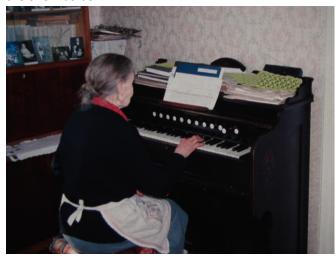
## **World Outlook**



#### Get a **Brother Club!**

Rita was born close to the mountains of Ural in the Soviet Union in 1926. Very early she lost her parents. The mother died and the father disappeared (went underground, was deported?). After World War 2, Rita decided to move back to Latvia, the country her parents had left long before she was born.



We met Rita in Latvia in 2004. We could not speak with each other. Rita only spoke Latvian and Russian. So we communicated through her daughter, and we sang together in our own tongue "Lovely is the Earth!"

We had a common heritage of Christian Culture!

## Y's Men International

Is a movement, which is supporting and working for a better world, locally and globally.

The Y's Men-movement has different branches of services. One of them is called

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A person who has the responsibility for such a branch of service is called a Regional Service Director, RSD. The RSD can be contacted concerning questions about Brother Clubs (clubs of friendship). What do they do? How does it work? and other practical questions. Please, go to the very last section of this folder for more information on RSD in Denmark, Villy Moelgaard.



#### Many advantages by having a Brother Club!

An international club of friendship (Brother Club) could strengthen the fellowship amongst not only different Y's Men's Clubs around the world, but also between different countries and cultures. So the Brother Club programme may be an important part of the movement's way of reaching its goals. The friendship programme is constructed in order to give the possibility to exchange ideas etc. among the clubs, either you talk about closely related clubs or clubs with a totally different culture. In addition, these Brother Clubs give the individual Y's Men member a chance and opportunity to experience and explore new friendships and cultures, while strengthening the clubs' position world-wide.

#### **Facts about Brother Clubs.**

There are approximately 140 Danish Clubs and almost half of these have one or more friendship clubs around the world or in Denmark. These relationships add to the joy and and enrichment, not only for the Danish Club, but also for the foreign club.

The RSD would be more than happy to come for a visit at your club and provide more information about World Outlook and Brother Clubs.

#### Practical relations.

If you would like to have a club of friendship, please feel free to contact the Regional Service Director. You may also contact the club, you are interested in directly and suggest becoming Brother Clubs. When two clubs have agreed to become clubs of friendship, a Brother Club certificate has to be issued to each club. (Please, contact the RSD). It is important that the two clubs make arrangement about how to visit etc. This could mean that the clubs take turns on visiting each other. For instance three members from the Danish club could visit the foreign club in odd years and at least three members from the foreign club could visit the Danish club in even years. Choose an organizer to guarantee that the arrangement is going to be held as an enrichment for both clubs.

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