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- ▶ **Age:** 38
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- ▶ **Live in:** Orchard Park
- ▶ **Joined company:** 2011
- ▶ **Graduate of:** Cardinal O'Hara High School
- ▶ **College:** B.S., business administration with concentration in human resource management, University at Buffalo
- ▶ **Spouse:** Andy Parker
- ▶ **Children:** Natalie and twins on the way
- ▶ **Community involvement:** Board of the Epilepsy Association of WNY and Women's Business Center at Canisius College; active in the Buffalo Niagara Human Resource Association, New York Bankers Association, Junior Achievement and Organizational Development Network of WNY
- ▶ **Grew up:** in the Town of Tonawanda with wonderful, loving, supportive parents, Frank and Peggy, and caring sister Anne. I always knew I wanted to work in a professional business setting like my father. I had dreams of my own fax machine and work office.
- ▶ **This would make WNY an even better place:** Further embrace our four seasons. We all have coats, boots and mittens — let's get out and use them.



- ▶ **Favorite movie:** Old family videos
- ▶ **I want to:** resume travel vacations; become a better listener; broaden my cooking ability; have more summer campfires; go on more dates with my husband; get back to the gym.
- ▶ **Words of advice (Twitter style):** Life is short ... why not have a good time at it?
- ▶ **Self-description:** Happy