



Adam and Madison

Hi there! We are Adam and Madison (Maddiey) a happily married couple from Salt Lake City, Utah. We have open hearts, lots of patience, and are ready to welcome a child into our loving home through adoption.



Why We Want to Adopt

As long as we've been together, we

have always said that if we ever decided to grow our family, it would be through adoption. We have both seen first hand that you do not have to be blood related to someone for them to be a part of your family. In March of 2020 (when the world fell apart) we started to really rethink and re-prioritize our future. Things we had been pushing off until tomorrow became the things we wanted for today. We decided that the time was now, and we were ready to become parents.



After a few years on our adoption journey, we began to fear that maybe it wouldn't happen for us and perhaps we should try to conceive a child of our own. It was only then that we learned that both of us suffer from some fertility issues that make conception difficult, perhaps impossible. This only reaffirmed that adoption is the right path for us and our future family.

About Us

We have been married since June 24,
2019.



Madison's Favorites

Food: Fettuccini Alfredo

Book: Of Mice and Men

Movie: The Princess Bride

TV Show: Friends

Sport: Swimming

Music Genre: Showtunes

Adam's Favorites

Food: Buffalo Wings

Book: Game Change

Movie: Pulp Fiction

TV Show: The West Wing

Sport: Football

Music Genre: Alternative

Work

Professionally, we work with children every day. We have been employed at the high school for thirteen years as a drama teacher (Adam) and nine years as a drama coach / costume designer (Maddiey) respectively. Our profession allows us to develop and maintain mentorship roles for a variety of students from many walks of life. Some are talented and gifted, some have behavioral issues, some have cognitive challenges, but we feel they are all capable of doing great work at their own level.

Hobbies and Interests

We have a wide appreciation of both visual arts and performing arts. We both love spending time out in the yard, gardening, cultivating our lawn, and generally enjoying the outdoors. Additionally, we are both huge Disney fans. Not only were we engaged in Disneyland, but we try our best to make a trip there every year.

Home

We live in a lovely little two-bedroom house in Sandy, Utah. Our neighborhood is wonderful. There are lots of children playing and riding their bikes all the time! We feel very safe and happy living there. Even though our house is cozy, our yard is huge! We have a huge garden area, as well as room for a playground, trampoline, and a mini garden in back that we would love to be just for kids. And lucky for us, the whole yard is fully fenced. Our house is centrally located around a variety of facilities, services, and opportunities. The nearest hospital is just three miles away. We are in the heart of the Canyons school district, with an elementary school just up the street, and a junior high and high school within a short distance. We also work just one block away from another elementary school, and about three blocks from another junior high. The Salt Lake Valley is



fortunate to be the home of a variety of cultural opportunities such as professional and semi-professional sporting teams, world class performing arts facilities, museums, movie theaters, libraries, zoos and aquariums, and an abundance of outdoor activities, events, and festivals. We also have access to the beautiful Rocky mountains where skiing, hiking, and camping are all possible and popular.





Family and Support Network

We have a wonderful support network. Both of us come from large, close families. We try to regularly get together for various birthdays, holidays, and celebrations. Our family is primarily within a fifteen minute drive and are always happy to lend a hand should we need anything. We are all very close and supportive of one another. We also have several nieces, nephews, and young cousins who we have wonderful relationships with. Watching these fantastic young people grow and helping mentor them has been a great source of pride in our lives.





Our Adventures

We have been very lucky to get to travel and go on many adventures together. The experiences we have gotten to have, the places we've gotten to go, and the people we've gotten to meet, have all helped prepare us for this next great adventure: becoming parents.



Our Biggest Adventure So Far

From February to July of 2023, we had the incredible privilege of becoming the foster parents of a wonderful little boy. He came to us right after he turned one and we got to watch him learn and grow and become a real life little person. In July, he was reunified with his mom and dad. We knew his plan from the beginning was reunification, so it didn't come as a surprise. But it was certainly very hard to say goodbye to him, even though we were so excited for his mom and dad to get to have him home. Luckily, they saw what a loving bond we had with him, and they have made sure that we are still in his life. We babysit him probably about once a month, and we all light up when we see each other. We are so grateful to have such a great relationship with his parents.



We can only imagine
what a difficult decision
it must be to choose an
adoption plan for your
child. We truly admire
your courage. If you think
we might be the right
parents for your situation,
please do not ● ●
hesitate to contact us!

