

Bio Sketch  
Dr. Helen Fox

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She served in the Peace Corps in India (1964-66) and was a Peace Corps trainer in Togo, West Africa in 1988. She wrote the *Nonformal Education Manual*, used by Peace Corps for pre-service and in-service training worldwide. As a Quaker, she is a pacifist, holding to the declaration Quakers made to King Charles II in 1661: "We utterly deny all outward wars and strife and fightings with outward weapons for any end or under any pretense whatsoever. This is our testimony to the whole world."