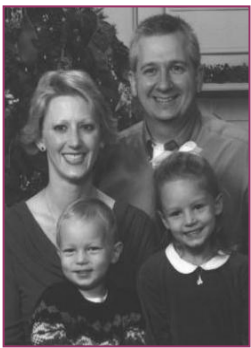


Why choose Catholic Charities?

We could tell you that Catholic Charities offers top quality professional adoption services that are family centered and focus on the best interest of the children. We could tell you that our staff is composed of top notch social service professionals educated in social work, psychology and related human services fields. The staff not only adheres to the agencies standards for practice but also those set forth by the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, National Association of Social Workers, and the National Association of Certified Counselors.

We could tell you that our programs are accredited by the Council on Accreditation and Hague for International Adoptions and that we are a member of the Joint Council on International Children's Services.

We could tell you that we are passionate about provided quality service to the children and families we serve and that we take our work very seriously, but instead of us telling you about ourselves, we thought you might want to hear from a few of our clients.



"Catholic Charities played a huge role in our international adoption process. Their knowledge and experience was a great help in our decision making and the execution of the homestudy and post placement reports was flawless." David and Kristina



"We cannot say enough about their professionalism, and devotion to ourselves and our son's birth family. They were there every step of the way. Throughout the adoption process and continuing today the agency has a wonderful caring team to support adoptive parents, birth parents and the children of adoption." Scot and Wendy



"We highly recommend Catholic Charities. Our training and homestudy process progressed smoothly and in a timely manner. Our social worker was supportive, available and understanding. We have returned again for our second adoption." John and Jan

"When the subject to adopt was decided upon Catholic Charities was the only consideration ...we wanted to adopt domestically and Catholic Charities encompasses the entire Diocese of Peoria which could possibly increase our chances of a successful adoption. At Catholic Charities, the fact that the expenses necessary for an adoption are based on each individual family's income was very helpful. The process itself turned out to be a tremendous experience. All those who were involved from the beginning until the moment we brought Ariana home were very supportive and emotionally invested. By the end of the process we had been blessed with a fantastic team of workers and our beautiful daughter." Cindy and David.



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