



Stealing a kiss

Our Interests

We love to curl up in front of the fireplace and watch movies while snuggled under a blanket. Even Oscar and Pebbles get into the act! We have a great collection of Disney and Pixar movies that we can't wait to see through the eyes of our child. We also like to visit friends and family, take family vacations, and go to ball games and other local sporting events.

We are excited to include our baby in our daily walks around the neighborhood with Oscar. Jessica loves to decorate and has made the baby's bedding with her mom. Paul enjoys history, sports, and creative work with his hands and has already painted the nursery.



Ready to set sail!



The nursery is one of our favorite rooms in the house!

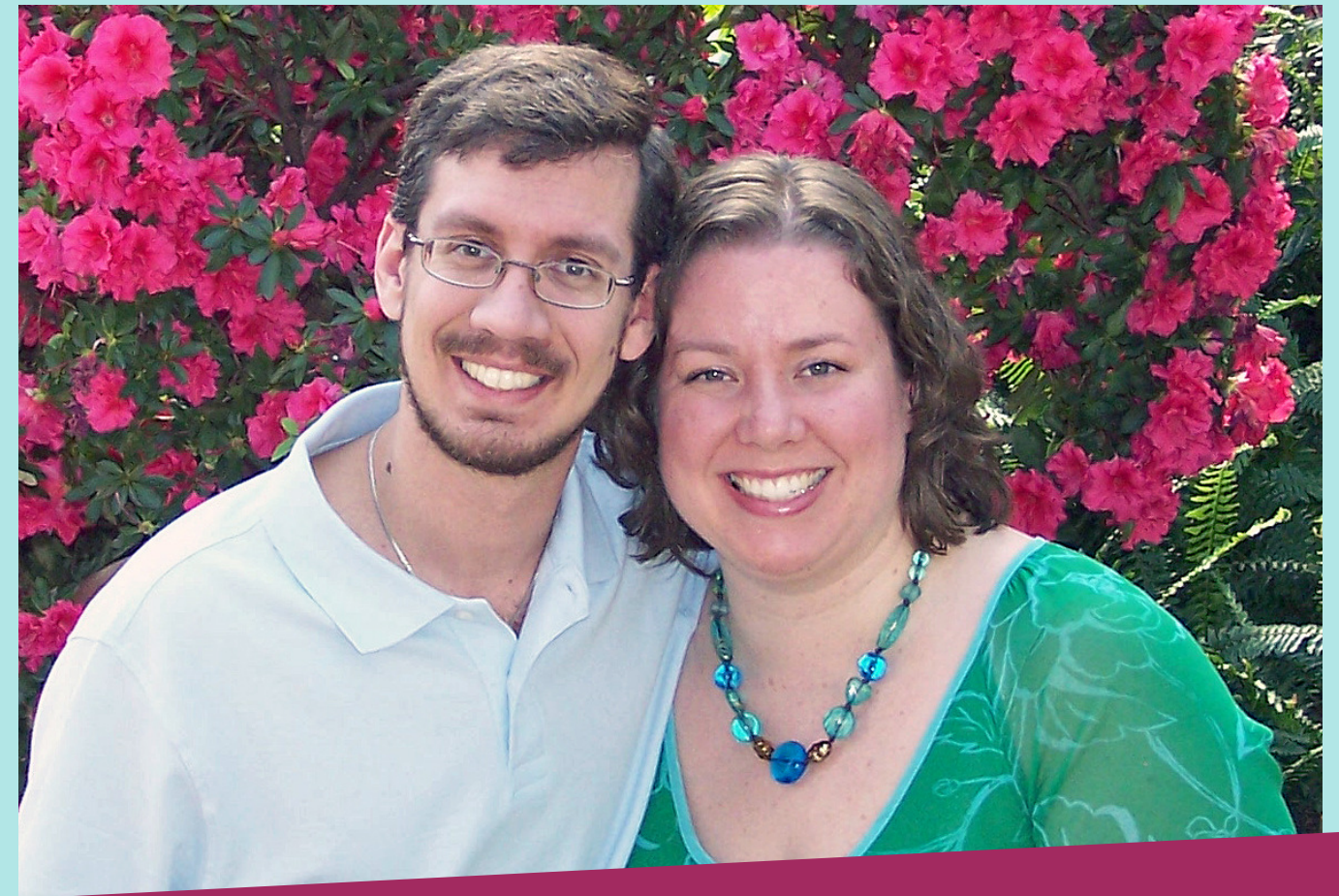
We would love to get to know you better!

We are thankful that you are considering adoption, and hope that this letter has given you a small look into our lives. We welcome any questions you may have for us.

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Much love to you and your baby,

Paul & Jessica



Paul & Jessica Fortunak

Thank you for taking the time to read our letter.

We hope that it will allow you to get to know us more personally as you consider adoption for your family. We met in high school, became best friends, and married after college. We always knew that adoption was a great way to build a family, and now after six wonderful years of marriage, we are excited to extend our love and family through open adoption.

We plan to tell our child from the beginning about their birthmother and birthfamily, and Jessica has even already started a scrapbook for the baby about our adoption process. We welcome a relationship with you and are open to discussing the type and amount of contact that you desire to have.

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At the zoo with nephews Nicholas & Thomas

Why I chose Jessica...

Jessica is the most beautiful person that I have ever known, inside and out. Her smile can light up any room, and her caring and gentle nature make her truly unique. Jessica loves children and has spent most of her life working with them in some form or another. Now she is looking forward to caring for her own child. Decorating for Christmas or taking them to the zoo, I just know she will be the best mommy I could hope for my children!



On the Tilt-A-Whirl with nephew Isaiah

Our Families

Paul has a very close family with fifteen nieces and nephews. Adoption is not new to his family; Paul's uncle and aunt have adopted two children and are great mentors through the adoption process.

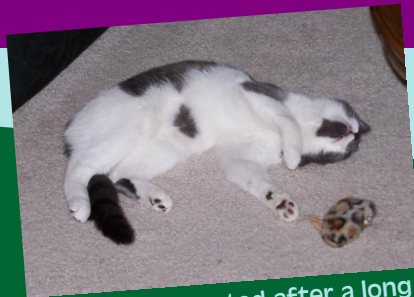


Last summer at our family reunion

Jessica's family lives within minutes and we visit them frequently. Her mom, sister and friends are so excited to baby-sit. Jessica's nephew is really looking forward to a new cousin to share all of his toys with: especially his trains and stuffed animals. We cannot wait to welcome you and your family into ours.

Our Pets

Our pets are an important part of our family as well. Oscar is our very playful puppy, always ready for a bellyrub. Pebbles, our curious cat, is always trying to explore in those places she can never quite fit! Watching her try to back herself out of tight corners always makes us laugh!



Pebbles, exhausted after a long day of napping



Oscar likes to think he's BOLT the Super Dog!



Uncle Paul getting tackled by nephew Nathan

Why I chose Paul....

Paul is an amazing husband and I know he's going to be a great dad, too! His gift of making everyone comfortable and loved is one of a kind. Paul always has a smile and a joke to lighten difficult days. He has a great ability to connect with children at any age, and loves to play catch, hide and seek, and jump on the trampoline. Paul cherishes playing with our nieces and nephews! My heart skips a beat when I see the gentleness in him when he rocks and cuddles a newborn. Paul is looking forward to sharing his childhood books, Lego's, and matchbox cars with our child!



Ready, Set, GRILL!

Our Home

We live in Avon, Indiana, a small town five miles west of Indianapolis. Our house is on a quiet street within walking distance of wonderful elementary and middle schools. Nearby parks have great sledding hills and hiking trails. We look forward to spending time in our backyard playing football games, catch, and enjoying summer cookouts on the deck. We can't wait for our first family trip to the Children's Museum and Zoo in downtown Indianapolis! We are active with our local church, and have a deep faith that we look forward to sharing with our child.

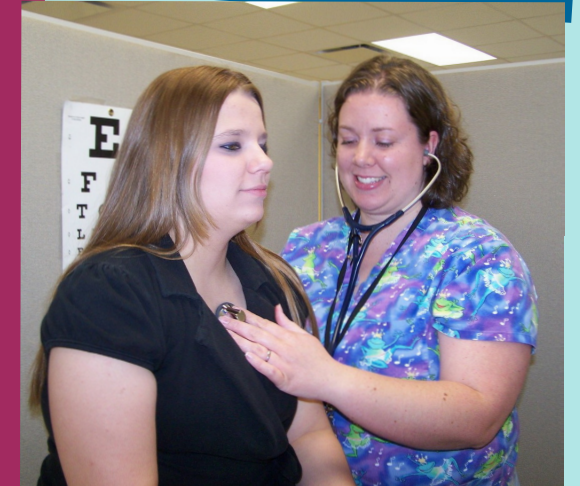


When the family gathers, we love playing games!

Our Careers

Jessica recently finished her masters in nursing and is currently working at a local middle school clinic with underprivileged students. She is so excited to have summers and school breaks off to spend time with our child!

Paul works for the government and has a flexible work schedule enabling one of us to stay home with the baby for the first few months, and lots of "Daddy Time" afterwards.



Another day at "the office"