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DONOR PROFILE: 3970

The past and current personal and family medical history, physical examination, and laboratory test results determine that donor **3970** is eligible and approved for semen donation at The Sperm Bank of California. This profile was prepared in **April, 2008**.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Identity-Release[®] Program: **No**

Month/year of birth: **6/1971**

Education: **BA in English, MA in Creative Writing**

Current occupation: **College English Instructor**

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Height: **5'10"**

Weight: **184 pounds**

Hair color: **medium blonde**

Hair type: **thick, curly, wavy, coarse, slightly thinning**

Eye color: **blue**

Complexion: **fair, rosy with few freckles**

Body type: **medium/large**

Ethnic origin: **Latvian Jewish, Irish, Scottish, English, Welsh**

Religion: **Jewish**

Blood group/Rh: **O positive**

Baby photo available: **No**

FAMILY MEDICAL HISTORY KEY:

D donor	Ch child	F father	M mother	S sister	B brother
Co cousin	A aunt	U uncle	MGF maternal grandfather		
MGM maternal grandmother	PGF paternal grandfather	PGM paternal grandmother			

FAMILY MEDICAL HISTORY

Cancer: **PGM: Lung Cancer, onset at 73 due to smoking, cause of death; F: Breast cancer, cause of death at 34**

Gastro-intestinal: **MGM: Gallbladder infection, complication of paralysis led to her death**

Genital/Reproductive: **M: Ovarian cysts, onset at 46, successfully treated with surgery**

Heart: **M: High blood pressure, onset at 52, controls with meds; MGM: High blood pressure, onset at 80, controlled with meds; MGF: High blood pressure, onset at 79, controls with lifestyle choices; PGF: Heart failure, onset at 90, cause of death; PA: High blood pressure: onset at 45, controls with meds and lifestyle choices**

Neurological: **PC: Epilepsy, onset at 14, has only had 2 seizures and leads normal life; MA: Cerebral Aneurysm, onset at 50, cause of death; MGM: Stroke, onset at 80, caused paralysis**

Respiratory: **PGM: Lung Cancer, onset at 73 due to smoking, cause of death**

Sight/Sound/Smell: **D: R 20/25 L 20/30**

DONOR LAB RESULTS

Chlamydia: **Negative**

HIV 1 & 2: **Negative**

Hepatitis B: **Negative**

Urinalysis: **Normal**

Cystic Fibrosis: **Negative**

Gonorrhea: **Negative**

CMV total antibody: **Nonreactive**

Hepatitis C: **Negative**

Chem panel: **Normal**

Tay Sachs: **Negative**

Syphilis: **Nonreactive**

HTLV 1 & 2: **Negative**

CBC: **Normal**

Sickle cell anemia/thalassemia: **Negative**

DONOR NARRATIVE: Donor 3970

Describe your personality (introvert, extrovert, funny, serious, goal-oriented, curious, etc.).

I am independent, strong-willed and compassionate. I have been described by others and would consider myself to be a very observant, creative and curious person. I love to spend time with friends and family –laughing, joking, playing games, etc. I have kept a close circle of friends around me my whole life – surrogate brothers and sisters I would say – yet around strangers I am an introvert and was somewhat shy as a young child. To this day I still need lots of time to myself to collect my thoughts about my life and to refresh my need to be around others. I feel things very deeply.

What are your special interests and talents?

I am very creative and have chosen to pursue a career in literature. I am musically inclined; I have a good ear for tone and can carry a tune. I write stories and poetry and I play the guitar. I love movies, travel, history and outdoor activities – athletics and sports. I am spiritually inclined as well. I am adventurous, imaginative and disciplined when it comes to things that are important to me. I have an excellent memory for facts and trivia. My sense of humor and zest for life have made me very well liked and loved by my friends and family. I like who I am and the balance I have found in my life.

How would you describe your enjoyment of and skills in the following areas:

math: **I enjoy concrete math – that is, word problems and brain-teasers like the sort of thing you'd find on the S.A.T. Abstract math does not interest me much. I have to be able to relate it to the real world.**

mechanical: **I am average in ability and interest when it comes to things mechanical and spatial. I can fix a sink when I need to, but it is not my forte.**

athletic: **I have always been good at sports. I played high school baseball and soccer. I have always been very coordinated and pick up new athletic skill very easily. I also enjoy competition.**

musical, artistic, creative: **Always been very strong in these areas. It is where my interests and talents as an adult have settled.**

language (what languages do you speak?): **A little Spanish**

What are your goals and ambitions in life?

I want to continue to lead a creative life. Since literature is my chosen field, I plan to continue teaching at the collegiate level. My main career goal is to become a successful writer of stories, novels and poetry. To win the Nobel Prize in Literature would be the ultimate goal. I will not be disappointed if I don't achieve this though, as I have come to learn that it is the process of doing things I enjoy that brings me the most happiness. My relationships with others and how I affect their lives is also very important to me.

Why do you want to be a sperm donor?

This may sound a bit conceited, but I feel that any child conceived from my samples has a good chance of being a very sensitive, compassionate and intelligent human being. The important thing is that I realized that any potential parent(s) who may use my samples most likely want to be parents very badly, and this makes for very loving parents I would imagine, which is all I could hope for any child coming into this world.

Did you choose to be an identity-release donor X no. Why did you make this choice?

I have a very serious relationship with my girlfriend, and after talking it over with her, she had no doubts that she and I would be able to handle any contact from potential offspring, but were we to have children of our own in the future, she is worried about how it could affect them. I have to respect her wishes for now.

What message would you like us to pass on to the people who are getting your sperm?

I think it is wonderful that you have chosen to make the happy decision to become a parent or parents and I am quite honestly flattered that you would consider using my genes to conceive your child. I wish you all the rewarding challenges, happiness and love that raising a family can bring.