Uncooked rice
<i>Maginai</i>	Begging of alms
<i>Maldang</i>	A huge earthen Pot
<i>Mainao</i>	Goddesses of wealth/ female
<i>Mwdai</i>	Goddess in good or bad
<i>Mwihur kalamnai</i>	Hunting
<i>Mailani</i>	A women who can't keep words
<i>Mwigong bari</i>	Vegetables garden
<i>Mala</i>	Garland / necklace
<i>Mwswo Goli</i>	Cow shed

<i>Mwshakaori</i>	Dance troupe
<i>Maoji</i>	Cat
<i>Muri</i>	pop rice
<i>Naa</i>	Fish
<i>Nomano</i>	Main house in Bodo Family
<i>Napaam</i>	Fermented dried fish put in a Bamboo Pipe by Bodo people
<i>Nari Sangathan</i>	Women's Association
<i>Narzi</i>	Dry Jute leaves or as curry
<i>Nam Dwinnai</i>	Naming / keeping name
<i>Naa gwrn</i>	Dry fish
<i>Nakaphul</i>	Nose-ring
<i>Nosuna/ Mando</i>	Waiting house/room
<i>Neosa</i>	Unholy or Curse things
<i>Okhong</i>	Dinning room
<i>Ondla</i>	Traditional rice powder curry
<i>Oma</i>	Pig
<i>Oma bedor</i>	pork
<i>Ojha</i>	Medicine man/women
<i>Obonglaori</i>	Almighty Lord
<i>Pathwilai Bisinai</i>	Divorce
<i>Phulkhuri</i>	Name of ear ring

<i>Pakri bilai</i>	Fig tree leaf
<i>Pharao megon</i>	An embroider design from Pigeon's Eye shape
<i>Phalli Kaokanai</i>	Wrapping head with a handkerchief Like a turban
<i>Pitha</i>	Rice pan cake
<i>Pandulupi</i>	Bodos Social laws and customs Contains book
<i>Rangkini</i>	Hot temper women
<i>Rua</i>	Axe
<i>Ruati</i>	Maid-servant
<i>Raj Khungri</i>	Princess
<i>Thanshali</i>	Assemble Hall
<i>Saori</i>	A kind of free will work
<i>Samdang Jagarnai</i>	Giving free service in matrilocal Marriage
<i>Sen</i>	A kind of fish trap tool
<i>Sii</i>	Clothe
<i>Swngnai</i>	weaving / to weave
<i>Sijou Tanshali</i>	Euphorbia Altar
<i>Swngnanwi lainai haba</i>	Arrange Marriage
<i>SibingAri</i>	Sesame social group



<i>SobaiAri</i>	Black dal social group
<i>Sadwr</i>	A kind of clothes scurf use by Women
<i>Sijou</i>	Euphorbia splendens
<i>Saori Lingnai</i>	An Invitation for Group free work
<i>Saori Janai</i>	Community free work service
<i>Sipung</i>	Flute
<i>Swmwndw Lakinai</i>	Keeping close relationship
<i>Saonai</i>	cremating/ burning
<i>Sali</i>	A kind Small rice
<i>Songrai</i>	Rice winnow basket
<i>Sandri</i>	flour winnow basket
<i>Solta</i>	thread used while lighting the earthen Lamp/ alari bathi
<i>Sanja bali</i>	Eastern side
<i>Tabij</i>	Amulet
<i>Thou</i>	Deep
<i>Tuplongnai</i>	piercing
<i>Thaidir bikong</i>	Rind of elephant Apple
<i>Thafanas</i>	a ritual / ceremony memorable Prayer to deceased soul
<i>Thaokri lunai</i>	Yarning silk thread

<i>Thalir Fosla</i>	Rind of Banana stem
<i>Uwal</i>	A kind of Wooden Bowl shape Use for grinding rice/ Mortar
<i>Zumai</i>	Alcohol/ wine / rice beer
<i>Zou</i>	Rice beer/ Alcohol/ wine
<i>Zekhai</i>	Bamboo tool for fishing trap Use by Bodo women