

Justin and Becky



Dear Birthparent,

Thank you for taking the time to read and learn about us. We hope that from this you will learn that we are a **LOVING, COMPASSIONATE, and ENERGETIC** family.

We are currently a small family of three with our adorable golden-doodle Kirby, but we have a desire to grow our family. We are truly humbled by the choice you are about to make as the gift of family is truly priceless to us. We've tried for years to build our family, without success. However, we are excited to add more love to our family through adoption. We feel adoption is a blessing and a privilege for us. Through this journey we have come to believe the importance of celebrating the child we adopt and their heritage. Our diverse family and community of friends have taught us that race, ethnicity, and diversity are not barriers to love. Therefore, through our faith, we are open to adopting a child of any and all backgrounds. We want this child to feel loved and accepted by all those who have played a role in their lives and that includes the important role that you have as their birthparent. We vow to support the child in all aspects of their lives including discovering themselves, honoring their history, and exploring their future.

Please know that we will give your child a **LOVING HOME** full of happiness, support, smiles, and laughter. Through our 7 years together and 5 years of marriage, we have developed a variety of interests from Justin's culinary baking skills to Becky's compassion for nature and animals to share with a child. Justin's 10 years in the culinary industry as a chef have provided him with a wealth of cookie recipes he hopes to one day share with our child. Becky's love for science and 5 years as a teacher have provided us with vast experiences with children. From this we look forward to such things as family nature trips, backyard BBQs, weekend science experiments, and summertime shenanigans. We love family time, bowling, game nights, traveling, Disney, football games, movies, and trying new restaurants.

We love to live everyday and enjoy the adventures near and far. While we love traveling to places like Disney and Jamaica, we also enjoy local treasures such as trying new restaurants, going to local zoos, museums, and science centers. Our favorite adventures often are spending time with one another at home while watching a new movie or playing a board game. However, the most important part of any adventure is the company and we love to share our adventures with our friends and family.

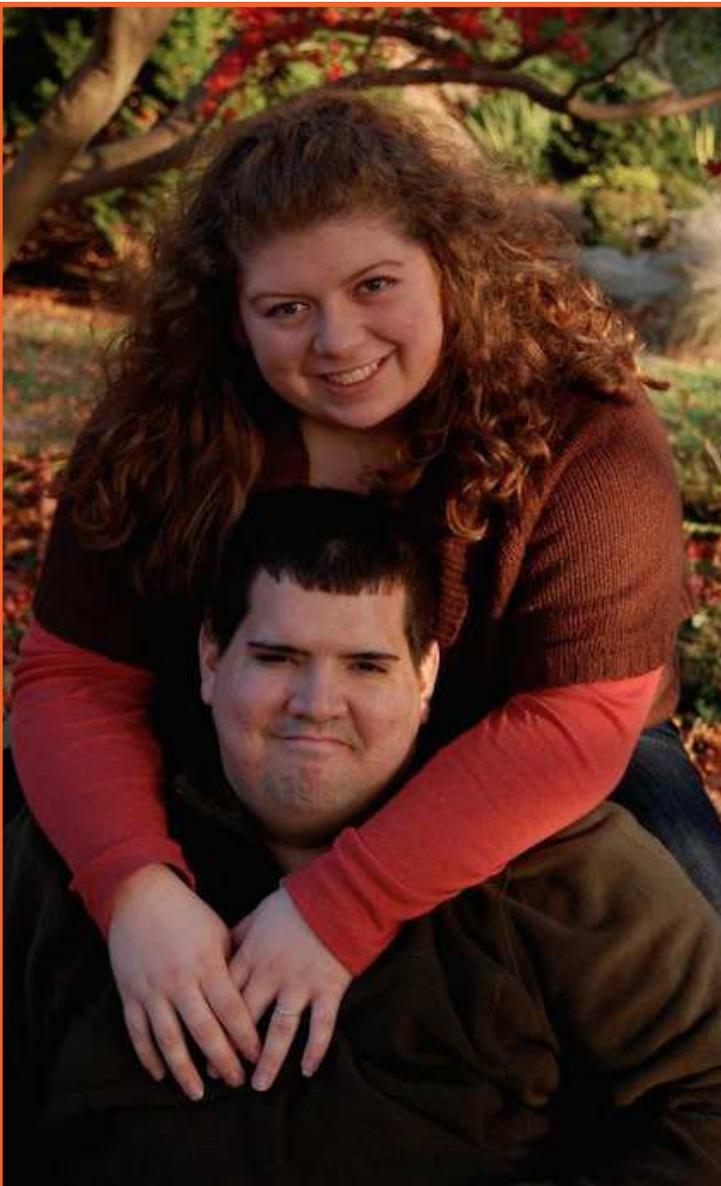
Our little family will be surrounded by a diverse larger family and community of love.

We hope that learning about our lives, together and as individuals, will be helpful to you in your journey. The sacrifice you are making will be the greatest gift that we have ever received. We promise to love this child unconditionally and support them through all life has in store. We will always strive to be our best as parents and promise to provide a home full of love and laughter. We promise that your child will grow up in a loving family.

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Boating and snorkeling in Jamaica.



About Us

- We're SOUL MATES and BEST FRIENDS. Our journey together began after weeks of communicating through emails and text messages. Fate had it that we were to meet online, despite our short distance from one another. Our first date consisted of dinner, the movie Shrek 3, and a competitive game of mini-golf. Becky won, of course, but what she didn't realize at the time was we both won more than a game that night, but the LOVE of our lives. We quickly realized our connection was strong and based on FAITH, LOVE, HOPE, and TRUST. We had big dreams together.
- We were engaged 6 months after our first date and were married after being together for 2 years. Through these years and now 5 years of marriage later, we have grown up together and learned a lot. We've been fortunate to have amazing adventures, financial stability, and many blessings. We've grown together by finding common hobbies we can enjoy together and things we love. Despite these changes, we continue to learn more about one another and love each other more everyday.



Relaxing and playing with our Goldendoodle Kirby in the park.



Holding lovebirds at an animal sanctuary.

About Justin (Becky's Perspective):

Justin is the most dedicated, caring, and compassionate man I know. He will do anything for his family. He is a hard worker who is dedicated to supporting his family through a career as a chef. Justin goes above and beyond to care for those he loves, whether it is making a grilled cheese and soup for me when I'm sick or just being an ear to listen. His calm and patient demeanor make him strong and reassuring to those around him in difficult times or urgent situations.

His humble strength is inspiring, but his positive and fun-filled nature is what I love about him most. He makes me enjoy life everyday. His fun sense of humor leaves those around him laughing and smiling. He goes out of his way to make me laugh if I'm having a bad day, even if it means making himself look silly.

Deep inside, Justin is just a big kid, enjoying life and all it has to offer. His compassion, dedication, and sense of humor are what make me confident in his ability to be an amazing father. He will be able to make a child smile after going through rough patches in life, or simply show them how enjoy the everyday simple joys of life. Most importantly, he will love them unconditionally.

About Becky (Justin's Perspective):

Since the first time we met I felt a connection to Becky. As we dated it became evident very quickly that she was the one God had intended for me. She is my best friend and biggest support. She is loving, passionate, caring, and strong-willed.

Becky is so ready to be a mom. I see how she connects with all the kids she comes into contact with and how excited she is when she shares the stories of her students' successes, struggles, and moments of humor of childhood. This makes me so excited for us to have a child of our own. I can envision her rocking the baby to sleep, feeding them while listening to music, reading them bedtime stories, cuddling with them after a bad dream, and nurturing them through all their successes and struggles of life as well. I could never think of anyone else I would ever want to take this journey with.

Our Home

Our home is warm and inviting. Our home has both a living room and finished basement which serve as rooms for us to cuddle up in a blanket, watch our favorite movies or play a board game on family nights. The eat in kitchen has a large island table where we gather around to sample Justin's cooking and homemade snacks, and have family meals. Upstairs are two bedrooms, one of which, will serve as the a beautiful nursery and children's room. A third room off the kitchen currently serves as an office, but will be transformed into a playroom that will include a place where we can help with homework, school projects, or fun crafts. Our favorite components to our house is our large deck off the back of the house that leads to the large backyard. You can often find us out there cooking on the BBQ grill, spending time with family and friends around a bonfire, or playing with Kirby. We look forward to many days in the backyard to play catch, stargaze on a blanket, watch the nearby fireworks on the 4th of July, or simply enjoy sunny days full of playing tag.

Our home is located within a quick drive to local malls, movie theaters, restaurants, and stores, but is also set back on a more secluded road that we can take walks on with Kirby. We are a quick drive to the local park and are surrounded by cities full of fun family events including fall corn mazes, summer festivals, and winter light displays.

We look forward to sharing our home with our child and dream of the day that their smiles and laughter will fill it.



Our home.



Our goldendoodle Kirby enjoying the sunshine.

Fun Facts

Becky

Education: B.A. Middle Childhood Education, M.A. Instructional Technology

Occupation: Science Teacher

Age: 26

Eye Color: Hazel

Favorite Color: Purple

Favorite Food: Cheese Ravioli

Favorite Drink: Mango Tea

Favorite TV Shows: Gilmore Girls, Big Bang Theory

Favorite Childhood Activity: Playing Sports

Favorite Children's Movie: Sandlot & Anything Disney

Childhood Memory: Taking road trips with the family

Bible Verse: Jeremiah 29:11

Season: Fall

Holiday: Christmas. I love making homemade ornaments and baking cookies to give to others.

Hobbies: Photography, Watching Movies, Crafting, Reading, Bowling



Justin

Education: A.A. Culinary Arts

Occupation: Chef

Age: 30

Eye Color: Brown

Favorite Color: Blue

Favorite Food: Tacos

Favorite Drink: Ice Tea

Favorite TV Shows: Supernatural, American Pickers, Big Bang Theory

Childhood Memory: Playing basketball with his grandfather

Favorite Childhood Activity: Playing Video Games

Favorite Children's Movie: Lion King

Season: Fall

Holiday: Christmas

Hobbies: Cookie, Baking, Bowling,



At Disney World, excited for day at Magic Kingdom.



Relaxing at the park with Kirby.

Our Family and Friends

Our friends and family are really important in our lives. We are fortunate to both have large families that are loving and supportive. Our favorite experiences are ones we share with our friends and family. They have been so excited to encourage and support us in this adoption process and they are full-heartedly ready to accept and love our child. We are all waiting with open arms to accept a bundle of joy into the family.

Justin is one of 5 siblings and Becky has a sister and her brother-in-law. Becky and Justin have many aunts, uncles, cousins and grandparents. Holidays and summertime BBQs are our favorite time to get together, enjoying each other's company sharing laughs and stories. During the summer, we often take family vacations to places such as the beach, Disney World, or local zoos, amusement parks, and family festivals.



Becky with her friend and sister at Washington, DC's Air and Space Museum.



Becky and her sister on a trip to National Harbor.



Becky and Justin with family members on their family vacation at Disney.



Becky's family celebrating a family birthday.



Justin watches on at the annual family gift exchange which is always full of smiles and laughter.



Justin and Becky's cousins on a family trip to CedarPoint.



Justin's family meeting together for Thanksgiving Dinner.



Becky and Justin spending time together with friends and family at the local lake.