

## Volunteer Story Submission

Thank you for your interest in contributing to the Peace Corps Digital Library. Your contribution will help ensure that the Peace Corps' rich legacy of service is maintained for future generations.

Are you contributing a story that reflects your time as a Peace Corps staff member? Please submit it to our staff collection.

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### Story Submission Guidelines

Please note that you may only submit one story. In order to be published in the digital library, your submission must:

- Be 1,500 words or less;
- Be sensitive to the privacy concerns of individuals, including host country nationals;
- Not malign the Peace Corps, or any other group or individual;
- Not include inflammatory, rude or offensive language or content;
- Not include links to or URLs for Internet sites;
- Not be used to promote products or services;
- Not include any personal identifying information such as Social Security numbers, phone numbers, email addresses or street addresses

Peace Corps reserves the right to edit or reject submissions to the digital library. For additional information and tips on telling your story read our [Story Ideas and Suggestions](#).

Note: fields with an asterisk (\*) are required.

#### Add Story

- \* Story Title

(80 character limit)

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- \* Upload Story

Please submit your story in Microsoft Word (.doc, .docx), rich text (.rtf) or plain text (.txt) format. DO NOT include spaces or special characters (&, #, !, ?) in the filename.

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- \*  My submission adheres to the story submission guidelines outlined above

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## Contact Information

- \* First Name

Middle Name

- \* Last Name

- \* City

\* State

- \* Country

- \* Email

\* Re-type Email

- \* Telephone

Was your name different at the time of your Peace Corps service?  Yes  No

## About Your Service

- \* Country

Country of Service

- \* Service Dates

Begin  End

- \* Sector

Sector

Did you serve in an additional tour?  Yes  No

### About the Digital Library Project

- May a Peace Corps staff member contact you if we have questions about your submission?  
\*  Yes  No Please indicate if a Peace Corps staff member may contact you about your submission
- We anticipate great interest in the 50th anniversary among the domestic and international press, partner universities, RPCV groups and other organizations such as libraries and museums. May we provide your contact information (email and telephone) to groups interested in contacting you for interviews, exhibits, etc? [Note: Peace Corps does not release contact information to groups for the purpose of fundraising.]  
\*  Yes  No Please indicate if we may provide your contact information to groups interested in contacting you for 50th Anniversary activitiesn
- We are working to establish a permanent home for original, primary source archival materials about the Peace Corps experience [Ex. letters, journals, Volunteer newsletters or cookbooks from your country of service, photos, slides, video or audio recordings taken while in service, artwork or artifacts, etc...]. May we contact you at a future date about contributing your original materials?  
\*  Yes  No
- If yes, please describe the original materials you have:

1000 characters remaining

### Authorization and Agreement

full description below

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4). I acknowledge that I will receive no financial compensation from the Peace Corps in consideration of my agreement to this Authorization and Agreement , or in regard to my provision of the above listed submissions.

5). My submission of this Authorization and Agreement and affirmative indication of acceptance of the terms of this Authorization and Agreement, through any physical, electronic, fax, or other means serves as my legally valid signature to this Authorization and Agreement, and has the full force and effect of my original written signature.

\*  I accept the terms of the Peace Corps Material Submission Authorization and Agreement. Please verify you read the authorization agreement

Submit

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