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Topic: identify

- The Spanish language sets itself apart from the rest of society in the United States (Totti, 539).
- The new ethnic identity of the Latino is formed when shared culture is adapted to their environment and with their decent; they gain new traditions (Totti, 540).
- Bilingualism in education is important to them; in the 1980’s 8 out of ten Hispanics favored bilingual education (Totti, 539).
- Intermarriage similarities were brought society and economics which will be able to help the next generation with a strong sense of identity (Totti, 542).

Assessment:

Tote’s article explains the separation between the society and language. The fact this is based in the Spanish society means that this is also applicable to all other languages. The article states that the means of identity is in Hispanics but can also be applied to other cultures as well. The article also tells is that the people especially the Spanish community wants to bilingual and not to lose their heritage. This
people are strong and well aware about there identity in this country. This people know what they want and that is for a bright future for their kids. The ideas of being bilingual are not to bring their children down but to empower them to proud and aware of their identity.