



EVERY FAMILY HAS A STORY, welcome to ours.

## HELLO!

#### IT'S SO NICE TO "MEET" YOU!

Thank you for taking time to check out our family profile. We admire you so much for considering adoption. Although we don't know you yet, we respect and love you and it's easy to assume you must be an amazing and selfless woman, striving to choose the best for your baby out of incredible love. Our family is filled with laughter, fun, rough days, smooth days, but mostly filled with so much love to give!

We can't fathom how difficult this time must be for you, but we are here however you may need. If we are led to being woven into you and your baby's story, we would be absolutely thrilled!

> ALL OUR LOVE, DANNY and ANDI

### ourstoRY

#### WE MET IN COLLEGE IN 2005 AND HAD AN IMMEDIATE CONNECTION.

Danny was drawn to Andi's kindness and compassion and Andi was attracted to Danny's joy and humor. We both had the feeling that we had found "the one" and we easily became inseparable and enjoyed doing everything together. We were engaged a year later!

We got married on a freezing cold February day, in the middle of a blizzard in Minnesota. Being able to celebrate such an important and precious day with those we loved most was definitely something we were thankful for.

We have been married for 14 incredible years. Although they haven't all felt like a fairy tale, we've learned so much about communication, what it means to love each other in the good times and bad, and how important putting Christ first is. Our marriage has gone from mediocre to amazing!

THIS LITTLE ROUND TOKEN OF MY LOVE, REMINDER OF MY FAITHFULNESS AND, TAKE THIS RING

> AND WITH IT i Thee wed.

/ SONG FROM OUR WEDDING DAY WRITTEN BY ANDI'S SISTER, ANGIE /







## WHAT LED US TO adoption?



In 2012 we found out we could not have more kids biologically. Danny grew up in a big family and Andi always dreamed of having lots of kiddos. We both have so much love to give! **Adoption is an incredibly beautiful thing and the love we already have for every expectant mama we've come across is a love and care bigger than we ever imagined.** 

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ANDI IS THE MOST KIND, COMPASSIONATE, EMPATHETIC PERSON I KNOW.



She has a huge heart for the broken and hurting. She is always willing to be a listening ear; without judgement or trying to "fix" things. As cliché as it sounds, "she completes me." Though we are polar opposites in many ways, God knew what each of our strengths and weaknesses were and he fit those pieces of us together perfectly. Andi is an outstanding cook, adventurous, spontaneous, loving, and truly my best half.

She is an incredible mother to our four kids, and I know she will be an incredible mother to any child(ren) to come. She loves babies and the baby/mother bond that has built in those early years. As the kids have grown, her natural mothering and nurturing ability grows, too! She enjoys doing crafts, baking, playing games, and going on dates with our kids. *She is looking forward to that bonding time with another child and opening her endlessly loving arms to more children in our family.* 



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JESUS READING

#### STUDYING GOD'S WORD,

COFFEE DATES WITH FRIENDS

ONE ON ONE DATES WITH THE KIDS

HIKING

BEING ADVENTUROUS

HOMESCHOOLING OUR KIDS

NATURE

"I am so blessed to be able to stay home with our kids full time. All I ever wanted was to be a mama and a wife and I am living that dream. I also homeschool our kiddos and love that I can ensure they're getting an excellent education." - Andi

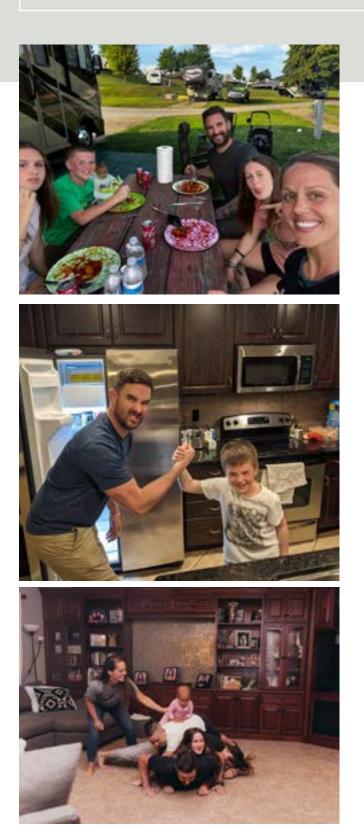


met DANNY

DANNY IS OUR ROCK. OUR STEADY, STRONG SENSE OF PEACE AT ALL TIMES.

He is the strongest man I know; able to endure through the hardest of situations. He helps our entire family feel safe because of his confident demeanor, courage, bravery, and kindness. Danny is also incredibly selfless, always wanting me to be happy, and he is constantly joyful. His sense of humor truly keep us all laughing. He is the perfect balance of common sense and a quick wit. One of the things I appreciate most about him is his strong faith in and complete reliance and dependence on God. While my cup may be half empty some days, his is overflowing onto us all!

Danny loves kids. When I met him in college, he already had twelve nieces and nephews! Seeing Danny pour into our kids, kids at church or just our kids' friends, melts my heart. He is so engaging, never judgmental and cares so much about others. It's so natural for him to joke around with and love on people with his generous and giving personality. I am a self-employed real estate investor. One of the things I love about my job is that it is incredibly flexible and family friendly. I can always leave work to help with medical or dental appointments with the kids and never need to miss one of their events or soccer games. - Danny



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JESUS

DOING THINGS AROUND THE HOUSE

SPENDING TIME WITH FRIENDS

BEING OUTDOORS

HUNTING

FISHING

RELAXING

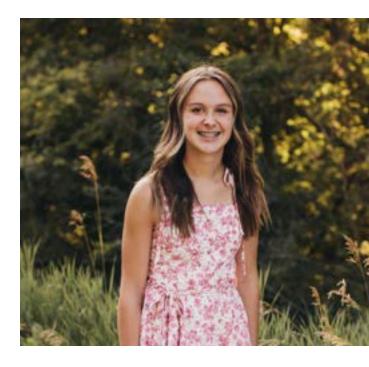
EXPLORING WITH THE KIDS

DATES WITH ANDI



MYA (14)

Mya definitely has a lot of the classic first born traits! She is motherly, organized, and always prepared. If she's not comfy, and lost in a book, she is usually found sitting at the piano, creating a special and meaningful song.





#### KINLEY (12)

Kinley is hilarious, happy, content, just like her dad! She is always the one right there trying to help and very quick on her feet. She sees needs that others often miss and loves taking care of kiddos or surprising me with something sweet and unexpected!

#### COOPER (II)

Cooper is a justice seeker. He is sensitive, empathetic, kind, and loves to make people happy. You can often find him biking, creating his own secret recipe, or rummaging through the woods gathering and exploring.





#### JERZI (I)

Jerzi is so smart, easy going, happy and adorable! She loves to swim, play outside and cuddle. Adopting her is something we are so thankful for and our relationship with her birth mama and bio sister is so special.

#### OUR KIDS ARE BEST FRIENDS.

They pick on each other like normal siblings, but will defend and love each other deeply at the same time. The big kids love Jerzi, and protect and help with her so much. They all love babies and kids, so this will just be another natural addition. They are tender and protective older siblings, loving and cherishing every moment.



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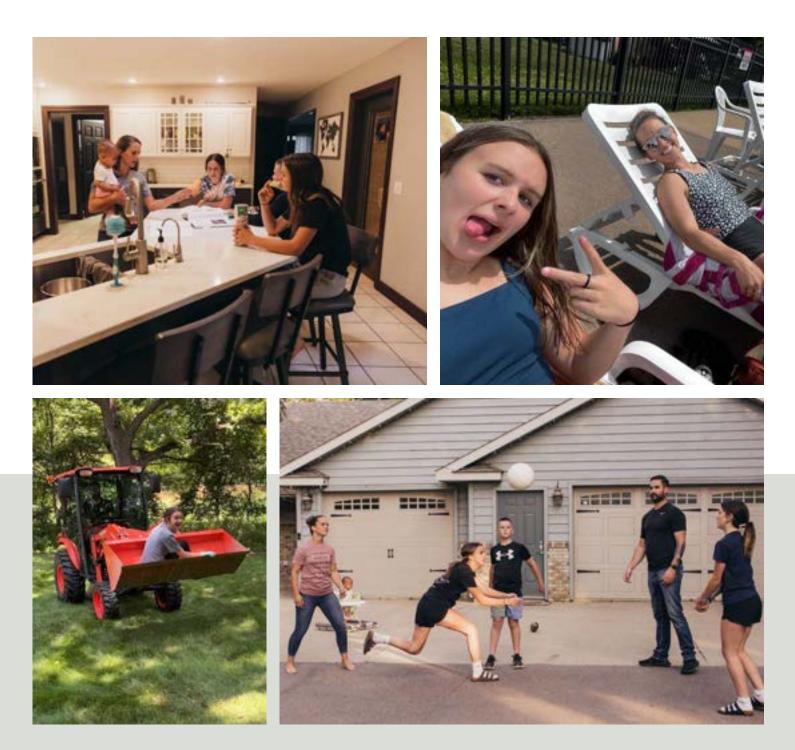
#### WE LOVE BEING IN THE COUNTRY AFTER LIVING IN TOWN FOR 8 YEARS.



It's so great to have our own space to relax and explore. The quiet and nature is a huge draw for us. Our home was built in 1995 and has a main level and a lower level. We have five bedrooms and three bathrooms and our home sits on six acres of land. *We would absolutely love to fill it up with more memories and more babies!* 

#### WE LOVE WHERE WE LIVE!

We have a nice acreage with a playset and campfire spot in the back. In the front yard we have a basketball hoop, paved driveway for biking and rollerblading, and a big grassy yard to run and play or play catch or kick a soccer ball. In spring and fall we spend a lot of time outside playing, gardening and having campfires – complete with s'mores and hot dogs! The last couple years we made delicious salsa and spaghetti sauce from our garden.





### our FAMILY

**Danny's family:** My parents are Bob and Judy. They are both retired and loving their grandparent life! They live about five hours away from us and we visit them several times a year. I have a large family with five siblings and nineteen nieces and nephews!

**Andi's family:** My parents are Doug and Dawn. My mom loves crafting, and my dad loves hunting and fishing. We see my parents quite often as they live in the same town; we are very close and share quite a bit of time together. They love our kids very much!

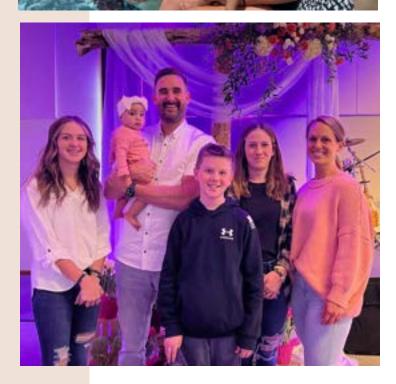
FOR THIS CHILD we have prayed. / 1 SAMUEL 1:27 /





IN THIS family we

PUT JESUS FIRST LOVE HARD WORK HARD PLAY HARD MAKE MISTAKES FORGIVE HAVE FUN



# WE LOVE TAKING ADVENTURES!

Every winter we go to a warmer climate, usually Florida – sometimes even bringing extended family or friends! Throughout the summer we love to go camping when Danny isn't tied up at the cabins. Every late summer/fall we go on a road trip with Danny's brother's family - It is the highlight of that time of year! We are usually gone for around ten days. We have traveled most of the west coast, central states and some of the east coast and look forward to many more adventures with new little ones in tow!









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IF YOU CHOOSE ADOPTION AND TRUST US TO CARE FOR YOUR CHILD, WE PROMISE YOU THESE THINGS...

> We promise your child will be loved unconditionally by us, our family and our friends.

> We promise to give your child every possible opportunity.

We promise to lead by example.

We promise to provide a safe and secure environment where the needs of your child are always met.

We promise to speak life over you and your place in this family.

We promise to love and respect you.

We want you to know that we will be there for you in whatever decision you make. We hope to hear from you soon.

All our love,

DANNY, ANDI, MYA, KINLEY, COOPER and JERZI

