



# Angela & Rob

*Hello, we are grateful that you are taking some of your time to see if we could be the family you choose for your baby. We welcome the opportunity to become part of one another's lives. Although this is a tremendously exciting time for us as we embark on the journey of adoption for a second time. We are sensitive in knowing that for you, this may be a challenging time. It is our goal to give you an accurate glimpse into our life, so you can make the best choices for you and your child.*



*If you have any questions about us or adoption, a knowledgeable member of "Adoption Alliance" can help. You can reach them toll free at 1-800-626-4324.*

**Our story** - We first met while working together at a car rental company and became good friends. We kept in touch after I (Angela) left to pursue another career. Shortly after, we began dating, fell in love, and were engaged just ten months later. We married two years later and will celebrate our ninth wedding anniversary this year.

With our future family in mind, we put Rob through law school. After he graduated law school and was settled in his career, we officially tried to start our family. After 6 months of failed pregnancy tests. I consulted my doctor and was diagnosed with pre-mature ovarian failure. We decided immediately - that we would adopt. In our hearts we knew this would be our way to parenthood. The decision was easy and came naturally to both of us. It just felt "right." Choosing adoption to form our family has been the single greatest decision we have ever made!!!

**We adopted our first son at birth in 2005** and we are ready to welcome our second child and complete our family. It is hard to express the overwhelming joy becoming a family means to us. We feel honored to have been entrusted by Bobby's birth mother to become his parents. We make every effort to be the best parents we can – honoring her decision in choosing us.

We both grew up in stable homes with loving, supportive parents and siblings. We strive to provide the same stable, loving, nurturing environment for our son. If you choose us as adoptive parents for your child, rest assured that your baby will receive the same love, care and attention.



Our first family picture,  
taken right after Bobby was born



**Bobby** is 5 years old and in Pre-K. He has an infectious laugh and big brown eyes that seem to smile at you when he talks. He is silly, smart and affectionate. He likes to help his classmates at school, and is really looking forward to his new role as a big brother. Bobby prays for a sibling every night and can't wait for his baby brother or sister to arrive. He loves to read books and play all types of sports, his favorite being baseball. He also likes Star Wars, nightly pillow fights and vanilla ice cream. He has brought an immeasurable amount of joy into our lives. He has made our house a home and enriches our lives.

**We have always been open with Bobby about his adoption** and tell him the "story of his life" frequently. He listens with wide eyes and curiosity. He understands that he came from our hearts and that he answered our prayers. He is our son in every sense of the word and we love him unconditionally and without limit.

**Bobby's birth mom, Erin** was simply wonderful. She said that she was given about 10 profiles, but kept coming back to ours because we looked "happy." She said she also liked that education was important to us, and was delighted with what we could offer as parents. We felt honored to be there for Bobby's birth, we spent a lot of time talking, encouraging and supporting Erin during labor. Bobby's birth mom decided that she did not want to continue contact after the birth. She felt at peace with her decision and wanted to move on. Although we respected her decision, we did send letters and pictures to the agency for two years after, just in case she wanted to see how Bobby was doing.



*Our extended family - I (Angela) am the youngest of three sisters. My oldest sister, Lina and her husband, Tim have two daughters, Emily (10) and Ally (7). My sister, Michele and her husband, Steve have three sons Nicholas (6), Anthony (5) and Dominic (2). Rob is the younger of two children. His sister, Michelle and her husband, Henry have four children, Katelyn (8), Erin and Ryan (6 year old twins) and Danny (4). Our nieces and nephews cannot wait to meet their new baby cousin.*

*Our siblings and both sets of our parents live nearby and are a big part of our lives. Our parents adore being grandparents and cannot wait to welcome (and spoil) their newest grandchild. We are a close-knit family and get together frequently. Our families have embraced our choice to adopt a second child and excitedly await our new addition.*



**Home sweet home** - We live in a three bedroom brick Tudor style home located in a quiet suburban neighborhood, just a few miles from the beach. Our house includes a large formal dining room, a cozy living room with a fireplace and a playroom. Our neighborhood is fantastic; it is truly something out of a storybook. Our community has an excellent school system, holds annual carnivals, holiday parades, and offer several family activities throughout the year.

**Work and play**- Rob is a great provider and enjoys his career as an attorney. In his free time he likes to keep fit by jogging and enjoys anything baseball related. I (Angela) am a full time mom and part time claims examiner. I have great flexibility with my work schedule, which is ideal as a mother and wife. I enjoy reading, cooking and working out. Together, we enjoy spending time as a family, and make family time a priority in our life.



Future baby's room - Will we be decorating for a boy or girl???



Playroom



Bobby's room

*In raising your child we will be sure to acknowledge you and your unselfish act. We will raise your child to know that he/she is loved by you and that you allowed him/her to be loved by us. As parents we are committed to being positive role models, we will offer your child the best possible education, a safe community to live in and a loving encouraging family life. We will give your child countless opportunities and help them to reach for the stars.*



*If you decide to choose us as adoptive parents, your baby will receive a lifetime of love and support, and be given every chance to discover and learn from the world around him/her. Your baby will have a fabulous big brother, two devoted parents, and a wonderful extended family. We stand together, all eager to welcome this special little one into our lives. We will keep you in our hearts and prayers as you make your decisions. We hope to have the chance to personally speak with you.*

*With gratitude & respect,*

*Angela and Robert*

*(and future big brother, Bobby too!)*



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