



Hello!

We are Brian & Rachel!
We're happy to have you here!

Meet Rachel; stay at home mom, introvert, loves a good book, a blanket on the sand in the sun, deep conversation, and plenty of exploring + travel (especially near water, including hot springs!)

Meet Brian; Works renting out homes, self proclaimed introvert, who loves to socialize (all the time) ;), enjoys doing things he's never done, practices jujitsu, and has a mule!

Our moms have been friends for years, but we met about 15 years ago; Brian brought Rachel for an airplane ride & she was head over heels in love! We've been married for almost 13 years, and have a funny, creative 10 year old daughter, M, who is incredibly excited to have a sibling in the family soon!

As a family, we love to stay active, travel and explore; and whether by camper van, flying, or our own 'backyard,' we always find some unforgettable gems! (Local we like to go indoor rock climbing, ride horse, go to the lake, storybook land..etc.) We also spend a lot of time with both sides of the family, as there are 18 cousins of all ages to play with, so it's always a good time! :)

We've experienced what you'd call secondary infertility. M was born, but it's now been 11 years without more children. Even within the last year we've experienced heartbreak, so it's not taken lightly that we are here. This is something we are grateful, excited and humbled to be experiencing.

Our prayers have been with any mother who has had to make decisions you will be making, and we have a deep respect for choices you will make out of your love for your child.

Our family hopes to visit about how open you'd like adoption to be. We are deeply humbled that you are considering us as a part of your life. We want what is best for you & your precious baby. Please feel free to reach out to AAU Adoptions to read through our profile book! (it's a little more in depth.)

Love from us,
Brian & Rachel, with "M"

Fun Facts

- There's 5 ethnic backgrounds within our families (it's amazing, we love it!)
- Our first date was a plane ride (Brian as pilot)
- We love to sing & all can yodel :)
- We both enjoy photography just for fun
- Our dogs love doing tricks! Sitka will shut the door to our heated shop when it's cold outside! "M" also loves to tell Sitka: "tell me a story" & "Bang!" (falls over 'dead':))

RACHEL
+ BRIAN
South Dakota.

