

## HANDS ACROSS THE WATER WAITING FAMILY

# Logan and Luke



Thank you for taking the time to consider us as adoptive parents. We are incredibly grateful and humbled by the sacrifice you are making for the future of your little one. It's no small decision and certainly not an easy one, but one in which we hope we can help you find comfort. Please know that we do not want you to be just a footnote in our family's story or a mysterious figure in the background of our child's life—we want you to be a part of it.

As for us, we met in Ann Arbor in 2014 and got married on a beautiful fall day in 2018 surrounded by family and friends. Today we live in a neighborhood in Ann Arbor near lots of parks and a short walk from downtown. We both like to cook, so you'll often find us trying out new recipes with varying levels of success. We also frequently visit friends and family in the area and drive back to our respective hometowns to spend weekends and holidays with family.

We began our family in summer 2020 when we were blessed to be chosen as adoptive parents for our daughter, Margaret. Today, our favorite time of the day is reading stories before bed and we love to bring Margaret to spend time with our extended families and to help her explore the world. We cannot wait for her to have a little brother or sister to take under her wing.

As parents, we strive to help our kids navigate the world and figure out who they want to be—exploring their interests, trying new things and developing skills that can take them where they want to go. It's important to us that our kids learn to be kind, generous people who contribute in ways big and small to making the world a better place. Thank you again for considering us—we hope to have the opportunity to meet you sometime soon.

### About Logan

- **Age:** 30 years old
- **Work:** Communications Manager
- **Food:** Pizza (any kind and lots of it)
- **Movie:** When Harry Met Sally
- **Book:** Middlesex
- **Hobbies:** Running, Cooking, Reading
- **Vacation/Travel:** Going up north during the summer
- **Fun facts about Logan:**
  - Logan has run multiple marathons, but he didn't start running until college
  - Logan went to the State Geography Bee in middle school—he has a map of the world in his head

### About Luke

- **Age:** 29 years old
- **Work:** PhD Student/Researcher
- **Food:** Grilled cheese and tomato soup
- **Movie:** Ocean's Eleven
- **Book:** Homegoing
- **Hobbies:** Baking, Tennis, Volleyball
- **Vacation/Travel:** Studying abroad in Germany
- **Fun facts about Luke:**
  - Luke's hometown has only about 300 people
  - Luke is fluent in German and he once taught English in China
  - Luke has over 50 first cousins