



In June 2017, we had the sweetest little boy placed in our home. He has Pierre Robin Syndrome, hypotonia, a small brain with spaces, is visually impaired, and profoundly deaf. We knew as a family we needed to make sure that we provided him with all the tools he needed to succeed.

In March 2022, we had our evaluation with Inspiration Ranch after a recommendation from an orthopedic surgeon monitoring Matthew. Usually, Matthew's evaluations do not go well because he either balls up or goes limp. We weren't sure and knew that it might mean him being unable to do it. We were so happy to see that he did neither and loved being on Feather!!!!

In September 2022, we began coming every week. At first, he was riding with his back brace to help stabilize him on the horse for only 15 minutes. By January 2023, he went from his back brace to a gait belt and is up to a full 30 minutes now.

Matthew loves coming to the Ranch. He knows the days we are supposed to be there to ride Feather and will show his annoyance when we miss for a doctor's appointment. His core strength has significantly increased, and he's able to sit up unsupported for more extended time periods. His neck control has improved, and he's holding his head up longer and leaning to the right. Inspiration Ranch has been such an enormous blessing to our sweet boy, and we are so thankful for everyone there.