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A few things about me:

I was born in Lincoln, Nebraska, in 1989 to a military Dentist and a small town farm girl. In the early years of my life we moved a lot because of the military until my Dad settled down in Southeastern Idaho, and started a local practice. I grew up learning the properties that are found so readily in rural farming communities - hard work, determination, and love of the environment. Growing up, any time we could spend outside, we did. As soon as we could help around the house, we were put to work. My family didn't own a farm, but if we wanted to spend time with our friends we would have to work with them. At thirteen I took my first job as a dairy farm hand, here I learned how to apply myself to difficult tasks that would require a long time commitment. I learned to stick to my tasks until I succeeded, and also the value of doing things right the first time. After graduating from Bear Lake High School with honors, I served a service mission in Brazil for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, instilling in me a love for people. After returning, I chose to attend Utah State University. Here I met my wife. After many degree changes I found that Public Health best composed all I have learned to love so far in my life. My goal is to make the world a better place. To protect the workers in the field every day and their environment in which they work in.

