

# MAKAYLA & MACAELA



OUR JOURNEY TO ADOPTION



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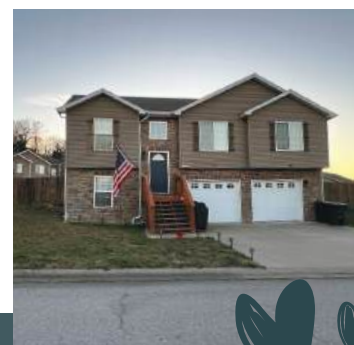


## ABOUT US

Our names are Makayla and Macaela. Same names...weird, right? It was almost a deal breaker when we met! But we overlooked the fact that we both had the same name when we met at our first duty station. We fell in love because we both had a love for the outdoors. We like to fish and camp. Macaela is active duty military and Makayla is a Sports Assistant.. We are both very active and enjoy a daily workout routine. On the weekends, we meal prep, do things around the house, and take the time to relax. We love watching football on Sundays during the season, hosting friends at the house, and enjoying the outdoors.

## OUR HOME & PETS

We live in a quiet, military family-oriented neighborhood in Missouri. Our neighborhood is filled with children of all ages, and four schools are nearby. Our home is two stories with three bedrooms, two baths, a living room, a kitchen, a dining room, and a laundry room. We also have an open family room with a full bathroom downstairs. We share our home with our two loving dogs and three cats. Our first fur baby has been with us since the start of our relationship. Our second pup was adopted from the shelter and has almost completed our family. We also have three cats, two of which have been with Macaela since she joined the Army and one that we recently rescued in 2020 during our time in Colorado.



## WHAT LED US TO ADOPTION

We tried for two years to have a biological child, with no luck unfortunately. Although we were very discouraged, adoption has always been in our plans. We have so much love in our hearts and are ready for a child of our own. We would love to be able to help a birthmother during what could be a challenging time for her. We are excited to have this opportunity to be able to welcome a child into our home alongside a loving and accepting extended family.





## OUR LIFE TOGETHER



# MAKAYLA

**Occupation:** Sports Assistant

**Education:** Bachelor of Science

**Race:** Caucasian

**Religion:** Christian

**Sport:** Basketball

**Food:** Steak and potatoes

**Hobby:** Fishing

**Family Tradition:** Tree lighting on Thanksgiving

**Musical Group:** Bailey Zimmerman

**Movie:** *National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation*

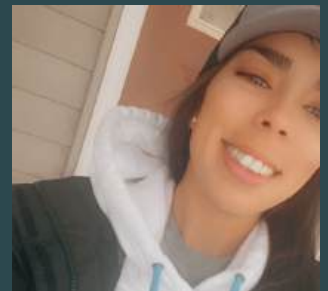
**Dream Vacation:** The Bahamas

**Holiday:** Christmas

**TV Show:** *This Is Us*

**School Subject:** History

**Book:** *The Five People You Meet In Heaven*



# MACAELA

**Occupation:** U.S Army

**Education:** Some college

**Race:** Caucasian

**Religion:** Roman Catholic

**Sport:** Softball

**Food:** Steak

**Hobby:** Fishing

**Family Tradition:** Cooking Thanksgiving Dinner

**Musical Group:** Nickelback

**Movie:** *End of Watch*

**Dream Vacation:** The Bahamas

**Holiday:** Independence Day

**TV Show:** *This Is Us*

**School Subject:** Science

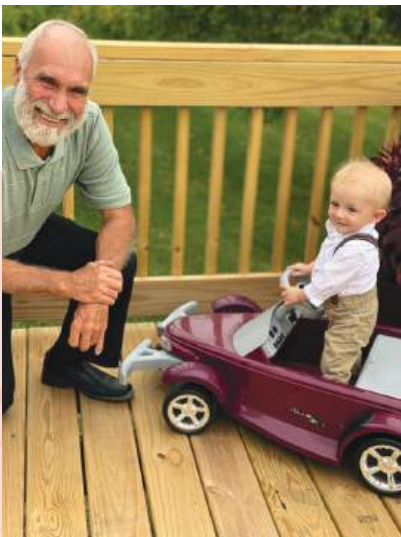
**Book:** *Black Hearts*





# OUR FAMILY & TRADITIONS

We both have involved and loving families. We each have one sibling. Makayla has an older sister who has two boys, with another baby on the way. Macaela has an older brother who has two boys. We spend all of the holidays together with family. We both have a lot of cousins, aunts, and uncles. Both of our parents are involved in our lives as well as grandparents, whom we see often. We flip flop major holidays with each side of our families so we get to see our extended family multiple times throughout the year. On Thanksgiving, we typically go to a Christmas tree lighting followed by cutting down a Christmas tree the following day. We are very fortunate to have so much unconditional love and support from both our extended families.





## DEAR EXPECTANT MOTHER,

We are deeply humbled that you would take the time to consider us as adoptive parents to your child. We both realize how life changing and hard of a decision this is for you and your baby. Be kind to yourself; the courage you have considering what is best for your baby is noble, and we cannot begin to imagine how difficult it may be.

Although we have never met, we have been praying for you for a while. We are so thankful and cannot express how blessed we are to be able to offer you the opportunity to get to know us and consider us as adoptive parents. We pray you trust us through this process and put your confidence in us to be the ones for your decision. We know the journey to this point was not an easy one, but rest assured, we are prepared, willing, and ready for an epochal opportunity.

Our support for you is overwhelming, and we pray you consider us as you make the right decision for your baby. We can assure you your baby will be loved and taken care of unconditionally.

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