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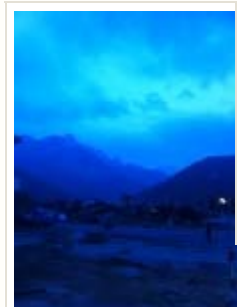


November 9, 2011

VISUAL DOCUMENTATION: TAI SHAN

Posted by elainaross in China

Time warp back to our visit to Tai Shan
#taimeansmountaininChinese. Here's the proof we
climbed that mountain #proud...



The mountain at 6:30
in the AM



so pumped to tackle
Tai Shan



#change pose

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Apparently an orange is my go-to morning snack #vitamins



NBD, just going to climb that mountain.



map o'the mountain



#change pose



climbed that



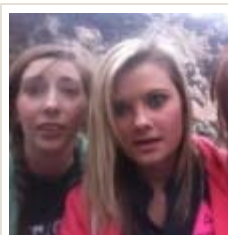
Tiny divot in the mountain is the final destination. After realizing how much further we had to go, guess who stopped caring what she looked like?



This girl. The carvings in the mountain are the biggest in China. All I was concerned with was trying to breathe #honestytime.



Chairlift for hire halfway up the mountain #nailedit. The men who carried this were smoking #lungsofsteel.



Not even halfway finished...



View from about



#reallife

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halfway. At this point I was just randomly taking pictures in hopes of getting a shot.



Top o'the mountain.
Lots of goods for sale
#noisy



Epitome of China: The five of us taking a picture turned from this...



Into this #peacesignfrenzy

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November 7, 2011

VISUAL DOCUMENTATION: THE GREAT WALL

Posted by elainaross in China and tagged with china, great wall of china, hat, mulan, photos, wonders of the world

Photos from the one of the seven wonders of the world...

mostly containing the best hat ever.



Ski lift to the top #hat



hanging out on the GW, NBD #hat.



On top o'the #great Wall! #peacesigns

I've tried to give a real representation of everything I've experienced through the blog, but having the girls here to see/smell/hear/taste Chinalife in real time has been so refreshing. I'm so happy I'll have someone #timesfour to say 'remember that time when we dominated that mountain?' or 'remember that time we ate sea cucumbers?' or 'remember that time we [followed the flag?](#)' to. It's also been great to see them begin to hold their own in China #notaneasytask.

The 2 weeks they've been here have passed by super quickly #forme atleast, and they only have 2 more. I'll be sad to see them go.

Congratulations to [Rachel](#), [Madie](#), [Lindsey](#), and [Haley](#) for marking 'Climb to the top of Tai Shan and live to tell about it' off our bucket lists #epic. If you all hadn't been there, there's no way I would have made it.

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