



INTRODUCING

*Kelly
and
Kevin*

"Family is not an important thing. It's everything."

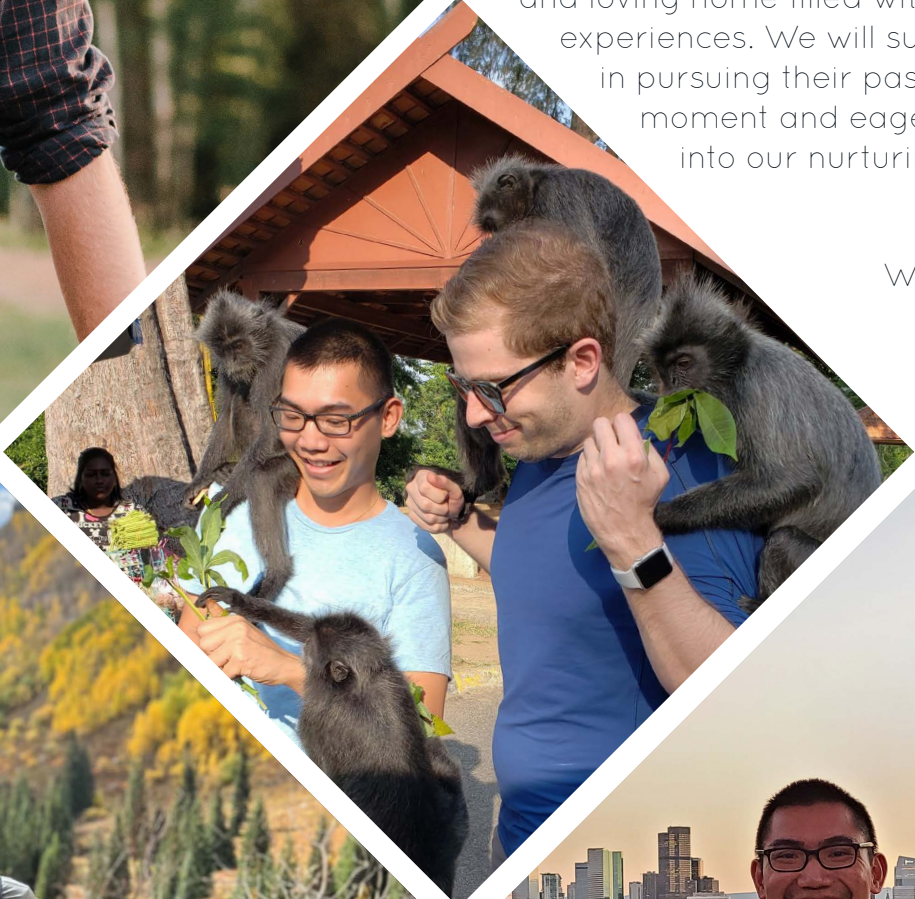


DEAR FRIEND,

Thank you for considering us to adopt your child. We are excited to introduce them to the wonders of Virginia - from cherry blossoms to hiking trails, DC monuments, museums, and diverse cuisine. If you choose us, we promise to be honest and open about their adoption. Your child will know they have two loving dads and the love from you. We'll create a positive environment where they can learn about their history and maintain a connection with you. We enjoy capturing our adventures through photos and would love to share them with you. We admire your courage and selflessness on this adoption journey. Although we can never fully comprehend its challenges, we'll be forever grateful if chosen. Your baby will grow up in a caring and loving home filled with laughter, love, and exciting experiences. We will support them every step of the way in pursuing their passions. We're prepared for this moment and eagerly await welcoming your baby into our nurturing home.

With Love,

Kelly & Kevin



ABOUT US

Like many modern-day romances, we met on Tinder. For us, it is a story about finding love at the perfect time. Kelly got his dream job that required him to move to Denver. A week later Kevin quit his traveling job and moved to Denver in hopes of finding love. Neither of us had friends in the city, but we were lucky enough to immediately find each other.

We met in Denver, got engaged in the Sahara Desert, married in Rocky Mountain

National Park and moved to Virginia due to an exciting promotion for Kelly. We love to explore new restaurants, browse free museums in DC, volunteer, hike, play board games and spend time with family and friends.

Food and adventure brought us together, and we can't wait to keep building more memories.

"Soulmates with a taste for adventure."



about Kelly

IN KEVIN'S WORDS

Kelly is my husband, my best friend, and the one I want to share all of life's experiences. I've always admired his ability to stay positive when things go wrong. Our first trip to Paris was filled with rain and I was devastated, but Kelly kept finding ways to keep us dry and still having fun. He's the smartest person I know, and the one that I trust to solve any problems that come our way. The best part is he never fails to put a smile on my face while doing so. Whether it's dancing around the room or cracking the worst puns because he knows it'll make me laugh.

I love the way he gushes over our niece. He has the biggest heart of anyone I know and I can't wait to see the amazing father he becomes. I'm anxiously waiting for the day that he choreographs a special dance with the little one to cheer me up and I can already see the two of them goofing around in the kitchen trying to cook special meals.

MORE ABOUT KELLY

Age: 35

Occupation: Hotel Manager

Favorite Movie: Bridesmaids

Favorite Place: Anywhere with a good hike

Can't Live Without: My friends and family

My Perfect Day: Morning hike with Kevin and then a relaxing evening cooking dinner.

"Kelly is the only one who can keep me calm and laughing as we navigate this crazy life together"
-Kevin



about Kevin

IN KELLY'S WORDS

Kevin always strives to make sure our life is full of happiness and memories. He is highly organized and constantly on the lookout for new activities. One of my favorite things about Kevin is his sense of humor.

He likes to be silly and makes sure we have a good laugh every day. He is always my favorite person to experience life with.

When you meet Kevin, you will notice how kind and caring he is. He goes out of his way to make sure that everyone else is comfortable and he has so much compassion. Kevin keeps our life full of adventure, family, and fun. I can already imagine Kevin including our little one in his dances around the living room, making your baby laugh as he gives voices to their stuffed animals and sharing his love of hugs. He is going to be an amazing dad!

MORE ABOUT KEVIN

Age: 31

Occupation: Human Resources

Favorite Movie: Lilo and Stitch (Ohana means Family!)

Favorite Place: Denver, Colorado (Where we fell in love)

Can't Live Without: Sharing a delicious meal with family and friends every now and then!

My Perfect Day: A morning hike, exploring a new restaurant and a new part of town and playing board games with friends.

"Kevin will always make sure we do not miss anything- this keeps us prepared and having fun."
-Kelly



our extended family

Kelly grew up in a small close-knit family in Wisconsin. Kelly's sister just has a baby girl, and she can't wait to have a cousin to share her toys with. Every year we get together with the extended family at the cabin to eat delicious brats and catch up on life. We are lucky to travel and see our niece often and we love watching her grow up

Kevin grew up with over 15 uncles/aunts and more cousins than he can count. We're lucky enough to have family all over the states - from California to Texas, to Wisconsin to New York. We love visiting them and they love visiting us in Virginia. Admittedly, our favorite part about visiting them is all the food Kevin's mom feeds us. She makes the best Vietnamese food and even packs weeks' worth of food for us to take home.



Family trip to Scottsdale



Learning to slide



Touring the cherry blossoms



Family Christmas



We love our niece



Family time at the cabin



Family and food



Christmas cousin outing



Exploring local Restaurants



Our local park

OUR HOME AND COMMUNITY

Our home is our safe space, and it's constantly filled with love and laughter. Kevin spends his day working from home. He has a desk in the guest bedroom, but spends most of his time on the phone in meetings, cleaning the apartment, and doing laundry. His flexible job will be perfect when it comes to taking care of a child. Kelly comes home in the evening, and that's when family time starts. We can't wait to add a child to our daily routines – walking around the neighborhood, eating delicious food, and snuggling on the couch.

On Saturdays, our neighborhood has a farmers' market that we have become regulars at. Your child will be able to try new, fresh food and take part in this community. We are lucky to have neighbors who are friendly, outgoing, and have growing families of their own. Their kids play in the building's outdoor space and we are excited to join the fun with your child.



Relaxing with Elba



Cooking dinner

OUR FRIENDS

Our friends are our extended family! We're also lucky enough to have a cousin and our best friends in Washington DC. We love hosting dinner parties and playing board games with them. They're only a short Uber away, and are already giving us baby books and gifts. Our friends and family are excitedly waiting to visit and set up playdates.



Best friends



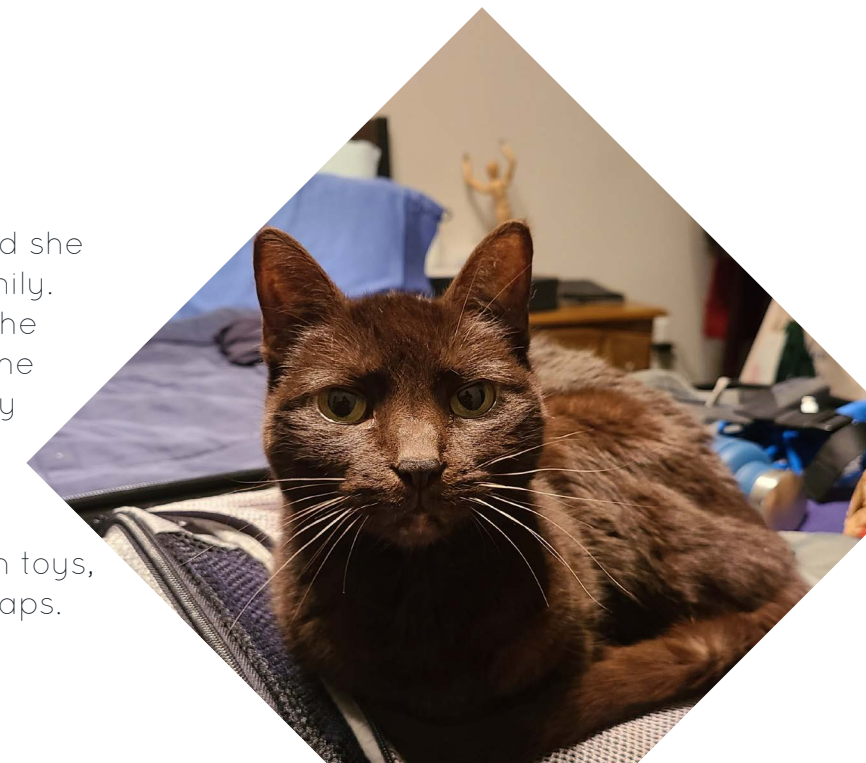
Reading with the kiddos



Wedding fun

OUR CAT, ELBA

Our Cat, Elba, is a 13-year-old rescue and she views herself as the protector of our family. Kelly's mom rescued Elba for him when he had moved away from home because she didn't want him going home to an empty apartment. She has always been a friendly loving ally who wants to be pet at all times. Elba is great with kids and babies. Her hobbies include playing with toys, napping in the sun, and purring on our laps.





why adoption

Both of us have such a huge soft spot for our families and have always wanted to start a family of our own. One of the most important topics on our first date, other than our mutual love for Harry Potter, was that we both wanted to have children. It's been 6 years in the making, and we feel like now is the right time. We've traveled the world, settled down in Virginia, saved enough money, and are more in love than ever before.

We love kids of all ages, but we chose to go with domestic adoption because we wanted to have all the memories and experiences of raising a newborn. We know it's going to be a challenging journey, but we can't wait to have a child in our home. Hear their first laugh, see their first steps and shower them with love.



WE PROMISE:

- ◆ to love your child unconditionally and to always have their best interest in mind.
- ◆ to support your wishes about your involvement in their future and incorporate traditions you value in your baby's life.
- ◆ to always provide a loving and safe home.
- ◆ to draw on our upbringing and make sure your baby is able to see the world, experience its different cultures, and develop a strong work ethic.
- ◆ they will know your love and always be loved by us and our family.

FUN FACTS ABOUT

kelly & kevin



Neither of us are bakers but we are sure to make a batch of Christmas cookies every year.



We love to travel and take one international trip a year to learn and explore.



Our goal is to go try to fit in a hike every weekend that we can.



Kelly cooks the best dan dan noodles.



We celebrate Lunar New Year.



We love weekend getaways to explore local small towns.



Kelly loves to run and has finished a marathon.

Kevin loves to volunteer and was part of the Big Brother Big Sister program.



We enjoy our nights in ordering pizza and watching a Marvel movie.



Kevin loves Disney and never misses an opportunity to plan a trip to Disney World or Disneyland.



thank you

Thank you for taking a look through our profile to learn about us. We are grateful for your consideration on this difficult decision. We have so much love to give and are lucky to have family and friends who will support us and our future child. If you decide that we are right for you, know that it would be our honor to welcome you and your child into our family.

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