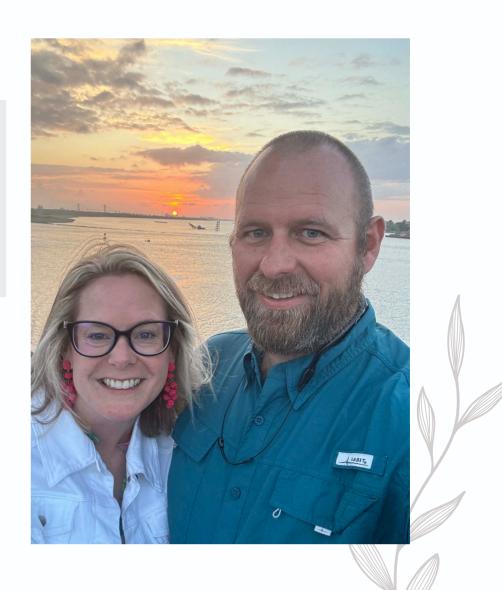
KEITH AND ELIZABETH

About our family

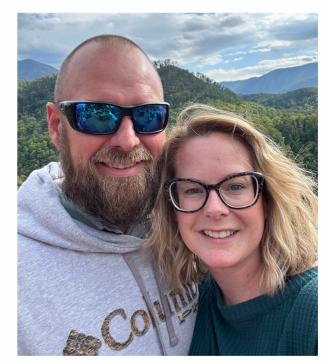


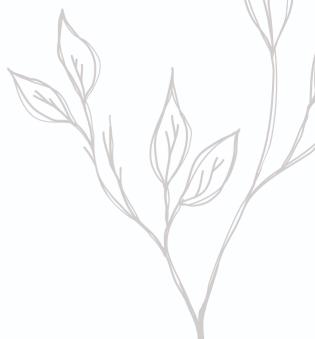
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Thank you for taking the time to get to know us! We have the most respect and admiration for you in considering adoption for your baby. We hope that through our book you can get to know a little about us, our family, and all the love that we have to share.

As you go through this journey please know that you and your baby are prayed for; we believe that God has a plan for each of us and that He will provide you peace along your journey and in your decision.

Love, Keith and Elizabeth





We met in college and have been together over twenty years now. We married in 2006 in a sweet garden ceremony and have had many adventures together since! In 2023, we welcomed our beautiful daughter Annabelle into our family through adoption. As a fun loving family, we enjoy traveling, spending time with loved ones, and working together outside around our property.

Our relationship is full of laughs and fun and built on a deep foundation of trust and respect.

THE STORY BEGINS

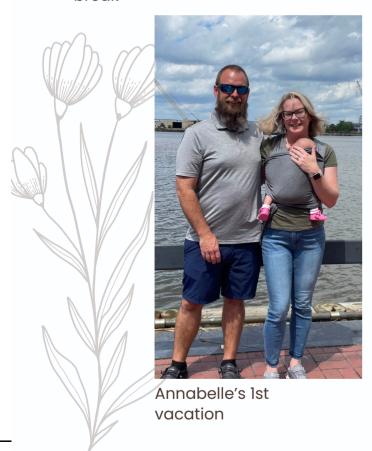








Playing in the sand during spring break



We love to travel, especially the beach or mountains for vacation. Annabelle loves the water!



Exploring Las Vegas



Family vacation this summer

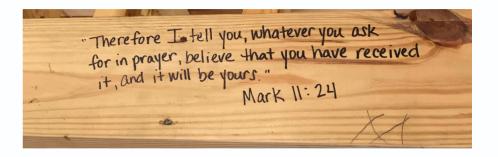


Memorial Day pool party



Playing by the pool





When we built our home we placed a verse on the doorway of the nursery; our prayer for a child and their future hopes and dreams.



Our home is in a rural area with lots of space to grow and enjoy the outdoors. We built our home a few years ago on acreage where we spend our time with our cat, dogs, chickens, and small herd of cows. We love to spend time outdoors playing and caring for our animals.

Our community is a family friendly place where everyone knows each other. We spend time attending Church, ball games, cookouts, local events and concerts, and other community events. One of our favorite traditions is the annual Christmas parade, hot chocolate and lights with family and friends each year.







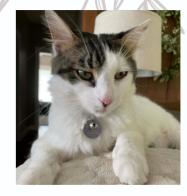












Our animals are one of our favorite things! They get many treats and hugs.





Christmas with sister in law Amy



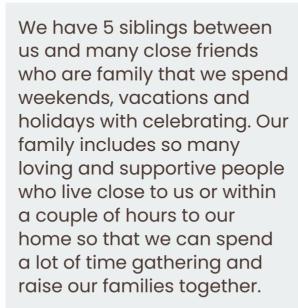
Annabelle & Kate

Annabelle and Grammie at Thanksgiving





Nieces Mandi & Megan









Christmas with sister, Jennifer





Celebrating Keith's birthday with his Mom and stepdad

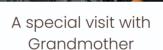


Birthday fun with friend Cade



Best friend Casey





On a trip to New York with some of our best friends Clay, Samantha, Casey, and Zane. We had a great time exploring!



Sweet cousins Rylie & Annabelle







Celebrating Christmas with Keith's dad and sister's family



Having fun playing outside



Annabelle with cousins Waylon, Rylie, and Kellan exploring the beach



Nieces & nephew at family Christmas



All smiles with Grandma



Trick or Treating is a family event!



At a wedding with friend Carly



Annabelle's dedication at Church with Pastor Chris



At a wedding for some special friends





Annabelle with cousins Waylon, Rylie, and Kellan exploring the beach



Family dinner with brother Casey and sister Jennifer



Celebrating Annabelle's 1st birthday together

with brother, Casey



Niece Charlotte



Family summer beach vacation



Christmas parade with brother in law Ryan and nephew Kellan



Weeknight dinner with friends Becky & Kenley



Fun with photo props at Keith's birthday



Saturday night football and cookout with friends



We made it out! Cheering our success at an escape room with Amy and nieces Mandi and Megan -We love to find new adventures when the kids are out of school for summer



Finally leaving the theme park after riding all of the rides at least twice

Our family and friends are a true constant in our lives, a daily support and blessing.



Kellan, Annabelle, Waylon, & Rylie exploring a nature trail at the beach this summer



Keith and his dad enjoy watching sports together and golfing



Having a little work with Carly



snack at

At a

with a few friends

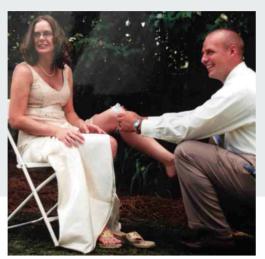




One special thing that we love about our family is that we have experienced the journey of adoption. Our daughter Annabelle was born into our family through adoption, and has been such a wonderful blessing to everyone she meets. She will grow up knowing the story of her journey of us becoming a family and be able to share that with a future sibling.

Having family and friends as well who have gone before us and can share advice along with cousins and friends who were adopted is a blessing for our daughter and future family. We are grateful for the love and support from our special family and friends.













Many years together (over twenty now) make for many memories. Graduating college, moving a few times, building a home, starting careers, and the best part: starting a family. A lot of laughs, fun, a few tears (and some bad hairstyles!), but most of all so much love.









About Elizabeth

- ~ Elementary School Teacher (I love teaching my students to read and watching them grow and learn!)
- ~ Favorites:
 Color ~ Pink
 Hobbies ~ Reading,
 shopping, decorating,
 traveling
 Foods ~ Tacos, salad, pizza
- ~ Dream vacation ~ Venice, Italy
- ~ I love animals (the cute furry ones, I am afraid of snakes!)
- Lenjoy working at Vacation Bible School (crafts are my favorite)
- new adventures, trying new things!













What I love most about Keith is that he is smart, funny, driven, and kind. He cares deeply about his family, friends, and community. He is the best man that I could have ever chosen to build a life and raise a family with together.

~ Elizabeth



About Keith

- ~ I have been self-employed for over sixteen years (I do a little bit of everything: transportation, lawn care, maintenance)
- ~ Volunteer Firefighter in our local fire department and volunteer in several local organizations
- ~ Favorites:
 Color ~ Blue
 Hobbies ~ Golf, fishing, taking
 care of our animals
 Foods ~ Wings, ice cream,
 steak
- ~ Dream vacation ~ Venice, Italy
- ~ I enjoy being outdoors, on my tractor working in the woods
- ~ My community is very important to me, it is where I was born and grew up, and have always planned to raise my family here









I love that Elizabeth has a great sense of humor, is smart, and fun to be around. She supports me in all that I do and takes care of our home and family.

~ Keith

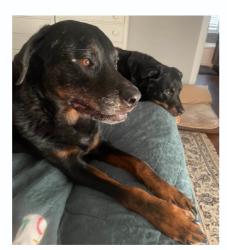
















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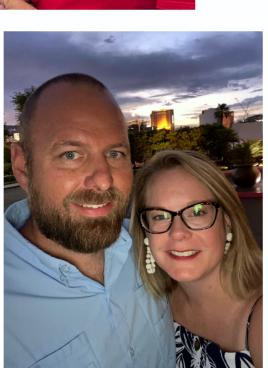




















Thank you for taking the time to get to know us a little bit through our story of photos ~ we hope that you can see some of our personalities, interests, home life, and love that we share for each other, our families, and community. God has led us to adoption again after many years together and we know that He has a perfect plan for us, you, and your baby as we all make this journey. We continue to pray for you and hope that you feel His love and support along the way.

Love, Keith and Elizabeth

