







I'M A SINGLE, AFRICAN-AMERICAN WOMAN LIVING IN CHARLOTTE, NC.



I've been blessed with a big family and a successful career practicing law, prioritizing home ownership, economic responsibility and long term planning for a future that has always envisioned children.

I have thoughtfully built a life full of love, fun, friends, family, work, and travel.

And, I want to adopt a child so that they can join and share in the benefits of the joyful life I've built.



WELCOME TO MY HOME!

WORKING OUT AT
THE NEARBY

I have lived in a three-story townhouse for almost 15 years, in a neighborhood of other townhomes and single family homes. My home is close to a local university and a large hospital, and there are plenty of parks, playgrounds, pools, churches and schools nearby. There is a pool in the neighborhood, and the home owner's association often hosts pool parties in the warmer months, as well as movie nights, block parties and food trucks throughout the year.

## **■ THE CHARLOTTE SKYLINE**





One of my hobbies is home decor, and I pride myself on having created a beautiful, but comfortable and functional home.

I decorate with lots of color, and also include family pictures and items with personal significance. I love to read, so there are books shelved and stored all over the house! There is plenty of hardwood flooring and space to play and dance, and a dedicated bedroom for your child. I want to maintain a space that provides both shelter and support for a child's developing personality, gifts and interests.

**★** MY BEDROOM





♠ READING AT BEARDEN PARK





Shadow is a mixed breed dog that I rescued five years ago from a shelter. She loves to sleep, eat, play and get rubs! She is the sweetest, most affectionate and protective dog you will ever meet! She loves people, especially children, and will follow you around waiting for extra hugs and petting.









I even got certified as a dance fitness, Zumba and Zumba-Kids instructor, and performed with other local instructors during half-time at a Charlotte Bobcats basketball game. I also love reading, writing, roller skating and listening to live music.

## MY Work

I started my legal career working at the local legal aid office representing under served Spanish-speaking clients, and then as a Guardian ad litem representing children in high conflict custody cases. Through these roles, I assisted families experiencing domestic violence, families dealing with high conflict divorce and families with children who have disabilities.

I believe children are only as safe as the adults who protect them, and I continue this work through mentoring and pro bono work.



MY AMAZING COWORKERS



♣ A LAW FIRM EVENT



I have a deep and abiding love for all children, and

A DESIRE TO SEE THEM TREATED
WITH RESPECT AND GIVEN EVERY
OPPORTUNITY TO THRIVE.

# MY Village

I AM SO GRATEFUL FOR THE SUPPORT OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS WHO WILL BE OUR VILLAGE! Most of my family lives just a few hours away in Georgia, and my sister is thrilled she will be an aunt for the first time! My seven nieces and nephews are my favorite people in the world, and I love watching each of them become their own person. Additionally, my family is originally from Barbados, and I travel there frequently to visit extended family, soak up Bajan culture and frolic on the beach!



### **▼** MY FAMILY



COLLEGE TOUR WITH MY NIECE



I also have a tight-knit circle of friends – my
"sweat & tears" brothers and sisters - who
all live nearby and are excited to go on this
journey with me. There will be plenty of male
and female role models to love and cherish
your child! Plus, many of my close friends
have children of their own, who already
look forward to having a new playmate. I
enjoy traveling to visit friends who may live
farther away, and look forward to taking
a child to different places, gaining new
experiences and perspectives, and building
emotional intelligence about other cultures.

### **♦** HALLOWEEN!



### **₩** WALK WITH FRIENDS



### WITH MY GOOD FRIENDS



### AT A FRIEND'S BIRTHDAY PARTY



Tania's resourcefulness suits her to provide for her child(ren) in all aspects, whether their needs be financial, emotional, educational or physical. Tania will find the best way to meet their needs and will be tireless in her efforts to do so. She is strong and resilient in all aspects of her life...Any child that she raises will surely benefit from the example and love of her kind and patient heart."

- FRIEND, 23 YEARS

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...Tania will bring all of her personal gifts—including her intellect, empathy, patience, persistence, and wisdom—to the role of mother if she is blessed with a child of her own through this adoption process."

- SUPERVISOR AND FRIEND, 20+ YEARS



♠ BIRTHDAY PARTY WITH MY FRIENDS & SISTER





VACATION SPOT **Any beach!** 

LUNCH BOX
SNACK
Apple slices with

OTHER

peanut butter

**Spanish** 

LANGUAGES

ANIMAL My dog, Shadow!

Ben & Jerry's Triple
Caramel Chunk

CHILDREN'S BOOK
The Monster at the

The Monster at the End of this Book

DREAM JOB **Travel Influencer** 

SOURCE OF INSPIRATION

Music or Poetry

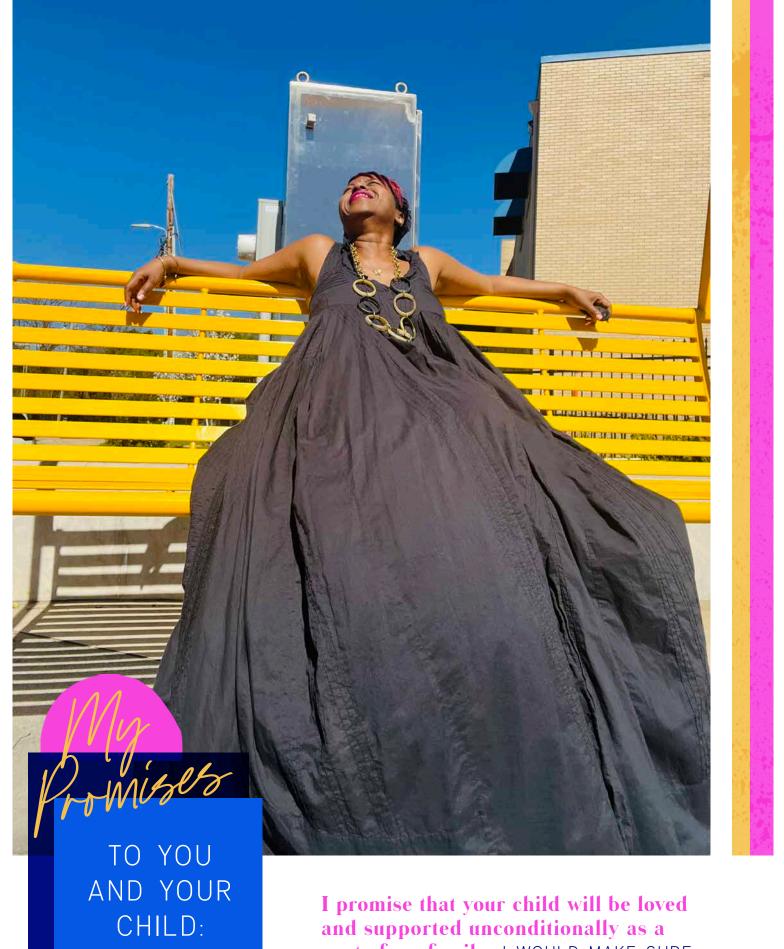












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TO PARENT YOUR CHILD.

I hope my profile brings you peace and confirms that your child would be loved and supported unconditionally as a part of my family. I admire you for considering adoption and would make sure your child knows you made the most loving, intentional decision possible.