








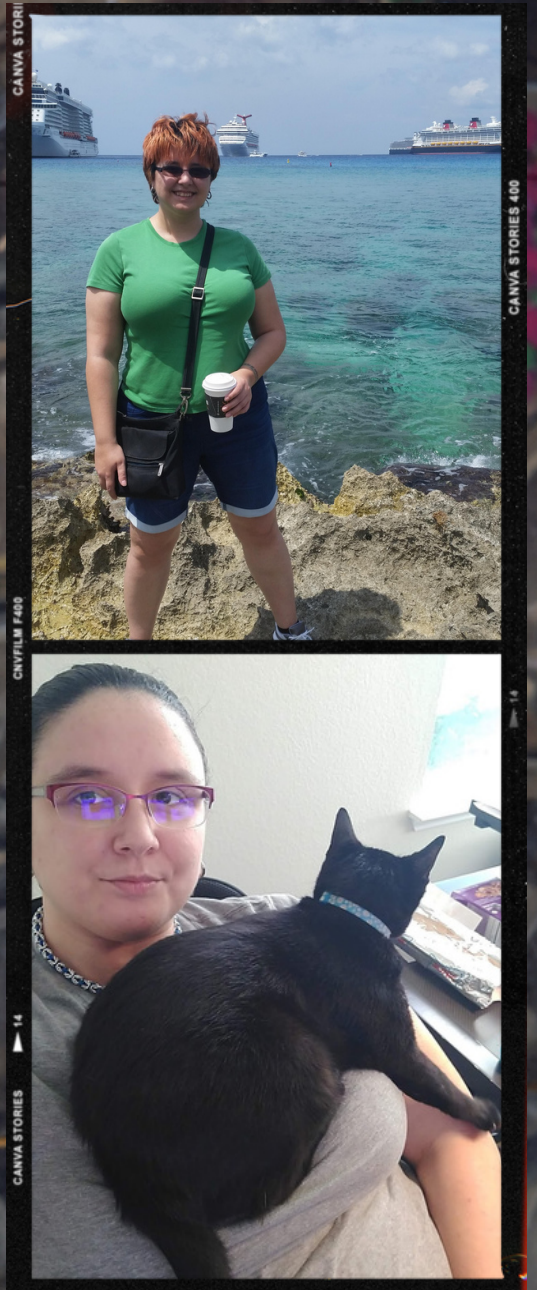
Our names are James and Mina. Before we talk about us, we want to talk about you: we are so proud of you. We know that such a selfless decision cannot be easy and recognize the strength and courage it will take for you and your child to make this difficult decision. Thank you for taking the time to learn more about us



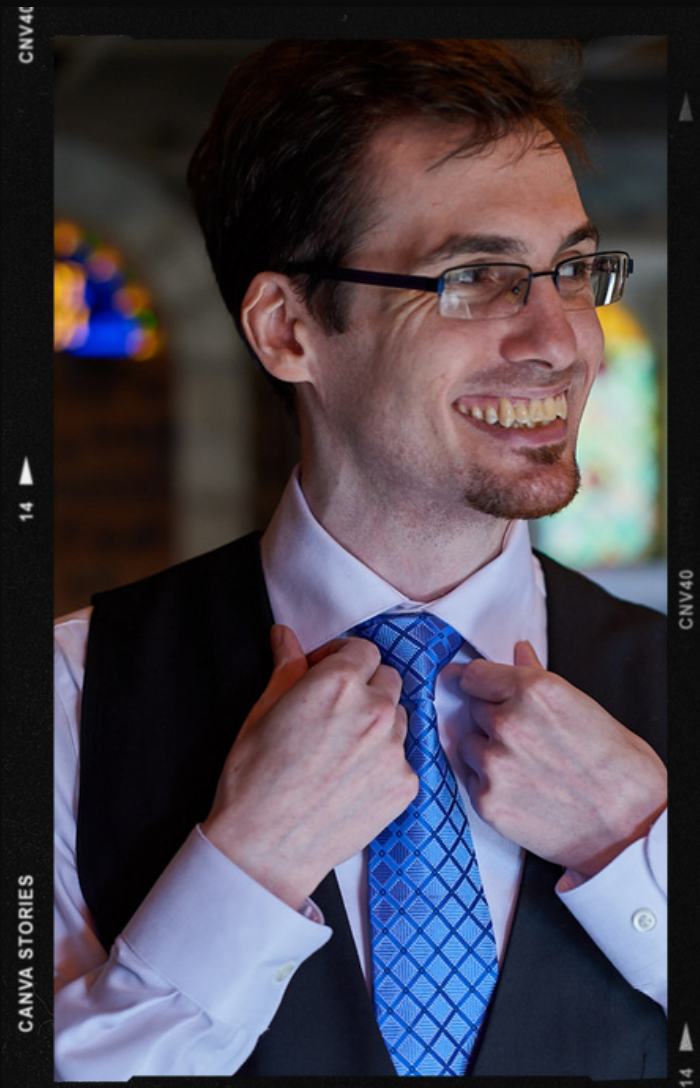


A woman is shown in profile, looking towards the right. She is wearing a black winter jacket with a thick fur-lined hood and a grey cap. She is holding a green can. The background is a wall with graffiti, including the letters 'ZA' and a large, stylized face.

We have been married for 11 years and James has a financially stable, long term career of 19+ years creating video games while I (Mina) am a full-time housewife preparing to become a stay-at-home mom. James works remotely from home so we will both be home and available to provide for our child personally. We will be available to help one another whenever it is needed, as we believe stability and reliability is important. My parents live about 40 minutes away, giving us the opportunity to meet up for lunches, holidays, and other occasions fairly regularly. We still go to my parents' place for Thanksgiving to enjoy my mother's amazing home-cooked food (but I always make the desserts)! We also spend Christmas together, although we switch up which house we do it at, and enjoy a special Christmas breakfast of eggs benedict before opening presents as a family. James' parents and siblings live in Canada but we stay in touch online and through phone and visit whenever we get the chance.







OURS IS A RELATIVELY SMALL FAMILY, MOST OF WHICH REQUIRE FLIGHTS TO VISIT OR WE'VE FALLEN OUT OF TOUCH WITH. HOWEVER, AS SMALL AS OUR RELATED FAMILY MAY BE, WE ARE VERY STRONG BELIEVERS IN FOUND FAMILY AND HAVE FRIENDS THAT ARE DEAR ENOUGH WE CONSIDER THEM LIKE FAMILY! ONE SUCH AMAZING FRIEND NEARBY HAS RAISED THREE BEAUTIFUL CHILDREN, LOVES KIDS, AND IS EAGER TO BE A SURROGATE AUNTIE! SHE HAS A PRIVATE POOL IN HER BEAUTIFUL BACKYARD, WHICH I EAGERLY LOOK FORWARD TO USING FOR SWIMMING LESSONS AND PARTIES FOR A FUTURE CHILD.





IN OUR FREE TIME WE ENJOY PLAYING GAMES WITH EACH OTHER; MOSTLY VIDEO GAMES, BUT ALSO BOARD GAMES AND CARD GAMES. WE ALSO ENJOY WATCHING TV SHOWS AND MOVIES ON STREAMING AND SOMETIMES JUST TALKING FOR HOURS ON END ABOUT WHATEVER COMES UP. WE LOVE TO TRAVEL, ESPECIALLY ON CRUISES TO TROPICAL PLACES! JAMES LIKES TO DO DIGITAL ART, PHOTOGRAPHY, GAME DESIGN, AND STREAM GAMES ON TWITCH IN HIS FREE TIME AND I LOVE TO COOK, CROCHET, AND DO ALL KINDS OF CRAFTY THINGS. COOKING AND FOOD ESPECIALLY BRINGS ME GREAT JOY, SOMETHING I CAN NOT WAIT TO SHARE WITH A CHILD. AND I CAN'T FORGET OUR BEAUTIFUL CATS, A BOY AND GIRL, WHO MAKE ME SMILE EVERY DAY AND ARE SURE TO BE GREAT HELPERS FOR A NEW ADDITION TO THE FAMILY!



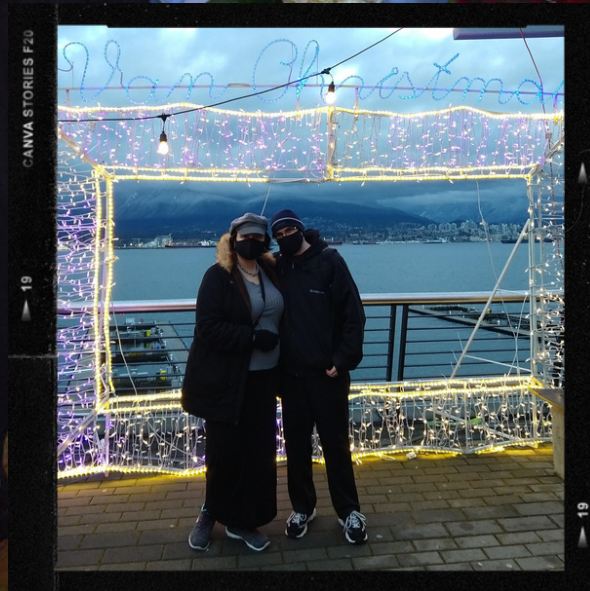


Adoption is not a secondary option or “settling” for us. We have longed to become parents for many years. We firmly believe in having a strong foundation in our home for our child. We have discussed the possibility of adoption together on many occasions, and we believe we are on the right path to start our family.

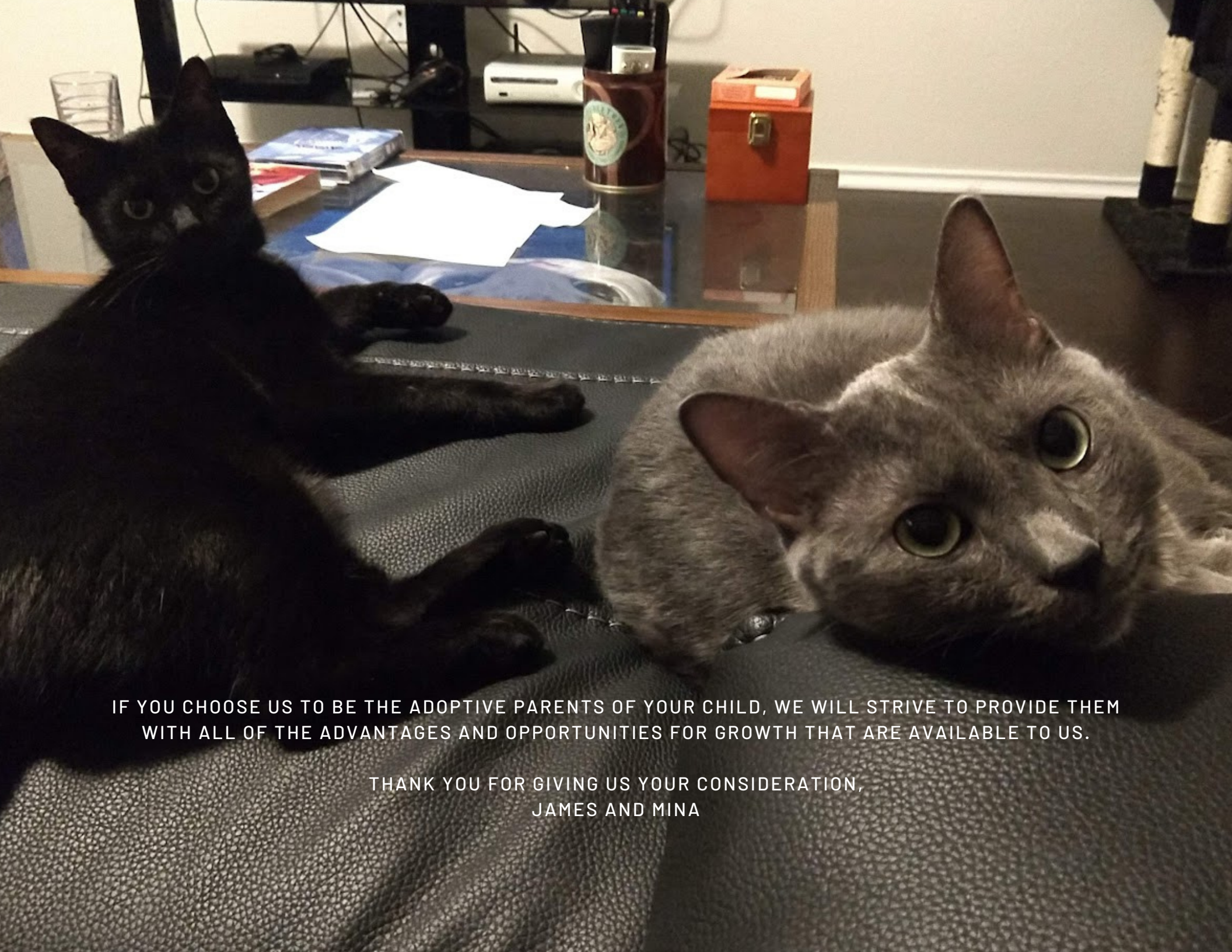
Our desire is for your child to be raised to have a strong work ethic, sense of independence, and the skills and education to be self-reliant. We want them to have a safe childhood in our quiet little community, growing up in a warm, loving environment with playgrounds and parks.











IF YOU CHOOSE US TO BE THE ADOPTIVE PARENTS OF YOUR CHILD, WE WILL STRIVE TO PROVIDE THEM  
WITH ALL OF THE ADVANTAGES AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH THAT ARE AVAILABLE TO US.

THANK YOU FOR GIVING US YOUR CONSIDERATION,  
JAMES AND MINA



