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We got married in 2015. The journey began with my relocation in 2019, marking the start of a new chapter for us. The following two years presented unforeseen challenges largely shaped by the global COVID-19 pandemic. During this period of separation, my family and I weathered through difficult times, but with the grace of God, we were reunited in Canada towards the end of 2021.

I stayed in a basement from the time I came in Canada, until I was able to join my wife and two kids. When she got pregnant, we decided to move and began looking a bigger place to accommodate our growing family. With our newest child on the way, the responsibility of finding a new home was placed on my shoulders, especially with our current house

being too small for our family. Securing a stable home was another challenge on our journey. I came to know about the Habitat Homeowner Program and looked into the eligibility criteria. The program became our top priority, and my wife was relentlessly following up on our correspondences.

The journey towards homeownership was so smooth and so quick thanks to the friendly and professional staff at the Habitat office. We received a call from Habitat informing us that our application was approved, we were thrilled about the news: our dream had come true. We are very grateful to Habitat, their staff, donors, sponsors, partners, and volunteers. You are doing a great job, and you are changing the lives of so many families.

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