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**AMY**  
AND  
**NICK**  
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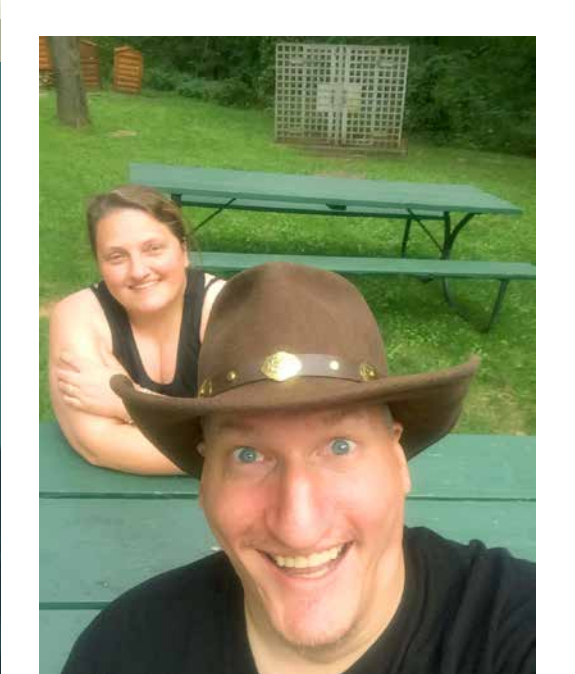
**HELLO!**

**OUR NAMES ARE NICK AND AMY**

**W**e live in the charming Village of Rochester, Wisconsin on the Fox River. After 13 years of marriage and almost 18 years together,

**WE ARE VERY EXCITED TO CONTINUE TO GROW OUR FAMILY BY OPENING OUR HEARTS TO ANOTHER CHILD THROUGH THE PROCESS OF ADOPTION.**

THANK YOU  
for considering  
**US** IN YOUR  
DECISION  
of adoption



A FEW OF OUR  
FAVORITES



HOT AIR BALLOON RIDE!  
WHAT A TRIP!



> AMY <

FAVORITE FOOD  
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FAVORITE HOBBY  
KAYAKING

FAVORITE  
HOLIDAY  
THANKSGIVING

> NICK <

FAVORITE FOOD  
STRAWBERRY  
RHUBARB PIE

FAVORITE HOBBY  
CAR REPAIR  
& CARPENTRY

FAVORITE HOLIDAY  
CHRISTMAS

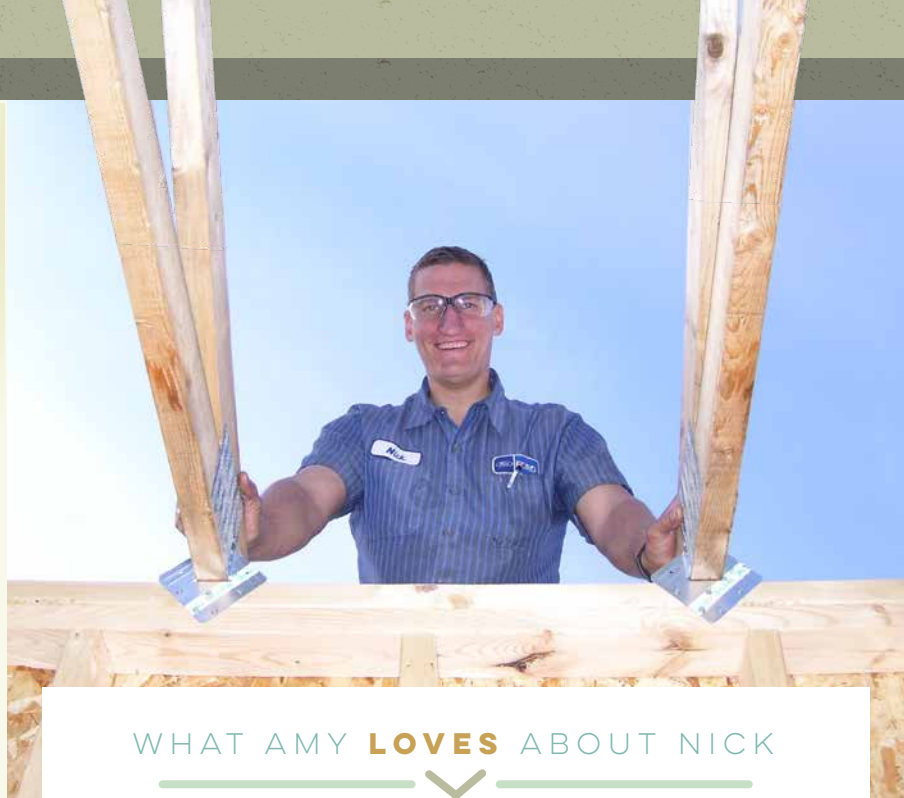


ENJOYING TIME TOGETHER KAYAKING



We once did a bed and breakfast along with a murder mystery dinner. We had to dress up and play our character in the mystery part, then got to stay in a nice little cabin out in the country.

**NICK** was in the Army National Guard for nine years. He was in Nicaragua to help build schools, and was called to duty in the Iraq war. Upon returning to the states, he earned an Associates Degree in Automotive. After some time as a Master Mechanic, he decided to further his education with an Associate Degree in Drafting and Design. Once entering the work force, he quickly climbed into an Engineering position and has been working as an Engineer for the last eleven years. **DURING HIS DOWN TIME NICK IS FOREVER TINKERING WITH SOMETHING, HE CAN FIX JUST ABOUT ANYTHING.**



WHAT AMY **LOVES** ABOUT NICK

HE IS THE HANDIEST MAN I KNOW

HE'S KIND TO STRANGERS AND IS  
CONSTANTLY FIXING THEIR CARS ON  
THE SIDE OF THE ROAD

HE REALLY CAN FIX A  
CARBURETOR BLINDFOLDED

HE CAN FIND A SOLUTION TO ANY  
PROBLEM HE PUTS HIS MIND TO

HE WATCHES HALLMARK WITH ME



**AMY** received an Associate degree in drafting and design right after high school. After several years in the field she was promoted to a key sales account manager. During that time she also worked for a few years as a volunteer fire fighter and earned a red belt in American freestyle karate. Recently, Amy graduated with a Bachelor's in business management, and now works as an Inside Sales Representative for a family friendly company. She works from home and loves being able to spend extra time with Isaac. Currently she is working towards her MBA, with a concentration in Marketing. **DURING HER FREE TIME, YOU WILL FIND HER OUT IN THE GARDEN, PREPARING HER FAVORITE NEW RECIPE OR KAYAKING ON THE RIVER.** We are excited for the day when we can share our lives with another child of our own.



**LEARNING TO LASSO ON OUR ANNIVERSARY**



WHAT NICK **LOVES** ABOUT AMY

SHE ENCOURAGES ME TO BUY ANY TOOL I WILL USE

SHE REFUSES TO ACCEPT CAN'T

**SHE'S A GREAT STORY TELLER**

SHE CAN ALWAYS FIND THE BEST DEAL

SHE MAKES AN EXCELLENT TACO LASAGNA



## MEET OUR FAMILY

Family is a large part of our life, as we both have large families and enjoy close relationships with our parents and siblings. Many of which live nearby and are visited regularly. **WITH LARGE FAMILIES LIKE WE HAVE, WE FEEL WELL PREPARED TO WELCOME ANOTHER CHILD**

**INTO OUR HOME.** We have been blessed with the opportunity to be part of the lives of our many nieces and nephews, which now range between five and 26. Sharing our time with them has been a joy over the years. Having children of our own has been the plan for quite some time now and we eagerly anticipate this next stage in our lives when we are able to **CONTINUE TO GROW OUR FAMILY THROUGH ADOPTION.**



## FAMILY TRADITIONS

- Going to Northern Wisconsin to visit Nick's family for **THANKSGIVING**. Nick's sister and Amy make a big Thanksgiving dinner!
- Around Christmas time Nick gets a fresh cut Christmas tree and puts it up.

- Two weeks before Christmas, we have a **HUGE CELEBRATION** with all of Nick's extended family, then the next day make another big meal and celebrate with all of his immediate family, many times the day ends at the bowling alley.
- On **CHRISTMAS DAY**, we like to stay in our pajamas all day watching movies and playing games.





# MEET ISAAC

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OUR **AMAZING**  
LITTLE BOY

WE CAN'T IMAGINE LIFE WITHOUT ISAAC. HE'S HAPPY AND LEARNING NEW THINGS EVERY DAY.

He is very chill, not too many things bother him. He sleeps well, and he has a good temperament. He has just started the toddler class at our church and loves playing with the other children. He also loves to play outside, be in the kiddie pool, play in the sandbox and help us in the garden, even if that means eating the cucumbers while we pick them!



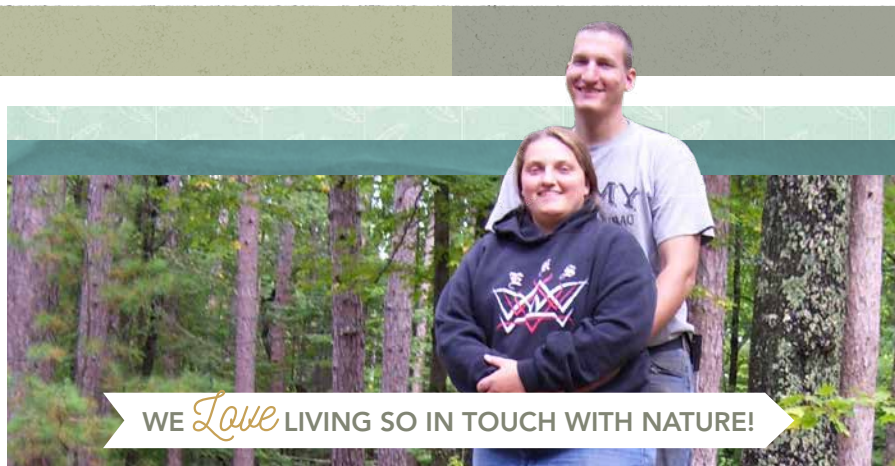
ISAAC LIKES TO HELP OUT WITH THE YARDWORK!



## WHY WE LOVE

► *our home & community* ◀

- We love that there is a **BALL PARK** that doubles as an **ICE RINK** in the winter
- We live right on the river, where we can **SWIM, FISH AND KAYAK**
- The **COUNTRY FEEL** of our neighborhood is second to none, yet still reasonably close to everything we could want
- The **LOCAL SCHOOLS** in the area are rated quite highly, we picked this location precisely because of that!



WE *Love* LIVING SO IN TOUCH WITH NATURE!



KAYAKING WITH OUR NIECES AND NEPHEWS



**WE LOOK FORWARD TO BUILDING A RELATIONSHIP WITH YOU, WHATEVER YOU FEEL THAT ENTAILS.** We realize this is a big decision for you and would be happy to extend support, as you would like. We of course would be happy to answer any questions

you have about us, no matter how big or small. Again, we would like to thank your consideration, and we look forward to meeting with you soon.

*To see more about us, please visit our profile.*

*– Nick and Amy*

**THANK  
YOU FOR**  
*considering us!*

