

Hi! We're the Winters Family... Lu, Michael, Levi, Max and Colton. Lu and Michael moved from sunny Winterpeg Manisnowba in 1998 to Vancouver. If you've never heard of that place, please ask, we'll be happy to share our memories and cautions.

Since moving to Vancouver we've done many things in the great outdoors including canoeing, kayaking, hiking and skiing trips. We love to camp; we're not afraid to get dirty and eat off the ground if something falls. We strive to have a work/life balance. Our work life is at BC Children's Hospital/Pediatric clinic in Burnaby for Michael and at King David High School for Lu. We love what we do and are so happy to be helpers in our community.

Levi and Max entered our lives just to stir the pot and add so much more to our days... and nights. Thank G-d they are delightful humans with growth and challenges each and every day. They go to school at Richmond Jewish Day School. They like to do karate, swim, ski, play baseball and basketball, they like to read and lounge around also. We are often spotted in

the JCC/King David area or up on Cypress Mountain. These days you'll see us in our backyard and in the back lane riding bikes, scooters, playing frisbee, badminton, catch and watering our garden. We also love our dog Colton. He came to us from being rescued in LA 5 years ago. We lovingly call him The Menace. He happily comes with us wherever we're able to take him. He greets us with smiles and excitement even if we go to the store for 5 minutes.

Michael loves to cook, bartend and bake bread. He is the gardener in our family and the boys are quickly following suit. He loves to swim, read and swing in our hammock. He is very handy, helpful and loves to problem-solve. Lu loves to be outside, read and practice yoga, mindfulness and meditation. We both learned to snowboard when we moved to Vancouver and love to go up to Cypress Mountain in the winter as a family.

A long long time ago, Lu was on the Board of Or Shalom and took a crack at being Co-Chair for a year. Although life is full and we're not at Or Shalom as much as we'd like, we love that Or Shalom is our spiritual bayit and can't believe that Bar Mitzvahs are not too far in our future.

Love, Lu and the Gang