

# Katie & John





# Dear Birthparent,

We are Katie and John – proud pet parents to our fur babies, Hank, Churro, and Q. Thank you so much for taking the time to look at our profile.

We have been trying to grow our family for a while now, but we've been unable due to fertility challenges. Welcoming your baby into our home and showering them with love would be an incredible gift and a dream come true.

Katie is a public defender, and John is a software developer.

Outside of work, we're an easygoing couple that enjoys a variety of activities. We like to spend time outdoors, whether it be taking a walk through our neighborhood or hiking up a mountain. We also like listening to music, going to concerts, and watching movies on the big screen. Sports are a big part of our lives, either watching or playing. At least twice a year we try and travel to new and exciting places.

If you choose us to adopt your child, they will be loved and supported unconditionally. We will allow them to explore their interests, take them on many adventures, and help them grow into the amazing person they are bound to become. We would support an open adoption and make sure our child knows their full history. We value the richness of diverse environments and interacting with people from all walks of life.

As you review our profile, please know how grateful we are and that we hope the best for you regardless of your decision.

**Katie and John**



ABOUT US 

# How We Met



We met in the beginning of 2019 just after John moved from Texas to Colorado. Our first date lasted for six hours where we immediately hit it off, made each other laugh, and were able to be completely ourselves around each other.

As time went on, our relationship grew stronger and stronger. We were there for each other through all of the challenges COVID brought. Spending every day together during lockdown deepened our love and prompted us to buy a house together in the summer of 2020. A year later, John proposed on a pier overlooking the ocean, and we were married in front of our friends and family in Golden, Colorado in May 2022.



*Engaged!*



*On vacation in Prague*

SHARING LIFE 

# Our Time Together

We know how to enjoy life!  
Some of our favorite things to do  
together are:

Hiking

Traveling

Going to the movies

Hanging out with family and friends

Playing with our pets

*Hawaii honeymoon*



*Enjoying Colorado*



*Boat ride in Los Cabos*



*A concert at Red Rocks*





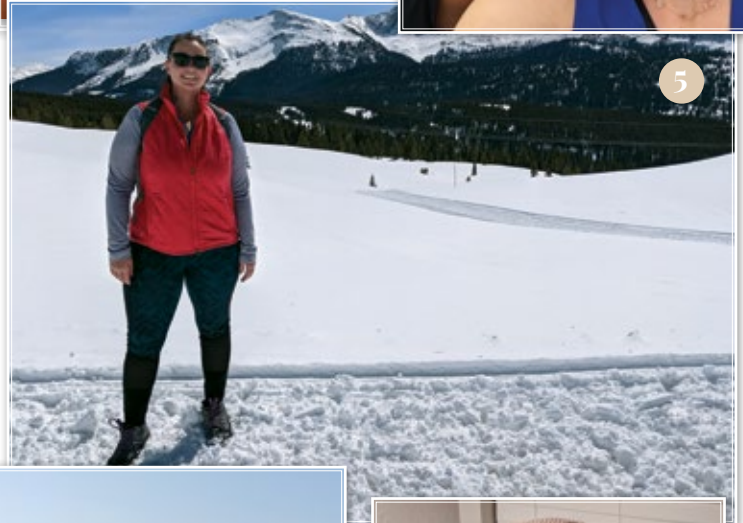
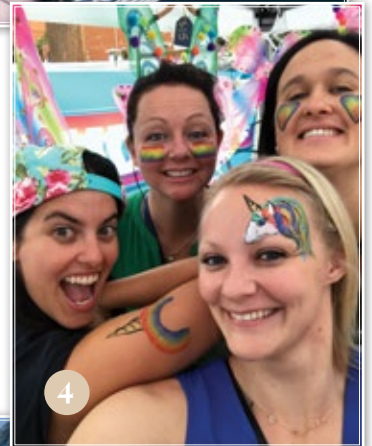
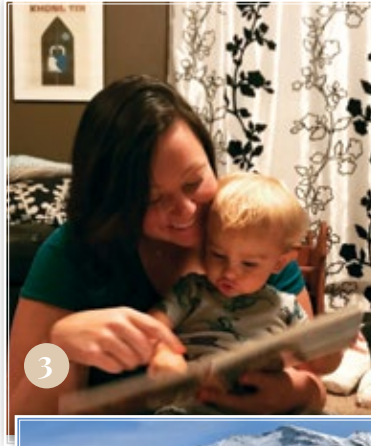
*On a hike above the trees*



*Vacation in Los Cabos*



*Seeing the sights in Salzburg, Austria*



A LITTLE ABOUT 

# Katie

**Katie is loyal, compassionate, smart, beautiful, fun, and funny.** She fiercely believes in justice and equality which is why she decided to become a public defender in law school and has been a public defender for 14 years. She finds great meaning in life standing up for those who have nothing.

Katie is an outgoing person and has many friends she still keeps up with from high school, college, and work. She sees the best in people and has never met a stranger. Our friends and family's children are drawn to Katie's warmth and playful nature, and she is absolutely meant to be a mom. - *by John*

**Photos:** **1** Katie babypacking her friend's daughter. **2** With friend Andi in Thailand. **3** Reading to her friend's son. **4** With friends at Pride. **5** In Silverton, Colorado. **6** Hiking out west. **7** With her friend's baby Tatum.

*Hobbies: Hiking, watching and playing sports, traveling, tv/movies, reading, animal lover*

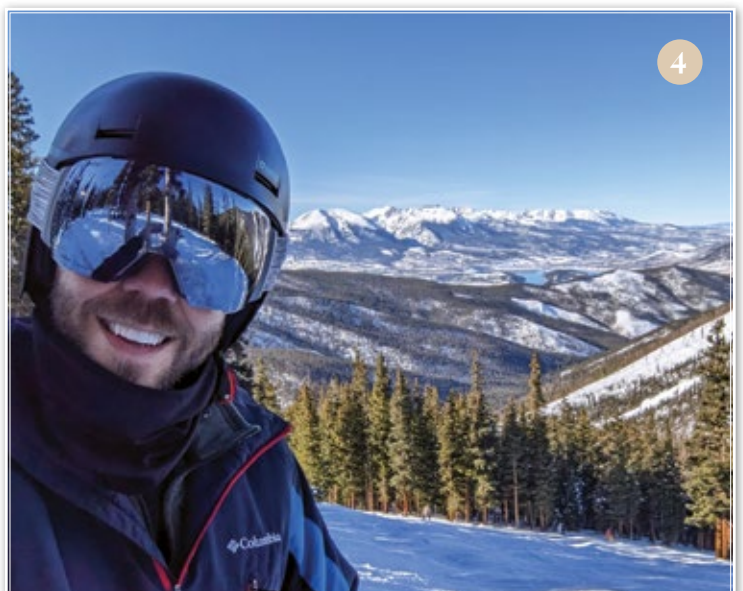
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# John

**John is incredibly smart, kind, compassionate, patient.** He has a great sense of humor, including his goofy dad jokes. He really listens to people and would do anything for his friends and family. John went to school for engineering, and eventually found his true calling in software development where he works remotely and has a lot of flexibility.

Early on in our relationship, I remember looking at John and knowing what a great dad he would be when I saw him around our friends' kids. Then, I saw how caring, kind, and playful he was with our many pets. John will be the best dad. - *by Katie*

**Photos: 1** John with his friend's son Harry. **2** On top of Mt Huron. **3** With his friend Matt at Black Canyon of the Gunnison. **4** Enjoying a day skiing.



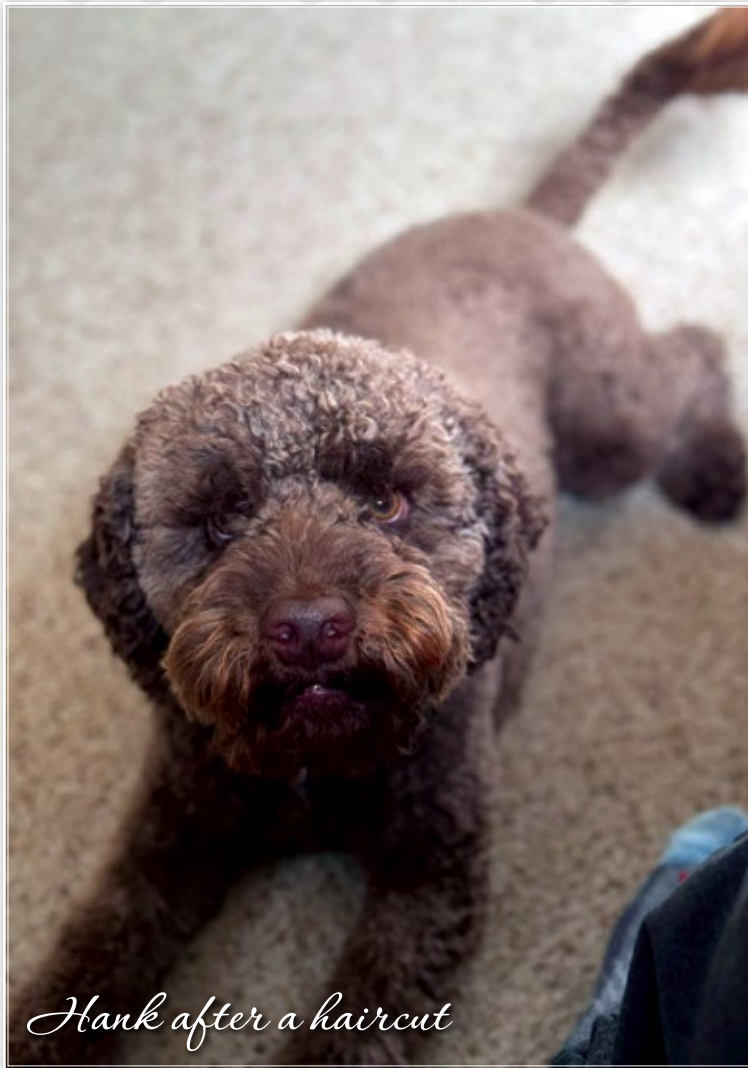
*Hobbies: Hiking, skiing, tennis, traveling, chess, video games, cooking, being a dog & cat dad*

THE PLACE WE LOVE 

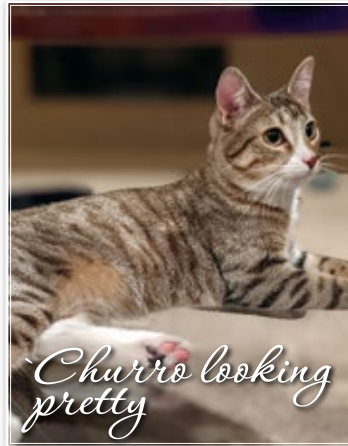
# Home & Community

We live in a split-level house with 5 bedrooms and plenty of space. **We have an amazing backyard with a great patio and grassy area.** We're only half a mile away from Bible Park where we regularly go on walks and enjoy the Colorado sunshine.

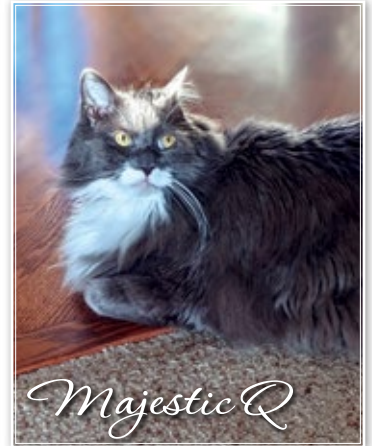




*Hank after a haircut*



*Churro looking pretty*



*Majestic Q*



*Christmas kitties*



*Hank loves playing with children.*

WE ARE ANIMAL LOVERS 🐾

# Our Furry Family Members

**Our pets are very much our family.** We have an old man cat, Q, who is 14 years old and loves eating, sleeping, and cuddling Katie at night. Churro is 4 and is the athlete of the family: she loves bounding around the house and annoying Q. Hank is the baby dog (almost 2) and plays hard and sleeps hard: he has never met another person, kid, or dog he didn't love.

THE PEOPLE WE LOVE

# Friends & Family

**Katie grew up in a small town in northwest Colorado, where her supportive and loving parents still live.** She has one younger sister who she loves dearly and can't wait for her to move back to Colorado in a couple of months.



*Katie and her sister Brandie*



*Katie with her parents and sister*



*John with his parents*



*John with his brother Andrew*

**John grew up in Houston, Texas and was raised by his mother Carol and dad Ray.** His brother Andrew lives in Austin. John loves his family and appreciates all the support they've given him over the years. Even though he moved away, John makes an effort to visit them at least once a year.

# Our Promise to You

The promise that we make to you is that we will love this child unconditionally as our own and will make them the center of our lives. This child will always know how fiercely we wanted to be their parents. We will raise this child to care about others and the world around them. We will always support their hopes and dreams, whatever those may be. We will provide them with love, stability, happiness, fun, and education.

Most importantly, this child will know that they are loved by you, and your courageous and selfless sacrifice will be celebrated in our house. This child will know their biological culture, race, heritage, and background, and we promise to celebrate their uniqueness with them always.



*Thank You.*



Thank you for your incredibly selfless love for your child. Thank you for learning a little about us and being open to this incredibly difficult process. We hope that we may be the family that was meant to love your child as our own with all of our hearts. – K&J