



**Monica**

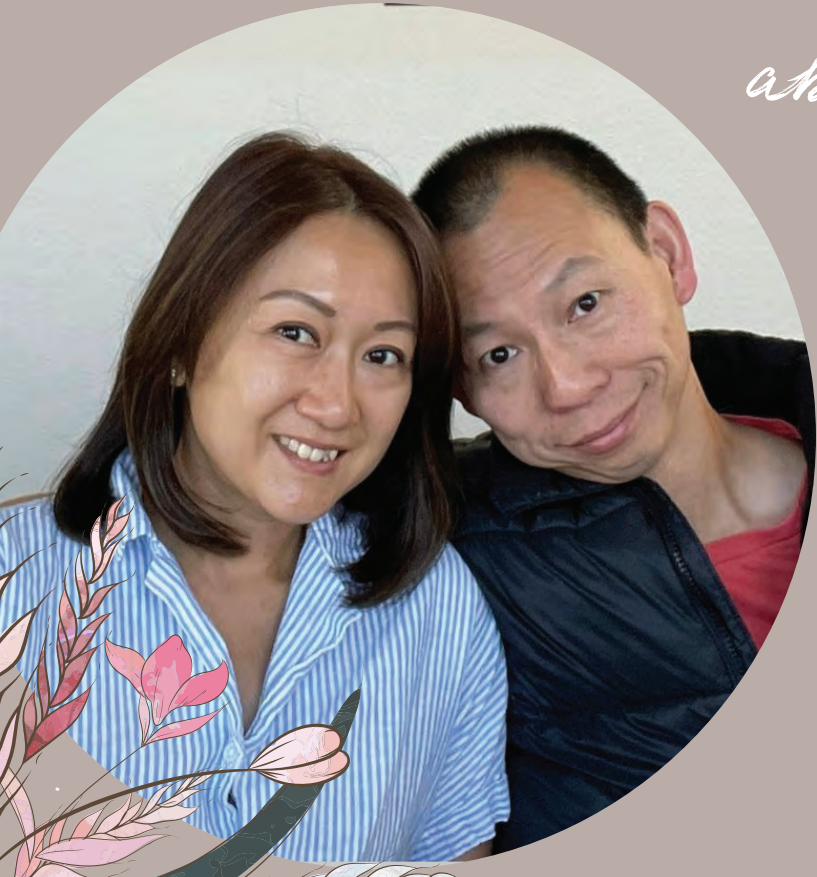
*and*

**Paul**

*our story*

# about us

We are Monica and Paul, and we both grew up in multiple big cities. We both happened to be in Hawaii in 2013 and got acquainted through mutual friends. We travel around the world both for leisure and work, and that was our common denominator to share our experiences, such as places we had visited and foods we had eaten. We became great friends and decided to move to Colorado together in 2016 for an adventure. We grew to love the Olympic City and the resorts hidden in the mountains. We got married in 2018 and decided to settle down nearby. We enjoy the beautiful openness and the majestic mountains as referenced in the lyrics of "America the Beautiful."



## OUR HOME & PETS

We live in a five-bedroom home in a community that has many connecting walking and biking trails with beautiful scenic views, such as the Air Force Academy, Pikes Peak, and the Rocky Mountains. Our neighborhood is very friendly and family oriented. We have two puppies (Mai Tai and Zippy) that love to go out for a walk around the neighborhood or just to relax in the backyard. We believe we live in a great neighborhood with a great school district to raise a child, where we can enjoy our family time together with plenty of outdoor activities.

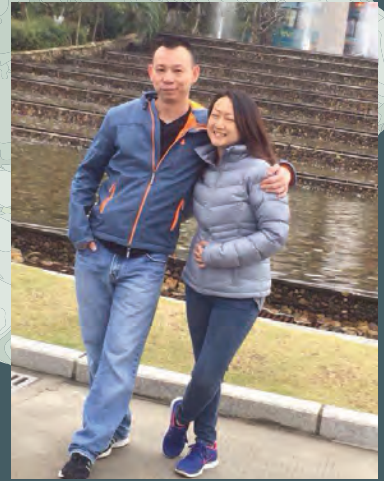


## WHAT LED US TO ADOPTION

We got our first dog, Mai Tai, the year we got married. Then a year later, we got our second dog, Zippy. Right about the same time, we decided we were ready to fulfill our dream of having a family. Unfortunately, we tried for three years and went to seek help from a professional; we didn't have any luck having biological children. We want nothing more than to be parents and to share our love, adventures, and beautiful home.



*our life*  
**together**



more about

# Monica

**Occupation:** Insurance broker

**Education:** B.A. Economics

**Race:** Asian

**Sport:** Walking, yoga

**Food:** Chicken wings, Asian, Italian, Mexican

**Hobby:** Relaxation

**Tradition:** Thanksgiving & Christmas family dinners

**Movie:** Forrest Gump

**TV Show:** Shark Tank, Sex and the City

**School Subject:** Continuing education for work

**Book:** Business and management focus



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# Paul

**Occupation:** Engineering

**Education:** M.S. Telecommunications

**Race:** Asian

**Religion:** Catholic

**Sport:** Walking, snowboarding

**Food:** Asian, Japanese, BBQ

**Hobby:** Research on next vacation

**Tradition:** Dinner at home with family

**Movie:** Mission Impossible

**TV Show:** NCIS, The Shield, animated

**School Subject:** Management and people skills

**Book:** Technical and management focus



# our family & traditions

Monica has an older sister, and they are very close. Although they have lived in different parts of the world, they maintain a very close relationship. They arrange to meet at least once a year so Monica can spend time with her niece and her parents. They share photos and keep each other updated via text messages all the time.

Paul has an older brother and a younger sister; both live on the East Coast. They maintain a very close relationship and plan events together. Paul's family meets up on Thanksgiving weekend and always has good laughs together.

One thing both of us share is the value of family, which is our priority. The special bond we have with both families is unique. Both families love to be around us and love to travel together. Whenever we are at any of the family events, we plan the next family adventure together.





*dear*  
**expectant  
mother**

We are deeply humbled that you took the time to review our profile, and we hope you will consider us as adoptive parents for your child. There are no words that can describe the journey you are going through. We will never be able to understand what you are feeling, but we want you to know we are ready to be a part of your child's life if we are chosen.

We have a love for travel and enjoy time with family and friends. Our most powerful force is that we do things together and have a common goal, in this case, to adopt and to grow our family.

We wish you the best in making this decision, whether we are chosen or not. If we are fortunate enough to be chosen, please know we will ensure your child has the proper education, opportunities to travel the world, and, most importantly, understands the value and love of family. They will have two playful puppies that will protect and love them. Thank you for taking the time to read this letter.

**WITH LOVE,  
MONICA AND PAUL**