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We are proud to present to you:

**Rick &
Travis**

Below please find a summary of the information we have collected about these lovely Intended Parents. Once you have reviewed this summary, please contact us to share your thoughts, questions, concerns or desire to continue forward with this potential match.



PERSONAL DETAILS

Age:	57 & 54
Relationship Status:	Couple/Committed Relationship
IP Sexual Status:	Male Gay Couple
State/Territory/Region:	Washington D.C.
Country:	United States
Intended Parent 1 Occupation:	Public Health Policy
Intended Parent 2 Occupation:	Supervisory Attorney



EMBRYO DETAILS

Will you be using your own eggs?	Egg Donor Eggs
Do you have existing Frozen Eggs or Embryos?	No
Number of Frozen Embryos:	In the process of creation
Name of IVF Clinic:	Virginia Center for Reproductive Medicine



Hello,

We are Rick and Travis, and our hearts are overflowing with gratitude as we write this letter to you. We hope this gives you a sense of who we are, our deep appreciation for you, and the kind of loving parents we aspire to be.

About Us

Rick: I'm 57 and from a big, loving Kansas family with six siblings and many nieces and nephews I cherish spending time with. I have a PhD in immunology and work to protect people from pandemics. When not working, you'll find me gardening, traveling the world, and connecting with nature. Travis: I'm 54, from Golden, Colorado. Though my immediate family is smaller, my 11 aunts and uncles made for a lively childhood. I'm an attorney specializing in employment law. I love biking, cooking (can't wait to make baby food!) and reading with my niece who is the absolute light of my life.

Our passions for travel, nature, and culture have taken us on wonderful adventures, especially in Italy, Thailand, and Block Island. Our five-bedroom DC home has a huge yard filled with flowers, herbs, and pollinators like butterflies. Our photos show our joy together.

How We Met

We met online in 2006 when Rick moved to DC from Atlanta. Our bond quickly deepened, and we realized we were soulmates. We took the big step and got married in our living room during COVID after 14 years together.

Our Family Journey

We've wanted children for so long but needed to be established in our careers first. Our dream is to have two babies close in age, as we know how special the sibling bond can be. We have a supportive village of loved ones eager to welcome children into our lives. Their love and support give us confidence in creating a nurturing environment.

Our Surrogacy Vision

More than anything, we want you to know how profoundly grateful we are for your incredible generosity and sacrifice. The selfless gift you are giving, to help us realize our dream of becoming parents, is something we can never thank you enough for.

We are honored and excited to be part of your journey, in whatever way you feel comfortable including us. We are here for you every step of the way - to listen, offer support, and express our endless appreciation. Your well-being, both physical and emotional, is of utmost importance to us.

We hope to build an open relationship based on trust, communication, and respect. Please feel free to share your thoughts, hopes, or concerns openly. We are committed to maintaining that connection for as long as you wish.

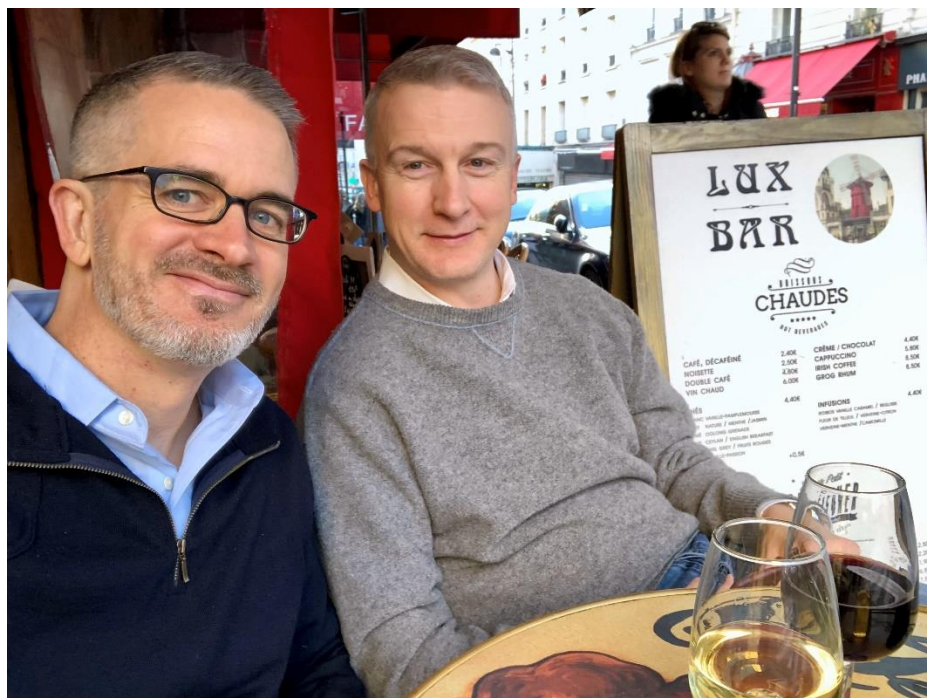
And let's be sure to get Travis' mom that grandbaby soon - she's already the world's most excited grandma-to-be!

Words cannot convey the depths of our gratitude to you for your selflessness and for considering us on this most meaningful journey. You are truly opening the door for immeasurable joy and love to enter our lives.

With endless gratitude and appreciation,
Rick and Travis

*In our hearts, your kindness glows,
A gift that only love bestows.
For making family dreams take root,
Our gratefulness, forever, you'll know.*

*You've opened the door to immense joy,
A love that nothing can destroy.
Our family's heart, you've helped create,
With compassion and grace that's truly great.*



GENERAL QUESTIONS

How many embryos do you want to transfer?	1
Open to a Twin Pregnancy?	Okay, but prefer to avoid a twin pregnancy
Open to a Triplet Pregnancy?	Okay, but prefer to avoid a triplet pregnancy
Thoughts on Termination?	If my surrogate's life is in danger., The baby is declared not compatible with life., The baby has been diagnosed with a serious medical condition., The baby has been diagnosed with a chromosomal abnormality, including Down syndrome., We would like the option to interrupt the pregnancy if needed
Preference regarding place of delivery	I want my surrogate to deliver at a hospital., I am open to my surrogate delivering at a birthing center, if approved by her prenatal provider.
Would you like to be present at the birth?	Yes, if permitted and taking into consideration Covid-19 restrictions and hospital/birth center regulations
Will you be doing simultaneous journeys?	Yes, we would like our children closer in age
What relationship do you envision having with your surrogate?	We're open to various levels of communication and interaction that are aligned with the comfort level and desires of the surrogate.
What contact do you envision having after the journey?	We're open to various levels of communication and interaction that are aligned with the comfort level and desires of the surrogate.



To watch a short video for Rick and Travis please click here:

[Meet Rick & Travis.mov](#)

Thank you for considering helping Rick and Travis. We look forward to hearing your thoughts.