

## »IN LIMBO«

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Driven by my curiosity, urging from my family's background, I found myself traveling to one of the biggest reintegration camps in Colombia where former combatants of the far left FARC\* guerrilla settled down after signing a peace treaty with the country's government in 2016.

Over 7,000 remaining guerrillas committed to a change - a transition from war to peace. Willing to lay down their weapons and reintegrate - committed to starting a civilian life. After 53 years of armed conflict this marked a historic step towards a long awaited peace.

Nevertheless, with 7 million internally displaced people, more than 200 thousand deaths and another 80 thousand persons gone missing the stigmatization of the guerrilla and its members has proven to be a fundamental problem for a successful continuation of the ongoing peace process, same as the prevalent political divide in the country.

In times of big uncertainty »IN LIMBO« gives insights into the former rebel's lives, their search for a routine and portrays their new living situations. I want to invite you to (re)discover people, just like you and me, building a home and becoming a family. I want you to give yourself a reminder that we are all human, no matter where we come from through portraits of life - far away from war, weapons or crime.

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