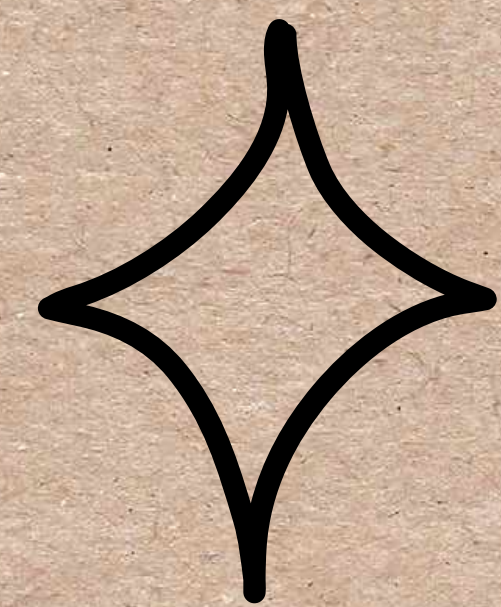
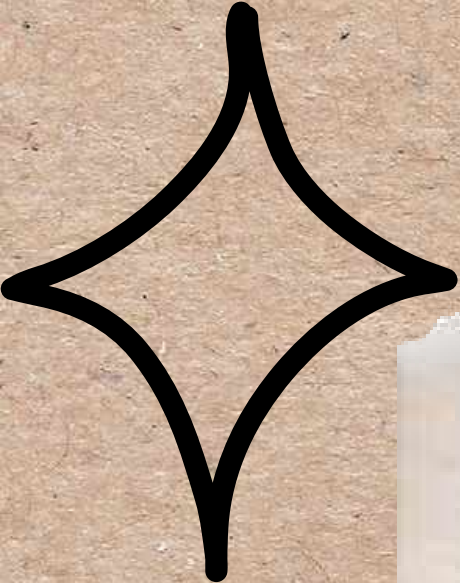


THIS IS US...





# About US...

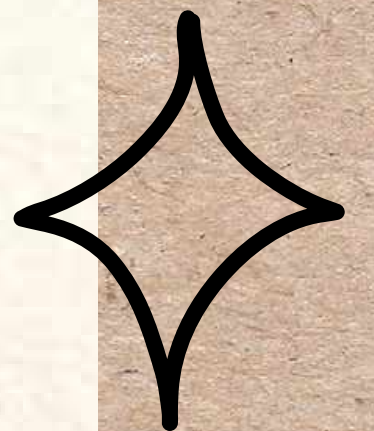
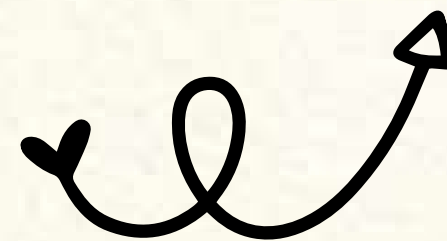


-We met when we were both working as CNAs, at the hospital, on the same floor. We have been together since 2012.

-We are a lot like the yin and yang thing on a lot of stuff we share, but on the things that matter most we were always like-minded and of the same heart, knowing what's on each other's minds without a word exchanged.

-You can find us always there with a helping hand, great with friends, kids, and nieces and nephews, great partners for charades.

-Our favorite hobby would be spending time with our daughter. We also love to play at the park, go for nature walks, have ice cream dates, cooking together.



# What Brittany says about Alex:



*As I was growing up I always had certain qualities that my future husband must have and some of those things were a good sense of humor and great personality. When I first met Alex I knew he fit these qualities and more. Not only did he have a good sense of humor and great personality, but he was also hard working and valued his family. The way I watch Alex interacting with our daughter absolutely melts my heart.*



*Alex is someone who believes in respect, honor and dignity. Alex is a true genuine man who is caring, compassionate, a great listener and an even better jokester.*

*Alex is a manager at a cattle feedlot approximately 1 mile from our house. Alex was raised on a farm, around cattle and has continued to fulfill his passion for livestock.*

*Alex enjoys spending time with his family, cooking BBQ, exercising and playing at the park with our daughter Harper.*

*The love and compassion Alex has for our daughter will only continue to ripple through to your child. The priorities Alex has for his family, including keeping the Lord at the center of our family, by attending church, saying our prayers before dinner and bedtime is what makes him a great parent. Alex also enjoys being able to teach our daughter skills, manners and reading bedtime stories.*

*My favorite thing about him is his humor, personality and the way his face lights up when he comes home each night to his family.*



# What Alex says about Brittany:



*When I met Brittany, my life changed completely. She is the funny, energetic and spontaneous part of my life I had been waiting for, every day is an adventure with her. I could always see myself being a father and knew someday I would enjoy being one, but when I met Brittany I knew from that instant she was born to be a mom and the one I wanted to be a parent with. Kids make her life light up like fireworks and put a glow in her smile that can't be extinguished. She is caring and nurturing and devotes herself entirely to our daughters needs. We have always discussed our futures, and she and I always had raising a family on the list. Any child would be blessed to have her as a mom. She treats me better than I treat myself, always going out of her way to bring joy and happiness in my life, ever waiting for a good opportunity to make great memories. Having your child in our lives would truly complete the biggest dream and adventure we have been waiting for.*



*I would best describe her as a warm caring individual. Always looking for the good in those around her.*

*She spent many hours and years studying to pursue her passion to care for others and became a nurse practitioner.*

*Brittany has been a great parent so far and will continue to do so due to her warm loving heart, slow to anger, rich in kindness.*

*My favorite thing about her is even on my worst days and thru my dumbest mistakes she never belittles me, never takes my courage away, just built what was left of me back up and stood beside me ready for the next challenge*



# WHERE WE CALL HOME...

## Our Home...

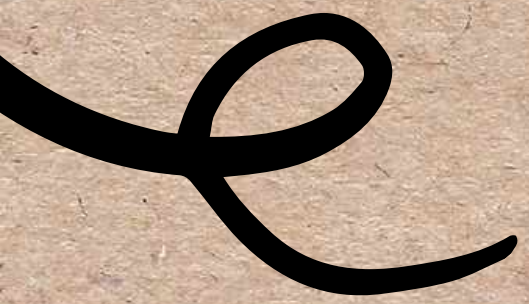
*We live in a two story home, on 3 acres, with 3 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms and a basement. We live out in the country, on a gravel road, in northwest Iowa.*

*Our home is on a quiet gravel road. Our home makes us feel warm and together, a log cabin feel, especially on cold winter nights when we sit around the fireplace reading books, playing games or watching a disney or western movie together as a family.*

## Our Town...

*In our small town we have a park, golf course, ball fields and track. We also have a couple restaurants. Our town has a summer fest which includes a movie in the park, golf tournament, dance and much more. There is a recreational park just a few miles from our house. Close by is more entertainment including movie theaters, a children's museum, the mall, ice cream shops, farmers market and libraries.*





# Why Adoption:

We have had personal struggles with infertility and through the power of prayer God led us to his plan for us of growing our family through the gift of adoption. We are so excited to be on this journey.



