

INTRODUCING

Wes & Rachel



THE SELBES
MT. JULIET, TENNESSEE

ALL ABOUT

Rachel & Wes

We have been married 8 years. We treasure time with family and friends and love new experiences. We especially enjoy holidays and have a ton of unique family traditions. We like eating at new restaurants, attending live sports and going to concerts.

We live an active lifestyle and love hiking and playing with our dog Penny. We both grew up attending church and hold a strong rooted faith in God. We are excited to grow our family and look forward to the journey of becoming parents knowing this is God's plan for our future.

So we want to start by saying THANK YOU! Thank you for considering us. We understand this is a hard decision and one that is likely weighing on your soul. You've made a selfless act by beginning this journey and we admire you for that already. We pray that no matter who you choose, you feel supported, encouraged and loved as this journey continues.



Our Rehearsal Dinner



A Friends Wedding



Our Wedding in 2012



Photo Booth Fun



St. Louis Baseball



Thanksgiving



Iceland Glaciers



Hiking in TN



Holiday Party Fun



Hanging Christmas Lights



Relaxing on the Beach



Hamilton

IN RACHEL'S WORDS

about Wes

Wes is the rock of our family and takes care of everyone before himself. He loves to spend time with friends and cherishes all his relationships. His dad, brother and he all have a constant text message chain on the latest and greatest sports news. He has run various strong man races and half marathons.

He can quote almost any movie and loves to read non-fiction books. Any type of music can be playing and he'd be able to sing along. Wes is so organized that he even has a book of grilling secrets with recipes for the perfect steak, ribs, burger and even grilled pizza!

Wes is patient, encouraging and shows his unconditional love daily. Most importantly he has a huge heart and will be an amazing dad.



FUN FACTS:

CAREER: Sales Director

BEYOND WORK: Life of the party and loyal

HOBBIES: Grill master and can wow anyone with cooking. He's also a yard perfectionist

CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT: Cheeseburgers, cheesesticks and tacos

FOR FUN: Hiking, sports and any live music



about Rachel

Rachel is kind, loving and selfless. She has a huge heart and is always looking for ways to share her God given talents with others. She loves her family and they are a source of strength for her. As the youngest of 5, much of who she is comes from her strong family roots.

She is creative and never ceases to amaze me with how she can make or build things - whether it's baking a cake, refinishing a piece of furniture, planting a garden, or taking apart a lawn mower.

She also loves giving and it shows in the special presents she gives to others. She has never met a stranger and will talk to everyone. Growing up on a farm taught her how to work hard. She is passionate, loves fiercely and I couldn't be more blessed God showed her to me.

FUN FACTS:

CAREER: Consulting and Strategic Planning

BEYOND WORK: Volunteering at a nonprofit for children

HOBBIES: Reading, gardening and loves planting flowers

CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT: Coffee creamer, cake, strawberries and all sweets

FOR FUN: Spending time with family and traveling to new places



Our Home & Community

We live in the small community of Mt. Juliet, outside of Nashville. We own our home, which has 4 bedrooms and 2.5 bathrooms with a nursery on the way.

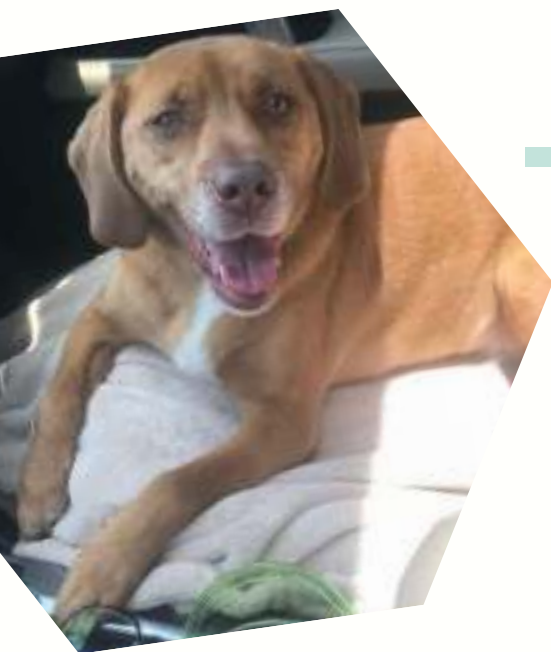
We live close to so many great places that will be perfect to visit with a child - the zoo, botanical gardens and adventure science center.

Our neighborhood is very quiet and safe with a number of top-ranked schools nearby. We have a wonderful walking trail, a playground and community pool all within walking distance of our home.



Our Dog Penny

We have always loved animals and rescued her 4 years ago. She is sweet hearted and loves cuddling, taking walks and snoozing by the fire. Our nieces and nephews love playing with her too!



OUR PROMISE TO YOU

We pray every day for God to comfort you in this decision. We promise to love your baby unconditionally. We will teach them about kindness, love, empathy and strength. We will share with them that all circumstances, hard or easy, are meant to fulfill God's plan for His kingdom. Faith and family is the foundation of our relationship and we will continuously pray that God guides us to raise this child with those beliefs. We will remember the amazing gift of life you created and remind them how much love you have for them and how much this choice means.



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