

Sophie Elisabeth Thorn

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pple-picking:

one of our

orite fall activities

August 26, 2009

The Thorn

Say hello to the newest member of the Thorn family! Sophie was always on our short list of names, and Zoe's tag of "Baby Soft" helped solidify it as a good fit. Her middle name, Elisabeth, is from her great-great grandmother, who emigrated to the United States from Hungary in the early 1900s.

We were both surprised by Sophie's locks of jet-black hair, paired (for now) with beautiful dark blue eyes. The last 6 weeks have been incredibly fun...and tiring. We're looking

forward to her sleeping through the night! Zoe

has warmed to her little sister, and is even including Sophie Proud Papa in her bedtime prayers! We so appreciate your prayers and support as we settle into the "new normal" of our larger family. **Please pray** for Zoe's adjustment, and rest and wisdom for us as we parent our two girls.



Ministry in Pictures by Jonathan

Meet Kat Sheppard, Photography Intern on the Ops Team. She summarizes her job description well: "The significance of my job lies in the fact that my photographs provide visual

documentation of faith in action." Kat describes how one of her pictures (which I have included on the right) made an impact in this way. "One staff member was amazed to discover that I happened

to photograph himself and a Boston University student at the very moment they met. The student, Karl, is incredibly close to accepting Jesus as his Lord and Savior. The staff member was so thankful to have this interaction captured and to be able to provide a picture of Karl when he asked others to pray for him."

I am really enjoying my role of helping Kat and the the other Ops

Team members maximize their gifts and effectiveness in ministry. It's so fun to see how God brings people together to accomplish His purposes! Please pray with me for God's guidance in making Operations a key part of seeing students across the Northeast truly follow Jesus. Thank you for your partnership!



