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## 16-Year-Old Girl, Adopted at Birth, Finds Two Siblings

Grace Madden from the Madden family began her journey to find her birth mother after putting her baby up for adoption and asking what happened to her mother. Her parents had the first clue; they told her that the adoption center told them about her sister Maya and to adopt her but they could not because Grace's grandmother was going through cancer treatment. Using this information; Grace was able to discover Maya's email. Maya Sai is 15 and lives with the Sai family. Grace sent Maya an email "My name is Grace and I recently found out that you and I have the same biological mom. My mom and dad told me about you today, and I have to admit that I'm kind of in shock, but excited, too. They said that you knew about me already, so I hope you're not too surprised to get this email.". The two sisters discovered they also had a brother named Joaquin but they did not know about him that very well or where he is. Joaquin Fernandez lives with Mark and Linda his foster parents. Joaquin is currently in the foster care system; but, his foster parents hope to adopt him. The siblings arranged a face-to-face meeting on November 6 at 8:30 am at the Fresh Donuts Coffee shop. While the siblings seem very different: Joaquin looks like he is Mexican and has a happy attitude when he's by himself. Grace, a social media girl, is an intelligent, fit, and beautiful girl. Maya, with her edgy attitude, has brown hair and wears ripped jeans. It is clear that they share a sibling bond. They all agree that they wanted to meet each other and they want to look for family and they want to have a good bond with each other like a family.





## Obituary for Mia winter

Winter, Mia; died on May 4th, 2014. She died of illness in Los Angeles, California. She is survived by Emma winter age 35, Ethan winter age 20. She will be remembered for helping teen pregnancy issue with younger people.

## record of Adoption

Record of Adoption for Garcia, Joaquin; adopted on October 1, 2016. Joaquin Fernandez was adopted by Jose Garcia and Isla Hernandez from Mexico. The family formalized the adoption at City Hall of Atlantic City in Atlantic.

