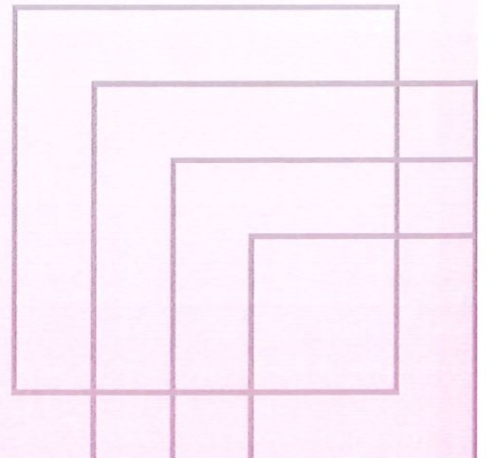
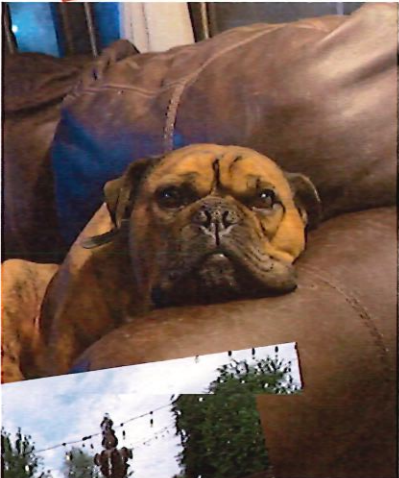
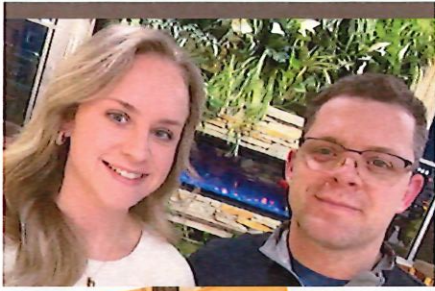


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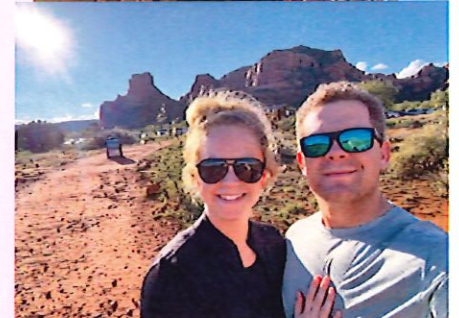
Our family wants you to know, we thank you for looking into adoption. We would love to add a child into our home and show them that all people deserve love, kindness, the sense of safety and security within their home. We hope to get to meet you. Please look through our profile and if you feel a connection we are very glad!

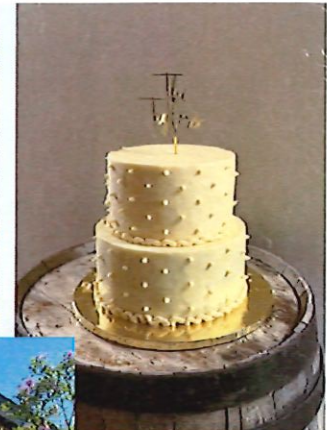
With Love,
Mariah and Tanner Manning





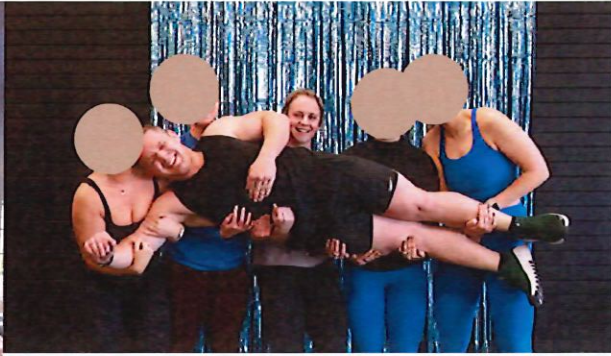
Our story began when we were just eight years old, but life took us on separate paths until our early twenties. Tanner's aunt and Mariah's mom, best friends for 35 years, played matchmakers, bringing us back together. When Mariah returned from Milwaukee after her first nursing job, she needed a place to stay, and Tanner was looking for a roommate. Thanks to a little nudge from Tanner's aunt, a friendship blossomed into love, and in 2019, we tied the knot. Life took a bittersweet turn with an unexpected pregnancy and loss in December 2019, but our hearts remained hopeful. In January 2020, we decided to try again, though the journey was challenging. Fast forward to August 2023, we felt a change was needed and moved to Tanner's hometown. This smaller community has embraced us, providing friendship and a sense of belonging. Our two Old English Bulldogs, Groot and Otis, are our loyal companions, always ready with kisses and cuddles. Surrounded by friends and family with young children, we feel ready and excited to add a new member to our loving circle, eager to start the next chapter of our lives together.



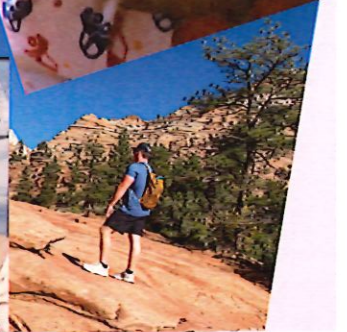
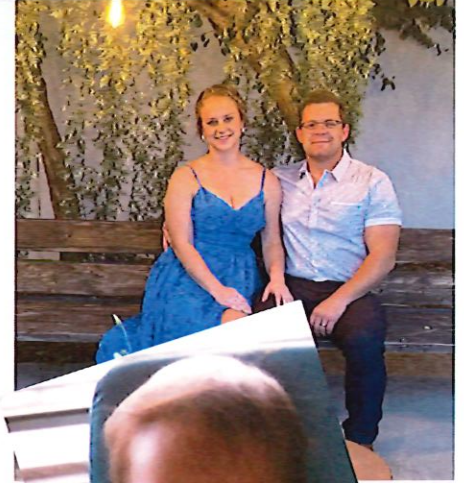


Hello! My name is Mariah, I'm a nurse and a personal trainer, and I find both roles incredibly fulfilling. I love building meaningful connections with people. As a personal trainer, there's nothing quite like watching clients achieve their goals—it's so rewarding. In my nursing role, I feel privileged to support individuals during both their toughest and happiest times. I enjoy staying active, and you'll often find me working out with my husband, taking walks by the river, or reading a good book on the dock. I have a neat hobby baking, I even make wedding cakes! I also love spending quality time with friends. Family is very important to me; they live nearby, so I get to see them often. Holidays are a special time for my husband, Tanner, and me, as we celebrate with our large families. I have two younger siblings, and we share a close bond—I hope to create a similar connection in my own family one day. Traveling is another passion of mine, and I strive to balance work, personal interests, and family, all while nurturing love and meaningful relationships.





I'm Tanner,
Growing up in a small town with a big, loving family has made me value deep connections. My experience as a welder and truck driver shows my versatility, while my love for woodworking and drawing reveals my creativity. Enjoying audiobooks during long drives enriches my journey. Strength training and gym time with my coaching wife highlight my dedication to health. Though I humor her with walks, home and a good movie are truly my retreats. My compassion and love for meeting new people reflect a genuine desire to connect. I aspire to teach my future family the importance of spreading love and kindness.





Otis



Hello! I'm Groot, and with my buddy Otis, we're quite the charming duo. I've been with my parents since the start of their journey, and it's amazing. I love cuddling and chew toys, showing my playful nature.

Hey, I'm Otis! Finding a forever home with loving parents made my birthday in 2021 special. My energy and love for stuffed toys and food make me a delightful companion. We cherish naps, snoring, and time with our nieces!

Groot

