

## THE GROVES







WE DID HAVE ONE BIG ADVENTURE – WE WENT TO GERMANY.

2011 has been a year of growth and progress for our family:

Austin and Janae's little Camden is walking, and is starting to talk. Since they live nearby, we get to participate in this this fascinating experience.

Alan proposed marriage to Katie, and they are now planning their wedding next summer.

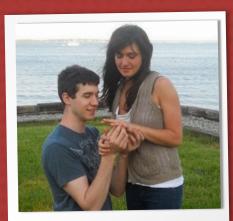
Andrew did well in the toughest quarter of his senior year in Mechanical Engineering.

Melanie and I (Larry) paddled about I 00 miles in our kayak. It has been excellent for exercise, and for the shared experiences.

We also went to Germany to visit some close friends. They were fantastic hosts and showed us much of their interesting country.

I bought a new cello. So then a friend and I learned and performed a challenging Rachmaninoff sonata. It was exhilarating!

Our best wishes for your new year!



ALAN ENGAGED



KAYAKING TOGETHER



A MUSICAL CHALLENGE