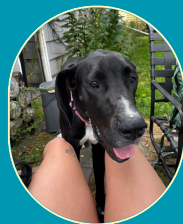




OUR PLAYFUL AND CUDDLY ANIMALS



NORSE



NALA

RUMI

HI THERE

We recognize that this decision likely feels scary, but we believe it is incredibly brave and selfless. **Our goal has been to adopt since we were younger** - even before infertility was diagnosed.

We are so excited to be finally making it happen. **We are comfortable with openness in an adoption plan if you wish.**

We began dating in 2022 and were married in 2023. When we met, we quickly bonded over our shared love of oatmeal, Veganism, travel, and endurance sports. Together we've built a life rooted in joy in simple moments, hard work, and a shared sense of adventure. Our home is in the suburban Twin Cities.

We are so looking forward to sharing our life with a child!

KARA

Teacher of Multilingual Learners

I love adventure, literacy, languages, and cooking.

Donny says that I am **caring, passionate,** and **hard-working**. People usually describe me as fun and goofy... while also saying I'm serious and intentional at the same time. I think that's because I **work with kids** and I have **embraced many cultures**.

I am **patient** and I **know how to have fun**, but I also take great care in being the best mentor I can be. I feel deeply grateful for the community and life we are building.

DONNY

Firefighter/EMT

I love trying new things, working on home and vehicle projects, and helping others.

Kara says I am **calm, patient,** and **faithful** in serving those around me.

I enjoy being a firefighter because it gives me a deeper awareness of the challenges people face daily.

I **find great reward in firefighting**. I enjoy traveling with my wife and experiencing the world and different cultures.

TOGETHER

We value family, education, adventure, and courage all while stopping to notice the beauty in everyday moments.

We spend **summers as a family traveling the world**, exploring, and trying new things.

Our goal is to travel to all the continents together. We enjoy making homemade pizza and going to sporting events.

We are blessed with extended family members who live close by, and we see them often. They are all excited to **welcome a baby to the family through adoption!**

LIFE IN OUR HOME LOOKS LIKE:

- English and Spanish conversations
- **Laughter**
- Children's literature
- **Endurance sports**
- Multicultural music
- **"Heia Heia!"** (Norwegian for "Go! Go!")
- Serving others
- **Adventure**
- Good foods from all over the world
- **Big dreams**



WE ARE TRULY EXCITED ABOUT SHARING OUR LIVES WITH A CHILD.

There is so much joy in the world, so much to learn and explore, and so much love we are ready to give!

Thanks for reading our letter. We hope you would consider us for adopting your child.

***We would love to hear from you,
Kara & Donny***

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