



Chad & Tish

We are Chad and Tish



Thank you for taking the time to get to know us. We want you to know that it is a privilege to be considered as the adoptive parents of your child. We would like the opportunity to add to our family and we believe children, whether conceived or adopted, are a gift from God. We consider this the biggest responsibility given to us by God. As parents we will provide a safe, nurturing environment where children can grow physically, spiritually, and academically. We have a great desire to provide children with the opportunity to be raised in a loving Christian home.



We both come from tight knit families and we have always wanted to build a family ourselves. We have a beautiful son, Cole Matthew, who joined our family through the miracle of adoption and feel led to continue growing our family through adoption. We have a strong desire to raise children and raise them with Christian values. We both believe that God chose us to become parents through adoption and we are excited about the possibilities this opens for us. Once again, thank you so much for getting to know us and we want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. God bless!



Our Lives Together

We met through my sister during a home town community event. We were living about 10 hours apart and had many long phone discussions between traveling back and forth to see each other.

Chad asked me to marry him when we got to the top of a waterfall hike. We were married in the fall of 2006 in a country church not far from where we got engaged. Our reception was in a natural setting with God's beautiful creations all around us. We had 175 guests and ten of our nieces and nephews were in the wedding. My mom and sisters did all the flowers and decorations. My sister, Cindy, my mom and Chad's mom also made 1500 family recipe cookies to share with our guests.

We enjoy spending time together as a family. Some of our favorite activities are going to the park, hiking at a near by nature preserve, playing in the back yard and cooking together. We also enjoy family vacations, going out with friends, and visiting family.





My Wife Tish



Tish is a loving, sincere, and honest wife and a blessing since the first day we met. She strengthens my faith everyday.

Seeing her reading to Cole just melts my heart, as I can see the love each has for the other in their eyes. She never pass on the opportunity to get on the floor and play or color with kids. She shows interest for all children and will always asks them how they are doing and what is going on in their lives. She loves to surround herself with family and friends.

She is a very motivated, confident, and determined individual, which is apparent by a quote she recites that her mother uses, “I can, I

will, I shall, I did.” Tish enjoys hiking, camping, and biking.

One of our favorite activities to do together is baking, especially around Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Tish is in between positions right now and is really enjoying her time with Cole. We anticipate that she will be a stay-at-home mother one day. I love seeing Tish as a mother, it brings out a beautiful side of her and puts a smile on my face.





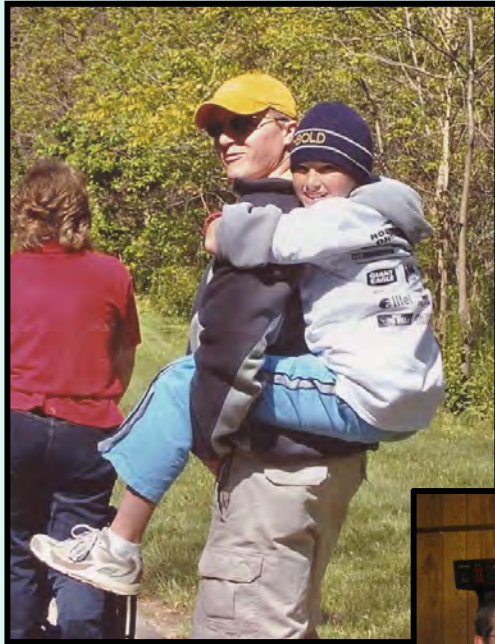
My Husband Chad

Chad is the most genuine and down to earth person I know. He is a wonderful, caring, loyal and loving dad and husband. He is supportive, encouraging, gentle and kind. He has a great sense of humor and is really fun to be around. He is a hard worker and those around him can always rely on him.

Chad is the “favorite uncle” or “favorite adult” when he is around kids. Kids love him - In some ways he is a big kid himself! He likes golf, being outdoors, and is always up for watching a good college football game.

He is a Senior Cost Consultant and is very faithful to his job. His job provides a lot of flexibility which allows him to spend a lot of time at home. He has been such a blessing to my life and is an amazing dad.





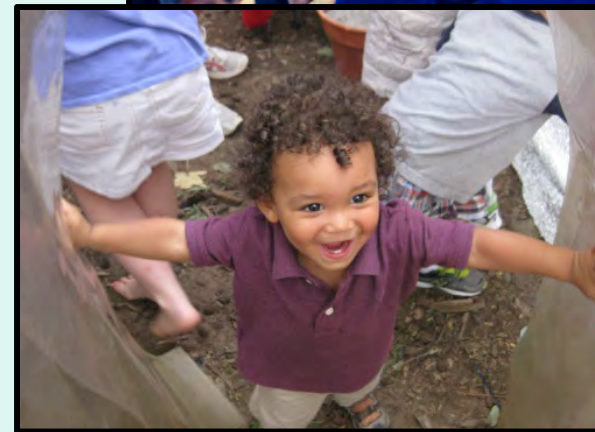
Our Son, Cole

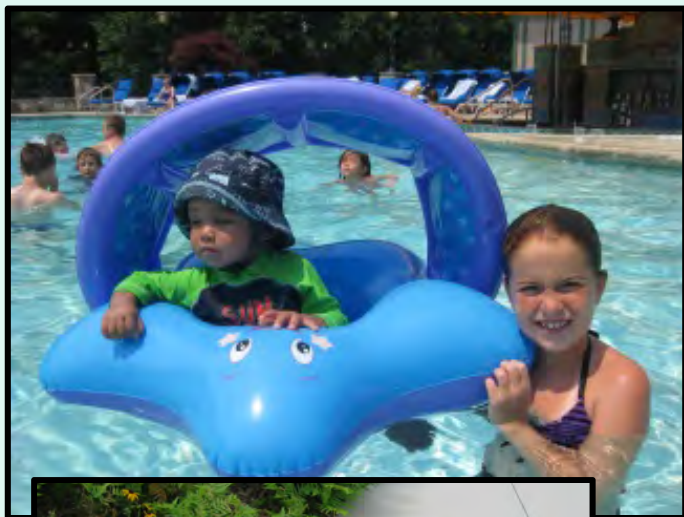
Cole is a very loving and active two year old. He is full of joy and a lot of spunk! Cole joined our family through adoption and he has blessed us since day one.

Cole loves playing outside and in his tent inside our home. He enjoys music, coloring, “cooking” and playing with his diggers and dumpers. He also likes playing with our dog, Clayton. He has regular play dates. His best buddies are Addison and Olan and he gets to play with them often.

One set of Cole’s grandparents live close to a beach so he loves going to visit. His other grandparents live on a farm and he loves checking out his grandpa’s tractor. He is great traveler and has a good sense of adventure.

Cole will be a great big brother! He will be very excited to have a little brother or sister. He has a lot of love to share and we can’t wait for him to meet his new sibling.





Our Family and Friends

Our families mean everything to us. They don't live close by but we do visit them as often as possible. They also come to visit us as much as they can. We talk on the phone with our parents and siblings on a regular basis and typically get to see them 3-4 times per year. We are also blessed to have our friend "family". We have a very strong network of friends that live in the same town and are actively involved in each other's lives. Our dog, Clayton, has been around many small children since he was a puppy. Kids adore him!





Our Home and Community



Our home is a 4 bedroom, 2 ½ bath cape cod. We have it filled with a number of furniture pieces that were passed down through our families. Our property has a lot of trees and areas to run around. It is very comfortable and inviting. We have a screened in porch on the back of our home we refer to as our tree house.

We live in a pretty neighborhood with many children. We have several parks, schools, and churches close by. The public elementary school is 1.5 miles away. A community park is being built close to our home which will include a playground and walking paths. Everything we need is within a 5 mile radius.

Our Future

We are so excited about our future and what lies ahead. We look forward to providing our children with many rewarding experiences and family memories. It is our hope and dream for our children to attend college. However, if their hopes and dreams take them down a different path, we would definitely support them.

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Thank you and
God Bless,
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