

## The Sperm Bank of California

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### DONOR PROFILE: 3982

The past and current personal and family medical history, physical examination, and laboratory test results determine that donor **3982** 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: **Yes**  
Month/year of birth: **02/1978**  
Education: **BA in Theology, working on MA in Theology**  
Current occupation: **student**

### PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Height: **6'1"**  
Weight: **175 pounds**  
Hair color: **medium brown**  
Hair type: **straight**  
Eye color: **light brown**  
Complexion: **olive, light brown**  
Body type: **medium**  
Ethnic origin: **Swedish, Norwegian**  
Religion: **Born into: Presbyterianism. Currently practices Secular Humanism**  
Blood group/Rh: **O positive**  
Baby photo available: **Yes**

### 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

Allergies: **D: Mild gluten sensitivity, controls with diet; M: mild gluten sensitivity, controls with diet**  
Cancer: **MGF: Pancreatic Cancer, late diagnosis at 56 due to lack of med. care, cause of death at 57; MU#1: Colon Cancer, diagnosed at 45, unsuccessful chemotherapy, cause of death at 50.**  
Gastro-intestinal: **MU#1: Colon Cancer, diagnosed at 45, unsuccessful chemo., cause of death at 50; MGF: Pancreatic Cancer, late diagnosis at 56 due to lack of medical care, cause of death at 57**  
Heart: **F: High Cholesterol, manages with diet; PU#1: High Blood Pressure, controls with medication and lifestyle choices**  
Mental Health: **M: Depression, situational during divorce, controlled with medication for one year**  
Muscles/Bones/Joints: **MA#1: Lupus, diagnosed at 50, experiences soreness and tiredness but is able to work full-time as Kindergarten teacher, manages with medication; MCo: Scoliosis, very mild, diagnosed in youth, was successful high school/college athlete, experiences some back pain now-she is in her 30s**  
Neurological: **MGM: Alzheimer's Disease, diagnosed at 78, died at 85; PGM: Dementia, began at 83 after death of second husband; MA#2: Migraines, occasional since her 40s, controls with medications and lifestyle choices**  
Respiratory: **PU#1: Emphysema, lifelong smoker**  
Sight/Sound/Smell: **PA#1: Deafness, result of childhood meningitis, lost hearing at age 5**  
Substance abuse: **PGF: Alcoholism, started drinking more heavily after car accident at age 57**

### DONOR LAB RESULTS

Chlamydia: <b>Negative</b>	Gonorrhea: <b>Negative</b>	Syphilis: <b>Non-reactive</b>
HIV 1 & 2: <b>Negative</b>	CMV total antibody: <b>Non-reactive</b>	
Hepatitis B: <b>Negative</b>	Hepatitis C: <b>Negative</b>	HTLV 1 & 2: <b>Negative</b>
Urinalysis: <b>Normal</b>	Chem panel: <b>Normal</b>	CBC: <b>Normal</b>
Cystic Fibrosis: <b>Negative</b>	Tay Sachs: <b>N/A</b>	Sickle cell anemia/thalassemia: <b>Negative</b>

## **DONOR NARRATIVE: Donor 3982**

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

**Personable. I am a people-person who balances extroversion with thoughtful introversion also. I think many people see me as funny and I enjoy bringing a light-hearted approach to life. I am calm, methodical, non-violent, a ministerial spirit (I love teaching, but once pursued a pastoral/ministry career). I am creative- writing one acts, poetry. I have been involved in theatre; college, community, improvisational... I am curious about people and find great joy in helping people, listening to people, and being a source of care and safety. I am socially conscious and aware. Politically active in anti-war non-violence, LGBT equality, and know news and current issues. I am thoughtfully relational. I have good friends and seek only committed, monogamous, romantic relationships. I love movies and film criticism. I am active in interfaith dialogue and love learning about philosophies and faiths. I think that many people see me as a calm, safe, nurturing person who will accept them for who they are – and can usually bring levity and fun to their day.**

What are your special interests and talents?

**I love creative writing. I really like improv theatre. I enjoy performing poetry and storytelling at open mics. I like to read mostly non-fiction/non-history, philosophy, religion, science of mind and evolutionary theory. But also like fantasy, science-fiction, and contemporary humorous fiction. I have written 4 one act plays and I blog regularly. I read a little Hebrew, and a little Spanish. I love to teach and tutor all subjects, mostly English. I love working with and volunteering with youth. Have been summer camp counselor, play therapy, parks/rec, etc. I play guitar and write comedy. I love to hike and canoe. I am currently active with my school's drama and improv group. I love to learn and be in school.**

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

**math: Though I hated learning it myself, I enjoy teaching or tutoring it up to Algebra level. I find that I sympathize with youth who struggle with it and I like to make it accessible.**

**mechanical: I am not a mechanical person, really. I can change my car tire – that's about it.**

**athletic: I love non-competitive activities mostly. Frisbee, jogging. I played high school tennis and basketball just for fun. I am fairly athletic, and it comes fairly naturally to me.**

**musical, artistic, creative: I love live music, film, being in plays, I performed for 9 months in an improv comedy group, I love creative-writing, collaborative writing, editing, scholastic writing, drawing, cartoons.**

**language (what languages do you speak?): Little Biblical Hebrew, Little Spanish**

What are your goals and ambitions in life?

**To teach Religion/Philosophy/Humanities/Ethics at a collegiate level. To be involved with theatre-acting, improv, writing. To be active in social/political causes. To have a good-long term loving relationship with a partner. To be the best citizen, friend, partner, teacher, person I can be. To hold workshops for inter-faith action and dialogues. Be a voice of peace and justice in my community. Live a life of study and continual learning.**

Why do you want to be a sperm donor?

**I think it is wonderful when individuals and/or couples decide to be parents and invest their lives in the raising of a child. I would be honored to help those who make this decision.**

Did you choose to be an identity-release donor? Yes Why did you make this choice?

**Alex [Healthworker at TSBC] shared with me about it, and I have a friend whose mother became pregnant through sperm donation, and family friends who are adopted, and they all shared that they thought it was a good idea. I think it is fair, sensible and only right to have that option open as a choice. I understand there can be curiosity, and also for the interest of further medical information too.**

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

**You are wonderful. Every child deserves caring thoughtful family around them and by taking these steps you must surely want to share your life and love with a little one. This world we share is so wonderful and I congratulate you and honor you in your choice to nurture a new person into our world community. I wish you the best. I am happy, honored and humbled that I could be a part of this process and decision. I wish you the greatest joy, health, and happiness.**