No, not really. Ich bin in Berlin, is more like it.

Got here yesterday afternoon and am still settling, as it were, ensconced in a flat on Heinrich-Heine-Strağe, in the old Soviet sector. Here's a Google satellite map of the area, with the path of the old Berlin Wall superimposed on it:



Berlin Wall near Heinrich-Heine StraÄŸe

My flat is near the intersection of Heinrich-Heine Strağe and Köpenicker StraÄŸe.



Flats along Heinrich-Heine StraÄŸe

Took a stroll this morning down through the housing estate to the Engeldamm, which is a lovely curved incision, dug out of the earth (a long-ago, long-abandoned, canal project) and

planted with linden trees and decorative shrubbery.



## St. Thomas Kirche from Engeldamm

This was a no-man's-land for the 28 years the wall was standing,  $\hat{A} \ \hat{A} \ Now$  it's lush and well loved by dogs.



Engeldamm



Engelbecken



Engeldamm