

# The Jones Family

## *Our Story: Greg and Ernisha*

We met over 20 years ago, when we were in high school, at a small neighborhood carnival, Greg was 17 and I was 15. We became instant best friends and never went a day without speaking to each other. We spent every weekend together playing basketball and football. Five years into our budding friendship Greg proposed and we were married May 27, 2000. Sixteen years later we are still the best of friends and happily married. We are directors of Children's Ministry at our local congregation and spend time teaching other workers the importance of ministering to and having a love for children. We enjoy traveling, music, playing video



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games, and attending baseball games. Go Nationals!

Adoption has always been a desire of ours even before we were married. We knew that we would grow our family through adoption. We've become foster parents and we've enjoyed our time as foster parents but felt it was time to welcome a child into a "forever family." On December 16<sup>th</sup> 2014, we welcomed Elias into our family, through adoption. We have been extremely blessed by the growth of our family. We know that God has called us to grow our family through this process and He has chosen children for us to parent, who we cannot wait to meet.

