## A bit about me -

I was raised on a small farm in southern Indiana by two loving parents. It is because of them that I finally made the decision to become a travel advisor.

I am an avid traveler and love to experience new places, always looking to get away and see somewhere new. However, being detail-oriented, I always insisted on doing the research and planning myself. When my friends and family started asking me for tips and advice with their vacations, I was surprised at how many of their questions I could readily answer and how much I enjoyed helping them. The wheels started turning that maybe I was onto something.

Then, it happened. My dad asked me to book a trip to Newfoundland as a surprise to my mother for their 40th wedding anniversary. He sent me links to packages from a few travel companies he had found and I started digging in.

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I put together a custom itinerary for them of everything he had asked for, plus some added bonuses like dinner reservations at local hotspots, flowers in their rooms, and a stay in an island lighthouse inn. Even with the added extras, the trip I designed was profoundly cheaper than the other options.

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From that experience, Dream Destinations was born. I have since taken advanced training to become an expert on travel to Hawaii, Alaska, multiple Caribbean destinations, Ireland, and England. I am currently working on obtaining my CCC accredidation with CLIA.