



*Thank you*

DEAR DONORS,

WE DON'T EVEN KNOW WHERE TO BEGIN THANKING YOU ALL FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS AMAZING CAUSE. NOT ONLY ARE WE EXCITED TO BEGIN OUR IVF JOURNEY, BUT WE ARE INSPIRED TO SPREAD AWARENESS AND HOPEFULLY HELP EVEN MORE FAMILIES IN NEED.

TO GIVE YOU SOME BACKGROUND INFORMATION, WE MET IN COLLEGE AT CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY IN SAN LUIS OBISPO. WE WERE MEMBERS OF THE WOMEN'S AND MEN'S RUGBY TEAMS, AND IN FACT, WE STILL PLAY RUGBY TODAY WITH THE LOCAL CLUB. WE STILL LIVE IN SAN LUIS OBISPO WITH OUR TWO BIG DOGS AND CHICKENS. RYLEE IS AN ALGEBRA TEACHER AT THE LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL, AND BRANDON IS AN ENGINEER FOR A CIVIL ENGINEERING COMPANY IN TOWN.

RYLEE'S DAD HAD HUNTINGTON'S DISEASE, AND HE PASSED AWAY WHEN SHE WAS A SECOND YEAR IN COLLEGE. RYLEE DECIDED TO GET TESTED FOR THE DISEASE A FEW YEARS BACK, AND SHE CAME BACK WITH A POSITIVE DIAGNOSIS. WE KNOW THERE MAY BE TOUGH TIMES AHEAD FOR US, HOWEVER, THANKS TO YOUR INCREDIBLY GENEROUS DONATIONS, WE CAN NOW BEGIN OUR JOURNEY OF STARTING A FAMILY WITHOUT THE RISK OF THIS DISEASE EXTENDING TO ANOTHER GENERATION.

WE ARE HOPING TO ATTEND THE 2025 GOLF TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER IN MAY AND MEET EVERYBODY. BUT IN THE MEAN TIME, THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR HELPING US PURSUE OUR DREAM, AND WE HOPE OTHER FAMILIES CAN JOIN IN THE JOURNEY OF ERADICATING HUNTINGTON'S DISEASE FOR GOOD!

SINCERELY,

RYLEE AND BRANDON PUCCINI