

10 years: I am 40 years old, my husband and I have two children under 5 (Leila/Amelia/?) they are 2 years apart. My husband and I have gotten closer through the years and are still both driven by new and exciting goals that we pursue together and on our own – our sexual chemistry and attraction to one another is still on point. We have 2 very well trained dogs, both of which are rescues. Currently, we live in a large, old home 15 minutes outside of Boston, and we have a vacation home in another country that we visit twice per year (we also rent it for incremental income and offer it to friends for use free of charge). Our passports are pretty full, and we've travelled to every continent (except Antarctica) at least twice. My closest friends are Eileen, Jen, Melissa, Maggie and Steph and a few others who share interests in travel, goofiness and health – we all make a point to stay in touch and see one another regularly. I still exercise 5-6 days a week, combining weight training, different cardiovascular challenges and yoga. The kids have a good sense of mindful eating, an active lifestyle, and the fact that their parents are a team that is to be respected. I have learned many different varieties of cooking and baking, and continue to experiment with new recipes. The interactions I have with my family and friends are loving and non-dramatic, and we vacation/visit with our extended families twice per year. At this point in my career, I freelance with my analytical and digital marketing expertise – my career continues to challenge me, but I have the freedom to spend time with my children and vacation 2 months out of the year. Our finances are fully in order, and we have no debt or mortgage, by the time that I am 50 we will have absolute financial freedom – we both work at things that continue to motivate and challenge us.

September 2015: I continue to grow in my role as a Manager at Boston Interiors, developing my management skills and learning about consumer insights, real estate and operations. The website has launched seamlessly and is in line to drive 10% of sales. I am on track to receive a 5% raise at my annual review. My credit score grows to over 800 and I am in line to pay the remainder of my debt and student loans off by January. I have opened a line of credit with 0% interest to pay for the Civic. I am adding \$20/week into an emergency fund & am contributing 10% to my retirement accounts. My workouts vary based on the season: I hike, paddleboard, kayak, practice yoga, walk outside, bike & lift weights at the gym 5 days a week. I am able to run again and run along the Charles at least once a month. I complete painting the oil portrait of Olive before the end of April, and a metallic painting planned and completed by August. I continue to cook new and exciting meals twice a week in addition to planning out smaller meals for the week each Sunday – I shop local farms at least one time each month. The friends in my life are the best ones and we don't accept less than the best from each other. I am in a relationship with a man who is sweet, accountable, caring, funny, silly, active, passionate and adoring; he respects me and treats me with kindness – we have a similar value system and work towards goals together. I have booked an Asian vacation using my travel hacking skills and will incur little to no costs on the trip.

March 2016: I have been at Boston Interiors for a year – the digital team has a solid foundation and works as a cohesive unit to deliver high quality and on-brand campaigns; the website is in line to drive 12% of sales for the year post launch. My retirement contributions have increased to 20% and I have paid off the Civic. I increase the amount I put into my emergency fund to \$30/week. I have booked a second trip using my travel hacking skills (Italy or S. America), have continued my love and knowledge of cooking & regularly seek out new creative endeavors – I have slept in a treehouse, cooked pasta and a bolognese and have made a delicious ramen. Working out and meditation are my source of peace – and I do both 4 times a week if not more. Biking has become a passion of mine and I am always exploring new routes to explore. I have visited Buffalo twice and have been down to Atlanta again. I am still in a relationship and we are working towards goals with an honesty and openness that surprises and delights us both.

March 2020: I am married to someone that understands my need for alone time as well as the significance for me to be with a man that enjoys functioning as my partner in any situation – we have an active lifestyle and we vacation whenever we can, sometimes for an active and sporty vacation, and sometimes to be lazy, and revel in the excesses of life. We have had one daughter Amelia (Mia), and she has brought us closer. My husband and I continue to have a passionate, loving connection – that is filled with ridiculous, belly-aching laughter. We have no debt aside from our mortgage and we are in line to pay it off in 2 years. Our retirement funds are balanced and compounding rapidly. We have narrowed down locations where we will purchase a second home that will serve as a vacation home as well as incremental income. I am the Director of Digital Marketing at Boston Interiors and have time to network with exciting and motivated people as well as recharge and stay on tasks with my team, which has grown to 5 employees that I manage. I have 6 weeks of vacation time each year and I work from home 2 days each week.

themes:

order, freedom, balance



what I do best:

create order from chaos