



Leanne and Nathan





## We are Leanne and Nathan



**We deeply respect your journey and the loving decisions you are considering for your child.**

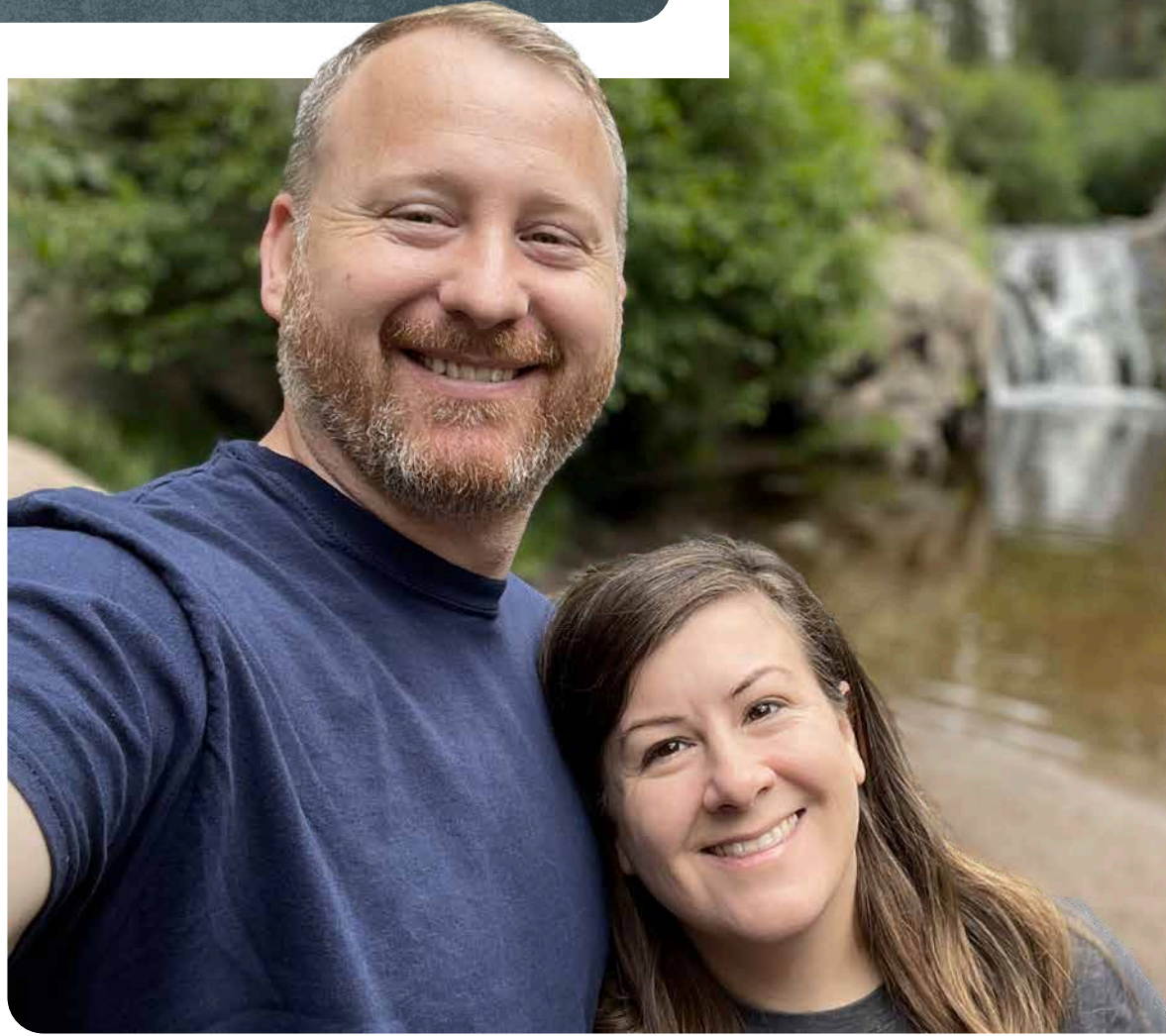
Becoming parents has always been our dream. Although we faced fertility challenges, these experiences led us to the beautiful path of adoption. This journey has renewed our hope and excitement about bringing a child into our lives.

*to me,  
you are perfect*



At a movie in the park date

Adopting your child would be an incredible honor for us. We look forward to the memories, laughter, and even the challenges of parenting, believing firmly that every moment would enrich our lives. Our promise is to surround our child with love, support, and encouragement, helping them grow into their best self in a stable and joyful home. Thank you for considering us and learning more about who we are. We are immensely grateful for your consideration and hopeful for the opportunity to share more of our lives with you.





Camping in Palo Duro Canyon

15 mile kayak trip



# Our Story

We met online and quickly realized we were meant to be together. Nathan proposed at the same restaurant where we had our first date, and after seven months of dating we got married in an intimate backyard setting with close friends and family. Now, three years later, our relationship has grown even stronger, and we consider ourselves to be not just spouses but each other's best friends. We have a deep bond built on common interests, shared faith, values, and our quirky sense of humor. We love exploring the outdoors through hiking, camping, and kayaking, and cherish quality time with our family and friends and relaxing at home with our dogs.

We can't wait to share our adventures, love, and lives with a child, and provide them with a warm, loving, and fun-filled home.



## OUR VALUES

Our lives are rooted in faith, family, and love. Open communication is important to us, and we make it a priority to address any concerns honestly and with empathy. We appreciate spending quality time together, whether it's an evening at home or adventure outdoors. We're naturally curious and love learning new things, always aiming to approach life with gratitude and a thoughtful heart. We deeply value having a strong character and moral compass, and believe in living with integrity, striving to do what's right even when it's not the easiest path. Our goal is to lead by example and instill these values in a way that will guide our child throughout their life.



# Leanne

By Nathan

Leanne is the heart and soul of our family. She loves spending time with family and going hiking, especially in the mountains and national parks. One of her dream vacations is hiking through Glacier National Park in Montana. Our nieces and nephews adore her; they all think she's the best aunt and she's always playing games and thinking of fun crafts to do with them. Leanne works in sales analytics, where her keen attention to detail and sharp analytical skills shine. But more than anything, she wants to be a mother, and I know she will be the best, giving our child all of her love and affection. She is incredibly kind and full of love for her family and friends, always there for us no matter what. Her warmth and sincerity light up our home, and her adventurous spirit makes every moment special.

I feel incredibly lucky to share my life with her and can't wait to see her as a mother, creating a loving, nurturing and joyful home for our child.



Fun at Bolder Adventure Park with our nieces





Mojo loves hiking with us

We recently started growing herbs



Practicing loom knitting a blanket

## Leanne's Fun Facts



**FAVORITE CHILDREN'S BOOK**  
I'll Always Love You

**FAVORITE SEASON**  
Fall

**FAVORITE DESSERT**  
Pie

**FAVORITE SPORT'S TEAM**  
The Dallas Cowboys

**FAVORITE VACATION SPOT**  
The mountains

**FAVORITE CHEAT MEAL**  
Pizza

**FAVORITE SEASONAL ACTIVITY**  
Making homemade desserts with the family at Christmas time

**FAVORITE FLOWER**  
Tulip

**FAVORITE DISNEY MOVIE**  
Aladdin

**COLLECTION**  
Mugs from places we've visited

# Nathan

By Leanne

Nathan is incredibly loving, loyal, and thoughtful. He has a calming presence, even when things can be stressful, and is one of the most supportive people I know. One of my favorite things about him is his fun-loving spirit and sense of humor, and how he would do anything to make me laugh, even if that means embarrassing himself. He is also a hit with our nieces and nephews, and often thinks of ways to entertain and have fun with them, like bringing water guns to family vacations or teaching them to build marshmallow shooters. Nathan has become the go-to tech support for both of our families. Whenever there is a computer issue, Nathan can solve it. He loves tinkering with things, taking things apart and putting them back together, and has a wide range of skills that come in handy around the house.

I am so excited to see Nathan become a father. I know that he will be a very hands-on, play-on-the floor kind of dad. He has a deep desire to be a parent and to share his knowledge and passions on to the next generation.



Ice cream is Nathan's favorite





New Hampshire hike views



Kayaking with our niece on a family vacation



Practicing with our 3D printer



Grilling chicken thighs for the week

## Nathan's Fun Facts



**FAVORITE CHILDREN'S BOOK**  
Just Me and My Mom

**FAVORITE SEASON**  
Spring

**FAVORITE DESSERT**  
Ice cream

**FAVORITE OUTDOOR ACTIVITY**  
Kayaking

**FAVORITE AUTHOR**  
Ayn Rand

**FAVORITE MEAL**  
Pot roast and mashed potatoes

**FAVORITE SOURCE OF INSPIRATION**  
My family

**FAVORITE MUSICAL ARTIST**  
Gregory Alan Isakov

**FAVORITE DISNEY MOVIE**  
Pinocchio

**DREAM JOB**  
Park Ranger



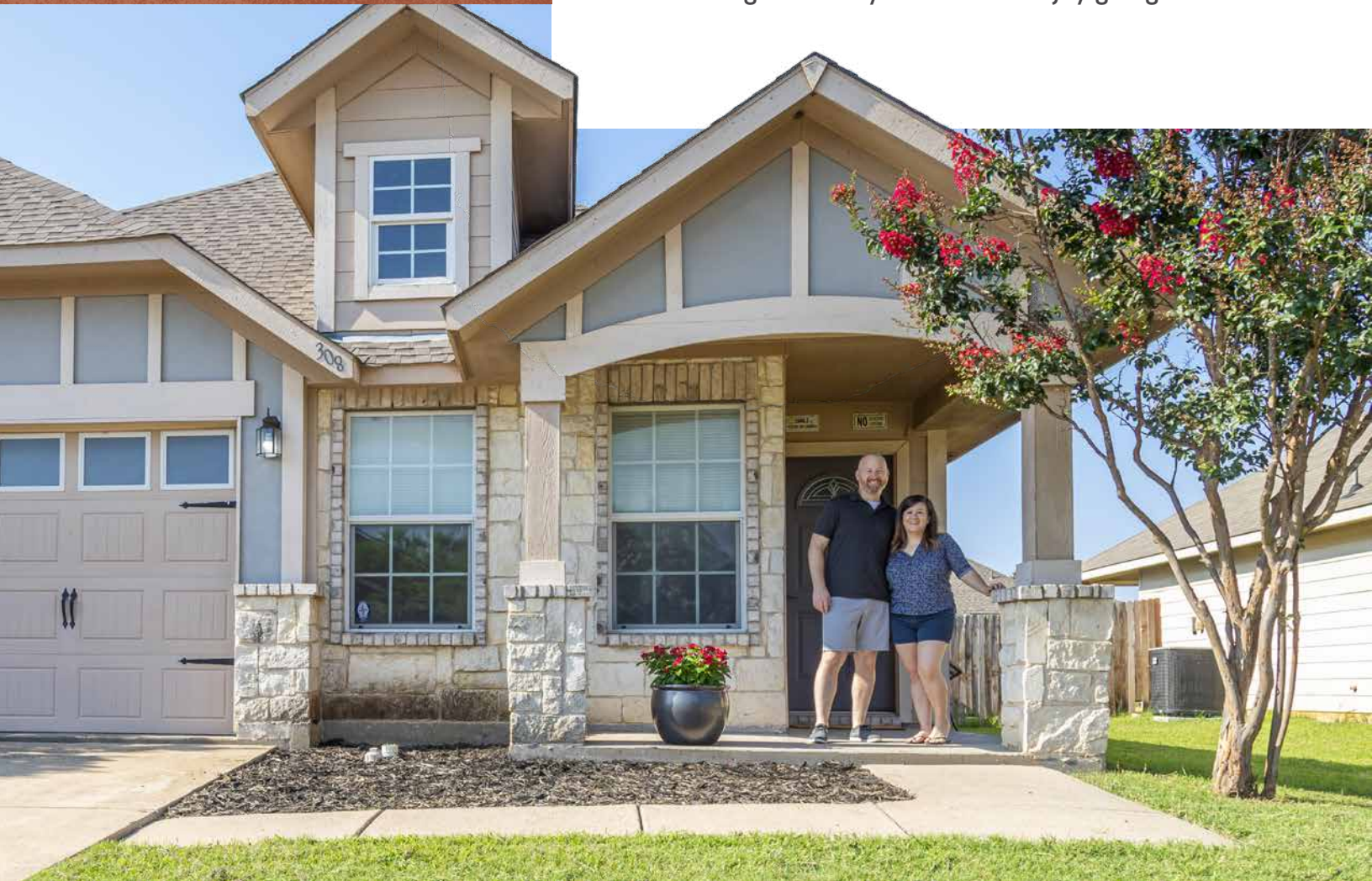
We both enjoy smoothies



Doing yard work together

# Our Home

We live in Fort Worth, where Leanne has lived most of her life. Our house is just a fifteen-minute drive from Leanne's parents, her sister's family, and from work. We love Fort Worth because it offers all the amenities of a big city while maintaining a laid-back atmosphere. Our neighborhood is quiet and safe, perfect for walks with our dogs. It has a small community feel but is still close to downtown Fort Worth, the Fort Worth Stockyards, the cultural district, and several parks and farmers markets. We're also close to Burleson's Old Town, which has a distinct charm. There is a plaza where kids can run and play, and there are lots of fun events held there throughout the year that we enjoy going to.





## TEXAS TRADITION

One of our annual traditions is attending the Texas State Fair. Nathan has been going since he was a child, and we've continued the tradition together every year since we met. We enjoy watching the shows, exploring the exhibits, and trying all the new fair foods, with Nathan's favorite being the turkey leg.



We all made it to the top



## Our Pets



We have two dogs, a 13-year-old shepherd named MJ and a 4-year-old pug named Mojo. We enjoy taking them for walks, car rides, and playing with them at home.

They bring so much joy to our lives and we love to include them in our adventures.



MOJO



MJ



Axe throwing birthday shenanigans with Leanne's family

# Our Family

Nathan has two brothers and two sisters. His mom is extremely loving and playful, cherishing family traditions and spending time with all of her children. Despite their different personalities, Nathan and his siblings are tight-knit and always there for each other. We enjoy playing board games, having pool parties, and hosting BBQs together. There is always plenty of laughter and never a dull moment.

Leanne has one older sister who she is very close with. Her parents are stable, dependable, supportive and give some of the best advice. Leanne's mom was born in New Zealand, and we often have family come to visit us in Texas. We love to spend time with them, show them around, and learn more about New Zealand culture. Leanne's dad is one of the elders in the church and his parents are well respected in the church community. Some of the things we enjoy doing together are going camping in her parents RV, going fishing, and doing fun things together that the kids enjoy.



Leanne's mom and sister are so important to her



Celebrating Thanksgiving



Nathan's side on our wedding day

Nathan's sister hosts a lot of pool parties



## TIME TOGETHER

We get together a lot in each other's houses for meals, celebrations, holidays and just to be together.



With our youngest niece Rose



Bubble run with our niece



## MEET HANNE

Nathan has a 9-year-old daughter named Hanne who lives in Norway with her mom. Hanne is a sweet and caring child who enjoys spending time with her cousins and loves playing outside in the snow. Though they live far apart, Nathan cherishes the time they have spent together through letters and video calls.



# On Parenting



Our desire to have children comes from a deep place in our hearts, rooted in our belief that family is one of life's greatest blessings. We look forward to sharing our lives with a child and creating a home where they feel safe, cherished, and free to be themselves. We are committed to fostering an environment that encourages play and creativity. We believe that making mistakes and learning from them is essential for building self-confidence and emotional resilience, so we will support our child as they navigate these experiences. We believe that actions speak louder than words, so we plan to lead by example, setting clear rules and establishing family routines to provide stability and structure. Our focus is on being present and attentive, ensuring our child feels heard, valued, and supported. We aspire to instill strong values, nurture a love of learning, and create joyful memories together. Above all, our aim is to guide our child to grow into a compassionate and confident individual, ready to embrace all of life's adventures.

We promise to honor you in this journey. We will always speak about adoption with love and respect, ensuring our child knows their story and the special way they came into our lives. Our goal is to create an open and supportive environment where our child feels proud of their background and the love that surrounds them from all sides.

Day date at the stockyards





**FATHER'S NAME**  
Nathan

**OCCUPATION**  
System Administrator

**EDUCATION**  
Associates

**RELIGION**  
Christian

**DATE OF BIRTH**  
3/23/83

**HAIR COLOR**  
Blonde

**EYE COLOR**  
Blue

**HEIGHT**  
6'0"



**MOTHER'S NAME**  
Leanne

**OCCUPATION**  
Senior BI Engineer

**EDUCATION**  
Bachelors

**RELIGION**  
Christian

**DATE OF BIRTH**  
6/3/85

**HAIR COLOR**  
Brown

**EYE COLOR**  
Brown

**HEIGHT**  
5'0"

# Family Information

**Date of marriage:** 7/11/21

**Children:** Hanne, 2/13/15, biological child of Nathan, lives in Norway, enjoys card games and playing outside with her cousins

**Interests and hobbies:** We enjoy exploring the outdoors together, spending time with friends, family and our dogs. Nathan likes 3D printing and woodworking in his free time and Leanne enjoys baking and cycling.

**Home:** We live in a 3-bedroom house in a small neighborhood in Fort Worth, close to our friends and family.

**Pets:** We have two dogs, MJ, a 13-year-old shepherd, and Mojo, a 4-year-old pug.

**Why are you interested in building your family through adoption?** We have always wanted to be parents but weren't able to conceive naturally. After meeting with fertility doctors to consider treatment options we didn't feel like it was the right decision for us. We started looking into adoption and both had a strong feeling this was God's plan for us.

**Openness to birthparent(s):** Our goal is to maintain a warm and supportive connection, always keeping the child's best interests in mind, while being open to adjusting as needed to ensure everyone feels comfortable and valued. We envision sharing updates through pictures and letters, occasional phone calls, and planning visits whenever possible.

**Childcare plans:** We are working towards Leanne stepping down from her job so she can stay at home full-time as the primary caregiver. Her mom lives nearby and will also be helping out when needed.



A FINAL THANK YOU!

# In Closing



Although we haven't met yet, we already recognize your incredible bravery, generosity, and love for your child by deciding to read about us and consider this path. Whatever level of connection you choose to maintain in the future, we assure you that your child will always know this decision was made with immense love. We are dedicated to raising them with the same admirable qualities you've demonstrated during this challenging time.

**Thank you so much for considering us to be part of your child's future.**

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