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Why Adoption

Becoming a mother has been one of the deepest desires of my heart for as long as I can remember. Adoption has also always been something I felt drawn to—even when I imagined having biological children, I still pictured adoption as part of how I might someday build my family. I was raised in a loving, close family, and I have dreamed for many years about having a child to love, nurture, encourage, and surround with that same sense of family and belonging.



MY NOTE TO YOU:

First, I want you to know how grateful I am that you have taken the time to learn a little about me. I can only imagine the thoughts and emotions that may come with making such an important decision for you and your child. I have so much respect for you as you consider what you believe is best for your child, and I hope that as you look through these pages, you are able to get a genuine glimpse into my heart, my family, and the life I would be honored to share with your child.

If you ultimately choose me to be your child's mother, I would consider your trust in me an incredible blessing and responsibility that I would never take for granted. I promise to give your child a home filled with love, laughter, stability, opportunity, and family. Most of all, I want you to know that your child would grow up knowing that their story began with love and that you will always be an important part of that story.

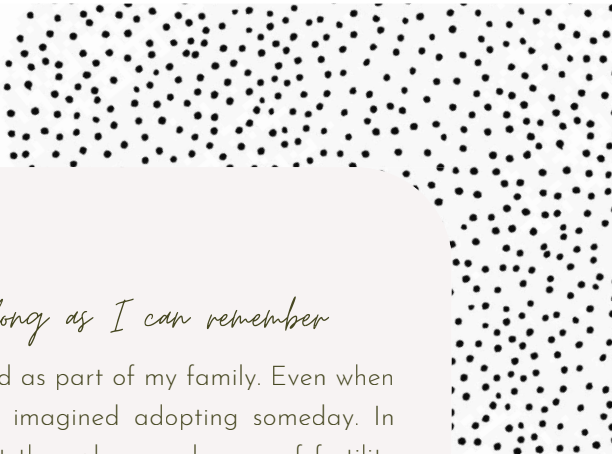
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LIFETIME, BUT ALSO TO HONOR YOU,
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MY THOUGHTS ON
- ADOPTION -
and motherhood





I have wanted to be a mother for as long as I can remember

Adoption has always been something I pictured as part of my family. Even when I imagined having biological children, I also imagined adopting someday. In recent years, I experienced infertility and went through several years of fertility treatments while, at the same time, continuing to explore adoption. Eventually, I realized that the physical and emotional demands of continuing fertility treatments were no longer the path I wanted to pursue. I was ready to stop waiting for life to happen a certain way and move forward with a path to motherhood that had already been in my heart for many years.

I'm especially ready for motherhood at this chapter in my life

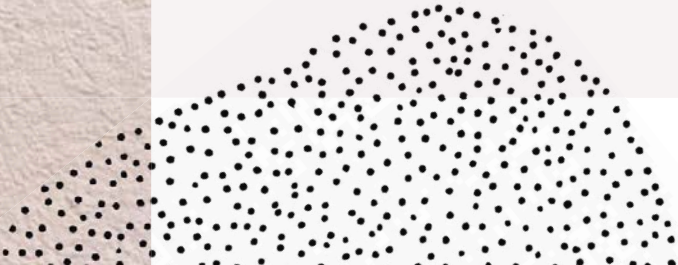
I have had opportunities to build a career I am proud of, travel, experience different parts of the world, create a home I love, and grow into who I am. Now, more than anything, I am ready to share that life with a child. I want to experience the big milestones, but I am just as excited about the ordinary moments—bedtime stories, Saturday mornings, school projects, family dinners, vacations, cheering from the sidelines, and simply hearing about their day.

I have so much respect and admiration for you

It takes so much love, strength, and courage to consider adoption and what you believe is best for your child. My faith is at the center of this journey for me, and I have prayed not only for the child who may one day make me a mother, but also for you. I pray that God gives you strength, peace, wisdom, and guidance as you make decisions for yourself and your child, whether or not those decisions ultimately lead you to me.

You will always be an important part of who your child is

If I am chosen, I never want you to feel that becoming your child's adoptive mother means replacing you. I would love to share pictures and updates, visits, phone calls, celebrating special moments together, or simply leave the door open if you need more time before you are ready for greater connection. I want our relationship to be built on honesty, respect, compassion, and love. Your child will grow up knowing that you are loved, respected, and spoken about with kindness.



GET TO KNOW ME:

Growing Up

I grew up in Huntsville, Alabama, and have so many wonderful memories of my childhood. I was always active and involved in something—whether it was softball, track, band, cheerleading, dance, gymnastics, or one of my favorites, art. My family also spent time traveling together and visiting my grandparents, aunts, uncles, and cousins during summers and holidays. Some of my fondest memories are simply being surrounded by family, and those experiences helped shape how much I value close relationships, traditions, and making memories together.

My creativity followed me into college, where I initially studied psychology before earning my degree in Advertising and Art. I have always been fascinated by people and what makes us think and connect, while also loving anything that allows me to be creative. Advertising gave me a way to bring those two interests together. Looking back, I am grateful that my family encouraged me to explore so many different interests growing up, and I look forward to giving my child that same freedom and encouragement to discover the things that make them light up.



My Career

I have built a career as a program manager with the federal government, beginning in this field as a trainee in 2009 and growing into the career I have today. I love bringing different people, ideas, and moving pieces together to accomplish a common goal. Over the years, my career has given me opportunities to travel internationally, experience different cultures, and work with people from around the world. Although I no longer travel regularly for work, I still have the opportunity to interact with people from different countries, which is something I truly enjoy and appreciate.

One of the greatest benefits of my career today is that I work fully remotely from home. Having a flexible work environment and no daily commute has given me a wonderful balance between a career I enjoy and being present in my personal life. As a mother, that flexibility will be especially meaningful to me. I look forward to being there for the everyday moments—morning routines, school activities, family dinners, appointments, and all of the little things in between. I feel incredibly fortunate to have a stable career that I enjoy while also having the flexibility to make family a priority.





Things I Love

01 CREATING

I have always been a creative person and love anything involving art and design. I enjoy painting, taking art workshops, and finding creative projects to do around my home—some of the artwork hanging in my home is even my own! I also love being outdoors, staying active through workouts and yoga, listening to music, and getting out to enjoy festivals, art shows, concerts, and other local events.

02 TRAVEL

Traveling is another favorite of mine, especially when I can experience new places with family and friends. Some of my favorite memories are from family trips, including trips to Disney World, and I look forward to creating those kinds of memories and adventures with my child.

03 COLLECTING

I am also a collector at heart and have been since I was a little girl. I love finding unique vintage treasures, especially jewelry, tea sets, and other pieces with character and history. My collection of tea sets is particularly special to me and combines my love of beautiful things, history, and entertaining. Whether I'm exploring somewhere new, discovering a vintage treasure, creating something with my hands, or simply spending time with the people I love, I enjoy finding fun and beauty in everyday life.

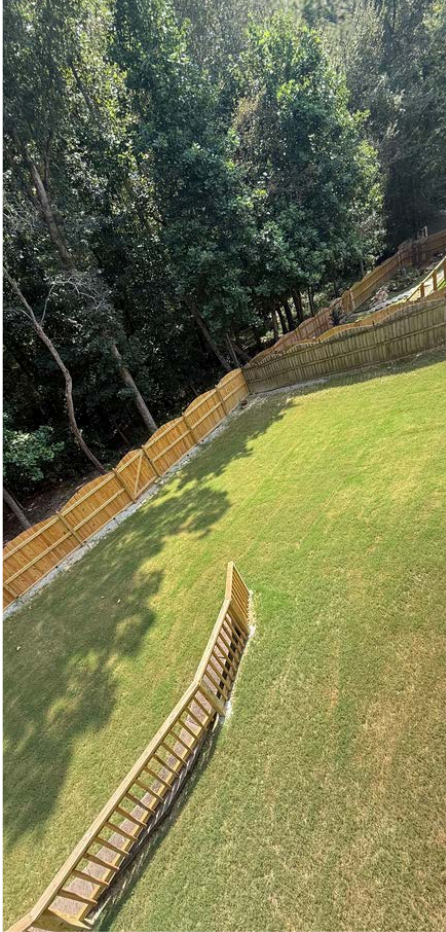
04 SERVING

My faith, family, and the people I love are at the center of my life. My relationship with God is very important to me, and I value being part of a church and community where I can grow in my faith, serve others, and make a positive difference. Since recently moving to a new community, I look forward to becoming more involved locally and finding meaningful ways to give back.





My Home...



I live in a spacious two-story home with a finished basement, five bedrooms, and three full bathrooms. One of my favorite things about my home is the open main level, where the kitchen flows into the living room, and a wall of windows overlooks the trees behind my home. It is peaceful, bright, and the perfect space for cooking, relaxing, entertaining, and spending time together. I also have a special room where I display some of the art and vintage pieces I've collected over the years. Upstairs is my home office, which I've made comfortable and inviting since I work remotely, along with my bedroom and the room I have already chosen for my future child—right next door to mine. There is also room to create a playroom as my family grows.

Outside, I have a deck, patio, and a large fenced backyard with plenty of room for Marley and the kids to run and play. One of the things I love most about this house is simply having room for the people I love. When my family visits, the kids spread out everywhere—on the couch in my office, in the guest rooms, downstairs in the living room, and out in the backyard—and I genuinely love having a house full of family. I chose this home with the future in mind, and I can already picture children's toys mixed in with Marley's, family dinners around the table, playtime in the backyard, holidays with relatives staying over, and all of the everyday moments that will turn this house into an even fuller home.





...and Community

I live in a peaceful, family-oriented community in North Georgia that I intentionally chose with my future family in mind. One of the things that drew me to the area was its highly rated schools, along with the many opportunities and activities available for children and families. My neighborhood is established, welcoming, and diverse, with tree-lined streets and sidewalks where I regularly walk Marley. Within the community, families can enjoy a swimming pool, tennis courts, a playground, and plenty of outdoor space, and I love seeing children outside playing and neighbors enjoying the community together. There are also parks, family activities, restaurants, shopping, and community events nearby, so there is always something to do without having to travel far. At the same time, we are close enough to a major city to enjoy museums, cultural experiences, sporting events, concerts, and other adventures. I love that my community offers the best of both worlds—a calm, comfortable place to call home with access to so many experiences just a short drive away.





Family is incredibly important to me, and I am blessed to have a very close and supportive family. I am the middle child and the only girl, with an older and younger brother, and we have remained close throughout our lives. My mom and I are especially close. We talk every day, often several times a day. I also have a wonderful relationship with my dad and both of my brothers. My sister-in-law is one of my closest friends, and I have two lifelong best friends who are truly more like sisters. Together, they are my tribe...the people I celebrate with, lean on, laugh with, travel with, and know I can count on through every season of life.

Being an aunt is also a very special part of my life. I am extremely close with my nieces and nephews, from my older nieces who are now young adults to the little ones who are all under eleven.



MEET MY FAMILY:



Large Family Love

I am fortunate to have family close to me in Georgia as well. My cousin Dandria, who is like a sister and best friend to me, lives about 15 minutes away with her husband, John, and their children, Ben (12) and Jade (10). I also have other cousins and extended family throughout the Atlanta area. Having family nearby was actually one of the things I loved about choosing this area as my home. My future child will have family both close by and just a short drive away, including grandparents, aunts and uncles, and lots of cousins of different ages to grow up with.

Time Together

My family truly believes in being a village for one another. We don't only see each other on holidays—we are part of each other's everyday lives. I regularly travel to Huntsville to spend time with my brothers and their families, sometimes staying for a week or more, and they visit me in Georgia as well. We spend major holidays together, plan family trips and summer gatherings, celebrate milestones, and make time for one another throughout the year.



My Faith

My faith in God is the foundation of my life and influences the way I make decisions, love others, and navigate both the joyful and difficult seasons of life. I want to introduce my child to God from an early age through prayer, Bible stories, church, and age-appropriate activities, but most importantly, I want to teach them through the example I set every day. I want them to see what faith looks like in real life—praying when we need guidance, thanking God for our blessings, trusting Him when we don't understand what is happening, loving and serving others, extending grace, and knowing that none of us has to be perfect. My hope is to give my child a strong spiritual foundation so that as they grow and experience life for themselves, they will have a faith they can return to for strength, peace, direction, and hope.

Education

Education is very important to me, and one of the reasons I chose my community was its highly rated public schools. During my child's first year, I plan to have care provided at home, and as they grow, I plan to enroll them in a quality daycare and preschool program before they begin public school. I believe education is about more than academics, and I value the social development that comes from being around other children—learning to make friends, communicate, work together, and become comfortable in a group setting. I want to be actively involved throughout my child's education while encouraging their individual strengths and interests. Most importantly, I want to raise a well-rounded, confident, and curious child and support them in pursuing the educational path and future that is right for them.

My Values

01. FAITH & FAMILY
02. LOVE & COMMUNICATION
03. HOLIDAYS & TRADITIONS
04. EXPEREINCES & GROWTH







Meet Marley

Marley is my two-year-old Yorkshire Terrier, and he is a playful, affectionate little guy with a big personality. He loves his toys, going for walks, playing, and being wherever the action is. He has been around my nieces and nephews since he was a puppy and is especially gentle and loving with the little ones. My youngest nephew was just a toddler when Marley first met him, and it has been so sweet watching the two of them together. Whenever the kids visit, Marley practically forgets about me—he wants to play with them, follow them around, and even sleep wherever they are! Pets are actually part of our larger family gatherings too, since my brothers have family dogs as well, and Marley loves playing with them. I can already picture a home filled with both children's toys and Marley's toys scattered around, with Marley happily right in the middle of it all.





This baby will be surrounded by love

My family and friends are incredibly excited to welcome a child into our lives. My mom is nearby and is a constant source of love and support, and my entire family is ready to embrace this child as another deeply loved member of our family. Although I will be their mother, I know I will never be raising my child alone. They will grow up surrounded by grandparents, uncles, an aunt, cousins, and close family friends who are already excited to love, encourage, celebrate, and support them throughout their life.





My Future



I hope to remain in my current home and community for many years. I chose both intentionally because I wanted a peaceful, family-oriented place where I could put down roots and have plenty of room to grow my family. My greatest hope for the future is that this adoption will be the beginning of that family. I would love to have at least two children and am open to what growing my family through adoption may ultimately look like. I look forward to building a life filled with family traditions, travel, new experiences, and everyday memories together—watching my children grow up surrounded by grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends who love them.



MORE THAN ANYTHING, I HOPE TO CREATE A HOME & FAMILY WHERE MY CHILDREN ALWAYS FEEL SECURE, ENCOURAGED, DEEPLY LOVED, & EXCITED ABOUT THE FUTURE.

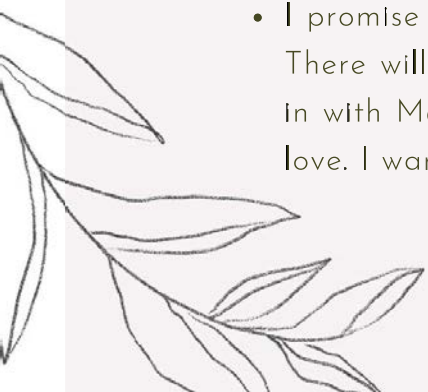






MY COMMITMENT *to you*

- I promise your child will always know their adoption story. Adoption will never be a secret, and I will speak about their story honestly, lovingly, and in ways that are appropriate as they grow.
- I promise to honor you and your place in your child's life. Your child will know that you are an important part of who they are, and I will always speak about you and their birth family with respect, compassion, and kindness.
- I promise to honor the openness we agree upon. I will make sharing updates, photos, milestones, and maintaining our relationship a priority, and I will approach that relationship with honesty, consistency, and respect.
- I promise to love and encourage your child for exactly who they are. I will give them opportunities to explore their interests, talents, culture, and identity and support them as they grow into their own unique person.
- I promise to give your child both roots and wings. They will grow up surrounded by faith, family, traditions, stability, and a village that loves them, while also having opportunities to travel, explore, learn, dream big, and experience the world around them.
- I promise to show up. Whether it's bedtime stories, school programs, doctor's appointments, field trips, sports, art projects, hard conversations, celebrations, or simply hearing about their day, I want your child to grow up knowing that Mom is there.
- I promise our home will have plenty of laughter and room for imperfection. There will be family dinners, cousins running through the house, toys mixed in with Marley's toys, holidays, adventures, mistakes, hard days, and lots of love. I want your child to always know that home is a safe place to land.







BEFORE - YOU GO -

Thank you for taking the time to get to know me, my family, and the life I hope to share with a child. As you make decisions about what you believe is best for you and your child, I pray that you are surrounded by support and that God gives you wisdom, strength, and peace. More than anything, I hope you feel respected throughout this process and know that there is no expectation from me about what your decision should be.

If you choose me to become your child's mother, I would receive that trust with tremendous gratitude and responsibility. Your child will grow up surrounded by faith, family, laughter, opportunity, and a village of people already excited to welcome them. They will also grow up knowing their story, knowing that you are an important part of it, and hearing you spoken of with love and respect. I am open to building a meaningful relationship with you through the years and honoring the openness we agree upon as our lives grow and change.

I have prayed for the child who may one day call me Mom, but I have also prayed for the woman who may make me a mother through adoption. Whatever you ultimately decide, I pray that you feel God's love, guidance, and peace as you take each next step.



- *Sharita*

You are

so loved.