**A249C002\_23062888\_CANON\_proxy.mp3**

[00:00:00] **Speaker 1** Therefore the map, the.

[00:00:04] **Speaker 2** Yeah. Just. Yeah. You travel?

[00:00:05] **Speaker 1** Yeah. Well, the lighting is pretty shitty, but these are. Well, this is from our. We rented a car and we. We flew down to Patagonia and we drove from out all ten to Swale. Oh, My recommendations is a large spot of just like oil fields. But it was fantastic. It was so beautiful. Really lovely. But yeah, these are all the places that I guess I have. But then you get Finland, Hungary, Honduran to Honduras, not Nicaragua. Sorry. Costa Rica. These are. I took these pictures. That's actually Al Fitzroy. Mount Fitzroy in Patagonia on Christmas Day. That's how I spent my Christmas. This is actually Isle of Skye in Scotland. I took a road trip and it's free camp there, so you can just camp everywhere as long as you're within like 100 feet of a building or something. Or you have to be further than a hundred feet from a building. So I took my tent and we drove around. You just stop at little pubs, get like tips from people and they tell you where to go next. That's fantastic. Yeah, Poland got that. The Patagonia Park, too. Got New Zealand up there. But Scotland, I don't know. But I kind of lost my marbles after working eight years at Epic and not because a job, the job was really great. It was just what had my life become. I was working 80 hours a week, just traveling a lot. I literally looked at that mirror and I'm like, Is this all there is? Like, Is this it? It's this life? And I put in my two year notice, no joke. Two years took me two years to quit my job. That's the kind of person I am. But I did put in a like a meeting request on my calendar for Friday saying quit your job, and then on Monday said, If you have not quit your job, I know you are feeling a little harsh, but I did. I made it. But yeah, I think I look at this wall a lot. That's the most our bridge in Bosnia, which was recently rebuilt, I believe, because it did get destroyed. I don't know if you've been to Bosnia, but like Sarajevo is still in like there's a war ruins still everywhere. It's kind of wild because I remember growing up being really afraid of Sarajevo, and I went there and it's just beautiful. It's in the mountains, it's gorgeous. I couldn't believe it. And the people are just so kind. So kind.

[00:02:37] **Speaker 2** What strikes me about this, and not only is it. Amazing to see all the places you've been, but this exact stairwell is often where people put the family.

[00:02:47] **Speaker 1** Yeah, well, my family here, look at this as a school. That's one of the dogs I live with in Finland. That's a son, Monti. He jumped over a fence and got his his lady pregnant. Monti came a little bit later. It's kind of a surprise. This is my Leone. So currently, I was a mom to Curly. He was in Norway. We it's kind of a hobby for him. They were just two English teachers, I think, And they had a hobby for me to help take care of the animals. Curly was born the day that a chicken died. I had to, like, separate the head from the chicken. He was sick and I had it kill it. And within minutes, I hear this like baby back from the sheep. And it's from the barn. It was curly. And he followed me around because he had his mom disowned him. So I was his mom. I fed him. I have pictures of me reading to him. He felt you literally follow me around into the house like he would not. I was a love was great. And then, Kai, the the the father, he's like, do you have a problem? I mean, I see you find yourself a friend, but I wondering if he's now a problem, like he's a you know, it's he's he's going to go to market and he's going to be sold for, you know, and then like Circle of Life. He doesn't have a best like, you know, three months of his life. So I gave him a pretty good life. Those are my hustler. The the Huskies. It's called us Thompson Kennel. And it means my stance basically, because like when the sun hits it, you can see all the sparkles in the sky. That's a really beautiful place in the Arctic Circle. I moved there during the polar vortex one year. I can't get away. It's just really beautiful, though.

[00:04:29] **Speaker 2** Because I you point to that point I the picture.

[00:04:31] **Speaker 1** Near those are my doggies. Okay. Yeah, it's really great. And I did this all for, like, after I. I guess after I moved to Europe, I couldn't even go to Europe and just travel. I had to work. So I volunteered through something and just kind of helping families do what they need to get done. They can't afford to pay people, but they give you room and board basically to do things around the farms. So that's really great. And then these two. Oh, a lady from Canada actually drew these, but this is the end. The end terminus of the Pacific Crest Trail was in 2017, and then that was in 2015 for the Appalachian Trail. Which were two really life changing experiences for me. It was really I mean, it's really great. You don't know anything until you walk in the woods for 145 days and you learn what you really need, what's fair about it, That's for sure. But yeah. Pretty great.