Drew & Andy

About Us

We met through a mutual friend in 2019, and what began as a long-distance friendship quickly blossomed into something more. We both came from big cities, and despite the miles between us, we found a deep connection through shared passions for food, culture, travel, design, and wellness. Our relationship grew stronger over time, and we were thrilled to marry in 2024.

We are both career-driven and highly motivated individuals who balance our professional lives with a love for spending time with family and friends. Whether it's riding bikes, golfing, or hanging out with our dog, Cooper, we make the most of our free time by staying active and enjoying the company of the people we love.

Our families and friends have been incredibly supportive and are excited to see us become parents. We're filled with excitement and anticipation for the next chapter in our lives and can't wait to begin building our family.

More About Us

DREW

Occupation: Project Manager

Hobbies: Travel, Interior Design, Cooking

Favorite Memory: Trips to Belgium visiting family as a child

Places to Visit: Australia

Food: Mexican

Season: Summer

ANDY

Occupation: Merchandise Planning

Hobbies: Travel, Cooking, Fitness

Favorite Memory: Family Beach Trips to Ocean City, NJ

Places to Visit: Belgium

Food: Mexican

Season: Fall

About Each Other

Celebrating our cousin's first birthday!

by Drew

ABOUT ANDY

Andy is the kind of person who makes every day a little brighter. His hardworking nature, combined with his endless patience, has taught me so much about what it means to be calm and accepting in any situation.

There's something about his presence—he's incredibly handsome, yes, but it's his wit and vibrant energy that really light up any conversation. He can make me laugh every single day, no matter what's going on around us.

From the moment we met, I just *knew* we were going to spend our lives together. He's the perfect balance to my chaotic energy; he's the yin to my yang. One of the things I love most about Andy is his eagerness to build a family and become a father—he's already so full of love, and I know he's going to be incredible in that role.

Having fun with our baby cousin!

by Andy

ABOUT DREW

Drew is one of the most handsome, hardworking people I know, and he has a heart overflowing with love. He approaches life with a passion that's truly inspiring—he doesn't sit back and wait for things to happen; he chases joy, adventure, and meaning with everything he's got.

Being with Drew has completely shifted my perspective. He's taught me that there's so much more to life than just my career. He's gently pushed me out of my comfort zone, out of the routines I cling to, and into a fuller, more vibrant way of living.

I knew the first weekend we spent together in his hometown that he was it—the person I wanted to spend the rest of my life with. He's been my rock ever since, a constant support who loves me with a kind of unconditional care that grounds me every day. I know without a doubt that he'll give that same unwavering love to our future child, and I truly couldn't imagine raising a family with anyone else.

Visiting Napa, CA with friends!

Visiting Malibu, CA with friends!

Family and friends at our wedding in Mexico!

About Our Family

Our parents/siblings!

Christmas at the beach with family!

4th of July celebrations with family!

Dinner with family in Belgium!

Exploring the streets of Belgium with family!

Hiking in Utah with family!

We both come from relatively small, close-knit families. Drew has a younger sister, and Andy has a younger sister and a younger stepbrother–who's about to welcome a baby of his own. Our families are incredibly supportive and excited for our adoption journey. They can't wait to take on the roles of grandparents, aunts, and uncles.

Although our parents live out of town, they're conveniently located about the same distance from us, and we see them often–whether we're visiting monthly or hosting them in our home. Despite their busy lives, balancing work and caring for their own parents, they always make time for family. We spend every major holiday together, taking turns traveling or hosting, and those moments mean the world to us.

Drew's extended family lives in Europe, and we try to visit them once a year. Spending time with cousins who are raising young children has only deepened our desire to grow a family of our own.

Our close circle of local friends–with young kids of their own–has truly become an extended family. They've been a constant support system, and we've loved being part of their children's lives.

And of course, there's Cooper–our beloved 8-year-old dachshund, who proudly holds the title of "only grandchild" and is absolutely adored by his grandpawrents.

About Our Home

We live in a two-story historic home built in the 1800s, nestled in a charming neighborhood known for its brick streets, character, and rich history. We purchased the house in 2021 and lovingly renovated it from top to bottom, creating a space that blends classic charm with modern comfort.

Our neighborhood is vibrant and family-friendly, filled with young families, an active community center, and a large park just a few blocks away. It's easy to walk to local shops and restaurants, and we're close to excellent schools–making it an ideal place to raise a child.

We often see neighbors out walking their dogs, riding bikes, and enjoying the outdoors. Our dog Cooper loves to sit by the front door and watch the world go by, always ready to greet a friendly passerby.

Most of all, our home is filled with warmth, love, and laughter. It's a place where memories are made, and we're excited to create even more as we grow our family.

Dear Birth Parent(s),

Thank you so much for taking the time to learn about us and consider us as potential parents for your child. We know this is an incredibly important decision, and we deeply respect the love and courage it takes to make it. We are truly grateful for the opportunity to share a bit about who we are.

We are a couple who loves adventure, travel, and discovering new cultures. Whether it's exploring a hidden corner of the world or trying new foods, we believe in the joy of learning and experiencing life to the fullest. We can't wait to share this passion with your child, exposing them to the beauty and diversity that the world has to offer.
Living an active lifestyle and fostering overall well-being are important parts of our lives. We look forward to creating a healthy, balanced environment where your child can thrive and feel supported in their own growth and happiness.

Above all, we are excited beyond words to become dads. We are ready to provide a nurturing, loving home where your child can grow, explore, and be themselves. Your child will always know how much you love them and how grateful we are for your selfless decision.

Why Adoption

As a same-sex couple, we've always known that building a family would look different for us—but from the very beginning of our relationship, becoming parents was something we deeply connected over. Our first conversations as a couple included our shared dream of raising children together.

Adoption feels like the right path for us—not only because our options are limited biologically, but because we truly believe that every child deserves a loving, stable home and a family that supports them unconditionally. We're open and accepting of all cultures, backgrounds, and stories, and we're committed to raising a child with respect for where they come from and who they are.

We believe there's no one "right" way to build a family. Love, support, and acceptance are what make a family whole. We're ready—emotionally, mentally, and practically—to take this next step, and we're excited to pour our love, time, and energy into the journey of parenthood.

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