Seth and Beth

about us

When we met in early 2014, we immediately knew there was a connection we wanted to pursue. It was a long-distance relationship as we lived 2 hours apart. However, we managed to see each other almost every weekend for two years until we got married in April 2016. We have grown as a couple and created a life together that is full of love, laughter and faith. We have 2 boys we adopted at birth. They are the light of our lives and we would love to share our life with another child.

Seth has a Bachelor's Degree in Education. He was a Substitute Teacher and did grounds maintenance at a golf course in the summer. Since our boys were born, he has been a stay-at-home dad. He works hard and is very loyal. Fishing, gardening and mowing turf are his favorite pastimes. He loves grilling and making hot wings that people go crazy over. Watching his favorite sports teams and learning to play the guitar are other hobbies he enjoys.

Beth has a Master's Degree in Accountancy and works as an accountant for an automotive manufacturer. Her job allows her to work from home most of the time. She enjoys baking and sharing her cakes, cookies and cupcakes at family gatherings. She likes crocheting and giving people handmade gifts.

Our work situation allows us to spend a lot of time with our children. We feel it is critical to limit the time a child spends in daycare. We are Catholic and attend church every Sunday. Our faith is very important to us and we will raise a child in the faith. We enjoy spending time with our family and friends. Family vacations are the highlight of our year. We visit warm places in the winter and travel with extended family to different places each summer. We also have season passes to a local amusement park where we enjoy spending many summer days with our boys. Our nieces, nephews and Goddaughter often spend the night and we are enjoying watching them grow up.

Left photo: Seth's parents and us at a zoo
Top photo: Camping with Seth's aunt & uncle

About Beth *(by Seth)*

What appealed to me first about Beth was her Heart of Gold. Beth is very gentle, kind, patient, caring and especially enjoys interacting with children when playing their favorite games. These are all qualities that make her a great mother. Everyone in our family loves and respects her very much. Beth has very strong morals which are evident in the faith-filled life she lives each day. She is the greatest wife a husband could ask for. I must admit that marrying Beth was the best decision I've ever made and there is nothing I would not do for her. I love her with all my heart.

About Seth *(by Beth)*

Seth and I met on an online dating site. I decided to reach out to him because he was wearing a "John Deere" hat in his profile picture. We always say that hat is what attracted me to him. As a farmer's daughter, that was true initially, but really the values we share are why I was attracted to him. Seth is a man of incredible integrity, honesty, and faith who is always true to his beliefs. He is a hard worker and would do anything for those he loves. He has a great sense of humor and makes me laugh every day (and sometimes roll my eyes). He treats me like a queen and is a true gentleman. Seth is an amazing father. I am incredibly blessed to call him my husband and my best friend.

We live on two acres within 30 minutes of two large cities. Our home is two stories with four bedrooms, four bathrooms, a family room with a fireplace, and a huge basement that is perfect for children to play in. Our house is on a quiet cul-de-sac in a rural town. In the back of our property is a small creek and some woods. Seth enjoys putting up a million Christmas lights every year! He has always been fascinated by Clark W. Griswold in the movie, "National Lampoons Christmas Vacation". Our neighbors have children and are friendly and always willing to help out.

Seth's Favorites

Occupation:	Stay-at-home Dad
Education:	Bachelor of Arts in Middle Childhood Education
Color:	Orange
TV show/ movie:	Diners, Drive-ins and Dives, It's a Wonderful Life
Food:	Spaghetti with Grandma's homemade sauce
Holiday:	Christmas
Vacation:	Our honeymoon in Nashville
Childhood Memory:	Seth enjoyed spending time with Grandma, who lived with them for a while.
Hobbies:	All things John Deere, watching football, basketball, hockey and baseball, fishing, gardening, country music

Beth's Favorites

Occupation:	Accountant
Education:	Master's Degree in Accountancy
Color:	Blue
TV show/movie:	Heartland, Rudy
Food:	Pizza, Chocolate
Holiday:	Christmas
Vacation:	Nashville
Childhood Memory:	Spending time with grandparents
Hobbies:	Cooking, baking, crocheting, playing & watching sports, especially her nieces and nephews games

Our family

Our family means everything to us! We see them often and love spending time with them. They are very supportive of our decision to adopt and adore our two boys. Seth is an only child and his parents are always there for us. They love being grandparents and have recently moved closer to us. Beth has 5 sisters and 11 nieces & nephews. Sadly, her mom passed away when she was seven, her step-mom died in 2018 and we lost her dad in 2021. Our extended families are very similar. Seth's mom is the oldest of eight and we frequently get together with aunts, uncles and cousins. Beth's dad has 12 brothers and sisters, and there are more cousins than we can count. Many relatives live within 20 minutes of our house, and we see them often. Both sides of our family include several adoptees and diverse backgrounds which we celebrate. We will do the same with our child if he or she is of a different culture. We look forward to family gatherings, always with LOTS of food, fun and laughter.

Beth's Grandma

Seth with his mom

Beth's family

Seth with his Cousins

Visiting Beth's aunt while on vacation with Seth's parents

The ladies from both sides of our family

Beth with sisters & niece

Dear Birth Parent,

Thank you for taking the time to learn more about our life. We are excited for the opportunity to welcome another child into our home. If you decide we are the right people to raise your child, we will do so to the best of our ability. He or she will know the story of their adoption early on and how much they were loved before we knew them. We will keep them safe, healthy and raise them to be a respectful, contributing member of society. We will provide them a stable home and fulfilling life. You can be assured that we will love him or her unconditionally forever. Although we don't presume to know your circumstances, we realize that this is not an easy decision for you. We admire your courage, and we are praying for you and your baby.

With love,

Seth+Beth

Why Adoption?

We have always wanted children. Our struggles with infertility and multiple devastating miscarriages have led us down a path we did not expect but fully embrace. Our adopted boys have been the greatest blessing and joy of our lives. We believe we have a lot of love to share and God's plan for us is to grow our family through adoption. There are adopted children on both sides of our family and a child placed with us will be welcomed with open arms and loved beyond measure.