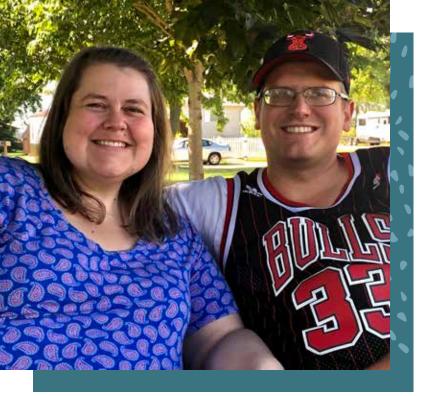
Mitch AND Beth



OUR JOURNEY TO ADOPTION

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our love story

Hi! We are Mitch and Beth. We met at church while attending the same Bible study group. We were friends first, and we had friends secretly rooting for us to start dating! After about six months of being friends, Mitch asked Beth out. Beth was surprised Mitch asked her out and wasn't too sure it was actually a date until we went, but Mitch thought she had been sending him signals! We have now agreed that Beth was sending signals but wasn't aware. We dated for about eight months when Mitch popped the question. Mitch was so nervous and excited to pop the question that when Beth said yes, he tried to put the ring on the wrong finger! Don't worry—we got it right after a little laughter. We got married six months later on a snowy January day and have been in love and best friends ever since!

OUR HOME

We live in a small town in the Midwest. Our home has a big yard with lots of flowers and space to play. Our street is a dead end, so it is quiet except for kids playing. We have several parks within walking distance for lots of options to play. When we bought our home, it was a priority to us to make sure it was in a good school district. The grade school and middle school are about five minutes away. Our town has lots of community pride and a historic town square where they do live music and food trucks every week during the summer. One of the best old-school doughnut shops is only two minutes from our home, and we get doughnuts as a special treat before church.



OUR LIFESTYLE

We like doing anything together, but our favorites are watching movies, being outside when the weather is nice, and playing board games when the weather is not so nice. We laugh a lot together no matter what we are doing, and we like to hang out with our family and close friends or babysit our niece and nephew. Beth is the outgoing one in our relationship and rarely meets someone she can't talk to. She also really likes doing creative things like painting, singing at church, calligraphy, or home renovations. Beth also enjoys teaching kids, cooking, and baking; Mitch especially likes to try her creations. Mitch is the quieter one, unless he is watching his favorite sports teams; then he is very passionate! He also likes being outside, whether delivering mail, doing yard work, or playing with our niece and nephew.











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OUR LIFE

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MORE ABOUT.....

Mitch

OCCUPATION	Mail carrier
EDUCATION	Bachelor's degree
RACE	Caucasian
RELIGION	Christian
SPORT	Baseball, golf, football, basketball
FOOD	Cheeseburgers, Beth's cooking, ice cream
TRADITION	Friday night family pizza night
MUSICAL GROUP	Red Hot Chili Peppers, Rend Collective
MOVIE	The Shawshank Redemption
DREAM VACATION	Rainforest
ту зном	Seinfeld, Frasier
SUBJECT IN SCHOOL	History



MORE ABOUT.....





OCCUPATION	Artist/substitute teacher
EDUCATION	Bachelor's degree
RACE	Caucasian
RELIGION	Christian
SPORT	Football, baseball
FOOD	Mexican food, chocolate!
TRADITION	Friday night family pizza night
MUSICAL GROUP	Maroon 5
MOVIE	Mary Poppins
DREAM VACATION	Cabin in the mountains
TV SHOW	Friends
SUBJECT IN SCHOOL	Math, geography

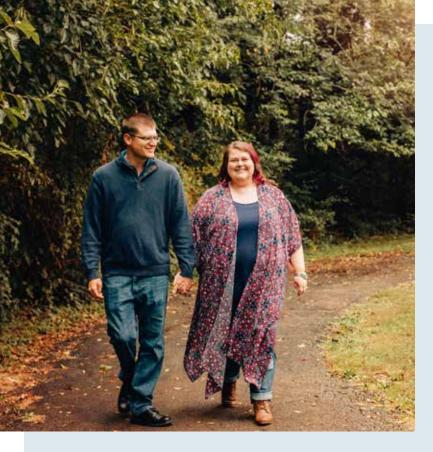
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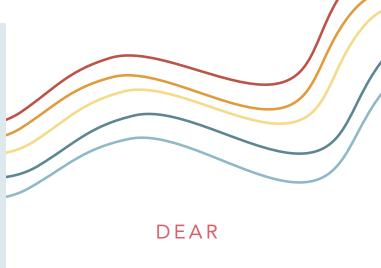
AND TRADITIONS



Mitch has a large extended family. We get together as a large group a few times a year. Mitch's mom and stepdad only live about 20 minutes away, and we see them often for meals or bonfires. They are very excited to welcome another grandchild and can't wait to babysit! Unfortunately Mitch's brother passed away in a car accident, but we get to be close to our sister-in-law, niece, and nephew; we babysit often as they now live five minutes from us. Mitch's step-brother and his wife live in Texas so we usually only see them at holidays, but we do message them a lot. At Christmas, one of the family's favorite traditions is when Mitch's mom asks each person what their favorite cookie is and then bakes each one!

Beth's family is much smaller. Beth's parents and brother still live in her hometown, which is only 15 minutes away, and we see them at least once a week. Beth's parents are extremely excited to welcome their first grandchild, and Beth's dad has already said he wants to get a pedal tractor for our child since he grew up on a farm. Beth's sister recently moved back to the area, and we are thrilled that she is now only 30 minutes away! One of Beth's family's special traditions is to read the story of Christ's birth from the Bible on Christmas morning.





expectant mother

Thank you for taking the time to consider us to be the lucky adoptive parents of your baby. We admire the love you have for your baby that has allowed you to consider adoption. This is such a sacrifice and a life-changing decision, and we do not take that lightly.

We want you to know, if you choose us, your baby will be so extremely adored and loved not only by us but by our families as well. Family is a big priority for us. Our parents and siblings are excited and ready to welcome a new baby into the family with open arms. We are excited for all of the new memories and joy a child will bring to the family.

Your baby will be raised in a Christian home that values friends and family and a relationship with God. We pray for you and your baby nightly, asking God to bless you and comfort you. We hope you know what an honor it would be for us to raise your baby. Your baby will always know about you, how much you love them, and how strong you were in choosing adoption. Our goal is to keep in contact with our child's birthfamily, if they choose. We want them to know their story.

Thank you for considering adoption and taking your time to learn more about us. We pray you find peace in your decision.

WITH LOVE.

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