

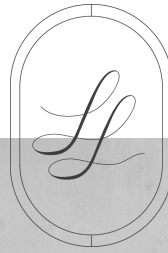
welcome

Your life is beautiful and deserves to be captured. The big moments, the small ones, and all the in between.

Documenting your story is an honor we do not take lightly. We're so unbelievably grateful that you have chosen us to capture this special time in your lives.

At this point in the planning process, you've booked us for a session! If you're curious about next steps or have any questions we hope this guide serves as a resource for you to learn more about us, our approach to portraits, and helpful tips that will ease your stress during the planning process and set expectations for our time together. As always we're available via email to answer any questions you may have.





WE ARE THE LIBBYS

Amanda and Cole are a *husband and wife* wedding photographer and videographer who specialize in capturing *heartfelt* celebrations through an *elevated* experience.



our core values

CONNECTION

relationships & quality time with our people

TRAVEL

adventures near & far

WELLNESS

movement, meditation, and self improvement

HOME

we're homebodies who love hosting

SEASON & LOCATION

The first step in the planning process is to determine the *season* and *location* you would like your portrait session to take place. Consider what *style or aesthetic* you are attracted to as well as what works *logistically* for your family.

Variables to consider would be: sunset timing, open space, travel, and sentiment.

[more inspiration on the blog](#)





outfit coordination

One of the hardest parts of planning for your session is deciding what to wear. We know this can feel overwhelming so we have a few helpful tips.

- 01. Choose a color palette that compliments your surroundings and personal style.*
- 02. Choose a statement piece for one member of your family and coordinate the other outfits around that.*
- 03. Cohesive > Matching*
- 04. Don't be scared of color or prints! Or rock all neutrals if that's more your vibe. Both are beautiful.*
- 05. Be comfortable. You will want to be able to move naturally to create candid images.*



day of planning

We like to think of our portrait sessions as a fun night out. Go into the session with an open mind allowing moments to unfold naturally vs. forcing fake smiles. Think: lots of snuggling, dancing, and laughing. If you have kiddos - come prepared with snacks, toys, blankets, and weather appropriate clothing! And don't forget to consider nap and bedtime. Plan for an ice cream or pizza dinner after for the whole family to look forward to as the end of session celebration.



connect with us

We are deeply honored to be your photographer & videographer. We are available as a resource for you throughout the planning process so please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions or inspiration.

we look forward to working with you

