

Will, Michelle & Harrison

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FOR YOU

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We promise to do our best to provide a safe, supportive, and loving home for your baby. They will be surrounded with family, and friends, who will love and support them wholeheartedly.

Adventure and experience are so important to us, so we cannot wait to share that with them. Nurturing their interests and talents, as well as developing their skills are key to growth, but so is knowing how to stop and take in the journey.

As current and former educators, we are both dedicated to providing the resources our children need to be their best self!

We support any level of openness you would like to have, and we can't wait to learn more about you!

Will & Michelle

HELLO FROM
HARRISON



I can't wait for a brother or sister! I'm so excited I'm all over the place! I'm nice, and funny. I can't wait to play and help them, it will be so much fun! I can read books to them, and pick them up when they fall over!



ABOUT US

We first met just over 11 years ago

Our mutual friends set us up at a Christmas party in NYC. The party was for a group of people that we both went to college with, funny enough we never knew each other until that day. We dated for about a year then decided to move in together



We rented a small, second story apartment

in a house that happened to be in the same town we went to college. Will proposed about a year later and we were married 6 months after that, in a small, woodsy, venue. At this point we moved into a house that had a great backyard and had access to an amazing hiking trail that took you along a river and into the woods, the dogs loved it!



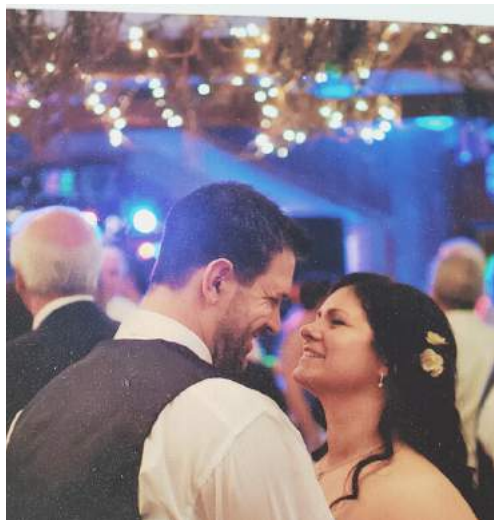
We found out Michelle was pregnant

in September of 2013 with our first child. Sadly, Emma was born sleeping on February 21, 2013.

About a year later, Harrison was born. He has a kind and silly personality and as each day passes, he continues to grow and amaze us! He is so excited to be a big brother!

We bought a house we love

Will's job encouraged us to buy a house in a town we adore. On any given day you'll find us exploring in our big, tree-lined yard, hiking with our dogs, riding our horses, or sitting on our deck- listening to music and playing a game. When the snowy season rolls in, our yard is filled with sleigh rides, snowballs, and snow forts. We value the time we are able to spend with our family and friends,



I love Will's ability to make me **laugh**! He entertains us with his witty sense of humor, I just can't keep up sometimes! One of Will's best qualities is his natural gift of being a **great father**. One of my favorite things is watching Will and Harrison working together outside. Harrison loves it when Will hitches up the trailer to dump mulch, or clear up sticks. The **smile** on his face is **priceless**. I find myself realizing how lucky I am to be married to someone who enjoys taking the extra time to make sure his child can experience and explore, otherwise mundane chores, in an adventurous way. Kids have always flocked to

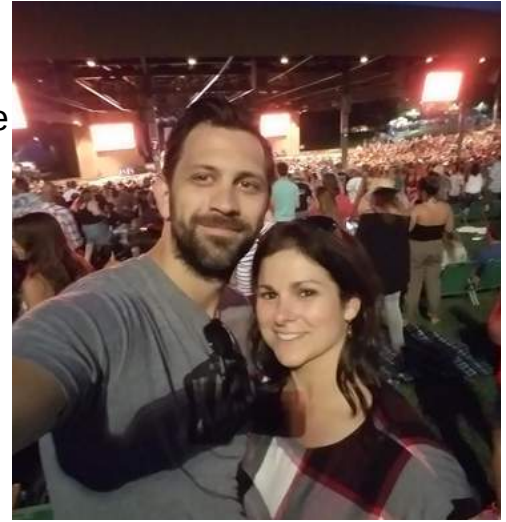
him, I think they are comforted by his calmness. I am struck by his **hard work**, and the **dedication** he has for his job as an elementary school Superintendent. His love and passion for all of "his" kids is obvious. The **drive** he has shows how important it is to, not only make his **family** comfortable, but also to **protect** and **educate** young minds and those who are molding them. Will's **practical** side compliments my sensitive side. He helps me organize my emotions and has become **my rock**. While we all have our imperfections, I feel pretty lucky to have found someone who's imperfections I'd rather live with, than live without. I just love this man.

"I JUST LOVE THIS MAN"... BUT WHY?

An exclusive, deeper look into why Michelle loves Will

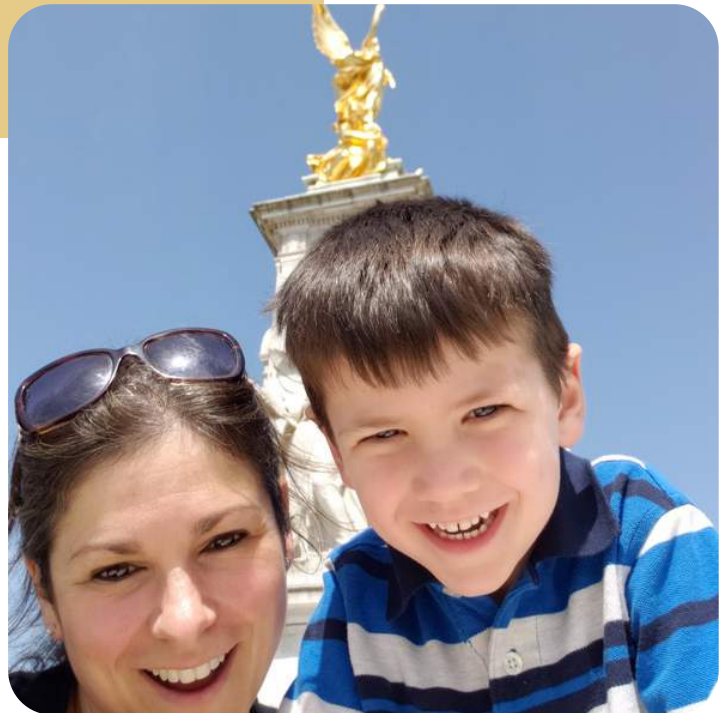


I love Michelle's ability to **enjoy** the **little moments** in life. She can take a routine day and turn it into one to remember without needing much. Her **outgoing**, talkative personality usually lead us on new, fun adventures. Without her, I would have missed out on so many exciting **experiences**. I love how she **encourages** me to expand my thinking and try new things. Not only is she an **incredible wife**, she is also an **incredible mother**. Michelle is **patient** and **understanding** while giving Harrison extraordinary childhood experiences. A weekly, potentially boring, task of going to the grocery store is made **fun** by having Harrison bring his own cart and use the "self scanner". The best part is hearing him tell us about how much fun he had that night as we talk about our day. That is only one small examples, there are countless more. I am always amazed the way she is able to strike the perfect **balance** of being firm yet loving with Harrison. I believe this comes from her years of experience **educating** students with Autism as well as working, in all aspects, with horses. Her genuine **kindness** is something that you immediately are drawn to and **trust**. I cannot imagine living my life without her by my side.



"I CANNOT IMAGINE LIVING MY LIFE WITHOUT HER BY MY SIDE"... BUT WHY?

An exclusive, deeper look into why Will loves Michelle



WE LOVE HARRISON... BUT WHY?

Dive into why Will and Michelle love Harrison



Harrison is one of the kindest people we have ever met. That says so much given that he is 6 years old. He is always there to help, and loves to bring Michelle flowers and help Will mow the lawn. He seems to have acquired Will's quick, wittiness and doesn't hesitate to share his silly sense of humor. We love the way he cares about animals and takes pride in making sure our pets are fed and cared for. He is always so patient with his younger cousins and loves to make everyone feel better. He is a born protector.

I LOVE ...

A deeper look into why Harrison
loves his Mom and Dad

- ...playing with Dad and Mom
- ...when my mom reads to me at bedtime.
- ... going to the barn with my Mom
- ...mowing the lawn with Dad
- ...snuggling with Mom and Dad
- ...riding bikes



OUR FAMILY

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Will's mom, "Mema" in her birthday hat!

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Will's Brother ("Uncle Lucas"), Wesley, and Harrison

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Michelle, Harrison and Will while on vacation in England visiting Michelle's Grandma "Pammy"

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Michelle's sister Chantal ("Auntie Tal") pictured with her family- Liam, Ryder and Uncle Sean

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Michelle's Mom and step-Dad- "Gigi" and "Grandpa"

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Uncle Lucas, Will's sister "Aunt Mary", Mema, Will and baby Harrison celebrating Thanksgiving

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Michelle's sister "Aunt Janine", Michelle and Chantal posing on the double decker bus that their late father traveled the world in as part of a music group

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Harrison and Mema enjoying playing on the beach

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Aunt Mary, Uncle Nick and Wesley

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Sarah, Aunt Janine, and Uncle Eric

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Harrison and Grandpa at the park

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OUR PETS

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Maddie and Toby

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Toby LOVES the snow!

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Oakie is 27 years old! (that's past retirement age in human years!)

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Sheldon is the more outgoing of the two turtles we call ours

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Artemis is more like a dog than a cat...

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Toby LOVES the water!

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... he fits right in with the dogs!

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Maddie loves to hold things in her mouth and bring them to you as a "present". She often finds our missing socks... Although she may be the reason they are lost in the first place!

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Oakie being tolerant of Harrison's kisses

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Luke is our young, gentle giant. He is teaching Harrison about leadership, strength, and sensitivity and FUN!



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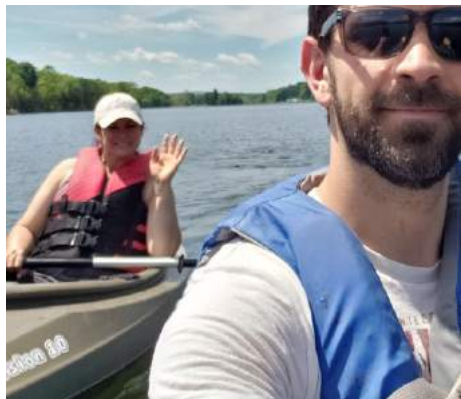
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Please reach out so we
share more
of our lives with you!

