

My Family Story by Iryna Shtynda

I had a very interesting life in my country. But when our family won the Green card we were very happy and decided to go to America.

I'm from Ukraine. First, there passed my happy childhood, school years and youth. There I met my love. On June 4, 2011, we were married. Later our daughter Olga was born. Second, in 2013 we won the Green Card. We were very happy, but the unknown awaited us. Then, we arrived in America in 2013. The first day we had a tour of New York. The next day we went to Erie, Pennsylvania. We lived there for 5 years. In 2015 our son Matviy was born. After, I went to work in daycare in 2017 because I have loved children since childhood. Next, in 2018 we moved again, but to our own house in Strongsville, Ohio. Our family was very happy. Our daughter went to school. Our son went to daycare, and I got a job in a daycare of the Ukrainian Academy. Finally, this year I went to study English at Cuyahoga Community College. My goal is to learn English. I dream of raising happy and intelligent children. I want to find a job that I like. I still dream of traveling a lot.

For every stage in our lives we rejoice and give thanks. We have only positive emotions and many friends.