

ME AND MY FAMILY

Hi

I'm Carlos and I live in Ivalo, a small village in the North of Finnish Lapland (we will be a couple of nights here along our journey).

As my name probably indicates, I am not originally from Finland, I am from Spain, and I have lived in Finland since 2003.

In 2001 I was working in Norway, and I met a Finnish girl, and I fell in love. We used to work seasonal jobs and travel with the money we made. One year I asked her to go spend some time in Lapland, I wanted to experience a real winter, and see the northern lights. We loved the place, and we made Lapland our home. We have a 16-year-old boy called Onni, which in Finnish means Luck or Happiness.



WORK

I have been working in tourism industry in different positions for the last 25 years. I work as a trip leader for GCT and OAT as well as other international companies. In winter time I work as a nature guide here in Lapland, taking people outdoors for different activities like snowshoeing, huskies, reindeers, snowmobiling, back –country skiing and of course northern light searching.



FREE TIME

- During my free time I love to spend time outdoors. I love Hiking, kayaking, long back-country skiing trips, picking berries and mushrooms, surfing and diving.

