

A photograph of a man and a woman sitting on a brick staircase. The woman is on the left, wearing a pink and green striped shirt, and the man is on the right, wearing a blue polo shirt. They are both smiling at the camera. In the background, there is a brick building with ornate architectural details, including a balcony with a white railing. To the right, a Pandora store is visible with its name on a sign above the entrance. A semi-transparent green box with white text is overlaid on the upper part of the image.

Zachary & Emily

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Hello there!

We are Zachary & Emily.

We have longed to be parents for many years. Having a baby has been one of the biggest challenges in our lives, and yet we know in our hearts that we are meant to be parents. We cannot begin to express the excitement we feel knowing we may soon be entrusted to love, raise, and nurture your child.

While our excitement and anticipation are high, we cannot imagine the emotions you are experiencing right now. We admire the strength it must take to

consider adoption, and we thank you for believing in it.

It takes a strong, courageous, and loving person to entrust your baby's upbringing to someone else.

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Thank you for taking the time to read our profile. We hope it gives you a better glimpse into our life. As you learn more about us in the coming pages, we hope to give you a better understanding of our deep desire to become parents, and what it would look like for your child to live and grow with our large, loving family.



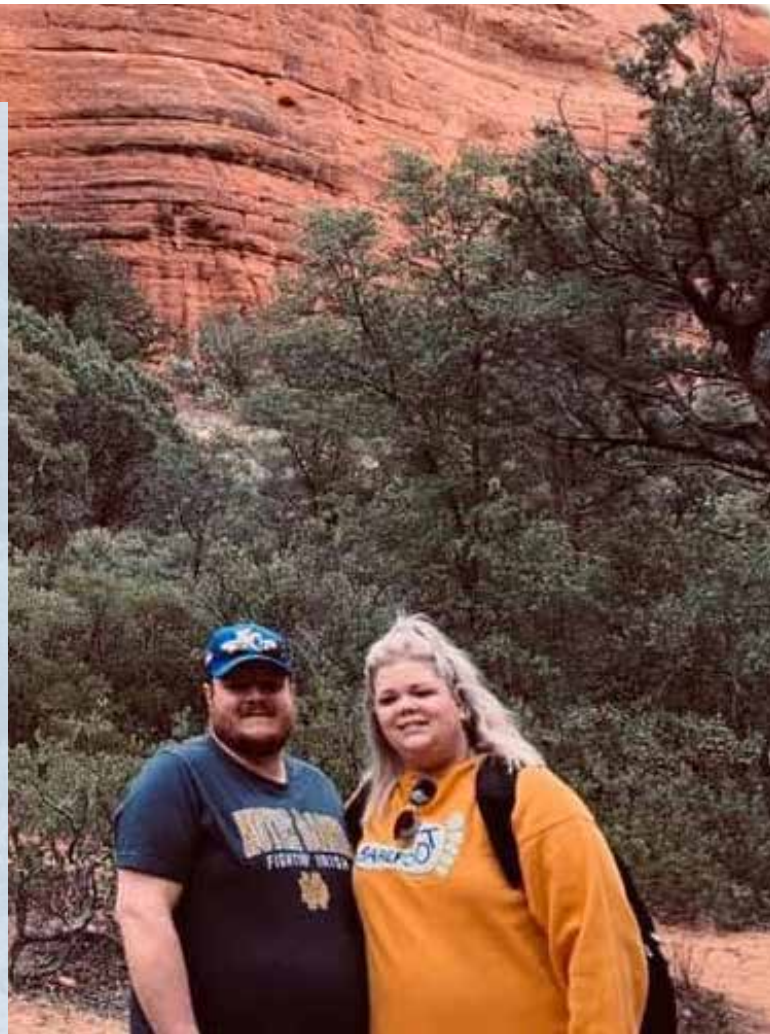
About Us

We met through our mutual love of boating on Lake Okoboji. Having both grown up in Northwest Iowa, our shared joy for the outdoors helped us quickly bond. In 2016 we moved to South Dakota for greater job opportunities. In March 2018 we got married, and we have been patiently waiting to start a family of our own ever since.

We have a dog named Lucy. She is a gentle and affectionate companion who loves being around kids and giving cuddles.

As a couple, we love to travel and explore new places. Every adventure creates memories, and we cannot wait to share those memories with a child. We both work within the healthcare system and are proud of our careers. Our jobs give us the flexibility to be home with a little bundle of joy.

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Meet Emily!

written by Zac

Emily is the most loving, giving, and kindhearted person I know. I am so proud to be her husband. She is the youngest in her family and has five nieces and one nephew.

What I love most about Emily is how deeply she cares for others. She gives so much of her love to her nieces and nephew. Emily is considered the “cool aunt.” At every family gathering, you can always find her surrounded by all the kids. She always has a smile on her face and truly lights up any room she enters.

Emily is always up for an adventure, whether it is going on a trip or simply walking through the local farmer’s market.

Her Loves...

Cooking | Arts and crafts
Reading | Dancing
Walking

“She gives so much of her love to her nieces and nephew — she’s the ‘cool aunt’ at every family gathering.”



Meet Zac!

written by Emily

Zac is a loving husband and my best friend. He was also adopted by two wonderful parents and has one older brother, a sister-in-law, and two nephews. Zac is a great uncle and is always willing to do anything with them.

Zac is outgoing and adventurous. He enjoys traveling, especially when he can fit in some fishing along the way. He would do anything for anyone who crosses his path, and he does it all with a smile. That is the quality I love most about him.

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and he does it all with a smile.”



His Loves...

Grilling | Fishing
Hockey | Boating
Kayaking





“Our friends and family are our greatest support system—
ready to love, celebrate, and surround a child with warmth,
laughter, and belonging.”



What We Hope to Offer a Child

We promise to provide a home filled with love, support, and security. Every child deserves to feel safe, cherished, and celebrated—and that is what we want to give.

We will raise your child in a home that values kindness, family traditions, and big dreams. We can't wait for them to enjoy time with cousins, aunts, uncles, and grandparents—building bonds, making memories, and growing up in a circle of love.

We dream of bedtime stories, snuggles, hugs, and kisses, and we will always encourage their dreams, support their education, and celebrate who they are.



Our Thoughts on Adoption

We truly feel that God has led us to adoption, and we are filled with gratitude and excitement as we walk this path. This is not only our journey, but one that is close to our hearts—Zac's own adoption story has deeply shaped how we see family and love.

“Our entire family is thrilled to welcome a new child with open arms and unconditional love.”



Thank You!

We can't pretend to know the weight of the decision you're facing, but we do know it comes from a place of deep love.

If you choose us, your child will always know where they came from. We will honor their adoption story openly and lovingly in ways that make sense as they grow. They will know they are surrounded by love—from both their birth and adoptive families.

If you're open to it, we would be truly honored to have a relationship with you—one that allows us to share updates, milestones, and memories as they grow.

Thank you for considering us.

With love, Zac & Emily