

# Ryan & Cathy



## Hobbies & Interests

Cooking, spending time with family and friends, watching movies, playing hockey.

## Occupation

Cathy: Financial Analyst

Ryan: Paramedic Instructor and Community Paramedic

## Education

Cathy: Cleary University - MBA  
– Accounting

Ryan: GVSU - Bachelors of Science  
– Criminal Justice

## Religion or Belief System

Catholic

## Pets

None.

## Children in Home

William - Born 2018

## Our Story

We met in 2002 while working together in college. For about a year we were best friends and one fall day after going to a football game we decided to start dating. After graduating college, we finally got married in 2010. In 2018, we adopted our sweet little boy, William. He is such a blessing and will be a wonderful big brother. Much of our time is spent with family and friends. We have a lot of love to give and want nothing more than to give William a sibling to love and grow up with.

## What Brought Us to Adoption

Ryan and his brother were both adopted so adoption was always a possible path for us. After several years of unsuccessfully conceiving on our own we began the adoption process. For Ryan and his younger brother, adoption is part of who they are and they both embrace it. This is how we will raise our children, to never be ashamed of their roots. To us, adoption is a true blessing in growing our family. Thank you for your help!

## Our Hopes, Open Adoption & Relationship with Birth Family

We want nothing more in our lives than to grow our family. For us, adoption is part of who we are. We promise that we will always unconditionally love and cherish your child. We also promise to do what we can to keep the adoption open and are willing to work with you to create a relationship that works for all of us. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your love, compassion, and courage and we hope to talk to you soon!



These individuals have met all requirements of the State of Michigan and Catholic Social Services of Washtenaw County to become adoptive parents, may fit your situation and are waiting to welcome a child into their home. If you would like more information about this family, please email [pregnancy@csswashtenaw.org](mailto:pregnancy@csswashtenaw.org) or contact Melissa.

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