

# THE TRAVELER'S MANIFESTO

## RULE #1: DON'T OWN THINGS

When you own nothing, you're free to do anything. Start by selling your things. Definitely sell your car. A traveler can pack in ten minutes. We only own enough clothes for the seasons, and we never, ever pay for checked baggage.

## RULE #2: SAVE YOUR MONEY

When you don't buy things you can live with less money. This makes it easier to save for travel and extend your time on the road. A traveler would rather enjoy coffee in Paris than pay for a monthly cable bill.

## RULE #3: NEGOTIATE

Travel has never been cheaper. A traveler is always on the lookout for savvy deals, and is never afraid to negotiate for the lowest rates on tickets and rooms.

## RULE #4: HUSTLE

A traveler learns to make money anywhere. Whether it's teaching for cash in Kyiv, working as a ski instructor in New Zealand, professional freelancing, or writing a blog, there's no reason to be stuck somewhere just for a paycheck.

## RULE #5: ALWAYS BE LEARNING

Travel is more than going from Toledo to Tokyo. Travelers push well beyond their comfort zone, take risks, and pursue the life of their dreams. If you're not learning you might as well go home.