



Rob interviewing Pierre and Quentin re Erasmus trip

Rob:

I'm with Pierre Blivet and Quentin Harmonic, and you've just done something extraordinary. You're telling us about a trip that you made last year. Where did you go Pierre?

Pierre:

To the Via Alpine,.... to the Slovenia, Italia and Autriche, Austria

Rob:

How long did that take you?

Pierre / Quentin:

70 days.

Rob:

17 days?

Pierre / Quentin:

Yes.

Rob:

OK, walking every day?

Pierre / Quentin:

Yes, yes, every day.

Rob:

It's quite a dangerous thing to do. Were you in danger?

Pierre / Quentin:

Yes, sometimes was very dangerous. There was a lot of rocks, lot of um, cables so yes, sometimes it was difficult.

Rob:

Sometimes you were frightened?

Pierre / Quentin:

Yeah, yeah. The second day we arrived at the top of a precipice there was no, no other way to go down so we, we use a cable to go down. There was a 50 meters of drop, so it was the worse moment I think. The moment we were scared.

Rob:

Yes, I imagine. But why Pierre did you do this?

Pierre:

Why?



Rob:
What is your motivation?

Pierre:
Yeah, yeah. To escape from our life quotidien, daily life, and to see beautiful landscape, to share an adventure with my friend and to make a new challenge next to the Tour of the Mont Blanc as the past year

Rob:
And this all began I understand because you went on an Erasmus trip?

Pierre:
Yes, I went to Spain in Erasmus.

Rob:
Did you go studying in Spain?

Pierre:
Yes, yes, 6 months.

Rob:
Doing? what is your speciality?

Pierre:
Engineering I am Engineer civil, yes, Civil Engineer.

Rob:
So very different to exploring nature?

Pierre:
Yeah, very different but I don't know why I discover my yes my passion

Rob:
My passion

Pierre:
My passion, in Spain yes with montagnes I discover because in Bretagne I don't have mountain, we don't have mountain.

Rob:
So you went in this difficult place. How did it change you? Maybe Quentin can explain, what did this challenge bring you?

Quentin:
It brings liberty, it brings .



Rob:
Liberty, how?

Quentin:
Liberty because we walk without see people during few days, so we were alone in the mountains. Because also it's hard to, to walk with a bag of 15 kilos so it's

Rob:
And your bag has the minimum?

Pierre / Quentin:
Yeah, yeah. We just have the minimum with us

Rob:
That's very liberating.

Pierre / Quentin:
Some clothes or yeah and sometimes we can use our phone because there was not, there was no

Rob:
Signal

Pierre / Quentin:
Signal. That's also liberty. We are disconnect from the

Rob:
And that's a good thing?

Pierre / Quentin:
Yes, yes. Because we are always connected, sometimes it is good to be disconnected.

Rob:
I agree. You decide to make a film

Pierre / Quentin:
Yes.

Rob:
Before you go.

Pierre / Quentin:
Yes.

Rob:
How does that change your walking?



Pierre / Quentin:

It change because it takes time to film, to make a drone. We need to take in account that things that we were going to walk less rapidly than other people without camera without drone.

Rob:

It's one thing to go walking, to go on trekking, long distance for yourself, Why do you make a film?

Pierre / Quentin:

Yeah, to share to other people our vision of making a trip, making a trek, our vision of liberty, of , and to invite people to do the same things also.

Rob:

OK, So what is your advice for someone who wants to go on a trip like this? What do you say? To take the first step.

Pierre / Quentin:

Take the first step yes.

Rob:

Because ...

Pierre / Quentin:

For me a long journey begins to the first step and after the next step and the next step and the next step

Rob:

Pierre, Quentin, thank you very much indeed