

COLLIN & NICK





HELLO! WE ARE

Collin & Nick

THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE
TIME TO LEARN ABOUT US.

We can't fully understand what you're going through, but we have deep respect for the strength it takes to consider adoption. We hope that no matter what you decide, you feel confident in choosing what is best for you and your child. If you choose adoption, **we want you to know that your child would be loved, supported, and celebrated every single day.** **We believe adoption is rooted in love,** and we are open to building a relationship with you in whatever way feels most comfortable to you.

Our goal is to raise a child in a home filled with warmth, curiosity and adventure, where they feel safe, encouraged, and free to be exactly who they are. Thank you again for considering us. We are wishing you strength, peace, and clarity as you move forward.

our story

WE MET ONLINE
BY CHANCE
OVER 10 YEARS
AGO, AND FROM
OUR VERY FIRST
CONVERSATION,
EVERYTHING
FELT EASY AND
NATURAL.

What started as a simple “hello” quickly turned into hours of talking and getting to know each other. We had breakfast on our first date and haven’t looked back since. Four years ago, we were married in St. Croix, surrounded by our closest family and friends. It was one of the most meaningful days of our lives.





EVERY DAY
BEGINS AND
ENDS THE
SAME WAY...
WITH “I
LOVE YOU”
AND A KISS.

Eleven years later, that feeling hasn't faded; it's only grown deeper, stronger, and more certain. From the very first moment we met, we both just knew...

OVER THE YEARS,
WE'VE GROWN
STRONGER AS
A TEAM.

Whether we're climbing mountains in Montana or scuba diving in the Cayman Islands, we are grateful to be taking the journey side by side. **Through it all, we've built a relationship bound by love and support.**



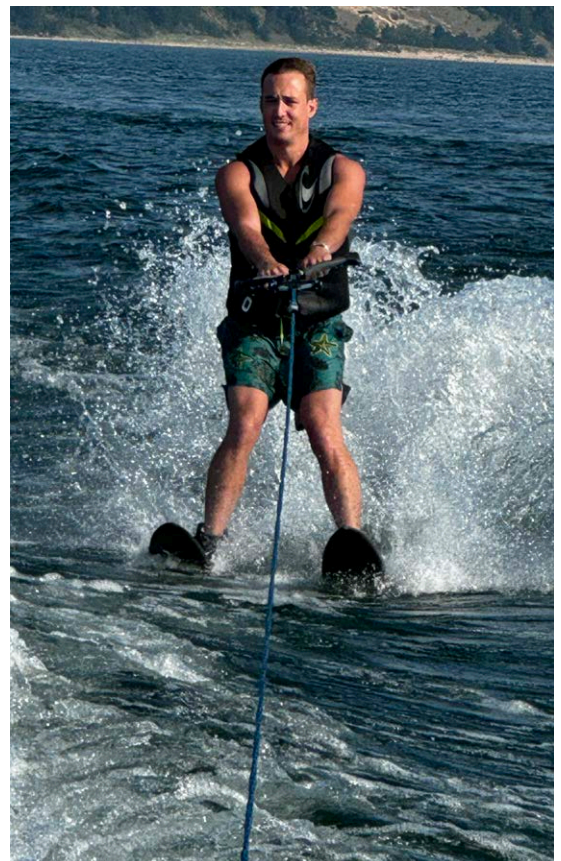
COLLIN



I am Collin, and I work as an engineer for a company that makes ovens. I've lived in Wisconsin my whole life which has shaped my appreciation for nature and the outdoors. I enjoy staying active, working on landscaping projects, and spending time with our dogs. I also enjoy making people laugh and building meaningful connections with others. My mother was a stay at home mom and is my role model. Her commitment and presence has inspired me to follow in her path and be a stay at home father. She showed me what it is to give everything for your children and I hope to do the same for mine.

what Nick LOVES BEST about Collin

Collin and I have been together for over 11 years and married 4. When I am with him, time feels like it stands still. I simply love every moment. He is handsome, kind and outgoing. When I am nervous to do something he is grabbing my hand and leading the way. His appreciation for nature and animals has changed my life. I used to be afraid of bugs and would resist the thought of camping outside. Now it's one of our main paths to a vacation. He has exposed me to the wonders of nature and opened my eyes to things I never thought existed.





NICK

I am Nick, and I'm passionate about my career. I've loved event production since I was young, starting with lighting for theater and church, and now I produce events for major corporations and sports teams. I love to travel and stay active, whether that's planning full, adventurous trips or spending time golfing, kayaking, hiking, or out on the water.

what Collin
LOVES BEST
about Nick

Nick got me with his charm and good looks but I quickly realized there was so much more to him. He puts passion and care into everything he does. He is a planner and makes sure we are prepared for every situation. We now have every tool and accessory under the sun. Nick is smart and creative, finding clever solutions to any problem. Most of all Nick is a loving, caring, responsible husband who encourages me to be a better person. I am grateful any child of ours would have the same guiding light for a father.



a few of our
**FAVORITE
THINGS**



WE ENJOY SPENDING TIME
OUTDOORS, especially camping at state
parks where we hike, kayak, bike, and
relax by the fire. In the summer, we enjoy
being out on our boat, and in the winter,
Nick skis while Collin snowboards.

WE ALSO ENJOY QUIETER MOMENTS
playing board games with friends and
family, cooking meals together, or
relaxing at home with a movie or a good
book. Staying active and eating well are
important parts of our lifestyle.



Our Home & Community



We live in a quiet suburb outside of Milwaukee Wisconsin with a strong sense of community and excellent schools. The neighborhood is diverse and welcoming to all walks of life which makes us feel safe bringing a child into our life from a different background. Our home is a two-story, three-bedroom house with a large fenced yard and a basketball court that is perfect for playtime and outdoor fun.

Nature surrounds us. There's a nearby river where you can spot cranes, deer, beavers and even eagles. We have several parks within walking distance with playgrounds and trails. There is also a nature preserve and bike paths close by.

Our area is full of life, with local festivals, fairs, and farmers markets throughout the year. We're also lucky to live within an hour of both of our families, who are a big part of our lives.



We have two dogs

LASKO & MILO

that we love dearly.
Our pups are spoiled and
get two walks a day, rain or
shine, not to mention plenty
of cuddles. They travel
with us everywhere and are
always on watch to keep us
safe. They bond well with
our nieces and nephews who
are usually hanging
on them when they
see each other.





NICK'S FAMILY

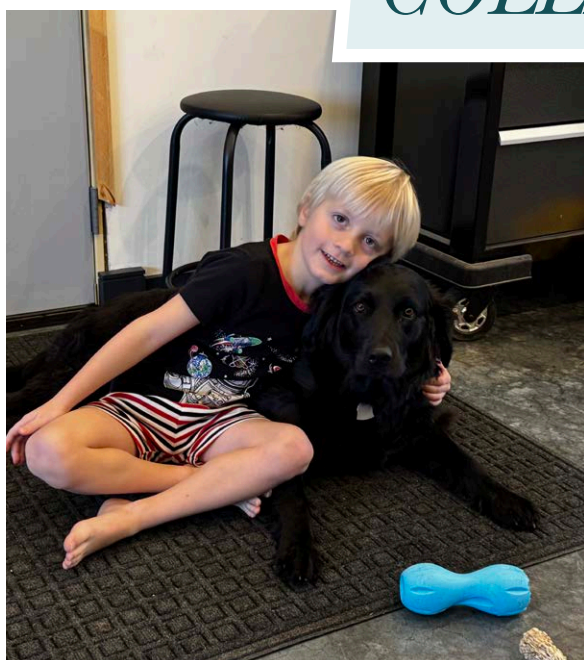


I come from a large family and am the youngest of five siblings. Growing up we were always active and on the move.

Fast forward to today and my siblings each have their own children. I am a proud uncle to 5 nieces and nephews with another one on the way. We see my family at least once a month and spend most major holidays together. We all are very close and our child will get to experience all the traditions and vacations we do year in and out.



COLLIN'S FAMILY



My family is a lively bunch that care deeply about each other.

I have one older brother who lives in Michigan with his wife and their four rambunctious children. We get together every Christmas and a few other times throughout the year. We're typically playing cards or board games. My brother usually tries to get a game of monopoly going. My father is retired and lives an hour north of us with his wife. He would do anything to help his family and is a detailed handyman. Since he is close by we can get together often for dinners or to walk about a festival.



MAKING MEMORIES

Our home is known for having festive decorations during the holidays.

For Halloween we put up a big spider web with giant spiders and for Christmas we have the roof lined with lights.

Nick's family hosts major holidays like Easter, Thanksgiving & Christmas.

Holidays are centered around great food and time together. They also enjoy summer cookouts, trips to the zoo, and time on the water.

We enjoy traveling & make it a priority to take one large trip each year.

We've found ourselves on the beaches of Florida, snowmobiling in Colorado, exploring New Orleans, shows in Las Vegas, whale watching in Cape Cod. The only thing we feel missing is a child to share these experiences with.

Collin's family loves board games, cards, & especially cooking together.

Sometimes we'll spend all day cooking one big meal, cleaning up, then starting on the next one.

OUR PROMISE TO YOU

Our promise is to raise a child who feels deeply loved, supported, and encouraged to be themselves. We will provide opportunities to explore their interests, build confidence, and grow into a kind and curious person. We would be honored to share this journey with you in whatever way feels right. If at first you need time, our door is always open for you to find out about your child. We can send photo updates, letters or arrange a meet up if you are interested.

We are grateful for the opportunity to share a glimpse into our lives and what matters most to us. Thank you again for considering us.

*With love,
Nick & Collin*



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