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Ashlee  
+ KYLE





hello there!



**WE ARE KYLE AND ASHLEE** and we admire the love that you have for your child and cannot fathom the courage it takes to navigate the difficult decisions before you. We want you to know that our family is praying for you and your child as you go through this process. We pray that God gives you clarity and hope as you navigate this road, no matter where it may lead you! **We feel blessed that you have taken the time to get to know our family, and we hope that this book gives you a glimpse into the fun, goofy, and loving family that we are.** Through a difficult journey of loss, God has given our family a heart for adoption and we are all so excited to expand our family! Hunter and Holden ask about their future sibling frequently, and our entire family is excited to see what our journey with you holds! We have so much love to give, and will love your child with all we have! Thank you so much for your consideration, and we look forward to getting to know you soon!





# OUR STORY



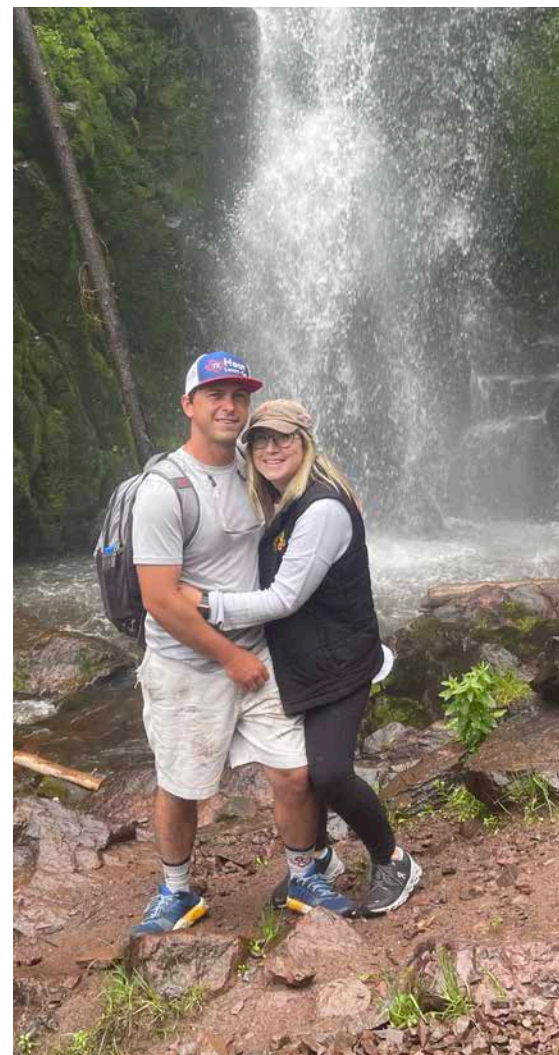
We are high school sweat hearts, so this is us attending our 10 year high school reunion!



Date night at one of our favorite restaurants!

We are **HIGH SCHOOL SWEETHEARTS** that met in a dual credit computer class that was designed to give us college credit. Because it provided college credit you had to pay for the class, but Kyle had forgotten his money and was going to have to drop the class. Ashlee sat right behind Kyle and thought he was pretty funny and cute, so Ashlee made the suggestion that Kyle call his mom for the money rather than dropping the class. After that smooth maneuver, Kyle stayed in the class, we ended up going to homecoming together, and we have been together ever since!

**OUR MARRIAGE IS STRONG.** It is built on a foundation of shared faith, laughter, service to one another, and a desire to work together to reach common goals! Our life is busy with two boys, but it is chalk full of fun and excitement! We love to spend time together as a family, but we also love to share life with our extended family and friends. We have also faced trials together, such as the loss of our daughter Hadlee. **Even through grief we have seen God work everything for good and give us a heart for adoption.**



This is our favorite place to hike in Colorado!

WE KNOW *God has called us* TO LOVE AND SUPPORT YOUR CHILD WITH ALL OF OUR HEARTS!







## fun facts

# MEET Ashlee

- 1. My favorite vacation** spot is Seaside, Florida. I actually enjoy the 17 hour drive!
- 2. My favorite TV show** is the Office.
- 3. My favorite family activity** is evening walks around the neighborhood with the dogs.
- 4. I grew up playing the** piano and the violin.
- 5. My favorite sport to play** is soccer.
- 6. I graduated from** Texas Tech University (twice)
- 7. I enjoy watching any** Texas Tech sporting event.
- 8. My favorite holiday** is Christmas. I go full out with decorations and festive clothes!
- 9. My favorite food** is pizza.
- 10. I love to be cozy.** I have a huge collection of sweatshirts and blankets.





WRITTEN

BY  
*Kyle*



**ASHLEE IS LOVING, TENACIOUS, LOYAL, DETAIL ORIENTED, HARD WORKING, AND FAITHFUL.**

Ashlee has always had a heart for helping others, and she cares deeply for the people in her life. **Ashlee completed a doctorate in physical therapy and worked full time as a physical therapist in our community until deciding to stay at home full time to care for our two boys.** She brings the same level of hard work and care to this new endeavor, providing a tidy home, a stocked pantry, and keeps everyone's schedules running smoothly! She is fully involved in our children's lives and extra curricular activities - she never misses a thing! On top of keeping track of everyone around her, she currently works part time at a Mother's Day Out program during the school year where she provides care and learning for a classroom of kids. She also attends weekly Bible studies and book clubs! Ashlee's faith and dependence in God is the most important thing in her life.

ONE OF ASHLEE'S GREATEST TRAITS IS

*her love of being a mother.*

She loves pouring into her children and watching them grow and learn along the way. She loves being with her family- riding bikes, going to the pool, doing puzzles, and watching shows and sports. She is a wonderful wife and mother.



Ashlee helping Hunter with his school project!



Ashlee helps plan out all of our family vacations, one of her favorite things at Disney are the Mickey waffles!



Ashlee always supports the kids at their activities and school functions; this is Hunter after participating in the Spelling Bee!



Everyone in our family agrees that mom is the best at snuggling and the best place for a quick nap!

# MEET Kyle

## Fun Facts



1. My favorite vacation spot is fishing in Colorado.
2. I love taking my children to their sporting events and activities.
3. When I was younger, I was in a band and played the drums.
4. I'm already working my dream job, being a fireman!
5. I love all Texas Country singers.
6. I love mowing the lawn and gardening.
7. My favorite dessert is blue bell ice cream, I love Dr. Pepper float.
8. I love watching the Texas Tech Red Raiders.
9. I love hats, you hardly ever see me without one.
10. A perfect day is sitting around the fire pit watching the children play in the back yard.



WRITTEN

BY

Ashlee



**KYLE IS FUNNY, GOOFY, ENDEARING, HARD WORKING, AND HAS A HEART THAT IS ALWAYS WILLING TO HELP THOSE AROUND HIM.** Kyle is a firefighter, and he loves his job! Kyle loves that he is able to help his community through his job, but he also loves the atmosphere of the fire station and the fire community. The fire community is always willing to support one another and has consistently showed up for our family when needed. We love to go on ski trips with his crew and go up to the station to visit and see the fire trucks! Kyle has also started his own successful mowing company, demonstrating his work ethic and determination. **Kyle is a wonderful father who leads by example, consistently teaching our kids how to treat others with respect, work hard in everything that they do, have fun, and love BIG.**



Kyle working on the yard.



Kyle at his job as a firefighter after being nominated "Hometown Hero".



Biking in Seaside, Florida.

*Kyle loves being a father*

AND SUPPORTING HIS CHILDREN.

He takes the time to help out with their interests and be present for their games and activities. He volunteered at our son's church camp, helps out with baseball teams, and helps with school and studying for spelling bees. His faith in God is important to him and he is a spiritual leader in our family. Kyle also enjoys fishing, hiking, riding bikes, traveling, and playing games and wiffle ball with the kids.



Kyle playing catch with the boys!



# OUR KIDDOS



## MEET *Hunter*

**OUR OLDEST SON HUNTER IS 10; HE IS OUTGOING, FUNNY, AND HAS NEVER MET A STRANGER.** He makes friends wherever he goes and he is a great big brother. **Hunter says his favorite thing about being a big brother is playing, protecting and teaching things to his brother, and is looking forward to doing the same thing with his new brother or sister!** Hunter enjoys playing baseball, school (he loves math), reading, swimming, and riding bikes.



Christmas Eve service.



Celebrating Mother's Day as a family.

**HOLDEN IS 4, AND HE WANTS TO BE EXACTLY LIKE HUNTER.** He is also outgoing, funny, and is a ball of energy! He is full of questions and will never run out of things to talk about. **He looks forward to becoming an older brother.** He is a loyal and caring friend and family member so we know he will be a natural big brother. Holden enjoys playing sports, going to school, and playing outside.

## MEET *Holden*





# WE LOVE TO *travel!*



Holden has always loved Toy Story, so this was a special spot for us at Disney World!



Animal Kingdom was one of our favorite stops at Disney World!



The rain couldn't stop us from enjoying Harry Potter world at Universal Studios!

WE HAVE SPOKEN MULTIPLE TIMES ABOUT OUR LOVE FOR TRAVELING, SO WE WANTED TO TELL A LITTLE MORE ABOUT ONE OF OUR FAVORITE PLACES! We love traveling because we love to go on adventures with each other and with loved ones. We want our children to experience different places and new experiences! **One of our favorite spots is the family cabin in Colorado.** This place holds many memories because Ashlee's grandfather built the cabin and she grew up going here with her family. Now we get to bring our family here! **When we are there we get to go fishing, hiking, and spend lots of quality time together playing games and watching movies!**

## *We enjoy*

ALL THINGS DISNEY, MARVEL,  
AND HARRY POTTER.

As a family we enjoy watching the movies, reading the books, and have even gone on trips to Disney World and Universal Studios to see these mythical places come to life!



Our favorite hiking trail in Colorado!





# HOME AND *our* COMMUNITY

WE HAVE GROWN UP AND BUILT OUR FAMILY  
IN THE *Texas panhandle.*

Our town is the perfect size, where it is a big town with a small town atmosphere! You can see for miles, and sometimes you might see all four seasons in one day! In the winter we like to build snowmen and look at Christmas lights. In the fall we like to visit the pumpkin patch and watch football. In the summer we like to go to the 4th of July parade, watch fireworks, and go to the pool. In the spring we like to go to Sod Poodle baseball games and attend all of the school programs and activities! Our family loves to travel because in just a few hours you can be in the mountains to go fishing or skiing, or go to Dallas and watch the Texas Rangers play! **We live in a quiet neighborhood with lots of kids, and our home is right around the corner from the school park.** We like riding our bikes to the park, sitting outside watching a homecoming parade, and trick or treating in our neighborhood. We love our town and the many fun activities that create a fun and caring community to raise a family!

**We love to play board games, one of our favorites is Wahoo!**



**Going to a Ranger's game!**



**Our community goes all out for Halloween and trick or treating!**







Kyle planted all of our landscaping for Ashlee as a Mother's Day present!



Kyle and Ashlee relaxing by the fire in the backyard.



Watching a Texas Tech football game- wreck em!



*our*  
**FAMILY**  
**AND**  
**FRIENDS**



**BECAUSE WE HAVE GROWN UP HERE, WE HAVE A LARGE FAMILY PRESENCE AND MANY FRIENDS!**

Kyle's family's personality is fun and rowdy, seeing as he grew up as one of three boys. On the other hand Ashlee's family is more calm, but still a ton of fun! When you put our two families together they balance each other out and we are able to do things all together and have fun doing it! Our families enjoy traveling, attending sporting events, and coming to all the kids activities. They are very supportive and devote so much of their time to be apart of our lives and our children's lives! We also have very close friends that are like family, and we know we would do anything for each other. We frequently get together to share life and memories. We like to travel, grill out, and go to escape rooms.



OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE  
*very supportive,*  
THEY CELEBRATE OUR WINS WITH  
US AS WELL AS HELP US THROUGH  
THE HARD TIMES.



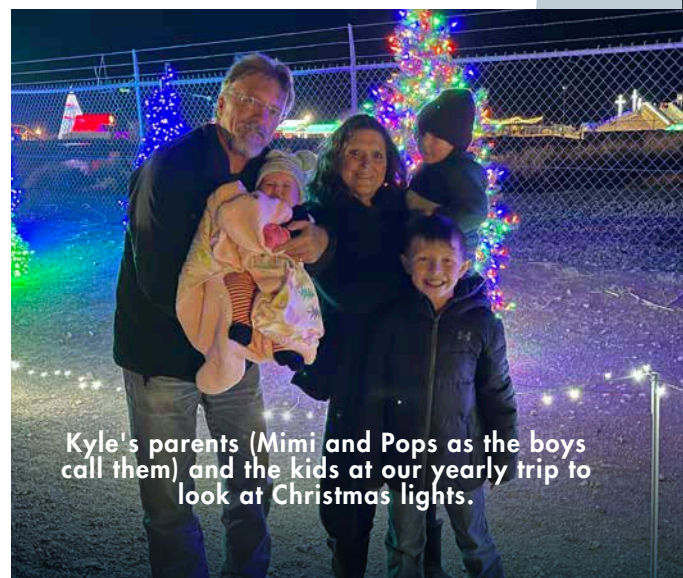
Ashlee's family in Disney World!



Kyle's mom with the boys at her work's annual trunk or treat!



Easter egg decorating with Gigi and Old Daddy, what the kids call Ashlee's parents!



Kyle's parents (Mimi and Pops as the boys call them) and the kids at our yearly trip to look at Christmas lights.



Kyle's family celebrating Nana's birthday!



Kyle's family in Ruidoso.



A "pirate ship" adventure while in Seaside, Florida!



Family vacation to Great Wolf Lodge with our friends we consider family!



Ashlee's family in Seaside, Florida.

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**WE HAVE BEEN FRIENDS FOR 7 YEARS AND HAVE GROWN TO LOVE THEM LIKE FAMILY!** They are easy going and fun to be around, whether it's a game night at home or a family vacation, we always have a great time with them! We have been able to always lean on them for all of life's ups and downs and know we can count on them for anything. It's been such a wonderful journey raising our families together and watching them grow. Kyle and Ashlee have been wonderful parents to their kids and ours over the years.

- JOSEPH AND NICOLE





ON

# parenting

## OUR MAIN FAMILY VALUE IS SIMPLE, WE VALUE OUR FAMILY!

Since we are blessed to have two biological children, we understand the importance of family time and being present in the moment with our children. We are not perfect, but we strive to enjoy the time we have with our children and have seen how quickly it goes. We value the time spent with each child and have loved experiencing how each child is unique! Our goal is to help their individual dreams and interests become reality by supporting them and helping them learn the importance of independence and hard work. Our goal as parents is to help our children grow into adults who love the Lord and other people.



## ON OPEN ADOPTION

We admire the courage it takes to make this decision, and we are so excited to welcome this child into our family. Part of welcoming them into our family also means welcoming you into our family as well! We believe that your connection to this child and the information you can share about their family and heritage are invaluable. **We want to honor you and your sacrifice by continuing to integrate your heritage and beliefs into this child's life the best that we can!**





family

# INFORMATION



**Father's name:** Kyle  
**Occupation:** Firefighter  
**Education:** Some College  
**Religion:** Christian  
**Date of birth:** 08/10/1990  
**Hair color:** Brown  
**Eye color:** Hazel  
**Height:** 5' 6"

**Mother's name:** Ashlee  
**Occupation:** Stay at Home Mom  
**Education:** Doctorate in Physical Therapy  
**Religion:** Christian  
**Date of birth:** 10/14/1990  
**Hair color:** Blonde  
**Eye color:** Hazel  
**Height:** 5' 1"



**Date of marriage:**  
06/02/2012

**Children:** Hunter; 10;  
12/21/2012; biological.  
Hunter is outgoing, kind,  
smart, athletic, a great big  
brother, and makes friends  
wherever he goes. He enjoys  
playing baseball, riding his  
bike, playing boardgames  
and video games, reading,  
watching sports, and hanging

out with his family and friends.

Holden; 4; 09/15/2018; biological. Holden is  
funny, talkative, friendly, athletic, caring, and he  
looks up to and wants to be just like his older brother.  
He enjoys playing with his brother and his friends,  
playing sports such as tee-ball and soccer, riding  
his bike, watching movies with his family, playing  
boardgames, and swimming in the summer.

**Interests and hobbies:** We both enjoy spending  
time with our friends and family, finding and eating  
good and unique food, watching sports, riding  
our bikes, going to escape rooms, and traveling.  
Ashlee also enjoys reading, coaching Holden's  
soccer team, putting together puzzles, attending  
bible study, cycling, and watching movies with  
her family. Kyle enjoys helping with both boys'  
baseball teams, exercising, playing catch with the  
boys, working on his business, hanging out with his  
buddies, volunteering at church camp, and playing  
boardgames with his family.

**Home:** Our home is bright, cozy, full of movement  
and games, loving, and safe. Our neighborhood is  
friendly, full of young families and kids, and we are  
close enough to the elementary school and park that  
we frequently ride our bikes.

**Pets:** Our family has two amazing dogs; a goofy  
Goldendoodle named Moose and an energetic  
Australian Shepard/German Shorthaired Pointer mix  
named Lucy. They love to go on family walks and  
anybody who wants to give them belly rubs.

**Why are you interested in building your family  
through adoption?** We lost our daughter Hadlee  
at 29 weeks due to complications that make it  
potentially dangerous for Ashlee to go through  
subsequent pregnancies. As difficult as this  
experience has been for our family, Hadlee has  
made us better spouses, better parents, and brought  
our family closer. She has reminded us what is most  
important in our lives, and that is our faith and our  
family. We have the strong desire to continue growing  
our family, and we feel that through much prayer and  
discussion that God has put adoption on our hearts.

**Openness to birthparent(s):** We admire the love you  
have for this child and we envision a relationship that  
naturally builds and progresses over time. We believe  
that consistent contact in the forms of pictures, letters,  
and visits is in the best interest of everyone involved.

**Childcare plans:** Ashlee plans to continue her primary  
role as a stay at home mom.



# IN Closing



**THANK YOU SO MUCH** for stopping by and getting to know us! Our hope and prayer is that you make the best decision for you and your child, and that God continues giving you clarity throughout this journey. If you feel that we are a good fit we want you to know that we will love your child and you with all of our heart. We promise, to the best of our ability, to provide your child with a loving home, unwavering support, and a deep love of the Lord. We hope you have enjoyed reading about our family and our thoughts and prayers for your child. **Us and the boys look forward to talking to you soon!**

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