

*Erin + Kyle*







*hi there!*

**IT'S SO NICE TO MEET YOU!**

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You are the bravest person we have yet to meet. We want to thank you for taking the step to open our profile book. We already know you are a strong, selfless and loving person and hope this shows you the beginning of our story.

*We believe everything happens for a reason, and if you are to choose us, we never want you to feel alone in this process. We will love you just as much as your little one. Our hearts are full with dreams of the future and we can't wait to see where this journey leads us.*

**ERIN AND KYLE**





# a little bit about us

## HOW IT STARTED

We met through Erin's cousin about ten years ago. We quickly fell in love, sharing our zest for life (and pizza).

## LIFE TOGETHER

We love being around our family, traveling, attending concerts/sporting events and trying new restaurants. You can find us cooking together, exploring outside, or doing design projects around the house.

We have spent countless hours setting up the nursery and researching all things "baby" (many things eco-friendly because Erin is a wee crazy that way).

We are best friends, who support each other, but also have no shame in being downright silly sometimes. Having fun and laughing/joking is our love language.

Two additional members of the family are our two pups, Rowan and Nali. We look forward to the opportunity to grow our family even more in the years to come!







## why adoption?

**WE ALWAYS KNEW WE WANTED TO ADOPT — THIS ISN'T OUR "PLAN B."**

Erin has talked about building her family through adoption since she was a little girl, and it was discussed very early on in our relationship. In the beginning, we thought we would have a child biologically and then adopt. When starting our family didn't come naturally, adoption was our clear path forward.

*We never went to see what could be causing us to not conceive because fertility treatments are not for us. Adoption is.*







## meet Kyle

**KYLE IS EVEN KEELED, HARDWORKING,  
SELFLESS AND KIND.**

He is just so lovable. He is naturally an introvert, but when it came to asking me on a date, he somehow put that shyness to the side. He loves firing up the grill, golfing (or “trying to golf” as he puts it) and watching football. He is an amazing artist and enjoys woodworking. He even designed and built a custom wooden sun for the nursery closet doors.

*He will be the best dad because he is loving, fun and adventurous - oh, and he has no problems changing diapers.*



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## meet Erin

**ERIN IS COMPASSIONATE, FUNNY,  
SMART AND VIBRANT.**

She loves making others laugh and supporting them through trying times. She is an extrovert and looks for the good in others. She even loves mornings and watching the sunrise. On the weekend you can find her cozying up with a book (this has moved from mystery to baby books recently), hanging with family or going to the park with our two rescue dogs.

*Erin will be a great mom because she is patient, loving and goes to the ends of the earth for the ones she loves.*





# where we live



*The nursery (one of four bedrooms) is set up across the hall from our bedroom. We designed it to be peaceful/calming with natural earthy tones.*



## **WE CANNOT IMAGINE A BETTER PLACE TO RAISE A FAMILY.**

We live in a beautiful, peaceful and friendly neighborhood in a suburb of Kansas. There are more than 30 parks in our town. Our neighborhood is full of big trees, a small lake with a sandy beach, multiple “secret” walking trails and a large creek running through it. There is also a playground right by the lake that is within walking distance of our home. The neighborhood is full of wildlife, and it is not uncommon to see deer walking right through our yard.

*One of the things that drew us here was thinking about how much fun we would have had as kids exploring the neighborhood or even just our backyard. Bonus - the nearby schools are top notch and Erin’s parents live less than three miles away. This is a big plus, as her parents will be providing childcare while we are at work.*

## our promises

IF YOU CHOOSE TO ENTRUST US WITH  
RAISING YOUR BABY, WE PROMISE  
THESE THINGS TO YOU:

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***Kids make mistakes and so do parents.*** We promise to learn from them together and, first and foremost, forgive. We promise to love and accept your child for exactly who they are. We will raise your child in a home that encourages them to discuss their feelings and have empathy for those around them. Their emotional and physical health are equally important. Our home will be warm, safe and one without judgment.

***We will dedicate our lives to loving, nurturing and supporting your child.*** We promise to laugh and play daily (including impromptu dance parties in the kitchen). We cannot promise you that we will be perfect parents, but we promise to be lifelong learners and teach your child to be the same.

***Last, but not least, we promise to accept your level of openness in the adoption.*** Our goal is to ensure your child knows the unconditional love you have demonstrated for them from the beginning. We want them to be brave and fierce just like you.

*all our love,*  
**ERIN AND KYLE**



IN THIS HOME  
WE LAUGH

IN THIS HOME  
WE ARE GLASS  
HALF FULL

IN THIS HOME  
WE SUPPORT  
EACH OTHER

IN THIS HOME  
WE LOVE  
UNCONDITIONALLY

IN THIS HOME  
WE DANCE LIKE NO  
ONE'S WATCHING



A CHILD CAN NEVER  
HAVE TOO MANY PEOPLE  
*who love them.*