



At this point in the progression, one of the workers backed his truck over my tripod. The ramps were eventually replaced by stairs, but at least this gives you an idea of what the finished house looks like.

When we cleared, the only way I could bear to cut trees was to mill them and use the lumber in the house. The board and bat siding on the dormer and under the roof peak is from our own cedar. The downstairs interior trim and front door are from our own Douglas fir, and the upstairs floors and trim are from our own alder. The mantles, window sills, and built-in shelves are also from our own trees.