



Luke & Cassy



## Our Story

Hey, we are Luke and Cassy! Thank you so much for taking the time to learn more about us. We are an open book and hope that you enjoy learning more about us as prospective parents.

We grew up in the same small town and attended the same school. We even did many of the same activities! Despite these similar circles, we were four years apart in school so we never made a connection.

In 2011, after Luke moved home from the East Coast, Cassy was visiting home from college and we finally ran into each other. Luke knew from the moment he saw her he was going to marry Cassy! Luke finally got up the courage to ask Cassy out on a date; the rest is history. The next year and a half was filled with travel and adventure and learning more about each other. We got engaged and were married in April of 2013.

We talked often about kids and we looked forward to raising our own. We welcomed our son, Zane, into this world in 2014. We were so excited! In 2015, just 13 months later we welcomed our daughter Rayln! We were shocked to find out three months after Rayln was born that we were pregnant with our third child. We welcomed Mae into the world in 2016. We had three amazing kids under the age of 3! We have been so blessed.

When Mae turned 2, we were ready to have another child! We are so blessed and we wanted to grow our family through adoption. We are excited about our adoption journey!



Saturday night at our house enjoying the sunset and making s'mores with the kiddos



Young love



Date day Jeep riding



We love to go bike riding as a fam, we have some awesome trails close by!





He is very involved in all the kids activities, this past year he was a football coach for Zanes team, but not just that.. he is activity involved in the girls gymnastics and Dance recitals!

## About Luke by Cassy

Luke has the biggest heart, seriously...the biggest. He is always there for his family, his friends, associates at work and also strangers. His kind heart makes him the most gentle and compassionate husband and father, who always puts his family first. He gets up way earlier than he has to for work so he can be home around four o'clock to sit down and eat supper with us every single night.

Not only is he the best of the best at being a great hubby and father, but he and his brothers also run a nonprofit for veterans and active-duty military to help them get them outdoors.

Speaking of the outdoors, Luke loves it; anything from trail riding in his Jeep to kayaking down the river. He loves the Lord and is such a great head of his household; he truly shows what integrity is all about.



Tie dye time with dad!





## About Cassy by Luke

Cassy loves unconditionally in a way that I have not seen before. Her ability to show love to those in our community, our church, and within our friend groups is something I didn't know existed. When I say that Cassy has a heart of gold, it is an understatement. God has given her the ability to walk along others as they are encountering challenges; she helps to carry those weights and does it with such amazing grace.

As a wife, Cassy is the heart of our home and ensures that we are all nurtured and cared for in such a way that we never want for more. As a mother, she is a natural! I am jealous of my kids! She loves her kids in an amazing way that is unique to each of them. She has the ability to understand their love language and she fills them up by supporting them exactly how they need to be supported.

As a woman, look out! Not only is she the most beautiful woman I have ever seen but she is the hardest working person I have met. When we first got together, she worked three jobs to pay for her schooling and also helped raise three of her cousins at the same time. I am in awe of her beauty, strength, and her love of the Lord!



Theme park fun



Cassy likes to garden( so do the kids)She enjoys maintaining a healthy holistic lifestyle for herself and for her family





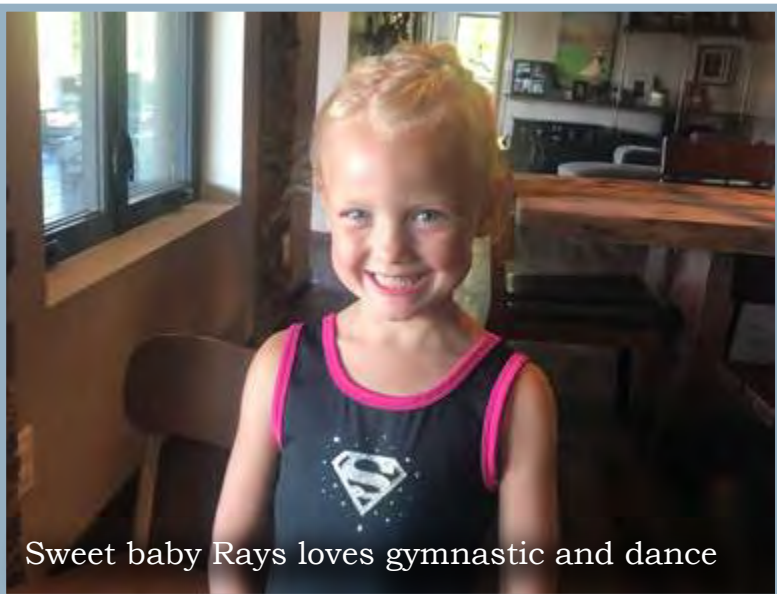
Our crew loves ice cream!

# Our Kiddos

Zane is our oldest and he takes that very seriously as he loves to watch out for his sisters. He is passionate about art, loves taking things apart and wants to be an inventor. He loves all sports, mostly football and baseball. He is very caring and is looking forward to having a baby bro or sis in the house.

Rayln, we call her Ray, is our social butterfly. She loves all people and doesn't know a stranger. She loves arts and crafts, making cards for people, and dance and gymnastics. Rayln is the rockstar of the family and loves to sing and dance around the house.

Mae, our youngest, is our goofball. She has a hilarious sense of humor and is always getting folks to laugh! She has more energy than you can imagine. Mae loves to play dress up, house, and says she wants to be a mommy when she grows up. She is excited to be a big sis in the near future!



Sweet baby Rays loves gymnastic and dance



Miss Mae loves gymnastics



We love our dogs Lucy and Shooter



Animal lovers



Happy Halloween... I think some one had to pee

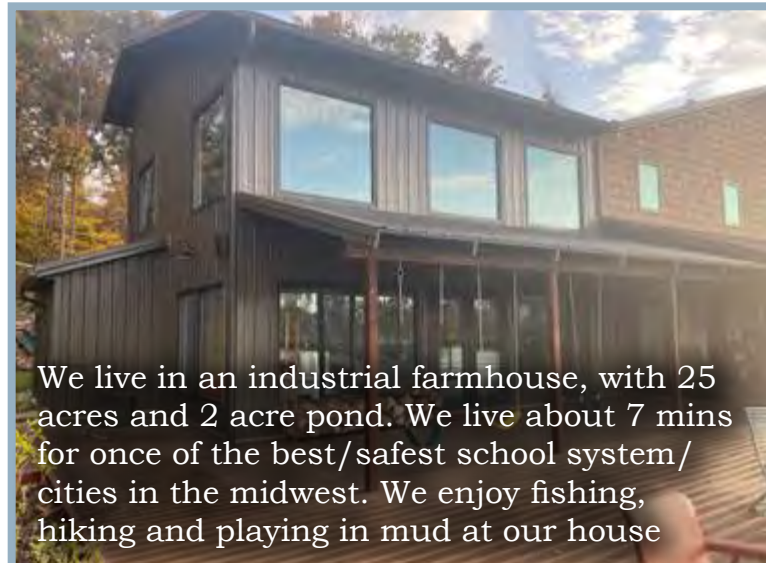


# Our Home

Our home is located just outside of the city on 20 acres of land with a beautiful pond and woods to play in. We spend a lot of time outside and have playhouses, swing sets, trails in the woods, and a trampoline. In the summer, we love to swim and go fishing in the lake.

Inside, our home is very spacious with six bedrooms and five full bathrooms. The kids have a large playroom with a lot of activities for days when the weather isn't nice out.

Our city was rated as one of the top places to live and raise a family in the United States and our kids attend five-star public schools. Even living outside of the city, we are still able to be downtown in less than 10 minutes!



We live in an industrial farmhouse, with 25 acres and 2 acre pond. We live about 7 mins for once of the best/safest school system/cities in the midwest. We enjoy fishing, hiking and playing in mud at our house



Art show 2020



Hiking in our woods at home



Friday nights we make pizzas and watch a movie



Our back yard fun



Getting ready for movie night... Christmas style!





Halloween fun with mamaw and Leon



Cooking at Nanas

## Our Family

Our family motto is *"Work Hard, Never Quit, and Trust in God."* Our goal is to live this out daily regardless of what we are doing. We spend a lot of time with our large families, cousins, aunts and uncles, and grandparents as we all live in the same town together. We love that we can get together for meals, family fun days, vacations, and sporting events.

Holidays are always a blast when we get our huge group together to enjoy food, gifts, and surround everyone with love. Our entire family is excited to welcome another beautiful child into our hearts and homes!



The bigger the family the more the fun! Luke had a huge blended family of some bio and some adoptees



## Hobbies, Interests & Traditions

Our family loves to be engaged with our kids. Depending on the time of year, the kids are involved in sports and a variety of other activities that interest them. We love to spend time with our kids, find what they love to do and give them opportunities to do those things.

As a family, we love to enjoy the outdoors and all the fun activities that go along with being in nature. A few of our favorite outdoor activities include biking, hiking and kayaking. We also enjoy arts and crafts, making things for folks, and spending time with our friends. We host a weekly community group at our house with friends who all have a bunch of kiddos. We look forward to sharing these passions and exploring whatever passions this child has!



We love crafts, and are constantly.. painting, making different things out of clay. We also like to build custom design homes, boxes, boats and princess castles out of cardboard boxes



We love to cook!



We love to go hiking as a family, exploring and making forts in our woods at home



Having fun with lego time!



Daddy and Ray enjoying a night of crab legs



Adventure time!



# Thank You

Thank you so very much for taking the time to review our profile. We hope that it has given you a little glimpse into our family. We would love the opportunity to talk to you as we are sure you will have questions. We want you to know that we are open to any and all questions. We also want to thank you for making the choice to bring this amazing baby into this world. Thank you for being brave, loving, and for being truly selfless. We are so excited to welcome another child into our family.

If we are chosen as an adoptive family, our promise to you is to give your baby everything they need to succeed in life. We will love this baby as our own and will give them love, a healthy lifestyle, a great education, a large loving family, and will nurture their talents. We will always remind the child as he/she grows of the great sacrifice and the love you have shown so they can have the life they deserve.

We have been praying for you even though we don't know you and we are so excited to hear from you! We wish you the best in whatever decision you make.

