



*life*  
ON THE RIDGE

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Meet the  
*Valencia-Aiken*  
*Family*

Photo by Jose Rahr

## meet your neighbors

By Kelly Valencia-Aiken - Hawaii Loa Ridge Resident  
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# Meet the VALENCIA-AIKEN Family

**Family members:** Rob, Kelly, Giovanni, and Giulianna Valencia-Aiken

**Street:** Moaniala Place

**Pets:** Only imaginary ones like giant sea turtles, dragons, and whales bigger than our house!

**Profession(s):** Financial services, as well as the nonprofit sector

**Hobbies:** Rob enjoys swimming, hiking, boogie boarding, working out, reading, and mentoring.

Kelly enjoys swimming, body surfing, singing, painting, crocheting, sewing, writing, reading, and mentoring.

Giovanni enjoys swimming, boogie boarding, building Legos, reading, and inventing.

Giulianna enjoys swimming, playing with her baby dolls, playing dress-up, singing, "reading," and coloring.

**Hang out:** The beach! We enjoy North Shore, Ko Olina, and Kai-lua Beaches best.



Us



Your bag is my hat, Mommy

**Restaurants:** Mirch Masala Indian, La Saj Lebanese, and the Melting Pot.

**Holidays:** Thanksgiving and Christmas

**Family traditions:** We take time each day to share what we're thankful for and practice gratitude.

We attend King's Chapel every Sunday and assist the senior pastors in their marriage classes.



Building time



Are sand angels a thing



Ian, Rob, and Kelly business dinner



Harvest Festival



Daddy and son up top HLR

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Our children get paid to read/be read to from books teaching them life principles in spirituality, finances, relationships, entrepreneurship, etc.

We toast the new year as a family with hot cocoa!

**University:** Rob – UH Manoa, Kelly – Oral Roberts University

**Originally from:** We were both raised in Michigan, but Rob was born in Colombia.

**Hawaii Loa Ridge:** We moved here in August of 2018. Our favorite part about living here is how peaceful it is in both the community and view.

**Relaxation:** We enjoy the beach, a nice dinner out, the occasional movie, reading, conversations together after the kids are sleeping, and spending time in worship.

**Community:** Our main business is to benefit companies, their employees, and families in the community to with financial education and planning, and to help businesses meet the DOL requirements regarding retirement plans. We have a nonprofit, Zenith Outreach and Enterprise, that enables us to do charity work in the community helping the impoverished globally and locally.

Grammie and Giovanni

Classroom

Up top HLR



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Asaad, Rob, and Kelly business dinner



Family time with Uncle Asaad



Grammie and Giulianna



Harvest Party at King's Chapel



Papa and Grammie - Papa won the ugliest sweater contest



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