When We Became Three: A Memory Book For The Modern Family
**Synopsis**

Chronicle the blissful chaos of pregnancy and parenting with this one-of-a-kind family journal. Together with your partner, record your journey through parenthood and your child’s transformation from baby bump to first birthday and beyond. A quirky, colorful memory book for the whole family, this keepsake will have you laughing, reflecting, and reminiscing for years to come.

**Book Information**

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**Customer Reviews**

This is what the author has to say about this book: "...low-maintenance and pressure free, wise yet whimsical way to capture all the milestones and special moments of your own special family." I LOVE that! Who has time these days for elaborate anymore? I also LOVE that the first thing this book has you record is how you and your spouse met...with a "fill in the blanks!" What a GREAT keepsake for baby! You will then go on to write about how you felt when you found out you were expecting and how your spouse felt. There is a place to tell about your cravings and "which of the seven pregnant dwarfs were you" :)* Adventures of the expectant parents* Making space for baby* Gender predictions* Places for pictures* Games to assign baby duties* And a first letter to baby All this BEFORE the baby even comes...Then you have spaces and fill-ins for:* The birth experience~ including hopes and feelings* Hindsight~ Do’s and Don’ts of Childbirth* Baby’s Name* Baby’s Feature Match w/ if you were a baby animal, you would be...* Baby’s First Month* Diaper Drama* Other Baby’s Firsts* And MORE! Spaces for special moments, fun moments, and even silly moments this book will take you through baby’s first 2
years.~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~LOVED the "Now and Then" section....here is a sample:"When we were two we liked to:[ ] Sleep in on weekend mornings[ ] Get up early and see the sunrise[ ] Stay up to chat into all hours of the nightNOW[ ] We’re happy if you sleep until 5:00 a.m.

Because I am a bit compulsive I bought two books to document my pregnancy: When We Became Three and The Belly Book. I rationalized the purchase at the time because When We Became Three would be about more than the belly. When I first received my order and looked through both books I felt a bit silly because several of the questions were in both books and so it seemed unnecessarily duplicative. My husband took it in stride as I explained the nuanced difference between the two books and distracted him with the other 3 pregnancy books I had purchased mere days after getting a positive pregnancy test. In any case, after now having both books for several weeks what I have found: The Belly Book captures best the spirit of what I was looking for in a pregnancy journal. At best When We Became Three felt like a chore. My husband and I enjoy and look forward to completing the Belly Book each week. While we started off doing both books initially, over time we have only kept up with the Belly Book. While there are some similar questions in both books what I found was that When We Became Three is too detailed and some of the questions seem inappropriate. The most off-putting question for me, asked about the details of circumstances of the conception. Several lines were dedicated to this. Um...I can’t imagine any kid being too interested in reading the answer to that one. The sharp corners of the book and tight binding also didn’t feel keepsake journal worthy. Perhaps I’m a spoiled Moleskin journal user but the book binding felt inexpensive and I felt I needed to play a bit of tug of war to keep the book open and from collapsing on itself as I wrote.

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