

Cassie & Andrew





hey there

WE ARE CASSIE + ANDREW

We want to thank you for considering us to be the parents of your child and considering the selfless decision of adoption. We know firsthand how wonderful the gift of adoption can be and we are looking forward to having a baby join our family through the adoption process. We are looking forward to watching our child grow with joy and love as a family, and we are aware that part of that process will involve sharing their adoption story and sharing about their remarkable birth mother.

We are thankful you are reading our profile, and we wish you luck with whatever you decide!


cassie + andy





HELLO,
I'M CASSIE

SHARING MY LIFE WITH CASSIE AND
HAVING HER AS MY SPOUSE IS
UNQUESTIONABLY THE BEST
DECISION I HAVE EVER MADE.

written by Andy

I live in the suburbs now, but I grew up on a farm with sheep in rural Ohio. I have a Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education and previously worked at a daycare. I now work in the Licensing department of a large insurance company. You can usually find me watching interior design shows on HGTV, reading / listening to an audiobook or true crime podcast, and spending time with my dogs! I collect perfume and makeup and enjoy watching tutorials and learning new ways to apply it! My favorite thing is traveling and I'm often daydreaming about where I want to go next and making plans for our future trips. The beach is my happy place and I would love to live next to the ocean one day.





HELLO,
I'M ANDREW

I LOVE HIS PASSION FOR THE THINGS
AND PEOPLE HE LOVES, AND THE
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written by Cassie

My name is Andrew, but most people call me Andy. I am an Account Manager at a large financial company. I grew up in Northeast Ohio and have fond memories of living in a city growing up. In school I was very interested in music and loved playing my saxophone. I loved it so much I majored in music. I always seem to have a project around the house, and I love watching my favorite sports teams. I'm a very good bowler and baseball is my favorite sport. I have a goal to see every baseball stadium. On my 22nd birthday, LeBron James showed up with his entourage during my celebration at Buffalo Wild Wings. My favorite color is orange, although I admit it isn't the best color for clothes.



“and you make my world light up inside”

cassie

BY: ANDREW

- We love to eat Mexican, Italian, and Indian foods
- We met in college marching band where we both played saxophone
- We enjoy taking our dogs to the dog park and throwing tennis balls

Sharing my life with Cassie and having her as my spouse is unquestionably the best decision I have ever made. Her passion and determination for her goals is unmatched. Her self-deprecating humor always makes me laugh. I am amazed at how kind and loyal she is.

We are at a stage in our life where we would like to start a family and I'm excited to share in this journey with her. I am beyond excited to become a father and I see Cassie's desire to become a mother every single day. I love my wife more every day because she is herself, and unashamed of being herself. I look forward to seeing her share everything that makes her a wonderful person with our child.

andrew

BY: CASSIE

- We have been to four Coldplay concerts
- We have a timeshare and have access to several resorts in Orlando
- We regularly visit family in Washington DC and go to the beach in Delaware and Maryland

What I noticed first about Andy is how much he made me laugh. Not only is he funny and outgoing, but he's also easy to get along with and is genuinely a good person. He really cares about his family and my own family and is willing to help anyone with anything they might need. Being in a relationship with Andy has always been so easy and natural. He's my best friend and we have fun together no matter what we are doing. I love his passion for the things and people he loves, and the care he has truly shows in whatever he does.

He is thoughtful, compassionate, and charismatic. I think being a father will come very naturally to Andy. I can't wait for him to share his humor and kindness to a child and raise them to be an amazing person like he is.



WE WANT TO BE WITH YOU ABOVE ALL ELSE
WE WANT TO LIVE THE REST OF OUR LIVES WITH YOU



ABOUT WHY WE
want to adopt



"with my sister and myself being adopted, my family is absolutely thrilled to welcome another child into our family who is also adopted." - Cassie

We have discussed adoption since we were dating. Since Cassie is an adoptee herself, it's always been something that we talked about. We decided it was something that we wanted when we decided to start a family together. We understand firsthand the responsibility, selflessness, and commitment that comes with adoption and the relationship between a birth parent and adoptive parent. We cannot wait to travel as a family, make new recipes together, and make traditions of our own. Should you choose us, we will try to give our shared child every educational and cultural experience possible. Our goal is to raise our child in a way that empowers them to make decisions based on the knowledge we have nurtured and with confidence that we have inspired. When our child needs to talk, we will be there to listen. When they are hurting, we will be there to help and support them. We are looking forward to watching our child grow with joy and love as a family, and we are aware that part of that process will involve sharing their adoption story and sharing about their remarkable birth mother.

- We promise to commit to fully loving this child and fully honoring you.
- We will let them know of your bravery and courage.
- We will teach them about their biological heritage and we will let them know how and why you made the decision that you did.
- We will always be there for our child no matter what and support and help them achieve their dreams.
- We promise to be the best parents that we are able to be and learn and grow together.



welcome home



"life itself is the most wonderful fairy tale."

We live in a 4 bedroom 2.5 bathroom home with 3,500 square feet in suburban Ohio.

We also have a large fenced in backyard with plenty of room for a swing set in the future. We live in a district for a wonderful school system and we also have plenty of parks and hiking areas nearby. Our home is about 20 minutes from the downtown area of a big city that also contains a large university. We have many opportunities to go to sports events, a zoo, museums, a science center, and a conservatory. Our neighborhood is safe and family friendly.



B R O D Y



S A D I E



R I L E Y

WE HAVE THREE DOGS +
THEY ALL HAVE VERY DIFFERENT PERSONALITIES.

Our oldest Cavalier, Brody, is gentle and loving. He is very laid back and as long as he is with his dog sisters and his mom and dad he is a happy boy! His favorite activity is barking at animals on the TV and chewing on toys. He is the most friendly and at the dog park he would rather get pets from people than play with other dogs.

Our middle dog, our Golden Retriever, Sadie, has the biggest personality. She is shy around strangers but around people she is comfortable with she loves to run and play and go after tennis balls, her favorite. She makes it known when she wants attention and often nudges us for pets and scratches. She adores mom and dad (dad especially!) and when she is excited to see him she wags her tail and whole body and grabs a toy to greet him.

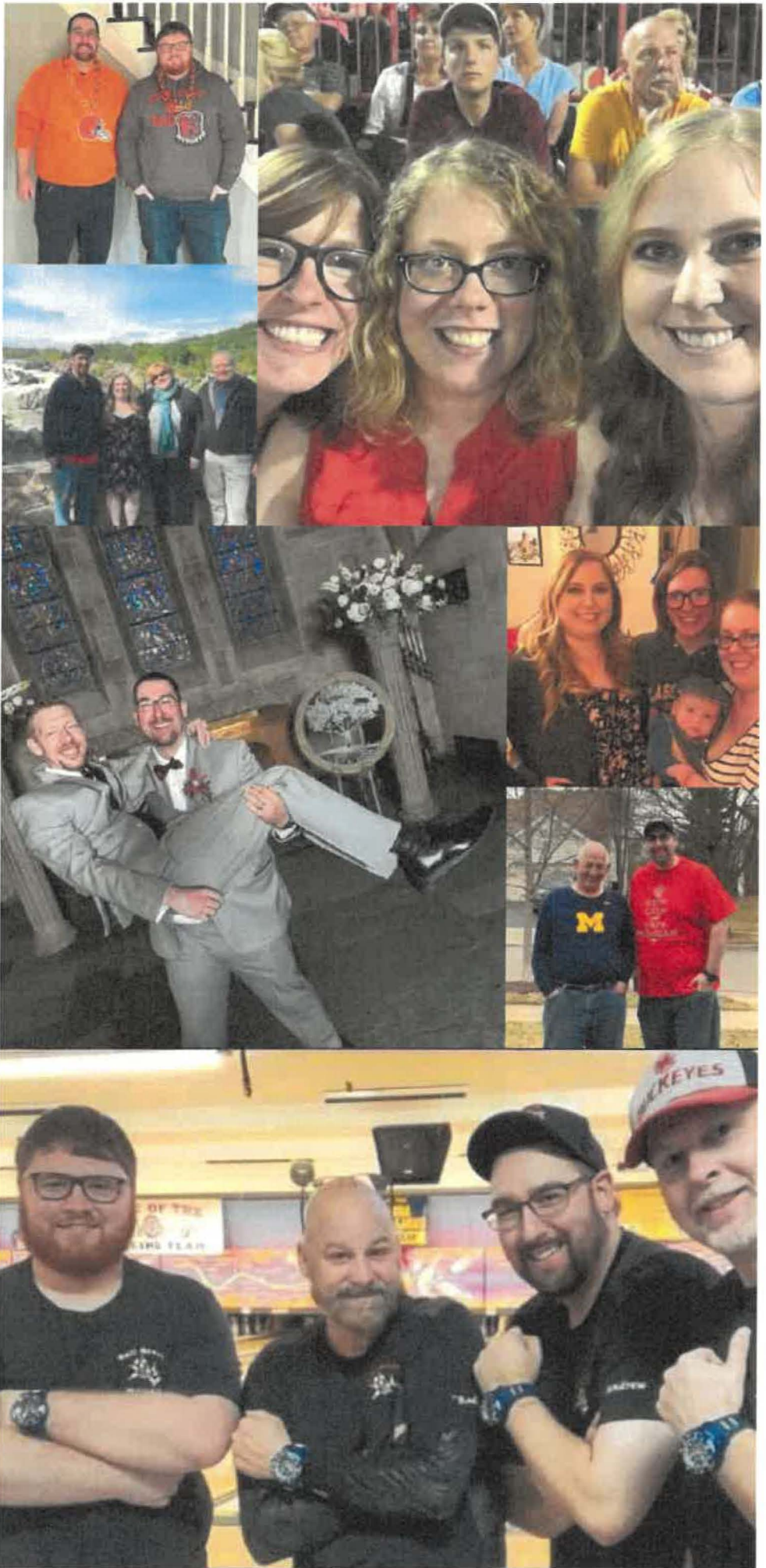
Our youngest Cavalier, Riley, is tiny but she is also the boss of the house! She is very attached to mom and dad and is constantly our shadow following us around. She adores her dog siblings and is often the one to instigate playing and running around together. She is a bit of a bossy girl but she is also the sweetest girl and is our most snuggly. These three sure keep us on our toes but our lives are so much better with them in it. They give us such happiness and we are so glad to have them.

friends + family

ANDY: Growing up I had the benefit of spending time with my cousins and grandparents. I met and knew several of my great-grandparents. I had a special bond with my grandmother and look forward to my children having that bond with my parents as well. I lived on the same street growing up as my cousins and treasure some of those memories. Sunday family dinner was never missed and I look forward to introducing our child to my family to create new memories.

CASSIE: I grew up on a farm with a farmer for a dad and a teacher for a mother. I lived close to my cousins, aunts, and uncles, and both sets of grandparents. I have fond memories of going to my grandma's house on Sundays for lunch with my whole family around a big table and making cookies for holidays with my other grandma. Our families would spend all holidays together and take trips together. Spending time with my family who traveled often started my own love for travel. Now, some of my family still lives in my hometown which is about two hours from our house but we still see each other and make plans together. I have one sister who lives in another state and my mom also lives with us! I'm very close to my mom and sister and honestly the best times we have are just spending it together.

FRIENDS: We both have friends that we have known for a very long time. Andy's known his best friend since middle school. They talk on the phone often and we make time for visits or at least meet somewhere to eat and talk. He also has close friends at work and is on a bowling team with some buddies. I (Cassie) have two best friends that I've known pretty much my entire life. I met one of them when we were babies and then the other in first grade and we have been friends ever since. We have been through all of life together through the good and the bad and I couldn't be more grateful to have them in my life. I also have work friends that I am close to which makes the days go quick!







thank you so much

We hope our profile has given you a little glimpse into what our lives look like. We have so much respect for you and your decision to consider adoption. We are eager to open our hearts and home to a child through adoption.

Please know that any child that becomes part of our family will be loved so very much and will be given opportunities to pursue their passions and dreams with us cheering them on along the way. They will be reminded of where they came from and the love that their birth mother has for them.

WE WISH YOU THE BEST ON YOUR JOURNEY THROUGH THE ADOPTION PROCESS AS YOU MAKE THE DECISION ABOUT WHAT WILL BE BEST FOR YOU AND YOUR CHILD.

