



CAMBODIA CALLING

Dear Friends and Family

We might be crazy...

In fact, we probably are. But here we go anyways. On October 1, Steve is starting a new job...In Phnom Penh, Cambodia.

Working with a small-scale renewable energy engineering company out of Phnom Penh, Steve will be helping to equip Cambodians who are off the grid with renewable forms of power. Amie isn't sure what she's going to do, but is more than happy to get to Phnom Penh and find opportunities there.

What does this all mean?

We leave September 8th from Calgary and aren't too sure when we'll be back in Canada! At this time last year, we never would have dreamed this would be happening—but when a door such as this one opens, we would be foolish not to pursue it. So here we go!

We are very excited (and terrified) about this upcoming adventure, knowing that the future will hold its share of new adventures and challenges. But we're looking forward to tackling them together. We're also excited about getting a place with a spare bedroom—so all of you who've been thinking about travelling to Southeast Asia will have one more reason to come visit now—a free place to stay in Cambodia's capital!

Cambodia

The country has had its share of strife—French colonialism, spillover from the Vietnam War, and the infamous Khmer Rouge genocide. There are still plenty of issues Cambodia is dealing with—poverty, child trafficking, and ongoing government corruption. We know we will learn a lot from this experience.

The next couple of months we'll be spending time in Alberta and Saskatchewan on various long weekends and really hope to connect with as many friends and family as possible!

Love,

Amie & Steve



[Smiling face at Angkor Wat. Click here for more pics of our previous Cambodian travels.](#)



Cambodia is nestled between Thailand, Vietnam and Laos.



Skulls of Cambodians murdered during the Khmer Rouge Regime. Millions of Khmers were killed from 1975-1978.

We'll be using this email list to update friends and family from Cambodia. If your email has changed or you don't want to get these updates, let us know!