Dear Expectant Parent(s),

Hello! We are Katie and Tyler. Thank you for taking the time to read about us. We have so much admiration for you and the decision you are considering. We hope this helps you get to know us a little better as you consider options for your little one.

We met in college while we were working together as summer camp counselors. In an environment where we got to play and be silly alongside kids every day, we both saw the potential in each other to be parents to our own children someday. We dated throughout college and married a few years after. We celebrated our 10th wedding anniversary last summer. We have two biological sons, Isaac (6) and Ezra (3). We also have the sweetest mixed breed dog named Taco.



Tyler was born and raised in Western Montana, and is the youngest of 6 boys. Tyler works in the television and film

industry. He runs his own company and works from home when he isn't out working on a shoot. Some of Tyler's hobbies include playing guitar, watching movies, cooking, hunting and fantasy football. He enjoys game nights with his brothers and building legos with our sons.

Katie grew up in a small town in Western Montana, and is the oldest of 4 siblings. Katie is the director of the local youth sports program, and runs sports leagues and camps for kids. Katie's hobbies include playing volleyball, watching sports, and doing arts and crafts, especially drawing and scrapbooking. Her favorite things are comedy tv shows, the Green Bay Packers, and paddleboarding.

Our boys, Isaac and Ezra, are full of energy and silliness. They love to run around and play, wrestle, and have pretend sword fights. Isaac is in Kindergarten and he enjoys playing soccer and going to swimming lessons. Isaac has a great imagination and loves to make up stories. He likes Star Wars, Pirates, and movies and stories about adventure. Ezra has a fun sense of humor and loves to joke around. He likes knights and cars. Ezra loves animals, especially dogs and horses. Ezra is always trying his best to keep up with his big brother.



As a family we enjoy playing outside in our yard, going to the river by our house, and taking our dog Taco for walks. One of our favorite places is Tyler's family lake house, where we frequently spend time at the lake with friends and family. We like watching sports and going to football and basketball games. We have weekly family movie nights together. As a couple we love going to concerts whenever possible. We enjoy traveling when we can, but also enjoy small trips around Western Montana. One of our biggest values is spending time with our friends and family. A lot of our lifestyle involves activities with the people we love the most. We often get together with friends for dinner and BBQ's. With most of our family living close by, we have lots of gatherings for birthday parties and holidays. We have an extremely supportive community and close group of friends. Your child would not just be joining our family, but would also be welcomed into a bigger

community of people that would love and support him or her.

We both have close relationships with our families and still spend a lot of time with our parents, siblings and their families. We both grew up in large extended families and spent a lot of time in our childhood with grandparents, aunts, uncles, and cousins. We love the fun and chaos of a big family gathering. We also both appreciate the love and support we have received from being in large families. We always pictured ourselves having a big family of our own someday. After having some complications with the deliveries of our boys, we decided to try to continue to grow our family through adoption. We hope we can open our family to another child, as well as the people who already love that child.



This is such a courageous and loving decision you are considering. Our wish for your child is that they grow up knowing how deeply loved they are. We hope that your child experiences what it's like to be cared for and supported, that they receive forgiveness for their mistakes, and that they learn their feelings are valid. We hope your child can grow up someday to be independent, kind, confident and fulfilled. These are things we would do our best to provide and teach your child, but regardless of the home your child grows up in, our wishes for this child remain the same.

Know you are in our thoughts and prayers through this process. Regardless of your final decision, we have so much respect for you and the thoughtfulness and love you are showing for your little one.

Thank you,

Katie and Tyler