

Colin & Jolanda

We grew up together in the same rural community in the Fraser Valley but our first personal encounter wasn't till the quiet evening that Colin surprised Jolanda inviting her to join him for dinner at a local restaurant. Our first evening together flew by much too quickly. Since then we have built a strong, loving relationship by openly sharing our thoughts, challenges, and successes. We have been married for over nine years and continue to thrive on spending quality time together. Our hearts are very excited to grow in love through adoption.



Colin

Written by Jolanda

Colin is a loyal, cheerful, and responsible husband who is passionate about spending quality time with loved ones. After completing his degree in Geomatics he has continued to work as a surveyor and has nearly completed his childhood goal of becoming a British Columbia Land Surveyor. He also has a passion for helping people in our community as an on-call firefighter. Personally, he enjoys gardening, woodworking, baking and photography. When I imagine him as a father I see him: reading stories, on the floor playing, and giving a considerate listening ear. Colin is my life long companion and friend. He means the world to me and I am certain that he will make a most wonderful father.



Jolanda

Written by Colin

Jolanda has a patient, warm, and loving heart that she shares with everyone surrounding her. She is a hard-working and flexible woman who is always willing to help out others. After graduating from high school, Jolanda worked as a resident care attendant and later in 2012 she upgraded her education to become a practical nurse. Her kind soft character is appreciated by those around her, including the elderly she cares for. In her spare time Jolanda enjoys transforming our home into a cozy haven, baking, gardening and spending quality time with family and friends and their children. Since becoming an auntie at seven years old Jolanda has had children surrounding her most of her life. She has long dreamt of having children and hopes to be a stay-at-home mom.

at work



our lifestyle

We currently live a working couple lifestyle and enjoy surrounding ourselves with our family, friends, and our church community. We attend church regularly and hope to use our Christian values to love, nurture, and raise our children. Together we enjoy spending quiet time at home, gardening, cooking, baking, and biking the country roads in our neighbourhood. Away from home we like going for walks at a nearby lake, taking weekend day trips to the city, biking the seawall, and going shopping.

our family and friends

Colin comes from a family of four brothers and Jolanda is the youngest of four brothers and six sisters. Our large close-knit families see each other on a regular basis and all special occasions and holidays. We have many nieces and nephews, and friends' kids that call us "Uncle Colin" and "Auntie Jolanda". Our friends' group is diverse in age and interests, but they all are very special to us. All those we hold dear to us have expressed so much excitement about loving, cuddling, and playing with a new little friend.



our home

We are thankful to have recently completed building our cozy dream home located on two acres in the country. It is a gorgeous two storey family home with plenty of room for children to grow up in and outdoors. Our home is located in a quiet family neighborhood nearby to some of the most beautiful lakes, trails and waterfalls. Swimming, horseback riding, music lessons and ball fields can be found in our small nearby home town. The church we attend along with the private school we intend to send our children to, a shopping mall and leisure centre are within a 20 minute drive from our home.



a message to you

Thankyou for taking the time to read our profile. If you wish to know more about us, please see our home study. We feel that an open adoption is important in giving your child the best life possible and look forward to meeting you to discuss the openness you are comfortable with. Whoever you choose to raise your child we hope that you feel supported and loved on your journey.