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Musical Tonewood**









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# GREENWOOD



## Forest Friends

A decade after a pioneering mahogany harvesting program paired Taylor with a community in Honduras, a model of sustainable social forestry is thriving and spreading

By Jim Klein



Bob Taylor (back center) and Greenwood's Scott Lands (third from left) with members of the Copén community

### Forest Friends continued

Bob Taylor's itinerary in Honduras began at the airport in La Ceiba, with a press conference to celebrate the 10th anniversary of Taylor's involvement in sustainable forest management issues. After meeting with the staff of Maderahonda, Bob and Greenwood's Scott Lands traveled to the communities of Copén and Miraflores, then flew to San Pedro Sula, where the milled mahogany is kiln-dried before being shipped to the U.S. A selection of Bob and Scott's photos, featured here, captures some of the sights of their travels.



Welcome to Copén



Bob Taylor being interviewed by a local TV station after the press conference in La Ceiba



The home of the manager of Miraflores



Proceeds from Taylor's wood purchasing arrangement with Copén have enabled members of the cooperative to purchase livestock



After crossing La Ceiba a major part of the 30-hour journey, the "torero" was able to unload on land again and proceed "back to the forest" again. A World Agroforestry Centre team is assisting



A young girl in Copén





**GREENPEACE**

# MUSICWOOD

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USE IT RESPONSIBLY

“Somebody has to do something, and it's just incredibly pathetic that it has to be us.”  
*Jerry Garcia*

**LAURENCE JUBER**  
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