





Hello

Thank you so much for taking a peek into our lives! We hope this book allows you to get to know us a little better. This must be such a difficult decision for you, but we are honored that you are taking the time to consider us as adoptive parents. We have always wanted to have kids and are excited to grow our family through adoption. We plan on always being open with your child. They will always know where they came from and we will answer any questions they will have. We will let them know they were adopted out of love and that you can always be a part of their life.

With love,

Kim and Adam











aboutus

KIM AND ADAM'S STORY

Adam caught Kim's eye through online dating in 2017. She decided to message him despite the fact that he went to her rival college. While we went on regular dates over the first few months, we really learned about each other on desert road trips with our dogs and cross country/ocean flights with friends and family. What better way to learn about someone than being crammed in a long-distance car ride or flight!

On Valentines Day 2019 we traveled to New Orleans to embark on a cruise. It was at dinner the first night that Adam surprised Kim with a marriage proposal on a restaurant balcony while a local jazz musician played on the street below.. Two years after our first date, in November 2019, we were married in Arizona amongst all our loved ones.







a little about

KIM

Kim was born in New Jersey and moved to Arizona when she was 6. In grade school she was in Girl Scouts, played soccer, tennis and ran track. During high school she was part of the marching band where she played trumpet. She loves dogs, anything that gets her outdoors and baseball. She has had season tickets to the Diamondbacks with her dad since their opening year when she was just 15. When it is too hot to be outside Kim likes to read, go to movies and swim in their backyard pool.

Age: 39 Occupation: Home Maker Education: Bachelors Siblings: 1 brother



favorite things

Color: Teal Food: Burritos & donuts (not together!) Vacation: NYC Season: Fall Actor: Tom Hanks TV Show: Friends

a little about

ADAM

Adam was born and raised in Cleveland, Ohio. Growing up, he was very active in sports playing baseball, basketball, soccer and tennis. A memorable highlight was being a part of a high school tennis team that won the state title. After graduating high school, he moved out west to Arizona for college. After a brief stint back in Ohio, Adam finally settled in Phoenix, AZ in 2010.



favorite things

Color: Green Food: burger, pizza, Italian. Vacation: Beaches Sports team: Dbacks, any Cleveland team Dessert: Pizookie Activity: Hiking

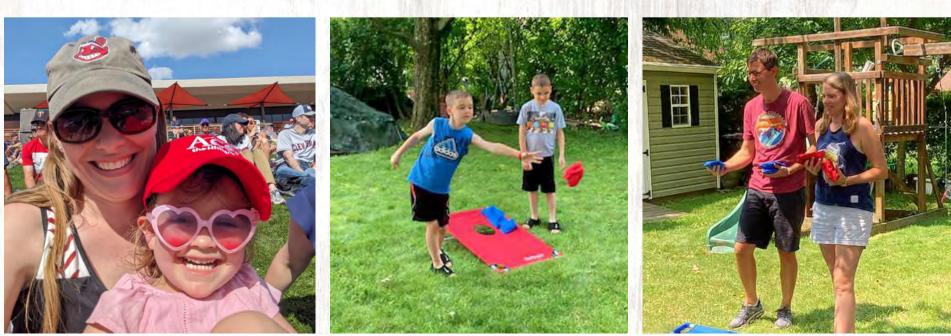


Age: 41 Occupation: College Administration Education: M.B.A. Siblings: 1 sister



HOW ADAM THINKS OF KIM

Kim is my partner-in-crime in life. When we first met I was of course drawn to her smile and good looks. Through the years we have built trust through the ups and downs in life. I couldn't think of another person I would want to laugh, cry, learn, travel, and relax with. She will be a great mom not only from her past child care experience, but with her naturally caring instincts.



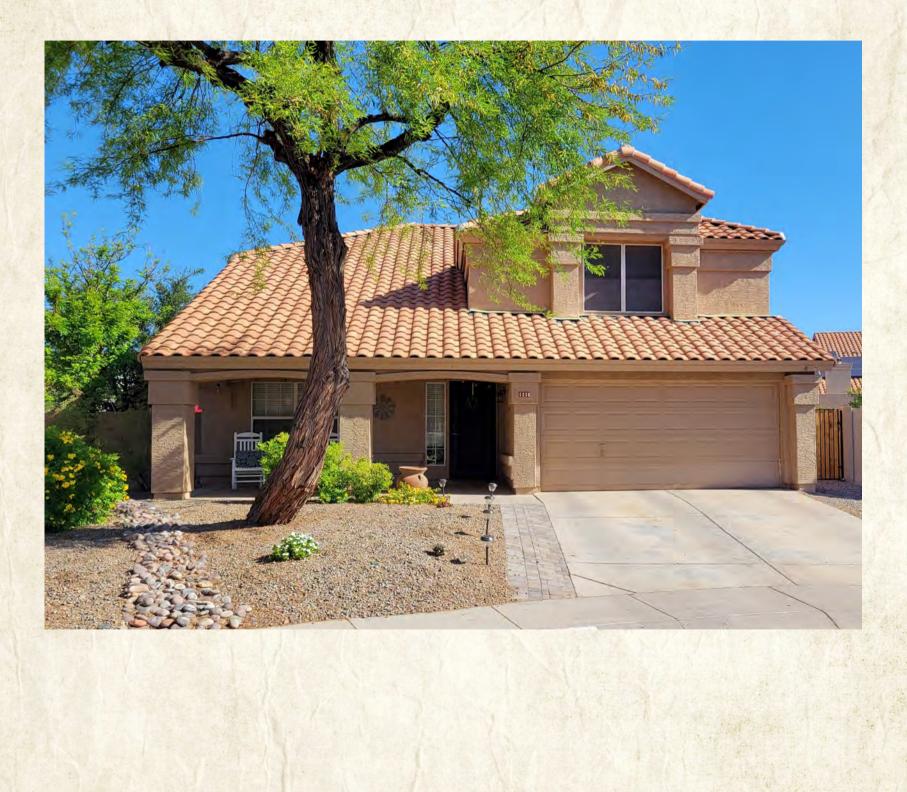


HOW KIM THINKS OF ADAM

Not only is Adam a very tall, handsome, funny man but he is the nicest person I have ever met. Adam is very laid back and a go with the flow kind of man. Adam never fails to make me smile and make the days fun. He is great with children. Between watching him with our nephews and seeing how my friends' children play with him, I know he will be a great dad.



OUR home AND NEIGHBORHOOD



SWEET HOME

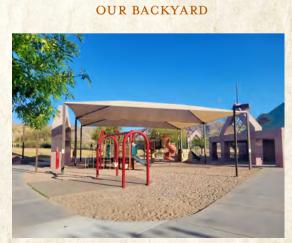


We bought our first house together in summer of 2020. We fell in love with the big backyard, pool, and that it is located in a cul de sac. Right behind our house is the neighborhood elementary school. We have friendly neighbors who have become our friends. We often have little get togethers where all the kids can run around and play. Our house is located just a few miles from Kim's childhood home where her parents still live. Just down the street is a large community park with a playground and sports fields. It also hosts many community events where we have gone and enjoyed local music festivals.



OUR POOL





COMMUNITY PARK

Our Furry Friends



Our families have always been animal lovers, especially for dogs. We have three of our own. Kim came into the relationship with her Queensland Heeler mix, Ozzie, and Adam came in with his Australian Shepherd mix, Sydney. We recently rescued Millie. We love to travel with them and take them on adventures when we are able. We know that your child will love their cuddly personalities. Ozzie, Sydney, and Millie will love and protect your child like they do for us.







ANNIVERSARY DANCE WITH OUR

PARENTS AT OUR WEDDING



ADAM'S DAD DON & MOM EMILY



NEPHEWS SAM & DAVID



ADAM'S EXTENDED

ADAM'S SISTER BARB & HUSBAND CHUCK

4TH OF JULY IN PITTSBURGH WITH ADAMS FAMILY







Adam's parents split time in Cleveland, Ohio and Tucson, AZ during the year. Adam also has an older sister who lives in Pittsburgh with her husband and twin 10 year-old boys. We love to visit each other as often as we can!

KIM'S COUSINS & GRANDPA ON

DAD'S SIDE



KIM'S BROTHER BRIAN, MOM PAT

AND DAD JIM



KIM'S UNCLE & FAMILY ON

DAD'S SIDE



KIM'S EXTENDED

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KIM'S AUNT & FAMILY MOM'S SIDE

KIM'S UNCLE & AUNT ON DAD'S SIDE





KIM'S AUNT & UNCLE DAD'S SIDE



Kim's family were all born in New Jersey and moved to Arizona when Kim was in 1st grade. They still like to go and visit family back east. Kim and Adams parents have both been in loving marriages for over 40 years.

GOOD with GOOD FRIENDS









ADAM'S FRIENDS FROM ANNUAL SUMMER BBQ WITH KIM'S OUR VOLLEYBALL TEAM COLLEGE FRIENDS OF 20+ YEARS

Both Adam and Kim have people in their lives that they have been friends with for over 20 years. Your child will have many "aunts and uncles" in their lives that will always be there for them.



ADAM'S FRIENDS OF 20+ YEARS



DISNEYLAND WITH KIM'S BEST FRIENDS



KIM'S FRIEND FROM 8TH GRADE AND HER FAMILY



We love to travel and are working on visiting all 50 states together. Kim and her dad have been traveling since she was in high school to visit every MLB ballpark. They have been to 19 of the 30 parks and Adam joined in this tradition in 2018. We hope to continue our love for travel with your child!

DISNEYLAND



HIKING HAVASUPAI

SEATTLE MARINERS GAME



BAHAMAS

HAWAII





SEDONA WITH FAMILY





CATALINA ISLAND CRUISE STOP



FAMILY TRADITIONS



- * Sunday dinners at Kim's parents house.
- * Making Christmas cookies and traditional Scottish Empire Biscuits (in honor of Kim's grandpa).
- * Summer trips to visit Adam's sister and family in Pittsburgh.
- * Dinner every June at the place we first met.

SUNDAY DINNER AT KIM'S PARENTS'

MAKING OREO TRUFFLES



CROCHETING WITH MOM



REENACTING OUR FIRST DATE



READY FOR TRICK OR TREATERS





Our promise to you ...

We promise to love and nurture your child. They will be surrounded by so many people who will love them and alway be there. We will show them the world and give them lots of experiences and knowledge. Our goal is to make sure that your child is educated so that they have the skills in life to follow their passion, whatever that may be! We promise that we will keep you updated on your child's well-being. Their adoption story will be celebrated and an openly talked about part of their life.









Thank you for taking the time to learn more about us. We hope to meet you soon!

