

#### Courtney & Ethan

#### Dear Birthmother,

We are grateful that the journey you've been on has brought you to our page. We deeply respect your decision, and we appreciate you taking the time to learn more about us. Most importantly, we want you to know how excited we are to welcome a baby into our lives through adoption!

We have a committed and loving relationship, and we've spent many years thinking about growing our family. We are excited to pursue adoption as equal partners, and we both hope to be playful, patiently loving, and actively involved parents. We will provide our child with a nurturing home, excellent educational opportunities, and the ability to explore their interests and passions.

We are fortunate to have a wonderful community of family and friends who are enthusiastic about our decision to adopt, and we are committed to helping our child feel love and pride in their adoption story. We hope that you'll consider us as potential adoptive parents for your baby.





# **Our Story**

We have been together for more than ten years and married for five years. We met at a recreational softball practice, and it was love at first sight!

Our relationship is deeply loving, kind, and patient. We share a playful sense of humor and love to joke and laugh. Our partnership is supportive and balanced, which allows us both to grow with each other. We have so many collective strengths to share with our future baby and lots of love to give from our strong and compassionate partnership.



#### Courtney



I grew up on a small dairy farm, where my parents still live. I'm an educator at a high school, and I spend my days supporting students through academic tutoring, facilitation, diversity and inclusion programming, and mindfulness education.

Outside of school, I like to be active, practicing yoga, riding bikes, and going on walks with Ethan and our dog. I'm also a deeply curious person; I enjoy reading and learning about culture, spirituality, and identity. I like to write and work on creative projects.



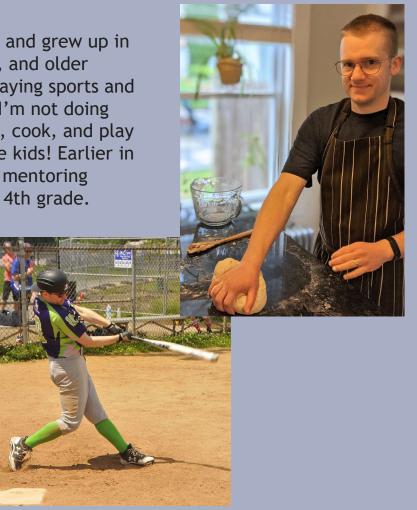
I'm looking forward to spending lots of time at home as a new parent, working part-time for my school upon my return from maternity leave and spending summers off with our child!

## Ethan



I'm originally from the Midwest and grew up in the suburbs with my mom, dad, and older brother. I've always enjoyed playing sports and spending time outdoors. When I'm not doing something active, I like to read, cook, and play board games with friends. I love kids! Earlier in my career, I worked at a youth mentoring organization, and then I taught 4th grade.

Now, I work as a project manager for an educationbased firm, which allows me to work from home. My company has generous parental leave, and I'm looking forward to spending the first few months at home with our baby.













#### Neville

We have a sweet and playful labradoodle named Neville. He is gentle with young children, and we know he will be a loyal and doting playmate for our future child.







#### **Our Home**

We live in a three-bedroom village colonial in a small suburban town in Massachusetts. Our home has a lovely backyard and is close to many beautiful trails, parks, and playgrounds. We are also within walking distance of the town center, the public library, and excellent schools in our community. Our diverse and tight-knit town is just 30 minutes outside of Boston. It will be an enriching place for our child to grow up, especially with many of our close friends and family within a short drive.









#### **Our Town**





Lots of nearby trails, parks, and playgrounds!

## Family

Our child will grow up with cousins, aunts, uncles, and two sets of very enthusiastic grandparents!









# Family & Friends

Our close friends and large extended families will provide lots of love to our little one!









Thank you so much for taking the time to learn about us and consider us as adoptive parents. We can't wait to learn more about you and what you hope for your baby!

With love, Courtney & Ethan