



*Heather & Jason*

We will always understand there are no sufficient words, and there will never be anything we could give, that would be as meaningful as the life you created, the sacrifice you made, and your choice to share that life with us



# About Heather

Written by Jason



Heather is the most incredible person that I have ever met. She is extremely sweet and caring, and is willing to sacrifice anything to make sure others have what they need. All of these traits led me to fall in love with her. Before we met, I didn't believe in the concept of soulmates, but she has proven to me that it really is possible to find that one person you were truly meant to be with.

Heather is an amazing mother to our daughter, and has so much more love to offer. She will be a child's closest companion, their guiding light, and their biggest fan as they go through life's trials and tribulations. These traits, and many more, make me confident that a child will be lucky to have her as a mom, just as I am lucky to have her as my wife.

Heather is an extremely creative person who loves doing crafts, art, and activities with our toddler. She enjoys our daily morning walks in our neighborhood and helping our daughter to learn all about life. She likes baking, spending time outside, and DIY projects.



Heather





# About Jason

Written by Heather

Jason is the most amazing person. He is thoughtful beyond measure and has a huge heart. Jason has provided me with so much in life that I am extremely thankful for; he is my rock, my best friend, my protector, and the love of my life. I wake up thankful each day to have such an amazing partner to share my life with.

Jason is an amazing father. He is kind, patient, compassionate, and supportive. He is a natural leader and is often solicited by friends, family, and coworkers for his advice and guidance, and he does not let anyone down. Watching him be a father to our daughter, helping her learn and grow, with the utmost care and love, has made me realize just how lucky our family is to have him.

Jason loves to cook. He is an avid golfer and lover of sports, and plays guitar. He is also a comic book and superhero movie junkie. He has the best personality and sense of humor, and loves being a dad. He is our daughters superhero.



Jason





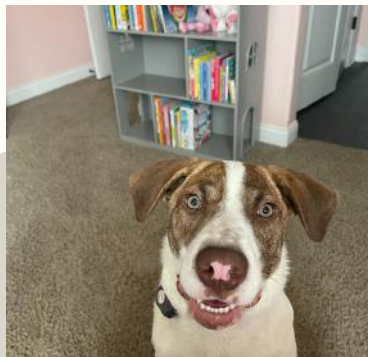
# Our Daughter Jemma



Jemma is a bright, beautiful, and loving 18 month old. She is the light of our lives, and we are beyond lucky to be able to call her our daughter through adoption. We met Jemma's first parents early in their pregnancy, were there shortly after they gave birth, and brought Jemma home from the hospital. Jemma is happy, healthy, and thriving in her environment surrounded by people who love and care about her. Even at a young age, we try to get her to experience as much as possible. and cannot wait to show her the world. She is an energetic toddler who would make the absolute best big sister. She is caring and nurturing, and so incredibly loving.



## Our Dog Barry



Barry is a one year old mixed breed dog that we welcomed to our family shortly after we brought our daughter home.

He is a playful and smart dog, and follows our daughter around everywhere. If you want to know where the dog is, first find the tiny human! When not shadowing her, he is likely taking a nap on the couch, living his best life.

Having both had pets as children, we find growing up with a pet is important to help build compassion, responsibility, and patience. It is a very fun to watch Barry interact with our daughter. He is first and foremost her protector.





## Our Story

We met each other 13 years ago and have been inseparable since. It was as if we met each other at the perfect time in our lives, and we knew that we had something special together. We have been married for the last eleven years, and though we have had our struggles and heartaches, it has been amazing. We have a strong relationship and an unbreakable bond.

We both knew that we wanted to be parents and had a desire to raise a family together.

We were blessed with the opportunity to become parents to our daughter through adoption, and she has been a life changing blessing. Parenting through adoption has been an emotional journey, and through those trials and tribulations we have gained a family in our daughters first parents. We love them, and though we live far away, we remain in constant contact. That relationship is important to all of us, but especially to our daughter as she grows and navigates through life. Though we would prefer an adoption with some level of openness, we are open to whatever you prefer. Your best interest, and the best interest of the baby, is all that matters.



## *Our Home and Neighborhood*

We built our home 8 years ago hoping to expand our family and fill it with love. Outside, it has a huge backyard perfect for a play-set and pickup football games. Inside, we've got plenty of space and an open bedroom that is ready to be a nursery! There are 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, with a loft and lower level rec room.

Our neighborhood is a quiet, tight-knit community, with a ton of kids. We have multiple parks in the neighborhood, two community pools, basketball and volleyball courts, and lots of walking and biking trails.

We also love that it's an extremely diverse neighborhood. We understand the importance of diversity and attempt to expose our child to all sorts of people and cultures. Our school district is also among the top rated in the state.





## Our Commitment to You

We will always speak of you with honor, and will cherish you forever.

We will be respectful of you at all times.

We will be supportive of you and committed to you and your needs.

We are open to providing you with pictures and updates of your child as they grow, and maintaining an open relationship, or would be respectful of a more closed adoption if that would be your preference.

We will NEVER forget or diminish the sacrifice you have made in order to provide your child with the life you envision for him or her.