



## Cuban Visitors to Arrive in New England

Monday, April 7 at 7:00 pm Hartford Friends Meeting 144 South Quaker Lane West Hartford

Monday, April 7, The Connecticut Coalition for Peace and Justice (CCPJ) and Hartford Friends Monthly Meeting (Quakers) will host an evening program to explore experiences as Friends from different cultures and discuss what draws us together across distinct cultural environments.

Cuban Friends Maria Armenia Yi and Jorge Luis Pena have been invited by Puente de Amigos to visit New England Yearly Meeting (April 7-14) following their attendance at the Friends World Committee for Consultation (FWCC) Section of the Americas Annual Meeting that was held in Indiana, April 3-6.

## The guests are:

- Maria Armenia Yi, of Holguin Meeting and
- o Jorge Pena, a Friend from Puerto Padre Meeting in Cuba.



Maria and Jorge are both leaders in Cuba Yearly Meeting (CYM) and representatives to the FWCC Section of the Americas. Maria serves as pastor of her Meeting in Holguin and is Assistant to the Clerk of CYM. She led a worship session at the FWCC Triennial in Dublin, 8/07. Jorge is Clerk of the Pastoral Commission in his Meeting in Puerto Padre and clerk of the Evangelism Commission of CYM. He is a writer and journalist. Maria and Jorge have been actively involved with welcoming New England Friends who visit Cuban Friends, through Puente de Amigos as part of our bridge of love.

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