Alberta Susunkewa, has been a basket weaver for many years. As to when she started weaving I do not recall. There was a time when the women of the village where I grew up would watch her weave, they were captivated by her colorful detailed and inventive style and designs.

The things I do remember was when she was done with one of her baskets, They would go by wagon to the Hubbell's Mercantile at Kykotsmovi (New Oraibi) To trade for supplies such as flour, Sugar, Coffee, and a hard stick candy for me.

Although she attended and demonstrated at the World's Fair in New York City, She never considered entering in any Arts and Crafts Shows.

For that Alberta Susunkewa is recognized by her Hopi Crafts of basketry. Which has been enjoyed by everyone who has had the privilege to collect her fine work.