



The Green Family

By Laura Green

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We are Roger and Laura Green of Snellville, where we've both lived for 29+ years. We are empty-nester parents of adult children ages 22-35 – Kailey, Emily, Andrew, Michael, Brittany, and Brent. God – and 2 of our kids – have further blessed us with lots of sparkle and frills in the form of the five beautiful granddaughters you see here. They are Aliya (almost 7), Anna (4 ½), and Alivia (1) belong to Andrew & Kayla Green. Then, River (4) and Luna (age 6 months) are the children of Brittany and Bryan Johnson.

For the past 20 years we have lived in Waterford Township, having both lived in the area before that. We have so many fabulous memories of time with our children growing up within the community and are making new memories with our granddaughters. Our entire family, including our parents, is nearby, and we love the ability to see each other often. We also enjoy the restaurants, shopping, and other conveniences of living in the Snellville area.

Roger is the owner/CEO of Green Financial Resources (GFR) in Duluth, and he's a financial planner who has been

helping people with their money for more than 30 years. I graduated from Georgia State with a BA in Business/Management.

We met in 1997, and he began immediately recruiting me as COO for GFR. It took until mid-2000 for him to convince me to leave my 20-year career at CIGNA Healthcare. By that time things had progressed considerably in our relationship, and we also decided to get married, build our current home, and blend our families!

Roger loves Steelers' football and has since childhood, although he never lived in Pittsburgh. He's also fanatical about fitness, rising at 5-6 AM daily to workout. With COVID, those activities have moved from the local gym to my son Michael's basement.

For years Roger's been bell-ringing annually for the Salvation Army, and in 2020 we've donated over \$10,000 and 4500 masks to help support their COVID relief efforts. GFR sponsors a financial literacy program for teacher Rod Hames at Crews Middle School. I'm very proud to say my husband was awarded a Public Service Award in 2018 by the Gwinnett Chamber for his service within the community.


Daily walks with Roger, organizing our steady stream of family gatherings, and capturing our life in photos are my personal pastimes. I also manage GFR/our staff of 14, and for 17 years have led the planning of our golf tournaments, where over \$500,000 has been donated to charity. I've devoted endless hours over 19+ years to the Waterford III HOA board and to communications for the combined neighborhoods of Waterford Township/Bridgewater; keeping all connected with emails about Bunco nights, garage sales, Easter egg hunts, and more.

Travel is another passion. Until COVID came along, 2020 was to be another year of exciting world travel for us as a couple and with family. We did manage two lake getaways with the kids/grandkids and rediscovered that a vacation close to home can bring as much joy as a more exotic locale. We remain hopeful for more worldwide travel in 2021, but know we will continue making more cherished family memories in our Snellville home of 20 years.

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