

22ND MAY - KATHMANDU

I HONESTLY THOUGHT ANDRONICO WOULD SHOW UP IN KATHMANDU THIS MORNING AND GIVE UP THE IDEA OF WALKING OUT WITH THE GROUP SO I WAS REALLY UPSET TO FIND OUT THAT THE HELICOPTER HAD FLOWN ON UP THE VALLEY AND DROPPED HIM IN LOBUCHÉ.

I SPENT THE MORNING UPDATING MY DIARY FOR MAY 10TH-13TH AND STARTED INTO MY MANY EMAILS. I THEN SAW ALL THE GREEK TEAM ARRIVING AND I REALLY WANTED TO WISH THEM CONGRATULATIONS FOR BEING THE FIRST GREEKS TO SUMMIT EVEREST - THERE ARE NOW 9 GREEKS WHO HAVE MADE IT!!! I CONGRATULATED PAVLOS WHO IS THEIR SPONSOR AND REALLY GREAT AND THEN I RUSHED OFF TO THE AIRPORT AND THEY WERE ALL IN THE YAK AND YETI FOR A FEW DAYS TO RELAX!!

I FINALLY SPOKE TO ANDRONICO ON THE PHONE FROM LOBUCHÉ AND I MISS HIM ALREADY AND I WAS SO HAPPY HE WAS OK AND WITH THE GROUP. DOUG BERRY FROM DAVID BREASHEARS GROUP WAS ON MY FLIGHT AND HE WAS HEADING BACK TO TELLURIDE.

IM SO LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING MY SISTER LUCY AND MY NIECE LILY IN PHUKET AND AM LITERALLY NOW COUNTING THE HOURS TILL I SEE THEM. IM DYING TO HEAR NEWS ABOUT WHATS GOING ON BACK AT BASECAMP, IM NORMALLY "IN THE KNOW" SO IM GOING CRAZY ABOUT NOT KNOWING HOW SHAUNA IS, WHETHER ANDREW WENT FOR THE SUMMIT AGAIN ETC!!!! I WILL BE IN TOUCH SOON TO REPORT ON LIFE IN PHUKET AND MY NEXT ADVENTURES.. SUMMIT PICTURES WILL BE ON SHORTLY!!!!