

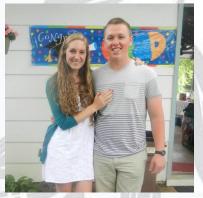
Thank you for taking the time to view our profile. We can't imagine what decisions and emotions you are going through. We hope you get to know the real us and find a connection.

Our names are Ashley and Joseph Jorgenson. We have been together for over 10 years and married for 4 of them. We are high school sweethearts, and have loved growing up together. We are lucky enough to be surrounded by family and have a close relationship with all of our siblings. Being an aunt and uncle has been so fun and rewarding, but we are ready to have kids of our own. We currently don't have any children, unless you count our sweet puppy, Theo. Unfortunately, Ashley is unable to have children of her own. We have known this since before we were married, so adoption has always been the journey we wanted to take to grow our family.

We feel now is the perfect time for us to adopt, because we are both established in our careers. Joey is a police officer and Ashley is a patient service representative. We live in a great neighborhood and school district. We are blessed that our family is just as excited as we are about adopting. We have received so much love and support, and that is what we want to pass on to you.

Love, support, and prayers are what are guiding us through this journey. We want the best for your child and know you are going to make a great decision with whatever or whoever you choose.

"When evil darkens our world, give us light. When despair numbs our souls, give us hope. When we stumble and fall, lift us up. When doubts assails us, give us faith. When nothing seems sure, give us trust. When ideals fade, give us vision. When we lose our way, be our guide. That we may find serenity in your presence, and purpose in doing your will" John D. Rayner



# Joey Exits the Friend Zone On April 3, 2013 Joey picked up Ashley from the airport. We had our first kiss. On April 4, 2013, we officially became boyfriend and girlfriend

2017

2013

We bought our first house





## Engaged! Joey and Ashley first met at Nature Hill Intermediate. On June 1, 2018, Joey brought Ashley to a walking path on Nature Hill and proposed.

Joey brought Ashley to a walking path on Nature Hill and proposed... She said YES! 2019

2018





Picked up our Amazing Puppy Joey was not too sure if he wanted a dog. But since this day, Theo and Joey are inseparable!

2020

### A little About Joey

Hello, I am Joey!

I am the youngest of four children. I have two older sisters and one older brother. Currently, all of my siblings live pretty close by. We all get together pretty regularly. My sisters have children of their own. Ashley and I have had so much fun being aunt and uncle to them. Growing up, we all spent a lot of time together. We spent most Sundays going to church, then out for brunch with the whole family.

Currently, I am huge Brewers and Packers fan, I enjoy golfing, going on vacations, seeing new things, going for hikes, playing with our amazing dog Theo, playing guitar and taking him on many adventures! I am a Police Sergeant for the Town of Oconomowoc Police Department, and have been working there for coming up on seven years.





# BREWERS GAME

The shirt speaks for itself!

### How Ashley sees Joey

Joey is my best friend. He is funny, intelligent, outgoing, and loving. He constantly reassures me to not give up. If I fail I know he will always be there to have my back. If he isn't strumming on his guitar, you can find him drinking coffee watching an educational documentary. My nerd. I would also like to point out that he is the cook of the household. We eat dinner at home almost every night. As much as I enjoy eating, I am not the biggest fan of the mess he makes.

He works third shift, so he is often waking up early just to spend time with me and his family. Even when he is tired he is always trying to make me laugh or smile. I have watched him with his nephews and niece and I know he will make a great dad. He will be the dad that attends every sporting event, concert, or recital.

I love that I got to watch him grow up. He has grown into such an amazing man and I can't wait to make more memories together.

### A little about Ashley

Hi, I am Ashley!

I am the youngest of three children. I have one older brother and one older sister. My sister lives in California and my brother lives in Colorado. Despite the distance, we remain close to one another. My sister has blessed our family with three nephews.

My parents divorced when I was roughly one years old. I was lucky to have two mothers. My step mother has treated me as her own and proves to me that blood doesn't make you family.

I am a patient service representative at Aurora. I really enjoy my job and the people I work with. Although I love work, my main focus is on our future child. Once we adopt, I am planning on working part time and being a full time mom.

In my free time I enjoy reading. Snuggling up on the couch and grabbing a book sounds like a perfect day. We also live near a bunch of lakes. Going for a "lake walk" around Fowler lake with Theo is something we do often. I love the area we live in. Most of our family lives close by. It is perfect area for a child to grow up in and we plan to stay forever!



Best believe Joey had a matching pair of PJs!



Serious Jenga Competition!



Work buddies!



Hanging with the newest Nephew!



The Sweetest Snuggles!



On one of our lake walks!





When Ashley and I were just friends, I always knew that I wanted to marry her someday. She is the most compassionate, forgiving and caring person that I have ever met. From the time we were in high school, we babysat my nephew together often. I love watching her interact with him and other kids. It has always been so natural for her. There has never been a doubt in my mind that she will be a great mother some day.

I often say that Ashley is too nice. She has a very hard time telling people no. It is her biggest strength and weakness. In result of this, everyone that meets her loves her.

Ashley is extremely intelligent. She has great intuition. It always makes me laugh; whenever we watch movies together, she always is able to predict what will happen next. Ashley always amazes me with how fast she can read! She will finish entire books in only a couple of days.

### Our Families

We are super lucky to have such a tight knit family. We get together often and help each other out when needed. We always find excuses to have cookouts or get togethers. We celebrate birthdays, holidays and Packer games together. At nearly every family gathering, we play the card game cribbage.

Our family group chat messages are EXTENSIVE. Sometimes it's hard to keep up, but we are fortunate to all be so involved.

Unfortunately, on August 18, 2018, Joey's mom passed away. It was definitely difficult and brought many changes to our family. Going through this loss as a family together has only made us stronger.

Since we have been together, our family has been excited for us to become parents. We are so thrilled to bring a child into our family and to spoil them with all of the love that we have been so fortunate to have.



Joey's Side

### Ashley's Side





Ashley's parents out with her aunts and uncles. They call themselves "potato salad 6"



Ashley's parents attending Joey's Swearing in Ceremony



Ashley's Mom and Nephews!



Ashley's brother and sister in California!



Thanksgiving at our house with both Families!



Ashley's sister getting ready for her first surgery during her breast cancer fight.



Ashley with Joey's sisters on a Bachelorette trip!



A cookout at Joey's Dad's house!



Dinner Celebrations for Gabriel's 11th Birthday!



Dockhound's baseball game with Joey's family!



Packer party at Joey's Dad's house!



Hocus Pocus 2 watch party with Joey's sisters and niece at our house!

