



Collin & Bethany

OUR STORY

Dear Birth Mother

You are so brave. You are so brave to have chosen life and so brave to be considering adoption for your child. We cannot begin to imagine what you are feeling. We fully believe God has a plan for you and your child and we'd be honored to be a part of it.

More than anything, we want you to know we will love your child unconditionally. Adoption has been on our hearts since before our second daughter was born. We had a miscarriage and another very complicated pregnancy and were advised not to have any more children, biologically. We hope one day we can complete our family through adoption. We welcome any race, believing we are all beautifully made in God's image. Several of our closest friends have adopted or are fostering. We have an amazing support system that your child will be so loved by.

We pray you know you have a God who loves you and is proud of you. If we have the privilege of adopting your child, you will always be celebrated in their life. We would love to hear your story and get to know you, continuing contact as you are comfortable. He or she will always be told of your courage and sacrifice of love.

with love.

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Our Story

WE GREW UP IN THE SAME TOWN IN MIDDLE TN AND STARTED DATING THE LAST WEEK OF HIGH SCHOOL. WE WENT TO SEPARATE COLLEGES AND WERE MARRIED SHORTLY AFTER GRADUATION. WE HAVE BEEN MARRIED FOR 15 YEARS AND LIVE IN THE SAME TOWN WE WERE RAISED IN. WE HAVE BEEN BLESSED WITH TWO AMAZING DAUGHTERS, MAE AND LUCILLE. WE LOVE JESUS, FAMILY, OUR FRIENDS AND CHURCH COMMUNITY.



WE ARE VERY CLOSE TO OUR EXTENDED FAMILIES WITH MOST OF THEM LIVING NEARBY. THE GIRLS LOVE PLAYING WITH THEIR COUSINS AND VISITING GRANDPARENTS OFTEN. WE LOVE BAKING AND COOKING TOGETHER, GARDENING, GRILLOUTS, BEACH TRIPS, AND PIZZA ON FRIDAY NIGHTS. WE LIVE ON A FEW ACRES AND ARE BLESSED WITH GREAT NEIGHBORS THAT ARE FRIENDS. WE HAVE AN AUSSIE DOODLE + BASSETT HOUND THAT HAVE BEEN SWEET + SPUNKY ADDITIONS TO OUR FAMILY.

Meet Bethany

HI! MY NAME IS BETHANY AND I AM 38 YEARS OLD. I AM A CHRISTIAN, STAY AT HOME MOM AND AN ARTIST. I AM SO THANKFUL TO HAVE GROWN UP WITH MY FAITH, I LEAN ON JESUS EVERYDAY TO BE THE BEST WIFE AND MOM THAT I CAN BE. I AM MARRIED TO MY BEST FRIEND AND THE LOVE OF MY LIFE. BEING A STAY AT HOME MOM TO OUR TWO GIRLS HAS BEEN ONE OF MY GREATEST JOYS, ALLOWING ME TO BE PRESENT AND SOAK UP SO MUCH TIME WITH THEM. I HAVE A DEGREE IN INTERIOR DESIGN AND DRAW HOME PORTRAITS IN MY SPARE TIME. I AM BLESSED WITH A TRIBE OF MOM FRIENDS WHO SUPPORT AND LIFT ME UP. I'M VERY CLOSE WITH MY SISTER AND MOM AND TALK TO THEM MOST DAYS. I LOVE COOKING, PAINTING, "MOMMING," DATE NIGHTS, ICED COFFEE, AND DESIGNING AND MAKING OUR HOME AS PEACEFUL AND INVITING AS POSSIBLE.



Collin said

BEING WITH BETHANY HAS TRULY BEEN A LIFE CHANGING EXPERIENCE. I SAY THAT BECAUSE, SHE HELPED ME FIND SALVATION THROUGH JESUS CHRIST IN MY EARLY TWENTIES. EVEN THOUGH I ATTENDED CHURCH MY ENTIRE LIFE, MY RELATIONSHIP WITH CHRIST NEVER QUITE CLICKED UNTIL BETHANY HELPED ME UNDERSTAND IT. TO SAY I AM GRATEFUL FOR HER IS AN UNDERSTATEMENT. YOU WILL NOT FIND A MORE CARING, GENUINE, AND KIND PERSON THAN BETHANY. I TRULY LOVE DOING LIFE TOGETHER WITH HER, WHETHER THAT'S CHAUFFEURING KIDS TO THEIR NEXT EVENT OR GOING ON AN ACTUAL "DATE NIGHT". ONE OF THE MANY THINGS I LOVE ABOUT BETHANY IS HOW SHE PRIORITIZES RELATIONSHIPS, WHETHER THAT'S WITH HER JESUS, FAMILY, OR FRIENDS. SHE MAKES THE GIRLS AND I BETTER PEOPLE.





Meet Collin

I AM A CHRIST FOLLOWER, 39 YEARS OLD, AND HAVE LIVED IN MIDDLE TN MY ENTIRE LIFE. BETHANY AND I HAVE BEEN MARRIED FOR OVER 15 YEARS AND HAVE 2 DAUGHTERS. I HAVE WORKED FOR A LOCAL FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPANY FOR THE LAST 12 YEARS. I ALSO AM A MEMBER OF THE AIR NATIONAL GUARD, A RESERVE COMPONENT OF THE US AIR FORCE. IN ADDITION TO HANGING WITH BETHANY AND THE GIRLS, I ENJOY ENTERTAINING, COOKING WITH THE FAMILY, VEGETABLE GARDENING, GRILLING, YARD WORK, MOVIES AND BEING OUTSIDE.

Bethany said

COLLIN IS MY BEST FRIEND AND SOUL MATE. HE IS SUCH A PRESENT AND STRONG LEADER OF OUR FAMILY. HE IS THE TYPE OF HUSBAND AND DAD YOU PRAY FOR. HIS FIRST LOVE IS JESUS AND THEN US. HE ALWAYS MAKES TIME TO PLAY WITH THE KIDS AND BE AT ANY EVENT THEY HAVE. HE IS THE BEST GIRL DAD BUT WOULD BE AMAZING WITH A SON, AS WELL. HE HAS A GENTLE SPIRIT AND ALSO ONE OF THE STRONGEST WORK ETHICS I KNOW.



Meet Our Kids

MAE + LUCY

OUR GIRLS MEAN THE WORLD TO US! AS SISTERS THAT ARE 5 YEARS APART, THEY ARE BEST FRIENDS. THEY JUST STARTED SHARING A ROOM IN HOPES OF A NEW BABY BROTHER OR SISTER. THEY LOVE PLAYING TENNIS OR ROCK CLIMBING TOGETHER, FOLLOWED BY A CHIK FIL A STOP! BOTH GIRLS ARE THRIVING IN SCHOOL.



MAE, AGE 13

MAE HAS SUCH A BEAUTIFUL AND DETERMINED SPIRIT. SHE CARES DEEPLY FOR OTHERS, LOVES ANYTHING CULINARY, HANGING WITH FRIENDS, SERVING AT CHURCH, ROCK CLIMBING AND TENNIS.



LUCY, AGE 8

LUCY IS SUCH A LIGHT IN OUR FAMILY. SHE IS SMART, KIND AND ALWAYS JOYFUL. SHE LOVES ANIMALS, MAKING US LAUGH, ANYTHING CRAFTS, NINJA GYM AND PLAYING WITH FRIENDS.

Our Hobbies



AS A FAMILY...

WE ENJOY PLAYING OUTSIDE, GAME NIGHTS, COOKOUTS WITH FAMILY + FRIENDS, GOING TO CHURCH, + WEEKEND TRIPS EXPLORING NEW PLACES. WE LOVE GOING TO THE BEACH + THE MOUNTAINS. OUR FRIDAY NIGHTS TYPICALLY INVOLVE GRABBING PIZZA FROM OUR FAVORITE LOCAL SPOT.

WE LOVE VISITING OUR FAMILY FARM WHERE WE GET TO SEE GREAT GRANDPARENTS AND COUSINS. WE LOVE TRIPS TO THE ZOO OR THE NEW SPLASH PAD + PARK. WE ALSO ENJOY PLAYING TENNIS AND TAKING WALKS TOGETHER.



Meet Our Animals



Louie + Rocky

Travel



Our home



Blessings.

