



## Philippines Fact Sheet

In terms of statistics, how are the Philippines and the USA Central Territory similar or different?

	<b>Philippines Territory</b>	<b>USA Central Territory</b>
<b>Officers</b>	182	683
<b>Corps</b>	82	259
<b>Senior Soldiers</b>	7,696	16,282
<b>Junior Soldiers</b>	1,178	3,688

The Philippines is located in East Asia. In the Philippines, the Salvation Army ministers in Antiqueno (Kinaray), Bagobo, Bicolano, Cebuano, English, Filipino (Tagalog), Hiligaynon (Ilonggo), Ilocano, Korean, Pangasinan, T'boli and Waray.

The climate is hot and humid.

Did you know?

- Territorial Headquarters: Malate, Manila
- A two-story training facility located near Tacloban City Hall is to be constructed to house the community Livelihood Enhancement Program. The building is being designed as a green building, the first of its kind in Tacloban City. It will include solar panels and a rain water catchment system.
- The two largest islands in the Philippines, Luzon and Mindanao, make up for two thirds of the total land area. Only about one third of the islands is inhabited.
- Elementary education in the Philippines starts at age seven and last for 6 years. Secondary education begins at age 13 and lasts for 4 years.
- Lechon is the most invited party guest in the Philippines. The entire pig is spit-roasted over coals, with the crisp, golden-brown skin served with liver sauce, the most coveted part.