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Northern Nigeria photographs, EEPA  
1986-026, between 1905-1907

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Eliot Elisofon Photographic Archives, National Museum of African Art
<b>Title:</b>	Northern Nigeria photographs
<b>Identifier:</b>	EEPA.1986-026
<b>Date:</b>	[between 1905-1907]
<b>Extent:</b>	silver gelatin (black & white; 18 x 12 cm. or smaller) copy prints (black & white; 8 x 10 in.)
<b>Language:</b>	Undetermined
<b>Summary:</b>	Photographs assembled in an album documenting the Fulbe, Tiv and Wurkun peoples of north-central Nigeria. Images include Fulbe on horseback, Tiv women and children, a Wurkun headman, and Wurkun in indigenous attire. Activities illustrated include dancing and playing musical instruments such as drums, horns with gourd resonators and string bows.
<b>Container:</b>	Item 53
<b>Container:</b>	Box 1
<b>Container:</b>	Volume 1

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## Administrative Information

### Provenance

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## General

Indexed by negative number.

## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Cultures:

- Fulbe (African people)
- Tiv (African people)
- Wurkun (African people)

Types of Materials:

- Photographic prints

Geographic Names:

- Africa
- Nigeria