What My Neighborhood Means To Me?

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What does my hood mean to me? My hood means a lot to me, which is why I try to keep the peace. You know how you run into a person and that person has been living in that hood for a long time, while that's me. I've been staying in my hood for about 10 years. There has been a lot of stuff going on since the year 2000. Most of all, my friends have been coming up dead and or their killing themselves over some dumb things. Other than that, my hood is a pretty nice place to live. One thing that I can say is that we keep it clean and you don't see a lot of kids being bad and messing stuff up. I stay on the eastside of Milwaukee and people say that's the worst part of Milwaukee. I can say that the eastside did have people running around robbing people. I can't say that it's not going on because it is, but it has slowed down. Where I live it's the heart of the east because everything that's going on is going on around me. Sometimes it seems like the trouble is closing in on me. I have been living in my home so long that leaving would be uncomfortable. In my neighborhood you can just sit outside and enjoy the community. That's one of the best things like about my hood. I love my hood and my hood loves me. I can't wait to make it better.