



KALEB & ABBY

Dear Expectant Parent(s),

HELLO! WE ARE KALEB, ABBY AND HADLEY (5). We cannot thank you enough for taking the time to consider us as you are planning for your precious little one's future. We feel strongly that God is opening the door for us to welcome another child into our home through adoption and we are very excited to grow our family in this way. We want you to know that we are praying for you and that we value the incredibly brave choice you are making by choosing adoption. We cannot wait to get to know you!

Kaleb and Abby

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about US

We started dating in high school and got married very young. A few months after returning from our honeymoon we found out we would be welcoming our daughter Hadley into the family! Her spunky personality keeps us on our toes daily. We love taking her on trips, playing in the backyard and making waffles on the weekends for breakfast.

While we have struggled with infertility following Hadley's birth, we do not consider adoption as a "last resort" for us. It is something we have dreamed about and it has played a major role in both of our lives. *Abby was adopted as a newborn and Kaleb grew up with an adopted sister.* We feel very privileged to have these unique perspectives and hope that they will be beneficial as we prepare ourselves to become adoptive parents.

HOW WE PAY THE BILLS

Kaleb is an assistant manager at one of Wichita's hospitals and Abby works part time as a research nurse. We both enjoy our careers in healthcare but love our titles as mom and dad so much more. We are so thankful to both have jobs that allow for the flexibility needed to raise children.



OUR FAMILY VACATION TO FLORIDA



RIDING JET SKIS WHILE ON VACATION



FALL DAY AT THE PUMPKIN PATCH

WHAT WE LOVE TO DO *for fun!*

OUR ADVENTURES AND ACTIVITIES

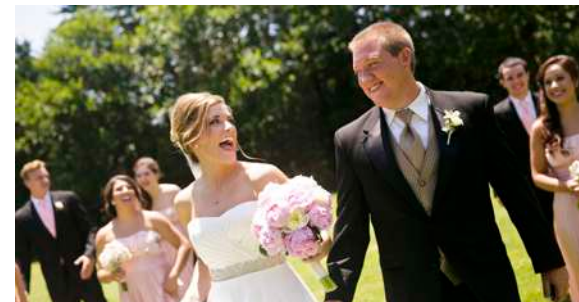
Our favorite activity as a family is traveling! We love exploring new beaches in Florida, taking a yearly trip to Colorado to ski and snowboard, and venturing to Kansas City for a weekend getaway.

At home we enjoy walking and biking around our neighborhood with the dogs, playing in our backyard pool, and grilling with family and friends.

Hadley especially loves visiting the trampoline park and zoo. She can't wait to have a new sibling to share these adventures with!



HADLEY'S FIRST BALLET RECITAL



OUR WEDDING DAY



SOON TO BE BIG SISTER, HADLEY



4TH OF JULY FUN WITH KALEB'S SIDE

big SISTER HADLEY

Hadley is 5 years old and is excited to have a brother or sister to boss around and play with! Her favorite part of the house is the cabinet where we store her art supplies and slime. She fills her days with swimming, scootering, playing with her friends and swinging in the backyard.

We are so excited to watch her take on the role of big sister! *She has already picked out special toys she wants to share with her sibling.*

FAVORITE FAMILY TRADITIONS

Big birthday breakfasts (we can't wait to have more birthdays to celebrate!)

A train ride on the "Polar Express" each Christmas season

about **ABBY** (BY KALEB)

When I think of Abby the first thing that comes to mind is caring. She is very passionate about her career as a nurse and she is even more dedicated to her role as mom. Her love for Jesus and the people around her is evident in her day to day life and is one of the reasons I knew I wanted to marry her.

She loves reenacting stories with Hadley such as the children's book, *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*. She once put a stuffed bear in a window at our house and took Hadley out with her exploring gear to hunt the bear.

Abby enjoys decorating our home and creating new projects and artwork in her free time. She always has a quirky fun fact to share and is the queen of dad jokes.

about **KALEB** (BY ABBY)

Let me tell you a little about Kaleb. He enjoys Coca Cola, sweet corn, and mint chocolate chip ice cream.

He is a dedicated father and makes a point to spend quality time with Hadley often. *He loves taking her on dates to their favorite restaurant and he can get her to giggle and belly laugh louder than anyone I know.* One of my favorite moments of Kaleb being a dad was when I walked into the house to find Hadley putting makeup all over his face and him smiling ear to ear.

He works hard and does whatever is needed to provide for our family.

LOVE MAKES A *family*



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HADLEY LOVES READING IN HER COZY ROOM



SUNDAY MORNING WAFFLE MAKING



GINGERBREAD DAY WITH COUSINS

The best part about Christmas is that the journey to either grandmother's house (over the river and through the woods) is only about 30 minutes! *We love living so close to all of our parents, grandparents, and siblings.* With a total of 6 cousins under the age of 6, there will always be someone to chase around the dinner table or build blanket forts with. We always leave family gatherings with new memories and sore cheeks from laughing! *Each of our family members hold a special place in their heart for adoption, either as an adoptive parent, a sibling, or an adoptee.*

our promise TO YOU

We know that there is no way to be perfect parents, however *we can promise that our children will always be loved and accepted, cared for and invested in, and ultimately raised with the tools they need to be kind and caring individuals.*

Our desire for Hadley and our future children is that they grow up knowing how loved they are and how much they belong in this world. We want to help our children find their passions and give them opportunities to pursue their dreams. And ultimately, we want to raise our children to love Jesus and follow His plans for their lives.

home SWEET KANSAS *home*

We built our home several years ago with the hope that we would grow our family here. Abby loves decorating for different seasons (especially fall) and Kaleb is the master of Christmas lights. *Our housing community is full of young families* and we enjoy spending time at the neighborhood pool or out on our patio making smores. *The swingset in the backyard is a huge hit with Hadley's cousins and friends!* During the winter months we usually get at least one good snow fall that allows for sledding and a big snowball fight in our cul-de-sac! *We love spending our days together as a family finding new adventures, both at home and in the "big city".*



final THOUGHTS

Thank you for taking the time to learn a little about us. *We have prayed over the words written here and we have prayed for you, expectant parent(s).* As we continue to prepare our hearts, our family, and our home, we hope that you know how honored we feel to be considered as your little one's potential family. *Having both been affected directly by adoption ourselves, we know how diverse each adoption story can look.* We are so excited to be on this journey and we welcome your thoughts and questions!

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