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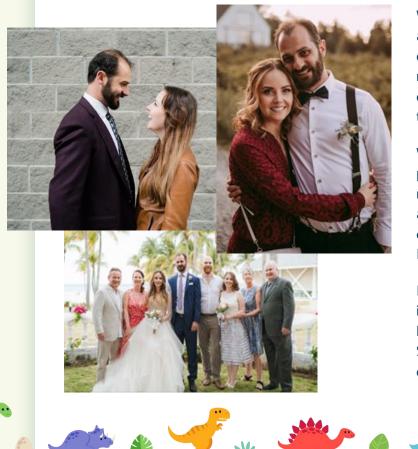
We can't wait to meet you!

Our Names are Patrick and Shaneen

Thank you for spending a bit of time getting to know us.

You are facing an important, heart-felt and complicated decision. We can't imagine how hard this decision has been for you to make an adoption plan, which is brave and selfless. It shows that you love your baby more than anything and you would do anything for them.

We have tried to be open and honest about who we are and what you can expect from us. But please know that you can ask us anything. We want you to be a part of our lives and look forward to learning about you as well.





We want to be parents more than anything. We are ready to do everything possible to take care of our child and give them everything they need to live a healthy and happy life. You can count on us to care for and protect the baby all the days of our lives.

We met in the summer of 2014 at a birthday party. We dated for five years before getting married in early 2019. That's over eight years of adventures, partnership, and working towards common goals. Shaneen laughs at all of Patrick's jokes too, which is pretty essential.

Patrick is hard working, ambitious and loyal. He is the extrovert and brings a lot of humor and lightheartedness to our day-to-day lives. Shaneen is a planner and loves getting things done. She is introverted, focused and intelligent.



We don't have any children but always knew that we wanted to have a family. Even before we got married, we talked about having biological children and adopting. Shaneen's mother grew up in foster care, so adoption is something that Patrick and Shaneen have always talked about. After struggling with fertility issues for a number of years we decided to pursue adoption as a way of growing our family. We can't wait to welcome a little one into our lives.

We spend a lot of time outdoors. Every day we go out for several walks or hikes around the neighborhood to walk our boxer pup, Alice. We also spend a lot of time each week visiting friends and family. This could include meeting up with a group of friends and their little ones for a BBQ, taking a small trip to the local mountains, or meeting family for a hot tub and movie night.

We are lucky to have a strong support network of friends and family. Patrick's family is originally from Ontario and he still has Aunts, Uncles and Cousins that live there. The rest of his immediate family live in Alberta. Patrick is close with his parents, siblings, nieces and nephews and has long phone calls with each of them every week.

Shaneen's family is originally from the Lower Mainland. Her family moved to Alberta before she was born and relocated back to B.C. over fifteen years ago. We spend a lot of time with Shaneen's Mum, Step-Father, Sister and Brother-in-Law who live nearby.

With a lot of our extended family living in other cities, we rely a lot on our relationships with our close friends. We're so lucky to have a great group of people in our life that we call on to join us on all of our day-to-day activities.

Everyone has been extremely supportive of our decision to build our family through adoption. We know that there will be a lot of hugs and tears when they find out that we've been chosen. We are all just so excited!