

For the year Jan. 1–Dec. 31, 2023, or other tax year beginning _____, 2023, ending _____, 20 _____		See separate instructions.
Your first name and middle initial Mike	Last name Sound	Your social security number 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
If joint return, spouse's first name and middle initial Sandy	Last name Cruise	Spouse's social security number 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1
Home address (number and street). If you have a P.O. box, see instructions. 3665 Flora Vista Ave		Apt. no. A-203
City, town, or post office. If you have a foreign address, also complete spaces below. Santa Clara		State CA
		ZIP code 95051
Foreign country name	Foreign province/state/county	Foreign postal code
Presidential Election Campaign Check here if you, or your spouse if filing jointly, want \$3 to go to this fund. Checking a box below will not change your tax or refund. <input type="checkbox"/> You <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse		

Filing Status

☐ Single ☐ Head of household (HOH)

☒ Married filing jointly (even if only one had income)

☐ Married filing separately (MFS) ☐ Qualifying surviving spouse (QSS)

If you checked the MFS box, enter the name of your spouse. If you checked the HOH or QSS box, enter the child's name if the qualifying person is a child but not your dependent: _____

Digital Assets At any time during 2023, did you: (a) receive (as a reward, award, or payment for property or services); or (b) sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of a digital asset (or a financial interest in a digital asset)? (See instructions.) ☐ Yes ☒ No

Standard Deduction **Someone can claim:** ☐ You as a dependent ☐ Your spouse as a dependent

☐ Spouse itemizes on a separate return or you were a dual-status alien

Age/Blindness **You:** ☐ Were born before January 2, 1959 ☐ Are blind **Spouse:** ☐ Was born before January 2, 1959 ☐ Is blind

Dependents (see instructions):

(1) First name	Last name	(2) Social security number	(3) Relationship to you	(4) Check the box if qualifies for (see instructions):	
				Child tax credit	Credit for other dependents
				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Income

1a Total amount from Form(s) W-2, box 1 (see instructions)	1a	
b Household employee wages not reported on Form(s) W-2	1b	
c Tip income not reported on line 1a (see instructions)	1c	
d Medicaid waiver payments not reported on Form(s) W-2 (see instructions)	1d	
e Taxable dependent care benefits from Form 2441, line 26	1e	
f Employer-provided adoption benefits from Form 8839, line 29	1f	
g Wages from Form 8919, line 6	1g	
h Other earned income (see instructions)	1h	33,922
i Nontaxable combat pay election (see instructions)	1i	
z Add lines 1a through 1h	1z	33,922

Attach Sch. B if required.

2a Tax-exempt interest	2a		b Taxable interest	2b	20,908
3a Qualified dividends	3a		b Ordinary dividends	3b	475
4a IRA distributions	4a		b Taxable amount	4b	
5a Pensions and annuities	5a		b Taxable amount	5b	
6a Social security benefits	6a		b Taxable amount	6b	
c If you elect to use the lump-sum election method, check here (see instructions)					
7 Capital gain or (loss). Attach Schedule D if required. If not required, check here				7	
8 Additional income from Schedule 1, line 10				8	(33,922)
9 Add lines 1z, 2b, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6b, 7, and 8. This is your total income				9	21,383
10 Adjustments to income from Schedule 1, line 26				10	
11 Subtract line 10 from line 9. This is your adjusted gross income				11	21,383
12 Standard deduction or itemized deductions (from Schedule A)				12	27,700
13 Qualified business income deduction from Form 8995 or Form 8995-A				13	
14 Add lines 12 and 13				14	27,700
15 Subtract line 14 from line 11. If zero or less, enter -0-. This is your taxable income				15	0

Standard Deduction for—

- Single or Married filing separately, \$13,850
- Married filing jointly or Qualifying surviving spouse, \$27,700
- Head of household, \$20,800
- If you checked any box under **Standard Deduction**, see instructions.

Tax and Credits

16	Tax (see instructions). Check if any from Form(s): 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 8814 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 4972 3 <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	16	0
17	Amount from Schedule 2, line 3	17	
18	Add lines 16 and 17	18	0
19	Child tax credit or credit for other dependents from Schedule 8812	19	
20	Amount from Schedule 3, line 8	20	
21	Add lines 19 and 20	21	0
22	Subtract line 21 from line 18. If zero or less, enter -0-	22	0
23	Other taxes, including self-employment tax, from Schedule 2, line 21	23	
24	Add lines 22 and 23. This is your total tax	24	0

Payments

25	Federal income tax withheld from:		
a	Form(s) W-2	25a	
b	Form(s) 1099	25b	
c	Other forms (see instructions)	25c	
d	Add lines 25a through 25c	25d	35
26	2023 estimated tax payments and amount applied from 2022 return	26	
27	Earned income credit (EIC)	27	
28	Additional child tax credit from Schedule 8812	28	
29	American opportunity credit from Form 8863, line 8	29	
30	Reserved for future use	30	
31	Amount from Schedule 3, line 15	31	
32	Add lines 27, 28, 29, and 31. These are your total other payments and refundable credits	32	0
33	Add lines 25d, 26, and 32. These are your total payments	33	35

If you have a qualifying child, attach Sch. EIC.

Refund

34	If line 33 is more than line 24, subtract line 24 from line 33. This is the amount you overpaid	34	35
35a	Amount of line 34 you want refunded to you . If Form 8888 is attached, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	35a	35
b	Routing number <u>1 5 2 3 5 2 6 3 5</u>	c	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Checking <input type="checkbox"/> Savings
d	Account number <u>1 4 2 5 8 4 5 6 3</u>		
36	Amount of line 34 you want applied to your 2024 estimated tax	36	

Amount You Owe

37	Subtract line 33 from line 24. This is the amount you owe . For details on how to pay, go to www.irs.gov/Payments or see instructions	37	0
38	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions)	38	

Third Party Designee

Do you want to allow another person to discuss this return with the IRS? See instructions ☐ **Yes**. Complete below. ☒ **No**

Designee's name	Phone no.	Personal identification number (PIN)
		<input type="text"/>

Sign Here

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return and accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Joint return?
See instructions.
Keep a copy for your records.

Your signature	Date	Your occupation	If the IRS sent you an Identity Protection PIN, enter it here (see inst.) <input type="text"/>
Spouse's signature. If a joint return, both must sign.	Date	Spouse's occupation	If the IRS sent your spouse an Identity Protection PIN, enter it here (see inst.) <input type="text"/>
Phone no. 552-626-6235	Email address sandy.cruse@gmail.com		

Paid Preparer Use Only

Preparer's name James Gordon	Preparer's signature	Date	PTIN p791423	Check if: <input type="checkbox"/> Self-employed
Firm's name James CPA	Phone no.			
Firm's address 241 Castro St, Mountain View, CA 94041	Firm's EIN 89-524622			