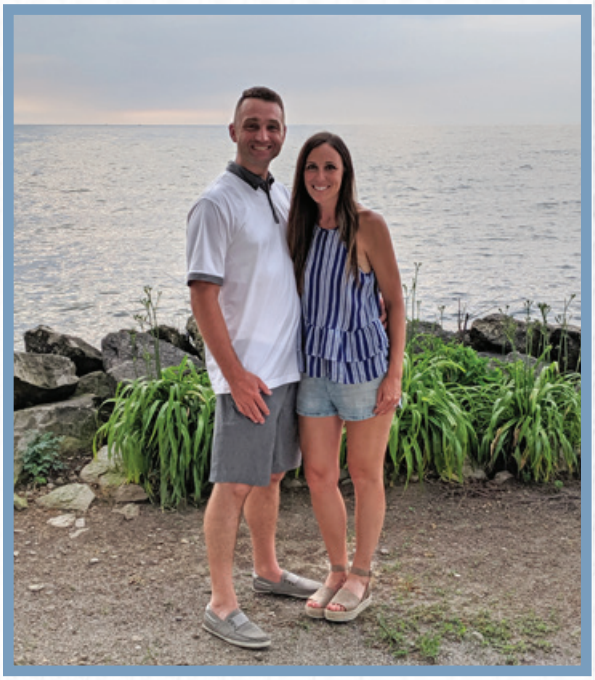
Brad + Callie

About Us



We are Bradley and Callie and we met in the fall of 2010 and were married in the summer of 2014. Soon after, we started trying for a family. After a miscarriage and some fertility medications, our first daughter was born in 2016. Less than a year later, we were surprised to find out we were expecting our second child who was born in 2018. Although our journey to pregnancy was not as hard as others, it was hard wanting something so badly that wasn't happening naturally. Brad also has a teenage son and Callie has been involved in his life since he was two.

Callie works in the local schools and has summers and holiday breaks to stay home and create memories with our kids. Brad works in a career that allows a lot of time off to enjoy vacations and breaks with the family as well. We really enjoy spending time as a family and being outdoors exploring and visiting new places. Through difficulties as well as life experiences, we have and continuously grow stronger as a team raising a strong family with hopes of adding another. We love staying active, involving our children in activities to watch them reach their greatest potential.

Favorites

	Callie	Brad
Occupation	School Counselor	Ohio Air National Guard
Food	Pizza	Burgers and fries
Movie	Nicholas Sparks movies	Superhero movies
Vacation	Anywhere by a beach	Anywhere new that we can explore
Childhood Memory	Spending time with family and friends at the lake	Camping in the Smokey Mountains
Holiday	Christmas	Christmas
Hobbies	Exploring with my family, taking pictures, running, spending time with family/friends, working on house projects	Projects around the house, watching movies, playing with the kids, golfing

About Brad (written by Callie)

When I first met Bradley, I will admit I loved a man in uniform and his pride in serving our country. Over the years, we have set goals to strengthen our marriage and become a strong family unit. Seeing Bradley as a father has made me fall more in love, and I cannot wait to continue this journey with him. When he is not working you can find him in the playroom or outside with the kids. He is always working on projects around our house to make our dream home a reality. He is stable, patient and a great protector and supporter of our home. Bradley always tries to find the positives in hard times and turns life events into a learning lesson. I am so thankful to call him my husband and I cannot wait to continue growing our family and watch him continue to be the best dad!

About Callie (written by Brad)

From the moment I saw Callie I was taken back by her beauty. Little did I know that her beauty was deeper than the surface level. She is the person who constantly wants to help those in need and the person our family and friends go to for advice. I love her never-ending ability to push us to become better people and the constant drive to get out of the house and explore. She has a beautiful heart with a silly side that allows for plenty of imaginary play with the kids. She's always planning new crafts and baking adventures with the family. She is smart and funny and overall an amazing person. I could not have gotten any luckier to find someone who loves quite like she does or is as committed to her family as she is. We work so well together as a team. From dance parties in the living room, planning vacations, signing our children up for activities, or sidewalk chalk art contests, Callie is the driving force of all that is fun and adventurous.

Our Home

Our home has four bedrooms with lots of space to spend time together. We live in an area close to many family friendly activities with a school district that has high ratings. We are a couple miles from downtown with restaurants, ice cream, coffee shops and the library. Most Saturday mornings you can find us getting donuts and heading to the park. Our home is very open floor-plan with a playroom on the main floor. We have a finished basement with a movie theatre where we spend many Friday nights as a family watching our favorite movies, eating candy and Brad's famous movie theatre popcorn. We spend a lot of time outside on our play-set/sand box, in our hot tub, or being on our patio with our family and friends.

Our Family & Friends

Celebrating Callie's mom's birthday with family, cake, and ice cream

Having a playdate with our friends

We are very grateful to have two daughters. Our oldest daughter is very sweet and caring. Her teachers say she is their little helper who is always concerned about others. Our youngest is our silly and bashful one. Brad also has a 14-year-old son who is involved in soccer, track and band.

We are very fortunate that our immediate family is all within a 15-mile radius. Our nieces and nephews range from 1 month to 12 years old. Callie's parents are a huge support to our family, and we often see them a couple times a week. In the summer, Callie plans many days at the zoo, local parks/playgrounds, playdates with friends, cousins or grandparents at the lake or pond.

We also have many friends that have become family. Callie's friends had children around the same time she did; so many playdates are planned during the summer. We are blessed to have amazing neighbors that we often spend the weekends with playing outside and eating together. Our neighborhood is full of children of all ages and we enjoy time with our neighborhood friends who have become family.

Christmas morning in our pjs with Brad's dad

Exploring new cities with our neighbors

Celebrating Brad's sister's wedding with his siblings

Scheduled date night with our friends

On our friend vacation with our neighbors

Callie's family at a Kidz Bop concert

Dear Expectant Mother,

We are so thankful for your consideration and you taking the time to get to know our family. We cannot begin to imagine how difficult this decision is for you. If you choose us, we will devote our time, love, and promise to give your child a life full of your family traditions and memories that they will cherish. Your child will be the center of our hearts and world, and we cannot wait to open our arms and home to your beautiful bundle of joy. We are excited to welcome any culture, race or gender into our family and we will make sure they remain connected to their heritage and ethnic background. Your consideration is a blessing, and we hope you find peace in these pages of our lives we've shared with you. We want to thank you for looking through our profile, and we would like to walk this journey with you supporting each other through every step.

Callie & Brad

Why Adoption?

After struggling to have children naturally in the beginning due to being diagnosed with PCOS, we feel strongly that adoption is a beautiful way to add to our family. Being parents is a privilege and joy. We have so much love to give and are so excited to add another addition to our family! We have a few friends that have been adopted or have adopted, and we have been able to see firsthand how beautiful adoption is. We promise to give your baby a lifetime full of love, encouragement, guidance and opportunity.

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