

# HEATHER & LARRY

Dear Birth Parents,

"Birthparent" sounds very generic, but you are anything but generic to us. You are so special to us already and we are praying for you even though we don't know your name. Thank you so much for the opportunity to introduce ourselves and tell you about our family. We are grateful that you are willing to consider the loving, selfless gift of adoption. We have been happily married since 2011. In 2018, God blessed us with our adopted daughter, Piper. Now we are excitedly looking to grow our family.

Being unable to conceive naturally is God's way of directing us to the right path. We promise you that we will love, nurture, and care for any child God brings to us. Know that we will continue to pray for you. God will help you make the right decision for you and your baby. We realize that the decision to place your child for adoption is a great challenge. Please know that we will provide a fun, loving, nurturing family should you select us to parent your child. Our friends and family are very supportive and are excited to be a part of this new journey. We promise to always tell our child that he or she is a gift from a very special family. We hope you will feel that we all share one goal-the happiness and health of your child.

Love and Peace,  
Heather & Larry



# ABOUT US



We are a fun-loving couple looking to adopt a second time.  
Our daughter, Piper, will be a great big sister!

Family is very important to us. Both of our families live close by and visit often. Parents, grandparents, siblings, cousins, extended family, and friends that are like family are involved.

We are actively involved in our Lutheran church. Our church has a wonderful youth ministry that always has lots of fun and engaging activities.

# WHY ADOPTION?



We always knew we wanted to be parents. When we realized that we were unable to have biological children of our own, adoption seemed like the perfect way to make our dreams of parenting come true. We believe that family is not defined by our genes, but is instead built and maintained through love. We believe that being adopted means that the child was prayed for, worth the wait, and a true blessing from God.

Openness: We adopted Piper in 2018. We currently have an open adoption with her birth mother. We share pictures and email each other, and plan a yearly visit. We are open to any level of openness.

# FAMILY LIFE



We live in a 4-bedroom home in a rural subdivision. It is close to town, shopping, parks, and close access to hospitals.

For childcare, we will continue to use the in-home daycare run by a close friend.

We try to make holidays memorable with our family and friends. Our traditions include big family meals for Thanksgiving and Christmas, Halloween parties, Easter egg hunts, dressing up for St. Patrick's Day, and making personalized Valentines.