Tim **Amanda**

Hobbies & Interests

We love spending time together and anything outdoors - hiking, biking, camping. Time filled with laughter and with others. We enjoy creating - through sewing, woodworking or home renovations.

Occupation

Tim: technical program manager for robotics company. Amanda: part time physical therapist.

Education

Tim: B.S. in Computer Engineering,

Amanda: B.S. in Exercise Science, DPT in Physical therapy.

Religion or Belief System Non-denominational Christian.

Finn - a goofy but lovable Border Collie mix.

Children in Home

Active foster parents, no biological children.

Our Story

We met in college and have been happily married for eight years. Our story, similar to our personalities, is simple and genuine. It began with shared beliefs, values, and interests, and has grown into a deep respect and love for one another. Our first eight years of marriage have been full of change and adventure, cross country moves, more schooling, and fitting as much travel and time with family in as possible. About a year and a half ago we moved to Ann Arbor to be closer to our families and put down roots.

What Brought Us to Adoption

Having a family is one of the deepest desires of both of our hearts. Several years ago after trying to conceive for quite some time, we found out with certainty that we would not be able to have biological children. Our desire to share our lives, adventures and love with a child has led us to this journey of growing our family through adoption.

Our Hopes, Open Adoption & Relationship with Birth Family

We hope for an open adoption. We believe that a huge part of a child's sense of self worth is knowing and celebrating their heritage. If the birth family is interested in an ongoing relationship we would love for our child to know and be known by them. We believe that the more people who love the same child, the better. Either way we understand that you will always be a part their story, and your immense love for them is something to be celebrated.





These individuals have met all requirements of the State of Michigan and Catholic Charities Washtenaw County to become adoptive parents, may fit your situation and are waiting to welcome a child into their home. If you would like more information about this family, please email pregnancy@ccwcwashtenaw.org or contact Melissa.