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Impressed by the area's sea-to-mountain scenery, they [Stephen and Deanna Tallon] checked into the Inn at Sunrise Point, a four-diamond B&B in Lincolnville, just north of Camden. It was a secluded hideaway with three rooms in the main house and five cottages. And the setting was spectacular – the four-acre property sits smack on Penobscot Bay.

For a bird's-eye view, the Tallons climbed to the top of Mt. Battie, just behind the inn, and gazed out over the bay. "We had lived and traveled all over, but we'd never seen anything so beautiful," Stephen recalls. The next morning, the Tallons awoke to a sparkling summer dawn breaking over the coast. As they strolled the inn's grounds, it suddenly hit them. This was it – the place of their dreams. And as luck would have it, the inn was for sale. Within a month, they purchased the property, cleared out of New York, and launched a new career. "We knew instinctively that this was the place for us," Stephen says. "I had never been to Maine before, but it was all-convincing in one day."

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