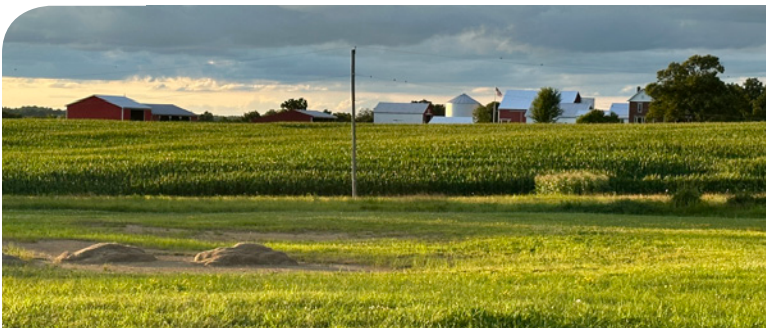




Hello, and welcome to our family!

We are Tim and Tyler (and we can't forget about our fur-kids, Jackson and Ella!), and we are so grateful that you are taking the time to learn more about us! Our family began when we met in early 2011 and our love has only grown stronger since. We rescued our first fur-child, Cocoa, (who has since passed from cancer, love you and miss you, our sweet girl!) in February 2017, we married in October 2019, and rescued Ella and Jackson in August 2021. We are a family full of excitement, fun, and love, and know that we want your child(ren) to join us on our amazing journey. Having a loving and supporting family is vital for a healthy upbringing, so we would want to make sure that your child(ren) would have the opportunity to know all aspects of their family and we would love to share your child's journey with you by exchanging photos, letters, and more throughout their life – we believe it will be extremely important for our child(ren) to understand adoption and the part that you played to bring them into our family. We hope our story brings you smiles and we thank you so very much for your consideration!





Home is where the heart is

For us, we have always felt strongly about growing our family, and decided to plant our roots in the hills of southeastern Ohio with this in mind. We purchased our current home in February 2022, which resides in a quiet, safe, rural area with lots of space, and we are only a stone's throw away from a state forest and numerous other public lands that offer thousands of acres for public use. Our love-filled home is nestled on a couple of acres on top of a hill that has a breathtaking vista and even has a glimpse of a nearby village four miles away! We have a small orchard on the property consisting of a variety of apple, pear, and peach trees. Our neighborhood is a tight-knit community where neighbors will give you salt, sugar, and milk if you run out, watch your house when you are away, and bake pies for one another around the holidays.



Tim, Love Tyler

Tim is a truly special person. I know him as a loving husband, but he is so much more than that – caring son, thoughtful uncle and cousin, helpful friend. Tim is such a kindhearted soul, having been there for me more times than I can remember, and I've seen him do the same for everyone in his life – being a shoulder to cry on, helping financially, inviting friends and family on vacations.

He also loves adventure! Tim grew up loving the outdoors and still does to this day! He has such a big smile any time that he can ride his ATV, take the dogs for a walk, a hike, or go for a drive to enjoy the views of the countryside.

Tim is extremely motivated. He is passionate about his goals and always follows through. I've seen him grow throughout his pursuit of a bachelor's degree, professional accreditations, and his career. He is the Supervising Investigator for a state government agency, and is a dedicated public servant,

helping to prevent innocent people from falling victim to investment scams and other fraudulent schemes. Everything he does in his life is driven from wanting to help, love, and support others. I am so confident that this will all make him an incredible father to our child.

Tyler, Love Tim

Tyler grew up in a traditional suburban setting in northeastern Ohio and was active in his school's choir and theatre where he had landed several lead roles, such as Fiddler on the Roof and West Side Story. Musicals were always his forte and he still enjoys stretching out his vocal cords when the opportunity presents itself.

I cannot think of another person I know who has a bigger heart, as he is truly selfless. I have seen him time and time again put others' needs above his. He is a wonderful uncle to five nieces and nephews and has spent more hours playing cars, trains, and make-believe games than I can count. He is a big kid at heart and would love nothing more

than to have the opportunity to do these things with our own child.

His enjoyment comes from seeing the ones he loves be happy, whether it be family or friends, and he always strives to bring happiness and joy to others. He is always looking out for others and for ways that he can help make their experiences better.

Tyler has a passion for technology! His adoration for all things computer and gaming related has led to him getting a degree in computer technology. He now works remotely for one of the nation's largest Fintech companies as an IT Support Manager, where he provides the same level of care and support to all of his employees!

While all things technology is Tyler's primary hobby, he is also an avid movie buff with his all-time favorite movie being Titanic. He has a thorough knowledge of actors and actresses that never ceases to amaze friends and family. He loves to use this knowledge on trivia nights.



The Importance of Family

We are both fortunate to have very strong connections with our families. Both sides welcomed us with open arms, which came as no surprise as they raised each of us with so much love and care. While our families are settled in northeast Ohio, we still see each other in-person multiple times throughout the year and see them every day through video calls. Every year, Tim's family has a giant reunion at their ancestral home which gets everyone excited for all the fun, games, good food, and celebrations! Every year we embark on our annual family vacation with our parents to a new and exciting destination. Both families absolutely love to come together to celebrate the holidays, make memories, and eat lots of great food! We are both uncles to some awesome kids, and love to spend time with our nephews and nieces!

From Tyler's Parents

As Tyler's parents, we have always been filled with pride at his compassionate, genuine and kind nature. Tyler has always been a loving, supportive, and reliable son, brother and friend and as he grew older, his love and patience and an uncle, his love and kindness has shown through. In meeting Tim, Tyler met his other half. Both have such big hearts, full of love and patience for everyone they meet and while they would complete their family, a child Tim have so much to offer a child and from observing their interactions with children over the years we wholeheartedly believe that they will be the most amazing and loving dads.

Love, Tyler's Mom & Dad



From Tim's Parents

From the moment Tim was born, watching him grow into the man he is today, we have always been very proud of him and all his accomplishments in life. Family means a lot to Tim. He is very close to his family, very supportive of everyone, not only to family but whoever may cross his path in life. When Tim and Tyler met, we knew he had the one to spend the rest of his life with, bringing out the best in each other. As parents to Tim and in-Laws to Tyler, we know they will be amazing, supportive, loving parents.

Love, Tim's Mom and Dad



Vacations & Travel

We love to travel and so do our fur-kids! Whenever we go on an extended vacation or just a short weekend trip, we take our kiddos with us as they are family too. We take many weekend trips throughout the year to new and exciting places. Many times, our parents even tag along and build new memories with us that'll last a lifetime. Some of our favorite vacation destinations have been in the White Mountains of New Hampshire and the Adirondack mountains of upstate New York. These are amazing moments that we all share together, being able to bond, share stories, tell jokes, and being able to unwind with family is like nothing else. We anxiously await the opportunity to be able to share these precious moments with your child(ren).

Our Values

In addition to the excitement of travel and vacations, we will also teach your child(ren) a wide range of values that were taught to us by our parents including family, compassion, love, and the Golden Rule. These highlighted values are at the heart of what we hold dear. As prospective parents, we promise to cherish them and do everything in our power to help them grow up to be happy and healthy, with all the knowledge and morals needed to make a positive impact on the world.

We are so excited for the opportunity to expand our family and share our home and life. Your child(ren) will be part of a tight knit, loving family and experience many exciting and amazing adventures! Thank you so much for taking the time to learn more about us, and we are so very appreciative of your consideration!



Fun and Interesting Facts About Us!

Tim's favorite movies are *The Princess Bride* and *The Lord of the Ring Trilogy*.

Tyler loves puzzles and escape rooms, especially anything requiring out of the box thinking.

Tim is a history buff and an avid follower of the British Royal Family.

Tyler enjoys watching football with friends and family, especially the Ohio State Buckeyes and Cleveland Browns!

We are both active members of the Episcopal Church.