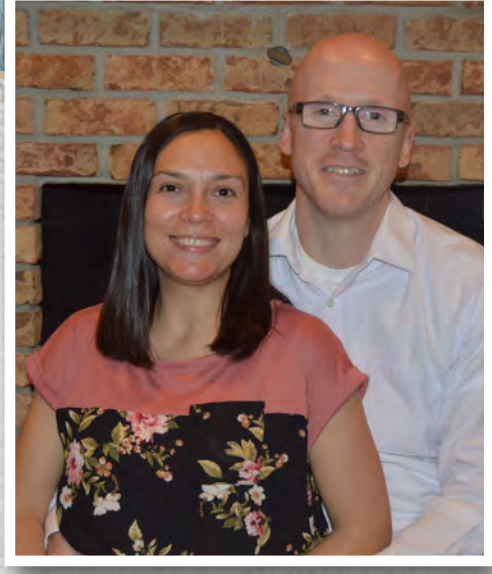
Justin ♥ Sarah



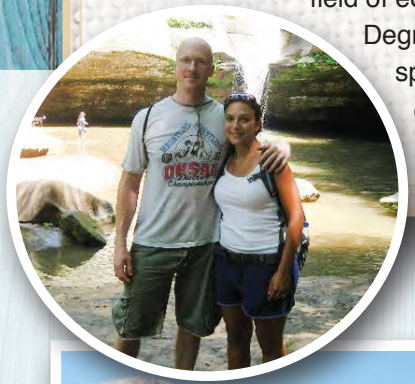
About Us

We started dating 11 years ago and have been married for 7 wonderful years! We met while working at the same school and have been inseparable ever since. In 2014, we welcomed our daughter into our lives. She has been our greatest blessing.

We are nature people. We love spending time outdoors no matter what the season. During the spring, summer, and fall you can find us taking walks on our property, sitting out by a fire, bug hunting with our daughter, camping, hiking, and canoeing. We like to travel throughout our state visiting different state parks and enjoying all they have to offer. During the winter months we love the crisp cool air and the tranquility of freshly fallen snow. We have made countless snowmen, snow forts, snow angels, and snowballs.

When we are relaxing inside we enjoy watching movies, mostly children's movies, with our daughter eating popcorn or ice cream. We love ice cream! We also bust out into random dance parties in the kitchen. We enjoy quiet time in or reading room, cuddled up on our oversized chair reading story after story.
Once a year we like to go on vacation. Sometimes we go with just our little family of three or we go with our other family members.

Justin is the Director of Special Programs for a nearby school district where he ensures that students with special needs in all grades receive services that will help them reach their potential. Sarah also works in the field of education as a preschool intervention specialist. She has her Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education along with an endorsement for preschool special education. We are very lucky to have stable jobs that allow us to provide for our family. Being in education also allows us to have summers off to spend with our daughter.



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Sarah:

Education: Bachelor's Degree Early Childhood Education
Occupation: Preschool Intervention Specialist
Color: Blue
Movie: Harry Potter Goblet of Fire
Food: Pizza
Season: Spring
Animal: Dog
Vacation: Costa Rica
Holiday: Christmas and Halloween
Childhood: Playing in the woods
Hobbies: Reading, taking walks/hiking

Justin:

Education: Bachelor's Degree - Social Studies, Secondary Education; Masters Degree - Special Education; Master's Degree - Educational Leadership
Occupation: School District Administrator-Director of Special Programs
Color: Blue
Movie: Tombstone
Food: Lasagna
Season: Spring
Animal: Dog
Vacation: Costa Rica
Holiday: Halloween
Childhood: Playing backyard sports
Hobbies: Working out, taking walks/hiking,

About Sarah
by Justin

Sarah is a loving mother and wife who loves nothing more than spending time with her family, both immediate and extended. She is made happy with the simple things in life like a good meal, spending time outdoors, holiday celebrations, and a good book. One of the many things that I love about her is that she loves my side of the family like they are her own. She has a great sense of humor which is a must in order to put up with my shenanigans. She loves exposing our daughter to a variety of experiences and adventures. The two of them can often be found exploring outside looking for creepy crawlies. Sarah is not as brave about the creepy creatures but toughs it out because she knows that it is what Maddie loves to do.

About Justin
by Sarah

Justin is a wonderful husband, loving father, and a great provider. He is family oriented and is always making time to spend with us. He is also goofball! He has a great sense of humor and you never know what crazy thing his is going to say or do next! He keeps my daughter and me on our toes!

He is also a loyal friend and family member. Any of his friends or family know if they ever need anything he will do whatever he can to help. He tries to make sure those he loves and cares about are okay and have everything they need.

Justin is an incredible, hardworking, and loving man and I am so grateful that I get to spend the rest of my life with him by my side!

About Maddie

Maddie is a preschooler who is adventurous and loves being outside and searching for critters! She is an animal lover and has a dog, two fish, two hermit crabs, and a guinea pig.

Maddie is a natural nurturer and her babysitter is always calling her the “mother hen” of the group. She will be an amazing big sister!

Our Home

We live in a 2 story, 3 bedroom Colonial style home in a rural area. It sits on 2.5 acres with one neighbor close to our house and the other sides are woods and fields. We have a large deck overlooking an amazing view and a play area with a playset, sandbox, and a little pool in the summer. Our neighbors are alpaca farmers. They are a kind and friendly family who invite us over for evenings by the fire with hotdogs and smores.

our Family

We have a large family and they are our biggest support system. We know they are always there for us to celebrate the good and help us when times are hard.

Justin has three siblings, two older sisters and one younger brother, and a total of 10 nieces and nephews! We are both very close with our families and love spending time with them on the weekends and holidays. Justin's family lives near us and we get together about every other weekend. We go out to dinner, cookout, play games, and go camping. Our daughter loves spending time with all of her cousins!

Sarah has two brothers who are each married and together they have 5 boys. Sarah's mother passed away in 2011. Her father has since been with his girlfriend for seven years. The grandchildren view her as a grandmother and call her Nana. Sarah's family lives 3 hours away and we make it there to visit about once a month. Our daughter loves going to Grandpa and Nana's house to play with them, swim, feed deer, and go to the zoo.

Christmas is one of our favorite holidays! Every year we get together with Justin's family to make and decorate cookies. Our newest tradition is having Santa come to Justin's sister's house. He reads a story to the kids and then he gives them a little gift. The kids love it! Sarah's family celebrates Christmas by making and eating tamales and going to midnight mass. We also enjoy the Fourth of July! Sarah's dad loves to put on a fireworks display for his grandchildren.

We try to vacation with our siblings and parents whenever we have the opportunity. We have gone to cabins, had several family trips to the beach, and even Disney World.

Celebrating Christmas

Sarah's dad with his girlfriend

Maddie with some of her cousins

Sarah with her cousins celebrating a baby shower

Christmas cookie baking!

Justin with his siblings

Celebrating our nephew's baptism. We are his Godparents.

Santa came to visit!

Celebrating our nephew's birthday at an aquarium

Hello!

Thank you for taking the time to look through our profile and getting a glimpse into our life. We hope you were able to see that we are a loving family with a large support system of extended family. We value family, education, honesty, and respect to others.

Adoption is a blessing for a us, a way for us to grow our family and with Sarah's Mexican heritage and nieces and nephews who are biracial, we have a diverse family. We will welcome a child from any race or ethnic background and we will celebrate our differences.

We admire your strength and selflessness. Please know that if we are blessed with a child that we will love and cherish them and do everything we can to give them a happy life filled with unconditional love.

Sincerely,

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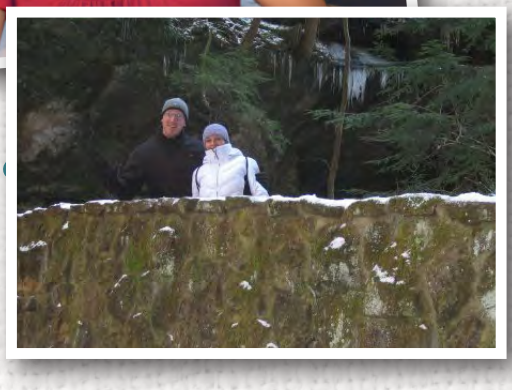

Why adoption?

We have been very lucky to have been able to have our daughter. Unfortunately, we are unable to have another biological child. We feel we have so much more love to give and that adoption can help us grow our family.