



# Our Wedding Newsletter

For the family and friends of Chris Lattner and Tanya Brethour

## Announcing our Engagement!

As you may or may not have heard by now, we are engaged!

After six years of dating, Chris proposed to Tanya on July 9, 2003 in Røst, Norway. Røst is well above the arctic circle and in the summer the sun is up 24 hours a day. It was a beautiful place to propose and quite a surprise for Tanya.

As family or a friend of ours, we look forward to sharing this special occasion with you. Hopefully the information in this newsletter will be helpful when making travel arrangements. We thought the magnet to the right would be a cute reminder of our upcoming wedding. We will send out a formal invitation as the date gets closer.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us and please visit our wedding website: <http://wedding.nondot.org>

*Hope to see you at our wedding,  
Chris and Tanya*

### Wedding Information

Date: August 28, 2004

Time: ~2:00 PM

Location: Bellingham, WA

### Additional Oregon Reception

September 6, 2004

### Wedding Party

Parents of the Groom:

*Joan and Ron Lattner*

Parents of the Bride:

*Greg and Ursula Brethour*

Maid of Honor: *Anna Campbell*

Best Man: *Ian Shelley*

Bridesmaid: *Echo Lattner*

Groomsmen: *Nick Forrette, Lance*

*Erickson, Jim Oly, Chee Wai Lee, Bill*

*Wendling, Chris Brethour*

*Save the Date  
to Celebrate!*

*Chris and Tanya  
are getting married!*

*August 28, 2004  
Bellingham, WA*

*Additional Oregon Reception  
September 6, 2004*



*Place this magnet on your fridge!*

### Our Wedding: August 28, 2004

Our wedding will take place August 28, 2004 in Bellingham, WA. The ceremony will be at 2:00PM in Assumption Church and the reception will follow at the Broadway Hall. The reception will feature dinner, dancing, drinks, cake, and more!

For our Oregon guests that cannot make our wedding, we will have a second reception in Oregon on September 6, 2004. We know this is the end of a holiday weekend, but we hope you can still attend. So mark your calendar!

### About the Bride and Groom..

Chris and Tanya are both graduate students at the University of Illinois in Urbana-Champaign. Chris is pursuing his PhD in Computer Science, while Tanya is getting her Masters in Computer Science. Both are working hard to finish their degrees in the next year or two.

In addition to being students, Tanya works for the National Center for Supercomputing Applications and Chris is a Research Assistant for Dr. Vikram Adve.

Chris was born in Sparks, Nevada but spent virtually all of his childhood in Oregon. His family currently lives in Banks, OR. Tanya was born in Bellingham, WA and half her family is in Washington, while the rest reside in Germany. Chris and Tanya met as undergraduates at the University of Portland in Portland, OR.

## Getting to Bellingham, WA – Planes, Trains, and Automobiles

Bellingham, WA is located 85 miles north of Seattle, WA and an hour south of Vancouver, BC. The best way to get to Bellingham is to fly to Seattle, WA and drive up. Another option is to fly to Vancouver, BC and drive down, but beware the border can sometimes take several hours to cross. Flying to Bellingham is an option, but is very expensive and the flight schedules are not optimal.

Once arriving at the airport, one can rent a car or ride the Airporter to Bellingham. The Airporter (1-866-235-5247) is a bus that runs between Seattle and Bellingham airports.

Driving to Bellingham, WA from Portland, OR is about 4.5 hours (263.21 miles). Another option is to ride the train ([www.amtrak.com](http://www.amtrak.com)), which goes directly from Portland to Bellingham. It is a very nice and scenic ride, which takes approximately 7 hours and costs ~48.00 round trip.



### Contact Us

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### Bellingham, WA Hotels

Here is a sampling of hotels to choose from:

~~///~~ **Val-U Inn Motel** ~56-64/night

805 Lakeway  
 Bellingham, WA 98226  
 (800) 443-7777  
<http://www.bellinghamvaluinn.com/>  
 Distance to Ceremony (1.28 miles)  
 Distance to Reception (1.59 miles)

~~///~~ **Best Western Heritage Inn** ~60-90/night

151 McLeod Rd.  
 Bellingham, WA 98226  
 (888) 333-2080  
<http://www.bestwestern.com/heritageinnbelingham>  
 Distance to Ceremony (3.68 miles)  
 Distance to Reception (2.19 miles)

~~///~~ **Days Inn** ~60-85/night

125 East Kellogg Road  
 Bellingham, WA 98226  
 (800) 831-0187  
 Distance to Ceremony (1.28 miles)  
 Distance to Reception (1.59 miles)

If you can afford it, the Hotel Bellwether is right on the water and supposed to be very nice. The North Garden B&B and DeCann B&B both have views of the ocean.

~~///~~ **DeCann House B&B** ~75-85/night

2610 Eldridge Ave.  
 Bellingham, WA 98225  
 (360) 734-9172  
<http://www.decannhouse.com/>  
 Distance to Ceremony (1.69 miles)  
 Distance to Reception (0.61 miles)

~~///~~ **The North Garden B&B** ~60-135/night

1014 North Garden Street  
 Bellingham, WA 98225  
 360-671-7828  
<http://www.northgardeninn.com/>  
 Distance to Ceremony (1.17 miles)  
 Distance to Reception (1.35 miles)

~~///~~ **Hotel Bellwether** ~128-255/night

One Bellwether Way  
 Bellingham, WA 98225  
 (877-411-1200)  
<http://www.hotelbellwether.com/>  
 Distance to Ceremony (1.5 miles)  
 Distance to Reception (0.9 miles)