

Continuity in the Traditional Initiation Practice of Boys and Girls in Contemporary Southern Africa Society

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ABSTRACT The traditional initiation of boys and girls in South Africa and Lesotho has made a major comeback following a change of attitude of the different religious and educational institutions. Many people have taken advantage of the situation but with differing agenda. The paper therefore discusses the practices in the face of modern technology and disease and makes a comparative analysis with past experience. It also discusses the research methodological problems in the study of such traditions that come with a changed face.