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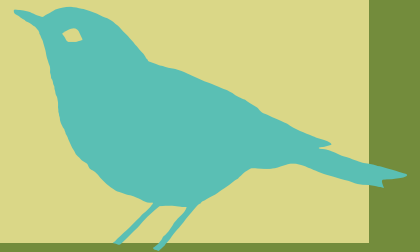
HELLO

we are the Garnetts from mid-Missouri

Thank you for taking the time to look at our profile!



Darin is 41 and has worked in video production for almost 20 years. He grew up in mid-Missouri, as an only child, his whole life. But he did have a next-door neighbor that was like a brother. He was a video game kid and continues to improve those skills on a weekly basis. His main hobby is creating 3D wooden punk rock signs. He volunteers his time to helping the local black-box theatre with their website and taking photos of performances.



DARIN





Tiffany is 38. She has been a stay-at-home mom since Luna was born in 2017. She plans to stay home with any future children until they are ready to start school. Prior to making the decision to stay home with Luna, Tiffany worked with fingerprints in forensics. In her free time, she can be found at one of the local community theatres, both onstage and off. Theatre has been a huge part of Tiffany's life since a young age, and she is a big supporter of the arts.

TIFFANY





The Story of Us

Darin and Tiffany met after he saw her at a work event in 2012 and asked some mutual friends about her. He asked her to lunch and they quickly fell in love. Darin proposed in 2014 at one of Tiffany's favorite places, the local black-box theatre, and they got married at the theatre in Darin's home town in 2015.



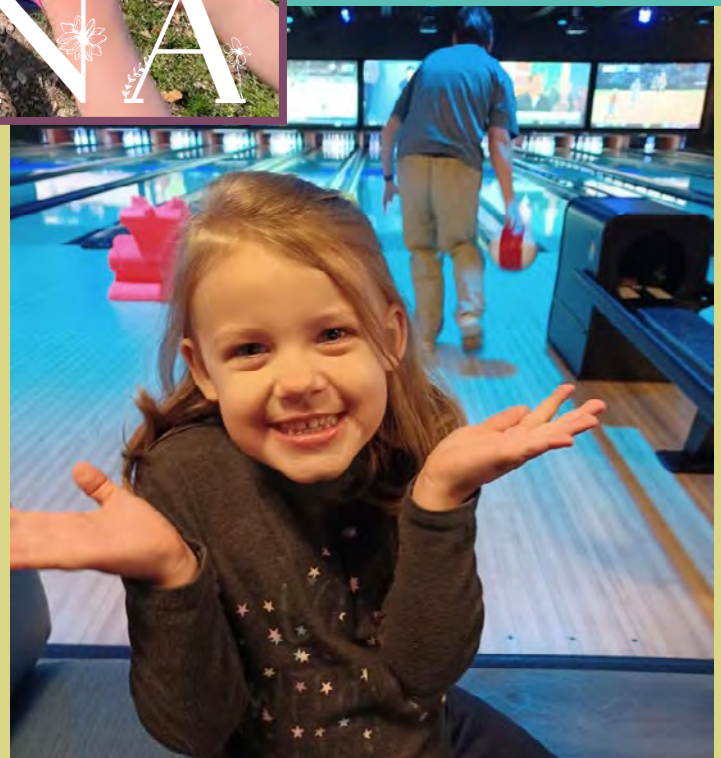


Luna is 5 years old and currently in Pre-K. She is very excited about starting kindergarten in the fall. She is such a funny, smart, creative, and caring girl. She is so thrilled at the prospect of becoming a big sister, which she is just



made for. She spends so much time taking care of her baby dolls and making sure her friends are safe and happy when they play together. She loves school, unicorns, singing, dancing, and playing with our cats.

LUNA



FAMILY



Darin's parents were married for almost 50 years. Sadly, his mom passed away in May of 2023 and is missed so much. His dad stays active with golfing and music but always has time for Luna.



Tiffany's dad lives close by and just turned 86. He is very active for his age. He loves to play board games any chance he gets. Her younger brother, Justin, recently moved back to Mid-Missouri in order to spend more time with family.





Our Home

We bought our house in 2015 and love our neighborhood. It is excellent for walking, with sidewalks everywhere that even connect to a nature trail at the end of our street. We have a big back yard which is great for kids to play in. We have 2 cats that we rescued last year, Jasmine and Dahlia. They are a special part of our family. Jasmine is our very cuddly (and vocal) kitty. She always watches out for squirrels on the back patio. Dahlia is the softest cat we've ever had and she requires "purr time" daily, which consists of about 15 minutes of intense petting while she loudly purrs and rubs against us.



Our Friends

Darin's closest friends aren't close geographically. One lives near Orlando Florida, who he has known since they were 2 years old, and the other is on the West side of Illinois, who has been a friend for almost 20 years. They have many friends through Tiffany's theatre and have made a few new friends from parents of Luna's friends.



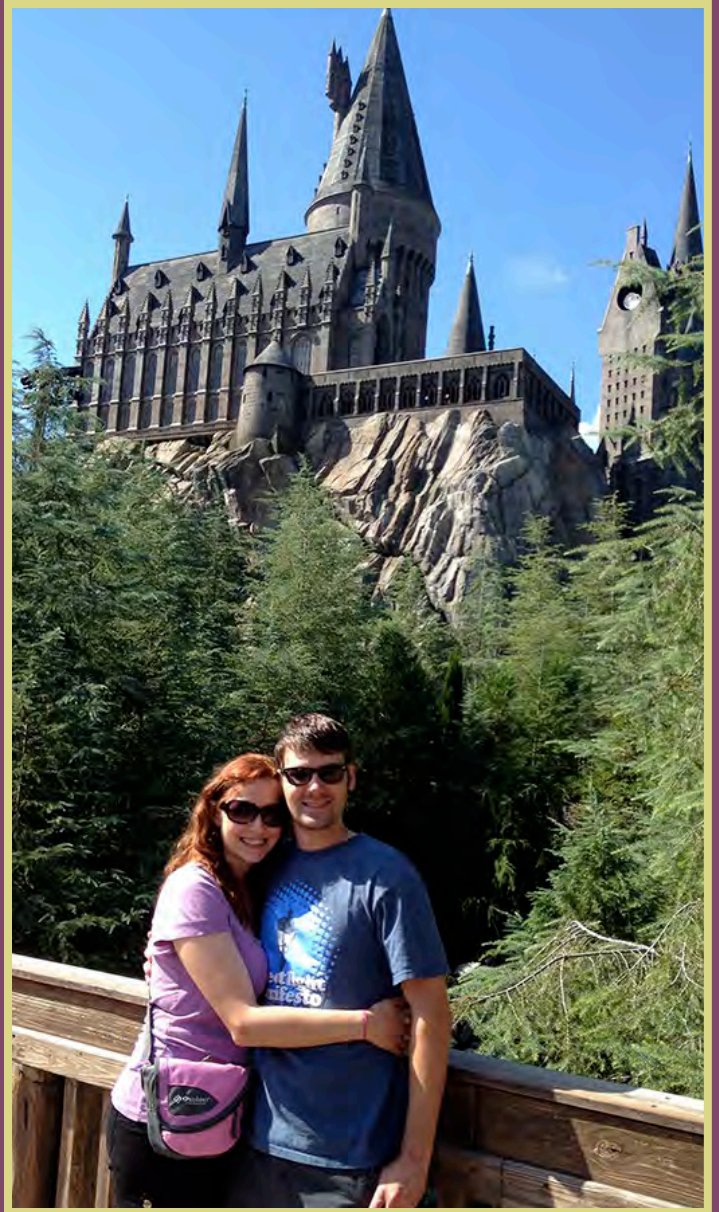
ADVENTURE

We love to play video/board games as a family. We are always on the lookout for family friendly local events where Luna can have fun. Halloween is our favorite holiday and we enjoy being creative in dressing up as different characters each year. Darin makes 3D wood signs, Tiffany loves the theatre, and Luna is an avid painter.



Travel

Our favorite vacation destinations are the beach and theme parks. Universal Studios was part of our honeymoon. For shorter trips, we are lucky to have St. Louis and Kansas City close by. They both have a lot of family friendly opportunities for a weekend getaway.



Dear Birthparents,

Thank you so much for taking the time to look through our profile. We know the decisions you are making currently are probably some of the hardest you've had to make in your life. We want to help ease your mind as much as we can. Before ever beginning this process, we've done a lot of research into the adoption triad. We are willing to put in the work to limit the trauma on all sides throughout the entire process.

We promise, if you choose us to raise your child, they will immediately be a part of our family, just like all the other members. We are big believers that family is what you make it. We have a lot of "chosen" family that are not related by blood, but they are without a doubt our family.

We want to assure you that your child will be loved just as much as we love our daughter, Luna (and we promise that's a lot). There will never be any different treatment of a biological child or an adoptive child in our home. Every child will get the love and care they need and deserve to become happy, healthy, successful adults.

We are willing to answer any questions you might have about us.

Sincerely,

Darin, Tiffany, and Luna



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