

Brad + Paige





hello

We are Brad and Paige, and we live in Columbus with our son, Jameson, and together we are PB&J. We are so happy you are taking the time to get to know us! A variety of life threatening medical issues prevented us from starting our family. Given those hurdles, we decided adoption was for us in 2018. We adopted Jameson while we were still living in Nashville. Jameson had his own struggles, spending his first two weeks in the NICU, but after that he has done nothing but thrive. As a family we always find activities to enrich our lives, from kayaking and bike riding to exploring COSI and going to ball games. We currently have two dogs, two turtles, and a beta fish. We have lots of love to give and want to share that with another child.



Brad

Brad has a Biomedical Engineering Ph.D. and works as a medical imaging engineer. Brad is the most loving husband and father, who always puts his family over himself. For our son's 5th birthday, he took off work to take Jameson to COSI and have a daddy/son day. When he is not spending time with our family or an adventures with Paige, he is teaching our son about construction and how to use tools. He is currently adding a master bathroom to our house, with Jameson's help of course. Helping the community is a priority for him, between volunteering at Habitat for Humanity, helping out at Jameson's school, and aiding in our neighborhood projects.

Paige

Paige has a degree in Art History from the University of Dayton. She is the sweetest, most caring person. She goes out of her way to help anyone or any dog in need. She loves fostering dogs; caring for and finding forever homes for over 80 dogs in the past decade. Paige is a very outgoing person who makes friends wherever she goes and that has clearly rubbed off on Jameson (and Brad too as she likes to say). She was elected to Vice President of our neighborhood community board and loves planning events to bring the community together. Paige loves the outdoors, especially when she is canoeing down a lazy river with her friends and family. She is a dedicated mother to Jameson, ensuring he has access to resources he needs to succeed.

how we met

We met at a party 18 years ago in Kentucky after we had both graduated from different colleges. Paige was intrigued by the blonde guy who didn't say much, and Brad was interested in the fun girl with a pool at her house. Once we started talking, we felt an instant connection. We even started making baby name lists during our first month of dating. We married a year and a half later and moved to Nashville, Tennessee so Brad could attend graduate school at Vanderbilt University. Paige studied middle school education and social studies at Belmont University. Moving away from our families was hard, but it taught us to depend on each other and helped us grow as a couple.



Jameson

The most wonderful part of our lives is Jameson, our 5-year-old son. He is curious and likes to build like his father, but also is outgoing and loves art like his mother. As an active boy, he enjoys activities like ice hockey, tee-ball, learning ukulele, and riding his bike. Jameson is currently in preschool at our parish and has made tons of friend at school and in our neighborhood. We stay in contact with Jameson's birth mother and hope to have another open adoption if that is your wish. Jameson's ancestry DNA found he was more Scottish than Paige, whose maiden name is McFarlan, so he wants to embrace his Scottish heritage.



our home



We live in a diverse community near downtown Columbus, with a big yard, trampoline, and clubhouse for Jameson and his friends to play on. We love being close to activities like Franklin Park Conservatory, the Art Museum of Columbus, the main branch library, various parks, and COSI children's museum. We have two permanent dogs; Dunkel, a 12 year old Pyrenees-Labrador mix who is the sweetest, and Strudel, a three year old English Sheepdog who is crazy but loyal. We also have two aquatic turtles, Duke and Ducky. Jameson has a beta fish named Titan, after the Tennessee Titans, were he was raised the first three years of his life.



thank you

We hope you consider us to adopt and raise your baby. We have lots of love to give and want to share that with another child. We are open to whatever level of openness you desire. Thank you for considering us, and we pray for the best for you and your baby in this time of uncertainty in your life.

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WE LOOK FORWARD TO CONNECTING WITH YOU

If you have any questions for us or would like to speak with us about adopting your child, please contact your case worker at Open Arms Adoptions by calling 330-697-4751 or 614-349-1510.

