



DAN, SARAH *and* LINCOLN

Family

Hi! We are the Hayes family: Dan, Sarah, Lincoln, and Kava!

Danny and I have known each other for 20 years but have been together since 2013. We married in 2016 and have been blessed with our dog Kava and sweet little Lincoln James! We love our family and hope to grow it, giving Lincoln a sibling(s) and sharing all the love we have.

Loving, supportive family and friends surround us. We see our family daily! Danny & I live next to my parents, and Danny manages his family business with his father and brother.



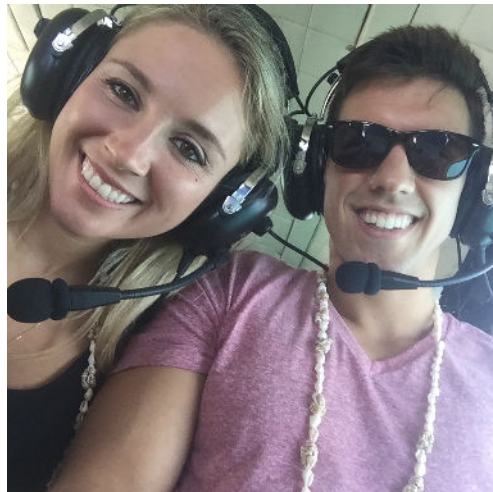
Hobbies

We love to travel, celebrate birthdays, and honor our family traditions. We want our family to see the world and experience different cultures and ways of life. Dan & I believe education lives in more places than just the classroom.

Our family loves celebrating Birthdays. Every year, we decorate and set out pictures of the year we have had, followed by a birthday party with family and friends, eating our favorite foods and desserts.

Danny & I both had special traditions growing up that we integrated into our own family. We have a blast celebrating Chinese New Year in honor of my heritage, and we love going to Hibachi with friends for New Year's Eve. I personally love making a formal home-cooked dinner for Valentine's Day, and on Christmas Eve we love eating White House Chicken and Chinese food!

My favorite traditions are celebrating the 4th of July with family/friends at a lake in Southern Ohio and attending the local county fair in the fall. Danny's favorite is having special "family days" filled with outside play, campfires, s'mores, and ending the night with a movie & snuggles!



Daily Life

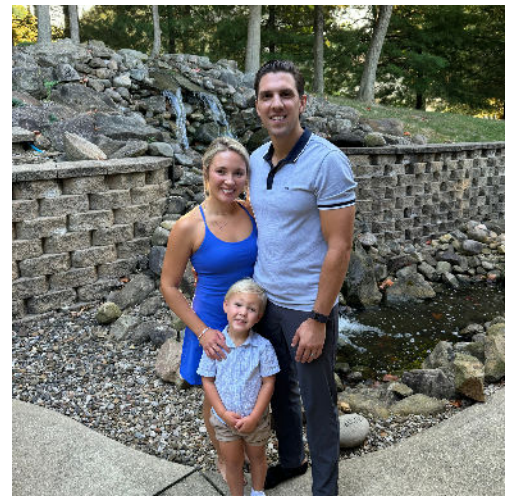
Dan and I want so much for our children. We have committed to raising our kids in a Christian Catholic faith, providing them with a strong education and ensuring they are surrounded by those who love them. We are continually working to give our children endless opportunities for their future, and we want you to know how much your child will be loved, and cared for.

Here is an idea of our daily life so you can get to know us better!

Most days of the week, Dan and I wake up and exercise, followed by work e-mails or faith-based education. Once Lincoln awakes, I love making eggs & fresh bread for breakfast. When Danny heads to the office, our day begins with preschool, swim lessons, playdates, parks, or going to Grandma's house next door! After Dan comes home, we have dinner with family, friends, or sometimes just the 3 of us. We always end the night with baths, books, a movie or show, and prayers.

On the weekends, we spend time with friends or family, attending watch parties for sporting events, Lincoln's soccer games, swimming, playing beach volleyball or visiting family and friends. We always attend church on Saturday nights or Sunday mornings.

Dan manages his family's business. When Lincoln arrived, we decided I would give up my career to stay home to care for our family. We both agree it is the best decision we could have made, and we love all the family time this gives us. Running a family business also allows Dan the flexibility to be sure he's there for all of our family's important moments. He has never missed a preschool parade or Christmas play. Dan & I can't wait to add even more to our schedules with other little ones in our family. One thing is certain, we will both always be there to support our children.



A note from SARAH

Hi! I'm Sarah, and I love nothing more than Jesus, my husband & being a Mother. I have always wanted to adopt ever since I can remember. First, I want you to know that I have been praying for you daily since Danny & I said we were ready to start the adoption process. We are beginning the adoption process earlier than expected, as I have battled infertility. I want you to know that your child will not be the only one adopted in our family. We plan on adopting more than once, as we wish to have a large family. I dream of having a big dinner table full of laughter, chaos, and love!



A note from DANNY

When looking at this profile, I hope you see a genuine, authentic family. Sarah and I have made it our life's mission to be intentional about our faith, parenthood, and our marriage. Every day, we push to be the best versions of ourselves to raise our children to be kind and filled with faith and joy. I am not perfect (Sarah is sure closer than me!) But I can promise you one thing - if we were lucky enough to be considered to adopt your child(ren), we would welcome them into our home with unconditional love.



Special note...

The words "Thank you" do not do justice. We want you to know that your bravery, courage, and love for your child will never be forgotten or lost. You are a beautiful child of God, and the sacrifice you are choosing to give your child up for adoption is courageous and admirable.

Thank you for trusting us. We promise we will unconditionally love your child. They will be raised in a family supporting them in any endeavor they choose, have access to the best medical care and education they may need, and always know how much you and we love them. If you decide you would like to keep in touch, we are open to sharing our love with you! Always know that we are grateful for you.



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.