

# Danielle & Greg

and Lucas and Luna!

Hello!

We're so happy to have this opportunity to help you get to know us. We met over 20 years ago, and knew that we were meant for each other! Despite having our marriage proposal spoiled by Danielle's dad, who announced it at a family gathering before there was even a ring, we've been happily married since 2000.

## Our Family

Not being able to have kids led us to adoption to grow our family. Lucas made us a family in January of 2009, and we have been looking forward to our next addition ever since! As we have with Lucas' birth family, we hope that we can be part of your adoption journey, today and always.

We love spending time together as a family. Most evenings and weekends are spent together walking the dog, playing games, or enjoying our community. We live in a medium sized city with lots of great family-friendly events and amenities. We love to be active. In the winter we downhill ski, and in the summer we love to be outside hiking, biking, camping, paddling or just chilling out at the beach.

## Greg

Funny, thoughtful, patient, considerate, loyal. Greg is a great dad, and puts family first! He loves

adventure, from trips to the library and pool to paragliding in Mexico. He is a Fisheries Biologist, and his love of nature means we do a lot of family camping, hiking, and outdoor pursuits. Greg is also actively involved volunteering at our church and at Lucas' school.

Greg has a brother and sister, both married, with children. They live in BC, and we see them a few times a year. His parents are both in good health and are excited to welcome another grandchild into the family!

## Danielle

Outgoing, authentic, energetic, fun. Danielle is a busy mom and nutritionist. She is passionate about good food (and craft beer) and good fun, with family and lots of friends!

She loves to travel, from local hiking trails to international getaways. She is sporty, and loves to paddle board, golf, hike, swim and generally goof around, usually with either Lucas or Luna (our dog) in tow! Danielle is a dedicated parent and person, and loves to volunteer at Lucas' school and with our church.

Danielle has one sister and three brothers, and most are married, with children. The youngest neices are 5 years old, so our family gatherings still include lots of noise, play, and love! Her parents are also both in good

## THIS IS US!



DANIELLE & GREG



LUCAS (10 YEARS)



LUNA (7 YEARS]



# PHOTOS FROM THIS YEAR



health and looking forward to loving more babies into the family!

## **Lucas**

Smart, funny, active, happy. Lucas is a bright little dude! He loves to watch and play basketball, spout sports facts, and play video games. He is sometimes mischievous, to the great delight of his younger cousins! He enjoys playing with our dog Luna, camping, and playing board games of all kinds. Lucas is adventurous in his own way, and enjoys trying lots of activities. He is a great swimmer, and he downhill skis, plays drums, and rides horses. This year at school he will try volleyball, basketball, the swim team, and the spelling bee. He is well-liked at school!

He is excited to be a big brother, and has an amazing way with babies and toddlers!

## **You**

We want you to know that we have such a deep respect for your decision to make an adoption plan for your child. As a Catholic couple, we admire your courage and strength in choosing life for your baby. We will honour that decision throughout the life of your child, sharing about you and the love you have shown. We would love to share about our life moments throughout the years, and stay connected in whatever way makes you most comfortable.