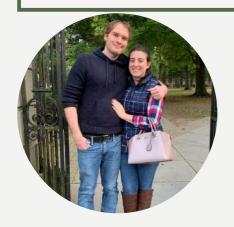
## KRISTINA & RYAN

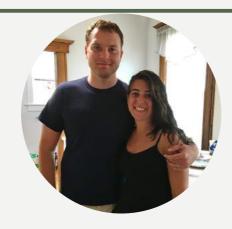


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Thank you for taking the time to look at our book. We are thrilled for the potential opportunity to be selected as adoptive parents. We are so ready to welcome the child into our lives! We have been married for six years and live in a spacious home with plenty of room for our child to grow, laugh and make memories. We will put our heart and soul and commit our life to our child.







Becoming parents has been a dream of ours for several years.

Adoption is really close to us and our family.

We are so ready to provide a loving home to our child and look forward to raising our child. We cannot wait to explore the world with them! Our child will always know their special adoption story <3

# Meet Kristina





- Cancer Research Scientist.
- Dog Mom.
- Volunteer at local Dog Rescue Society.
- Love baking and cooking.
- Cannot wait to bake cakes & cookies with our little one!
- Eager to welcome our child into our world.







- Medication Development Lead Scientist.
- Dog Dad.
- Enjoy playing jazz & rock guitar.
- Love cooking & trying new and inventing recipes.
- Enjoy reading history & science novels.
- Cannot wait to teach our child guitar!





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First met in a research lab in graduate school.

Began dating in 2013 & married in 2017.

Family, travel, and food are our three favorite things! Together, we have traveled to many different states and countries. Every trip, we research the best cuisines in town and go to all the local spots. Visiting museums, zoos, exhibits, etc. are a large part of our travels.

We are so ready to travel and experience the world with our child! We look forward to enjoying & making memories!

#### A FEW OF OUR FAVORITE THINGS

Kristina

Easily, pasta! Sunday dinner growing up was my favorite



FOOD

Ryan

Chicken parmigiana, Italian food is a comfort in our home

Disney's The Little Mermaid (original)

MOVE

Jaws, such a classic

I spend my free time volunteering at the local animal shelter, walking the dogs

HOBBY

My favorite hobby is playing both Rock and Jazz guitar

I cannot live without my dog, coffee, and a good peanut butter cookie CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT

I cannot live without a good book, music, and pizza



### HOLLY

Holly is our six year old Dalmatian Hound rescue dog. We adopted Holly from a rescue organization in Florida. Upon meeting Holly, she was malnourished and sick. After treats, vet visits, snuggles, and lots of love, Holly began feeling better and acclimated to her home. She loves long walks around our neighborhood and lots of yummy treats. Holly is our absolute love! She loves kids through her gentle licks and calm nature.

### HOME SWEET HOME

We live in the spacious,
beautiful suburbs! We are
close to a downtown, parks,
schools, hospitals and
playgrounds! Something we
are eager to be apart of is the
excellent school system!
Our house will become a home
once we welcome our child
into our lives.





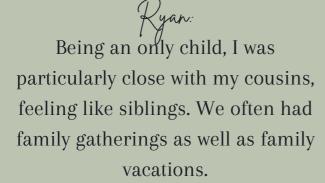






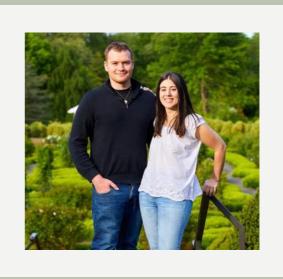
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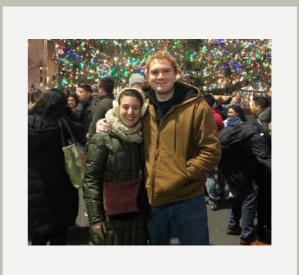
I am the oldest of three daughters, with two younger sisters, Gina and Jo-Marie. I am extremely close with my parents, who have been married for over 30 years!



Ryan and I were blessed to have incredible grandparents and cherish those memories, actively incorporating their teachings in our daily lives.

Our child will be the first grandchild on both sides of our families! Our child will be loved and welcomed by our whole family!









### Kristina through Ryan's eyes

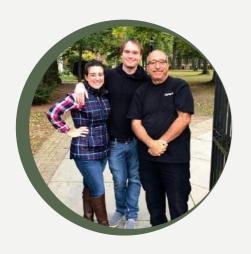
Kristina is a strong, caring and extremely kind-hearted woman. She often puts others needs ahead of her own, whether it be for family, friends or pets. She is keen on self care and evaluation, in terms of both physical and mental health. She enjoys cooking healthy meals, going on long walks and traveling. Krisina would be the most loving and compassionate mother I have ever known, if given the opportunity.



#### Ryan through Kristina's eyes

Ryan is a loving, caring and brilliant person. Ryan loves cooking, reading, and playing music as he has played guitar for 20 years. Ryan would be an amazing father through his patient and compassionate nature. Ryan would teach our future child all there is to know about science, music, and history. He would also teach them how to make a wonderful Sunday Dinner meal!

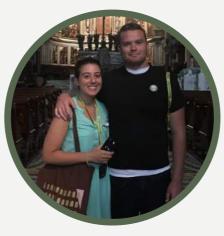
















#### WE PROMISE TO

We promise to love our future child unconditionally, and support them in every aspect of their life.

We promise to fill their life with laughter, love, and joy.

We promise to teach our future child kind morals, compassion, and a strong identity. We embrace the fact that this is a lifelong commitment and will give our 100% effort towards raising our child in the best way possible for the rest of our lives. We plan to respect your wishes in terms of biological family information and disclosure.



# DEAR He one,

We can not wait to meet you! We love you so much already and have been praying for you for several years.

We hope to provide you with a life filled with love, guidance, and overwhelming happiness. We can't wait to grow alongside you in this journey of life.

De love you!

LOVE, KRISTINA & RYAN