

## **THE VAGABOND COOKBOOK**

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Coffee table / kitchen counter book.

Dear agents,

We hope this letter finds you hungry for the greatest adventure of your literary career.

The Vagabond Cookbook is the product of a modern odyssey, spanning 35 countries and nearly 7 years. It contains the stories of 50 extraordinary encounters, each of which inspired the creation of a recipe. Together they spin a remarkable tale that breaks expectation at every turn.

What fueled this adventure? The courage of the traveler, the generosity of strangers and one simple idea - trading food for stories.

It all began with the meeting of two strangers - a storyteller and a cook, who collided outside a bookshop in Paris and decided to travel to the ends of the earth together. That's us. Cameron and Guglielmo. We decided to travel to Singapore together without flying, and that was just the beginning.

Surviving our journey together was truly a miracle. Like Kitchen Confidential, Kon Tiki or Shantaram our account reads like a piece of fiction too marvelous to be believed. So it's a good thing we brought back proof : A set of 5 hard drives was carried throughout the entire trip with countless photographs and hours of footage inside. Somehow they all made it in one piece, filling our book with authentic and spellbinding imagery.

The real proof however lives in the memories of the people that we met along the way. Mountain guides, pilgrims, rebels, princes and one heroic chicken farmer. We often put our lives in their hands, the hands of complete strangers, and in return they gave us the story of a lifetime. A story that belongs in the bookshop we once met in front of.

Our greatest dream is to somehow give a copy of The Vagabond Cookbook to each of the people who made this book possible in the first place. Imagine a mission-driven tour; to reunite with those incredible souls and share with them the finished product of their collective story. Such an endeavor would be profoundly beautiful and given the organic reach of the network we have created, a highly effective marketing campaign.

There is much more where this came from. We are still in our early 30's and have a few ideas brewing for what's next. With a proper team behind us, there's no telling what we can accomplish. We hope that you will be on that team.

Sincerely yours,

Cameron Starr & Guglielmo Sartor