



**PAUL** and **MALLORY**



FOR THIS CHILD  
I have prayed.

1 SAMUEL 1:27







# Hello!

IT'S SO NICE TO "MEET" YOU.

We are Mallory and Paul from Georgia. While we know that there's no way to tell you everything we'd love for you to know in just these few pages, we would like to show you the love we share for each other, our family, and friends, and the kind of life your child could have with us. We are grateful that you have taken the time to learn about us and hopefully we get to learn more about you!

We can't begin to know what you are feeling at this time, but we hope that wherever you find yourself right now, you feel both loved and supported. We know you want the best for your child, and so do we!

**Our hope is that after reading our story,  
you will feel some peace as you move  
forward with the process.**

Paul & Mallory

# our story HOW IT STARTED

We met during the 2015 fall semester at the University of Mississippi. Our passion and love for life allowed an amazing friendship to turn into an even more amazing relationship. In November 2019, we got married surrounded by our closest friends and family. During our five years of marriage, we have built a life that we are truly proud of. Buying our home and building our family have brought us so much joy and excitement. **We feel so lucky to have each other's unconditional love and support.**





WE LOVE BECAUSE HE FIRST LOVED US. 1 JOHN 4:19

## Why adoption?

WHILE MALLORY HAS ALWAYS DREAMED OF ADOPTING, ADOPTION HOLDS A VERY SPECIAL PLACE IN BOTH OF OUR HEARTS NOW.

The adoption of our son, Noah, was very abrupt and had many ups and downs. He was placed with us through foster care, and his adoption took almost a year to finalize. In that time, we were able to learn how truly beautiful adoption can be. We feel that adoption gives everyone involved a sense of community and allows families to come together in such a unique way.

As we began thinking about expanding our family again, we knew that adoption was the clear path for us.

# meet Mallory

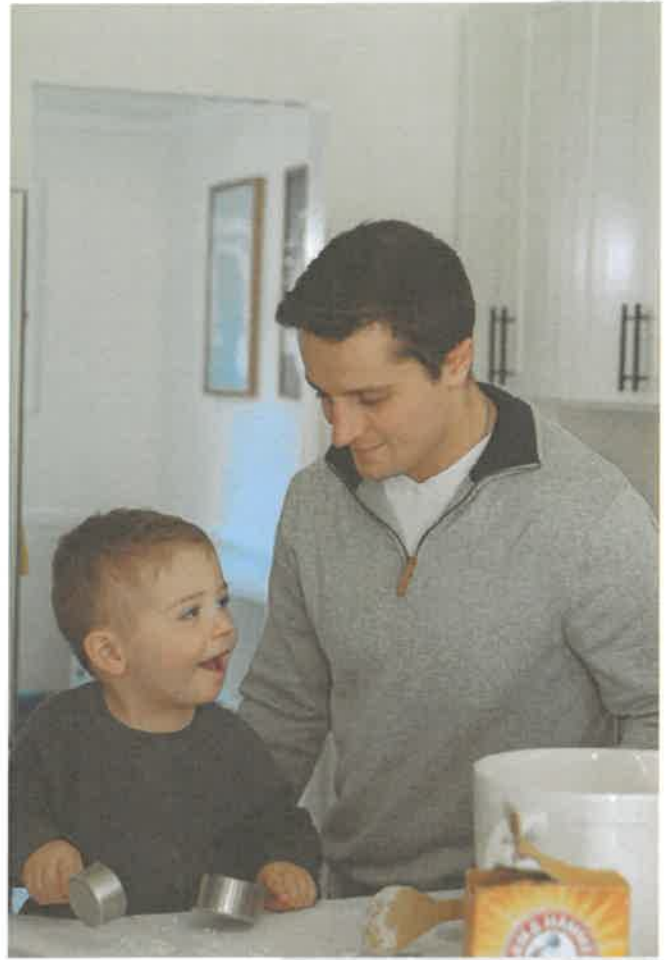
as told by Paul



I FELL IN LOVE WITH MALLORY'S PERSONALITY.

Mallory truly is the most caring, loving, and supportive person I have ever met. She never fails to put a smile on my face. Mallory also has a strong passion for living a healthy and active lifestyle but is a sucker for my dad's homemade Italian food.

**Mallory is an amazing mother to our son, Noah. The moment she met our son, she felt an instant connection.** She is incredibly patient, gentle, and nurturing. Whenever Noah is upset, he knows that Mommy gives the best hugs and will make every problem disappear. I am truly excited to see all of Mallory's great attributes grow as our family grows.



## meet Paul as told by Mallory

PAUL IS TRULY THE KINDEST AND MOST LOVING PERSON I KNOW.

I've never met a more hard-working and devoted person. Every day, Paul genuinely goes over and beyond for his family. I really admire his ability to work so hard throughout the day at his job and still be completely present for our son, Noah.

**As a father, Paul is truly the best.** He has the biggest heart and shows that through his actions at home. He is very protective of his family and does all he can to support us. Paul is an amazing father, and I know that will only grow with another child.



# Meet our son!



## NOAH

Noah is our two-year-old son. He is our little ball of energy. For being only two, he is incredibly social and outgoing. He loves making people laugh, playing with blocks, and copying everything Daddy does.

Noah is one of the most loving children we have ever met. We have a large family with lots of cousins his age. He loves playing with them and can often be found sharing toys and giving them hugs.

Because of his caring nature and social personality, We have no doubt that Noah will be a wonderful big brother to a new baby.







## our home

**WE LIVE IN A VERY SAFE,  
FAMILY-FRIENDLY NEIGHBORHOOD.**

Our community is very diverse and offers many different cultural backgrounds. The layout of our street allows each home to have a nice-sized yard. There are multiple parks and neighborhood pools. The homeowner's association often organizes large family events at the clubhouse!



## WE HAVE WORKED VERY HARD TO CREATE A COZY AND WELCOMING HOME.

We love to host friends and family, watch movies, and cook meals together. Our home was fully renovated after we purchased it in 2021. We have four bedrooms – one of which is already set up for a new baby!



## Our pup, Nash

Nash is our five-year-old golden retriever. He truly believes he is one of our children—and in a way, he is! Nash loves to spend the summers with us on the lake or at the pool. He is very well trained and is incredibly patient and gentle with all kids. After bringing Noah home, he was immediately attached to him. Now, they love to play together in the backyard and cuddle up in the living room.



# things we love

PAUL LOVES: SPORTS • GOLFING • GRILLING • WEEKEND  
GETAWAYS • READING • EXERCISE • WATCHING SCARY  
MOVIES • SPENDING TIME ON THE LAKE



MALLORY LOVES: READING • GOLFING • WORKING OUT •  
CELEBRATING HOLIDAYS • BAKING • SPENDING TIME WITH  
FAMILY • DATE NIGHTS • TRYING NEW THINGS



NOAH LOVES: CUDDLING WITH HIS PETS • SPIDERMAN •  
PLAYING OUTSIDE • GOING TO MIMI & POP POP'S HOUSE  
• RIDING HIS BIKE • DANCING



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CABO, MX



ASHVILLE, NC



NEW ORLEANS, LA



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VAIL, CO



FLIGHT TO NEW ORLEANS

# our travels

NOAH TOOK HIS FIRST FLIGHT WHEN HE WAS ONLY SIX MONTHS OLD.

He has grown up traveling, and we can't wait to continue this tradition with the new baby. We love to travel anywhere, from a very tropical beach vacation to a freezing week of skiing in the mountains. We couldn't possibly choose a favorite location to go to. We love any trip that allows us to experience new adventures with our family!

# Ten fun facts

## 1 • WE PRIORITIZE A HEALTHY LIFESTYLE.

Health and wellness are very important to us. We give Noah lots of outside time, workout several times a week, and eat organic, clean foods.



## 2 • WE LOVE TAKING VACATIONS AND EXPERIENCING NEW THINGS AS A FAMILY.

3 • OUR SON, NOAH, CAME TO LIVE WITH US WHEN HE WAS THREE MONTHS OLD AND WAS ADOPTED THROUGH THE FOSTER CARE PROGRAM.



## 4 • WE READ BEDTIME STORIES EVERY NIGHT AND PRAY TOGETHER.

## 5 • WE LOVE FAMILY DINNERS!

We have dinner every Sunday with Paul's parents. They have a beautiful pool and large gazebo in the backyard!





**6 • PAUL IS VERY INVOLVED WITH THE GEORGIA YOUTH WRESTLING PROGRAM.**

He even hopes to coach Noah's sports teams next year!

**7 • WE OFTEN SNUGGLE UP ON THE COUCH FOR FAMILY MOVIE NIGHTS ON THE WEEKENDS!**



**8 • OUR HOME IS JUST A FEW MILES FROM THE QUAIN T DOWNTOWN AREA.**

This offers lots of close by activities that are very diverse and exciting for our growing family to participate in!

**9 • WE ATTEND CHURCH EVERY SUNDAY.**

Our church offers a supportive and welcoming community.



**10 • WE HAVE A LARGE GROUP OF FRIENDS WHO ARE ALWAYS THERE FOR US, AND ARE INCREDIBLY SUPPORTIVE.**

Ten fun facts





## our extended family

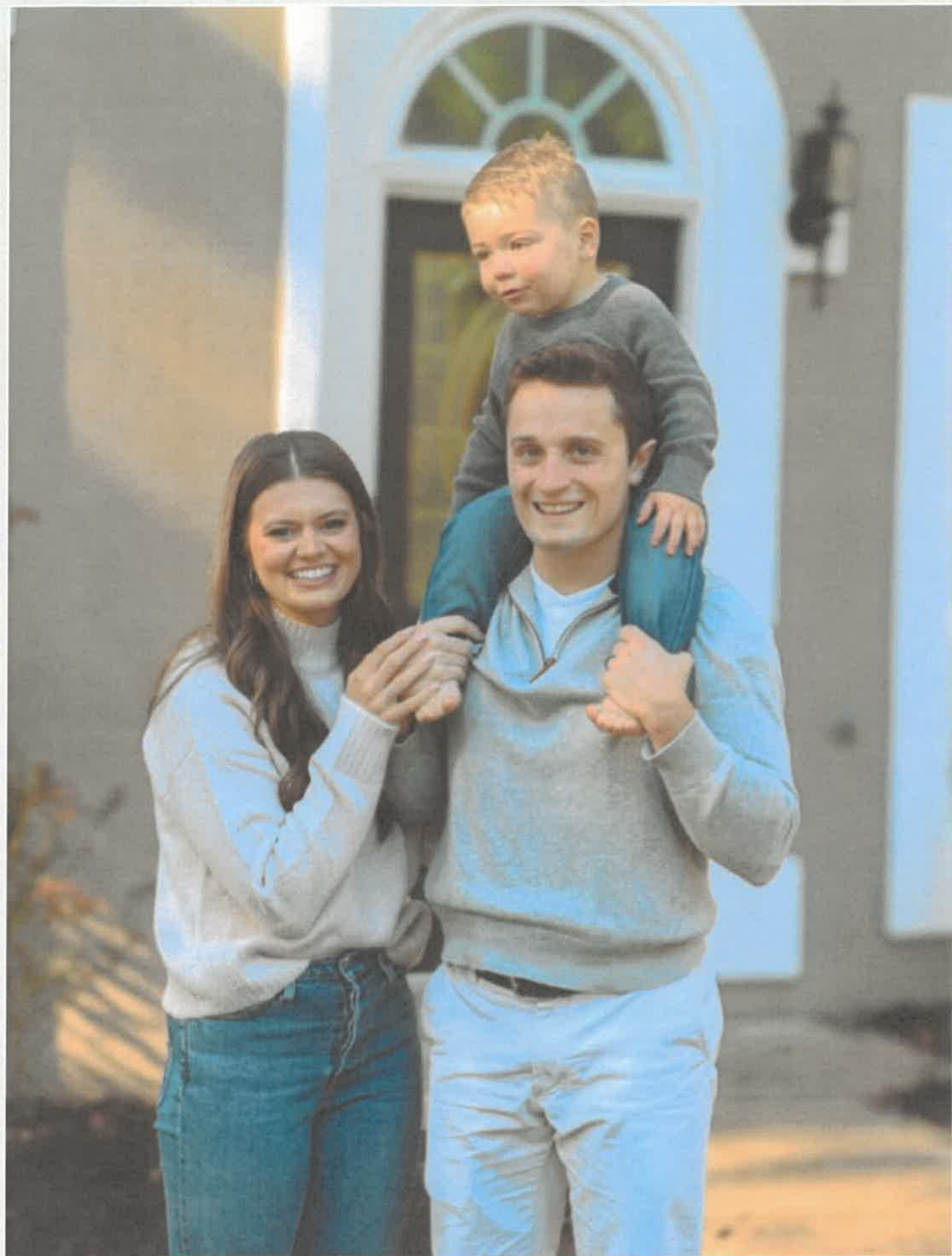
### PAUL'S FAMILY:

Paul comes from a large, close-knit family. He grew up alongside his younger brother, two amazing parents, grandparents, and many aunts, uncles and cousins. Most of his family lives very close. We regularly spend weekends with them at the pool, enjoy family outings, and celebrate every holiday together. Paul's parent's host a large family barbeque every year at their pool, and his aunt's love to organize family dinners. Everyone has truly offered us support, empathy, and love.

## MALLORY'S' FAMILY:

Mallory comes from a smaller but still very loving family. The majority of her family resides in Tennessee, just outside of Nashville. Mallory's aunt, uncle, and three cousins live on a lake with a large backyard. Noah loves to spend time running outside and riding on their boat. We love going to visit them at least once a year, and they come to visit all of our family in Georgia as well!





# our promises

IF YOU FEEL A CONNECTION WITH US AND  
DECIDE THAT OUR FAMILY IS THE ONE FOR  
YOUR CHILD, WE WANT YOU TO KNOW...

**We promise to** love your child unconditionally.

**We promise to** establish a relationship and communication plan that you are most comfortable with.

**We promise to** support your child and encourage them to pursue their dreams.

**We promise to** be fully transparent with your child, and to always honor and celebrate where they came from.

**We promise to** spend quality time and create new memories with your child.

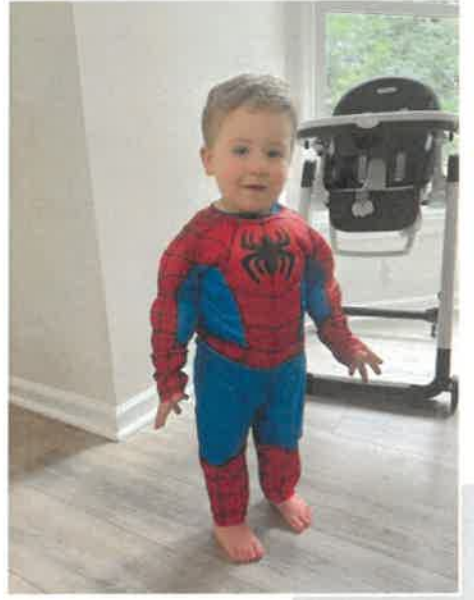
**We promise to** surround your child with a community of friends and family who will love them as their own.

**We promise to** teach them to be honest, generous, kind, self-respecting, and courageous.

**We promise to** educate ourselves and your child on their background and heritage.

all our love,

PAUL, MALLORY & NOAH



Thank you!

