Andrew & Hillary

About Us

We met at church when we were just 8 years old. We stayed friends and in our senior year of high school we started dating. We went to the same college and our love continued to grow. We married in 2008 and 9 years later we remain each other's best friends. In 2015, after years of infertility we were blessed with our wonderful son, Riley.

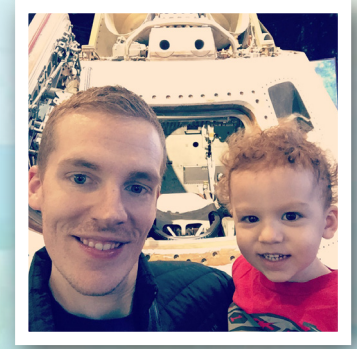
After graduating with a degree in biology Andrew attended medical school and went on to complete a residency in emergency medicine. He now works as an emergency and flight physician caring for patients in their most critical moments of need. Hillary graduated with a bachelor of arts degree and worked in banking until the birth of our son in 2015 when she became a stay at home mom.

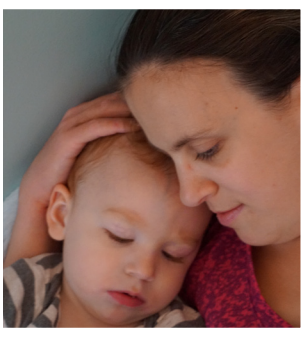
We started out as friends and that remains our greatest strength together. We enjoy spending time with our son, visiting with our families and friends, watching movies, spending time outdoors, traveling and cooking together. We try to make each and every day an adventure and we can't wait to grow our family through adoption.

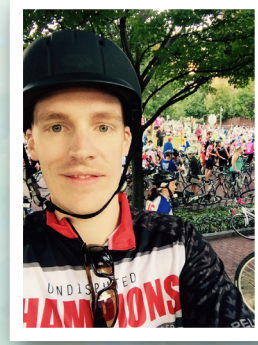
Favorites....

Andrew:	
Favorite Color:	Blue
Favorite TV/Movie:	Band of Brothers
Favorite Food:	Seafood
Favorite Vacation:	Key West
Favorite Holiday:	Christmas
Favorite Disney Movie:	Toy Story
Favorite Childhood Memory:	Family vacations to the Outer Banks
Favorite School Subject:	Math
Hobbies:	Photography

Hillary:	
Favorite Color:	Purple
Favorite TV/Movie:	Modern Family
Favorite Food:	Pizza
Favorite Vacation:	New York City
Favorite Holiday:	Christmas
Favorite Disney Movie:	Monsters Inc.
Favorite Childhood Memory:	Camping & boating with my family
Favorite School Subject:	English
Hobbies:	Reading, writing & knitting







More About Us

Hillary by Andrew

Hillary has been my best friend as long as I can remember. She is easily the kindest, sweetest, and most loyal person I've ever met. She has been my rock and supported me as I followed my dream to become a physician. I think this speaks volumes of her character. She believed in me when no one else did.

She is currently working on writing and publishing her 3rd novel. She is an avid reader and has passed this along to Riley. Over the past 2 years I've seen her become an amazing mother to our son. She brings out the silly and creative sides to our family. A few times a day I catch her and Riley dancing, singing, or just goofing off around the house. I can't imagine a better partner, friend, or mother to our son.

Andrew by Hillary

Andrew is the love of my life and my best friend. I feel very blessed to have him as my husband. He is one of the most caring people I know and is a very supportive and patient person.

It is easy to see Andrew's compassion and love in the way he treats our families. He truly loves being a doctor and having the opportunity to help people in their moment of need but that always comes second to being a father.

Andrew is a terrific father to our son. Seeing the way Andrew interacts with Riley brings me such joy. It amazes me how he always seems to know just what to do in almost any situation. He is able to be the fun, silly dad when playing but also knows how to teach important life lessons and help Riley as well as our nieces and nephews feel better when sick or injured. At the end of the day I cannot imagine anyone else I'd rather ride this rollercoaster of life with.

About Our Son

Riley is our happy, kind, and silly boy. He loves to run, read books, dance, and play baseball. His favorite days are spent going to the park, the zoo, or to his cousin's houses to play and goof around. He is outgoing and social, making new friends wherever goes. He is already looking forward to having a baby brother or sister to love.

About Benji

We adopted Benji from a shelter over 3 years ago. He is a loving and energetic jack russell terrier. He and our son are a dynamic duo running around the house, playing, rolling on the floor, and just being silly. Benji is kind hearted and great with kids and would love to have another playmate to run around with.

Our Home

We moved into our 4 bedroom house a little over a year ago and have turned it into our home. It has been a great place to start our family and has plenty of room to grow. We have a beautiful fenced in backyard where we spend much of the summer running, playing, grilling out, and enjoying life. We live in a quiet and safe neighborhood in one of the best school districts in the state. We live just a few minutes away from many restaurants, shopping, parks, and within 30 minutes of a zoo, museums, and sports venues.

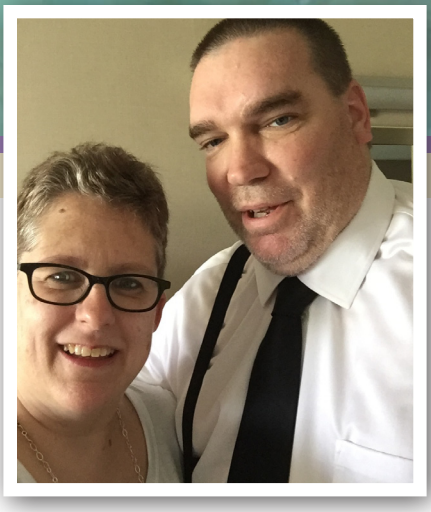
Our Family

Our trip to Space Center

We are both close with our families and they are central to who we are. Both of our families live close and we see them regularly. Hillary's parents, PawPaw and Nana still live on the beautiful farm where she grew up. She has one older brother who is married and they have two beautiful daughters. We get together with her family frequently and spend time on the farm or fishing in their lake. Each year her parents host a 4th of July picnic on the farm where all of their extended families come together to cook out, camp, play games, and enjoy the summer.

Andrew's parents, Nona and Papa, live just down the road from Hillary's parents. Andrew's sister and her husband have 4 wonderful kids, 3 daughters and son, plus one on the way! Andrew's brother and his wife live 40 minutes away and come visit frequently. Every year Andrew's grandmother, parents, siblings and their families all rent a cottage at the Outer Banks and spend a week together at the beach.

We both believe in family and try to spend as much time together as we can. We visit with our families weekly and facetime with each other throughout the week. Our families are both supportive of our adoption and cannot wait to welcome another member to the family!



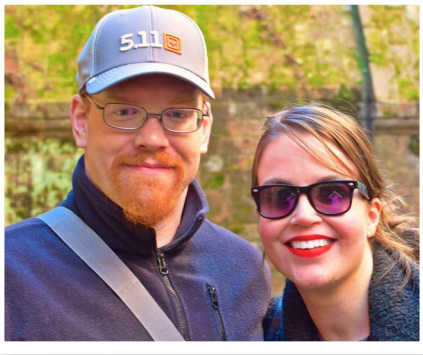
Andrew's Parents

Hillary's Parents

Andrew's sister's family

Andrew's Grandma

Hillary's brother & wife



Andrew's brother & wife

Hillary & Riley

Having fun with friends

Dear Birthmother,

We are so excited that you are reading our profile and getting to know a little about us! Thank you for your consideration. Over the pages of this profile we hope to have given you an idea of who we are and the love we have in our hearts for a child. Please know that we will keep you in our prayers on your journey to find the right adoptive parents for your child.

We have been married for the past 9 years but we have been friends since childhood. We met at church when we were about 8 years old and have been best friends ever since. After many years of friendship we began dating when we were seniors in high school and went to college together. Since before we were married we knew that we would grow our family through adoption and we couldn't be more excited to begin that journey.

In 2015 we were blessed that after years of infertility Hillary gave birth to our son, Riley. He has grown into a smart, kind, loving boy who is anxiously awaiting a little brother or sister. He loves spending his days playing, learning, and running around the backyard. It's clear to anyone who meets him that he will make a wonderful big brother.

Our relationship with God and spirituality are also a very important part of our lives. Having been members of the same church for over twenty years, we have become very close with our church family. We plan to raise our children with Christian values of love and acceptance and surround them with a friendly and accepting church family.

We believe that diversity is part of what makes life so beautiful. We are open to any race or gender for our adoption. We both have many friends, family and colleagues of different races and cultures and we embrace all the differences and similarities between us. We also believe it is imperative for a child to understand the culture and heritage that makes them wonderful and unique. We plan to teach our child about their cultural background so that they can celebrate who they are and where they come from.

We are very close to both of our families. They have all been extremely supportive of us throughout the adoption process. They are excited to welcome another member into the family. Our family believes there is always more love to give and there's no doubt that our children will be blessed with excellent grandparents, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Thank you so much for taking the time to read our profile and getting to know a little bit about us. We are so very excited to become parents again and Riley can't wait to become a big brother. Our hearts are filled with unconditional love for our future child. We promise that they will grow up in a safe and loving home where we will do our best to make their dreams come true. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. Thank you again for your consideration.

Love, Andrew & Hillary

Why we are adopting

Since before we were married we knew we would be growing our family through adoption. Beyond all odds we were blessed with our son but we found out it would not be safe for Hillary to be pregnant again. We know we want to have another child and we believe that adoption is the way we are meant to grow our family.