

Sean & Michelle



Hi! We are Sean and Michelle. Our story began when Michelle's cousin, who was a youth group leader along with Sean, introduced us to each other. She had a hunch we'd make a good fit; and she was absolutely right! We have been married for four years now and have truly enjoyed our time together. Sean is an engineer, and Michelle formerly worked as a nurse but now has switched to primarily focusing on our home building business. We share passions such as discovering new waterfalls, taking road trips, and making new memories with family and friends while boating and waterskiing. Over the past four years, we have tried endlessly to create a family, but unfortunately, our fertility struggles have not made that possible. We experienced one pregnancy but lost our baby girl, Faith, early on in the pregnancy. Our desire to become parents and start a family has only gotten stronger through the years as we continue to dream of raising children.



Our Family

Sean has an older sister, and a younger brother and sister, two nieces, and a nephew. He has 24 first cousins (three adopted). Sean's family was thrilled to hear we are adopting and cannot wait to welcome a new addition to the family at the next family reunion, which usually consists of camping at a lake or up in the mountains. We frequently take trips to different parts of the country to visit Sean's family, and they're all so excited for us to have children of our own to play with the younger cousins.



Michelle has two younger brothers and 36 first cousins (four of whom are adopted). Michelle's family is very tight-knit, with cousins being raised almost as siblings. Most of the family gets together each summer at the family cabin, where they spend time boating, fishing, and

waterskiing. Outside of summer fun, they also get together for major holidays. Michelle's younger brother dresses up as Santa and visits their friends and cousins to give surprise gifts to the little kids on Christmas Eve. Last, but definitely not least, Michelle's mom lives down the street from us and absolutely cannot wait to have grandkids to spoil!

Our Home, Traditions & Hobbies

We built our house in 2018 with dreams and visions of our future children playing in the big back yard and exploring in the forest that our house backs up to. Our neighborhood is full of kids of all ages and they spend their days running from one yard to the next, it's like one giant community park. The city we live in also enjoys putting on parades a couple of times a year, our fire fighters, police and EMT's travel around our neighborhood and town honking and waving at the families. Our neighborhood is a very tight-knit community and everyone is always watching out for one another. It's a newer subdivision and very safe. Some extra perks to living here are that Michelle's cousins live right across the street and Michelle's mom lives two houses down!



We enjoy decorating for the holidays. We put up Halloween lights on the house, have a fog machine and have lanterns lighting up the pathway for our busy trick-or-treating neighborhood! Shortly after Halloween we begin outlining our house in Christmas lights. Inside the house nearly every room is decorated for Christmas. Most of Michelle's family lives in town so we

celebrate Easter with a big Easter egg hunt at her Aunt and Uncle's house, we do a large family gathering for Thanksgiving and Christmas as well.



One of our biggest hobbies together is building houses. After we built our house we have had some requests from family and friends to build them houses as well so we've found that it's been a pretty fun hobby for us to enjoy together. Sean also enjoys working on cars and Michelle enjoys gardening and sewing. Michelle's family has a cabin in northern

Minnesota so we try to get up there as often as we can to enjoy time on the lake with everyone. Sean's family is very spread out throughout the country so they do a bi-annual reunion usually at a camp site or a lake! Aside from all of our adventures, we truly enjoy just hanging out at home enjoying the wildlife in our back yard or watching a movie together.

Thank You

Thank you so much for taking the time to look through our profile to get to know us. We want you to know that we empathize with the difficult decision you are making. We truly admire your strength and courage in the steps you are choosing to take. We understand that during this time you'll have many questions, concerns and uncertainties. We would like to be there for you every step of the way and we just want to make sure that you feel safe and comfortable. If you choose us to parent your child we can ensure you that we will love him or her endlessly. We would raise your child in a home that values respect, Christian values, a good education and adventurous lifestyle. Your child would grow up surrounded by a large and inviting family and friends eager to meet him or her. Your child would also grow up knowing how strong his or her mother is and how much you love them. We would feel beyond blessed if we were chosen and would be forever grateful to you for the most precious gift anyone has ever given us.