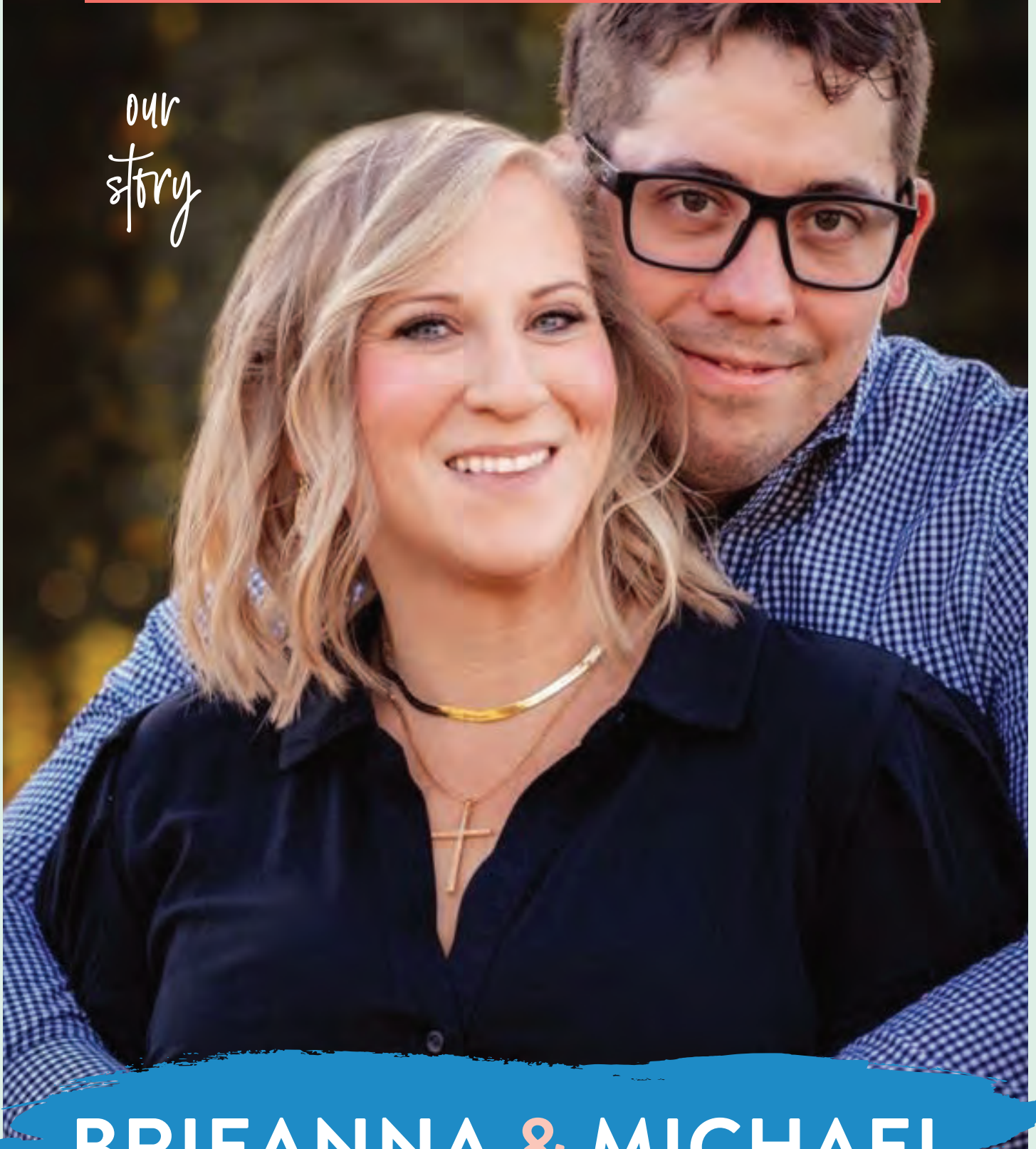
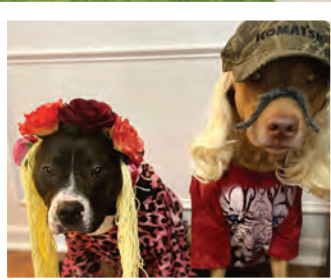
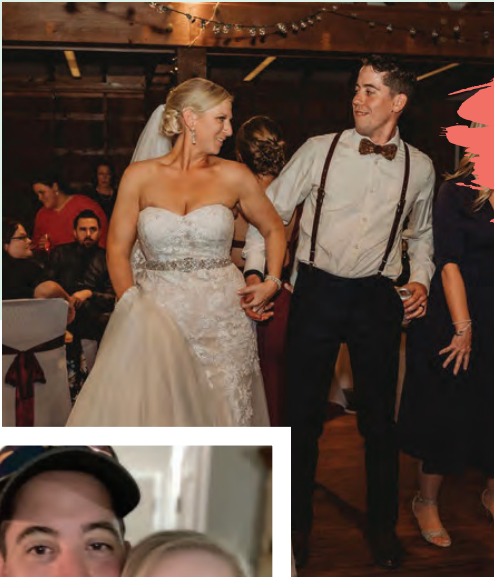


our
story



BRIANNA & MICHAEL

about us



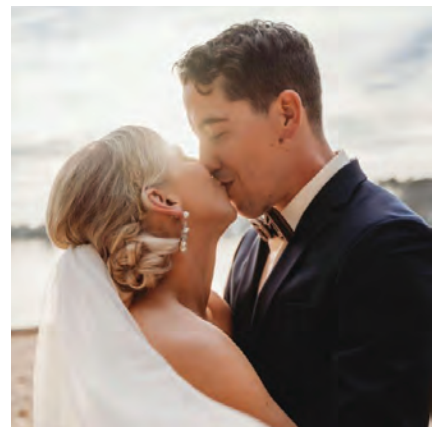
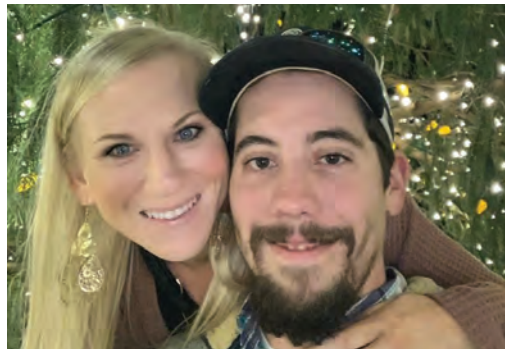
Our first date was the start of our whirlwind romance! In the first week of us dating, we went on dates six of the seven days, and from there, the rest was history. We were inseparable from there on out. Michael proposed seven months later, and we were married two months after that. It was most definitely a whirlwind but a great year! We are now going on five years of marriage. We love being around each other and finding new adventures. We often find ourselves going on last-minute road trips to the mountains or the ocean. Anytime we get the chance to experience new things, we enjoy it. We love to create and build new things, hang out at home, drink coffee, play games, and watch movies. We also really love going to different sporting events, whether soccer, basketball, or baseball.

OUR HOME & PETS

We live in North Carolina in an amazing, diverse area with lots to do, and we are close to everything. Our house is a ranch-style home in a cul-de-sac with lots of other young children, who are always outside playing together! We have a fenced-in backyard that is perfect for a swing set and more! We have two dogs, Cait and Carole, whom we both love so much; they are great with people, children, and babies and are extremely spoiled. They travel with us and are very chill to be around.

WHAT LED US TO ADOPTION

We are both so grateful to be on the path to having a child through adoption! On our first date, adoption was brought up, and we both agreed we would love to adopt. We tried to start our family biologically; however, due to infertility issues, failed IVF cycles, miscarriage, and a subsequent surgery, having children biologically was removed as an option for us. We have decided it is time to pursue adoption. We have so much love to share and are excited to be able to give a child the experience of playing sports, traveling with us, being involved in extracurricular activities, and so much more.



photos of our life together

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get to know...



BRIANNA

OCCUPATION: Healthcare management

EDUCATION: Healthcare administration, medical assisting

RACE: Caucasian

RELIGION: Christian

HOBBY: Crafting, decorating, creating

FAVORITE TRADITION: Monthly family dinners

MUSICAL GROUP: Zac Brown Band

FAVORITE MOVIE: *Back to the Future*

DREAM VACATION: Greece, Italy

FAVORITE TV SHOW: *Friends*

**FAVORITE SUBJECT
IN SCHOOL:** Math

FAVORITE BOOK: *1984*

MICHAEL

OCCUPATION: Utility construction

EDUCATION: EMT training, some college

RACE: Caucasian

RELIGION: Christian

HOBBY: Drawing, volunteering, fishing

FAVORITE TRADITION: Monthly family dinners

MUSICAL GROUP: Tool

FAVORITE MOVIE: *Maverick*

DREAM VACATION: Spain

FAVORITE TV SHOW: *Game of Thrones*

**FAVORITE SUBJECT
IN SCHOOL:** History

FAVORITE BOOK: *American Sniper*

OUR FAMILY

and traditions

Michael's parents have both passed away. He has two biological brothers he is close to who are married and have children of their own.

Brianna has both of her parents who live close by (within 20 minutes), and both of her parents are remarried. She is an only child from her parents; however, she has several stepsisters and stepbrothers and many nieces and nephews.

We both have many friends who have become like family to us and join in on all of our family gatherings! Both of our families love getting together and having game nights, celebrating birthdays and holidays, cooking dinner, going to sporting events, and just hanging out together. Everyone is so excited, open, and expectant to welcome a child through adoption.



grant us Wisdom and Virtue





dear

EXPECTANT MOTHER,

Thank you for taking some time to get to know us and considering us as parents for your child! We know this is a difficult time for you while you are trying to decide what is the best option for your baby. We pray you feel supported through every step in your journey. We admire you and your strength in considering adoption.

If you decide to choose adoption, we want you to know we will respect whatever level of openness and contact you want to have with your child. We promise to love and adore your child with all our hearts and will provide a safe and healthy environment and home for them, if you choose us. Please know we are actively and continuously praying for you and your sweet baby and hope you will have peace and comfort in the decision you make.

We want to raise your child to know how brave you are and what a tremendous sacrifice you made out of love. More than anything, we want you to know we will love your child unconditionally and will nurture them to grow up to be the best person they can be. We promise to provide an upbringing that promotes values such as generosity, kindness, compassion, and respect for others. We also promise to encourage your child's hopes and dreams and to provide the best possible education!

Michael and Brianna