



My Avatar: Interplanetary Traveler (by Lauren Hoffman)

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One of the best things about 2009 was having iced mochas with Gwenn and our friend, Lauren Hoffman. Her daughter, Evelyn (I call her “Evie”) joins in on most of these occasions, stealing foam from the top of Gwenn and Lauren’s drinks. The highlight of 2009 was most definitely being a Godparent to Evelyn, and seeing her grow up.

(She’s 16 months old, so she’s still a tiny tot.)



Aside from being an avid latte lover and all-around good person, Lauren is an incredible musician. I’m sure the concept for her music video came about over iced mochas and vanilla lattes, and I was thrilled that Evie agreed to star in the video with some of her favorite stuffed animals. The song is the title track from Lauren’s CD, *Interplanetary Traveler*, which will be available on CD Baby (and iTunes) next Tuesday.

Hope you enjoy my creative high point for the year that was 2009! When it’s all said and done, I’ll look back at this work as my Avatar, only with better special effects.

Positively Yours,
Shawn

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