



# Conceptual Options

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## February Newsletter



### CONCEPTUAL OPTIONS NEWS



HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

#### February Fun Facts!

1. February's birthstone is amethyst & it's flower is the violet;
2. February is Black History Month;
3. Approximately 8 billion candy hearts are produced each year for Valentine's day;
4. February is consistently in the list of most often misspelled words;
5. Approximately 36 million heart shaped boxes of candy are sold each year on Valentine's day.

#### Upcoming MANDATORY Support Groups

##### In-Person Support Groups

##### Temecula In-Person Support Group

Wednesday 2/14/2018 @ 6:00 pm

Location: Quality Inn Temecula Valley Wine Country

**This is an optional pot luck group.**



##### Poway In-Person Support Group Afternoon

Thursday 2/15/2018 @ 12:30 pm

Location: Conceptual Options' Poway Office

##### Poway In-Person Support Group Evening

Thursday 2/15/2018 @ 5:30 pm

Location: Conceptual Options' Poway Office

**This is an optional pot luck group.**



##### Tele-Support Groups

Group A - Wednesday 2/14/2018 @ 10:00 am

Group B - Wednesday 2/14/2018 @ 12:30 pm

Group C - Tuesday 2/20/2018 @ 5:30 pm

Group D - Tuesday 2/20/2018 @ 6:30 pm

Make-Up - Friday 2/23/2018 @ 12:00 pm



### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### February 01

Surrogate Monthly Social

#### February 14

Temecula In-Person Support Group

#### February 14

Group A & Group B Tele-Support Group

#### February 15

Poway In-Person Support Groups

#### February 20

Group C & Group D Tele-Support Group

#### February 23

Make-up Tele-Support Group



**Congratulations to  
our Surrogates who  
gave birth in December & January**



### December

Keyonia

Briana

Laura

### January

Marisol

Marissa

Meagan

Esmeralda

Christine

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### SURROGATE SPOTLIGHT

This month we would like to introduce:

*Meagan*

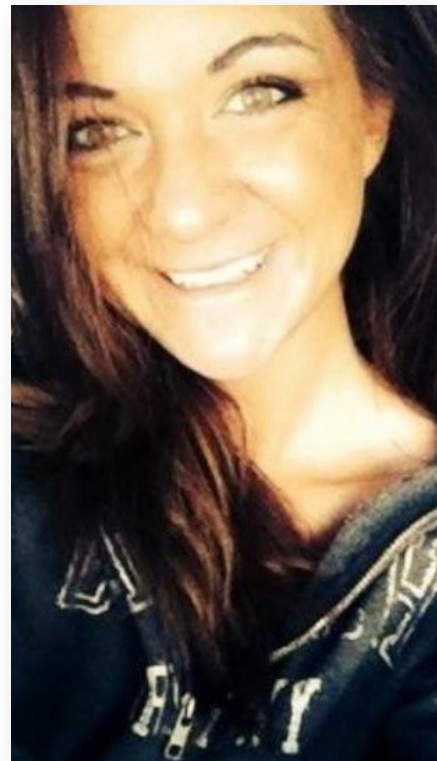
I delivered sweet twin boys on January 13, 2018 and to say it was life changing would be an understatement. I've always longed to be a surrogate, but never more than after I had my own child. I can't imagine not having my son, but my heart breaks for those who CANT have children and want them so badly. When my son was about 8 months I started doing some research on different agencies and discovered Conceptual Options. Although states away, they kept such great communication the entire way. Myself and the IPs transferred 2 healthy embryos and a few weeks later we discovered 2 healthy baby boys growing in my tummy.

Everybody warned me that twins would be so much harder than a singleton, and that as a single mom I was nuts for choosing to carry two. They said my body would change for the worse and I'd regret it shortly in. But I can happily say that not one ounce of regret was ever felt, and I can't imagine only one of those boys being earth-side and the other not.

The intended parents were the absolute perfect match for me and I communicated with them nearly every day. Meeting them in itself was life changing but the day I saw them meet their babies will forever be one of my favorite moments of my life. I got to give them the best gift they'll ever receive and I couldn't be more confident in their parenting skills - they have waited years to meet those boys.

Although I had a few complications, I'm already anticipating doing surrogacy again through Conceptual Options. I am forever indebted to CO for matching me with the IPs that I was matched with and couldn't have asked for a better case manager (Melanie) or agency.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart CO!



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