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Surapong Bunnag photographs of
hill tribes in Thailand, 1959-1965

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	Surapong Bunnag photographs of hill tribes in Thailand
Date:	1959-1965
Identifier:	NAA.PhotoLot.74-35
Creator:	Bunnag, Surapong
Extent:	800 Negatives (circa; 35 mm) 800 Prints (circa; silver gelatin)
Language:	Undetermined .

Administrative Information

Provenance

Donated by Surapong Bunnag, 1974.

Other Finding Aids

List of captions by Bunnag, available in repository.

Preferred Citation

Photo lot 74-35, Surapong Bunnag photographs of hill tribes in Thailand, National Anthropological Archives, Smithsonian Institution

Restrictions

The collection is open for research.

Access to the collection requires an appointment.

Conditions Governing Use

Contact the repository for terms of use.

Biographical Note

Surapong Bunnag was a Thai employee of the Voice of America, stationed in Bangkok.

Scope and Contents

Photographs documenting villages, people, ceremonies, and activities of Thai hill tribes, including the Akha, Karen, Lahu, Lawa, Lisu, Meo, Tai Luc, and Yao. Some photographs are duplicated in an album with captions by Bunnag.

Local Call Number(s)

NAA Photo Lot 74-35

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Agriculture
- Akha (Southeast Asian people)
- Hmong (Asian people)
- Lahu (Asian people)
- Laundry
- Lawa (Thai people)
- Lisu (Southeast Asian people)
- Livestock
- Rites and ceremonies
- Tai Lue
- Taungthu (Southeast Asian people)
- Villages
- Weddings
- Yao (Southeast Asian people)

Cultures:

- Akha (Southeast Asian people)
- Hmong (Asian people)
- Lahu (Asian people)
- Lawa (Thai people)
- Lisu (Southeast Asian people)
- Tai Lue
- Taungthu (Southeast Asian people)
- Yao (Southeast Asian people)

Types of Materials:

- Photographs

Places:

- Thailand