

# Meet

## The Ellsworth Family



### our story

We are the Ellsworth Family from Ypsilanti. We are Christopher, 22; Jaime, 25; and Marianne, 1. After we were married we made some purchases that we now know we shouldn't have. Shortly after Jaime became pregnant and quit working due to morning sickness, it began to get hard to pay all of our bills. This is when we realized that we needed to make some drastic changes. Thankfully, we have family members who were more than willing to help us out; so we moved in with my in-laws.

We had seen many Habitat houses around Ypsilanti in the Gault Village neighborhood, so we decided to look into it. Not too long after, one of our friends ended up being approved for a Habitat house, and so my wife contacted her about the process. After learning a little bit more about it, we decided to apply ourselves.

All we want is a space to call our own. We are excited to be able to work on the house ourselves, which we know is an opportunity that most people do not have. We look forward to being able to say, "Why don't we go back to our place?" and take them to our house instead of an apartment or shared space. I personally look forward to mowing my own grass.

Habitat for Humanity is an amazing company that is very truly community centered. All we have to say to them and all of the volunteers that have helped and will help us is thank you. Thank you for everything that you are helping us to accomplish. We are truly grateful.

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