

## The Sperm Bank of California

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### DONOR PROFILE: 3986

The past and current personal and family medical history, physical examination, and laboratory test results determine that donor **3986** is eligible and approved for semen donation at The Sperm Bank of California. This profile was prepared in **May 2008**.

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Identity-Release<sup>®</sup> Program: **Yes**  
Month/year of birth: **04/1989**  
Education: **B.A. in Engineering and Computer Science**  
Current occupation: **Student, Community Service Officer**

### PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Height: **6'7"**  
Weight: **235 pounds**  
Hair color: **light blonde**  
Hair type: **straight**  
Eye color: **blue**  
Complexion: **fair/creamy**  
Body type: **medium**  
Ethnic origin: **Greek, British, German, Irish**  
Religion: **Greek Orthodox Christian**  
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

Gastro-intestinal: **D: GERD, onset at 10, treated with medication and was managed by age 13;**  
**F: Gall Stones, onset at 57, treated successfully with surgery**  
Genital/Reproductive: **MGF: Prostate Cancer, diagnosed at 87, treated successfully with radiation**  
Heart: **MGF: Heart Failure cause of death at 90, High Blood Pressure, onset at 87, treated successfully with medication**  
Neurological: **MGM: Progressive Supranuclear Palsy, onset at 80, treated with medications, died of resulting organ failure at 84**  
Respiratory: **D: Asthma, onset at 7, was exercised-induced and exacerbated with a flu or cold, treated with inhaler and medication and resolved at 16**  
Sight/Sound/Smell: **D: eyesight 20/20, 20/20**  
Skin: **D: Acne, onset at puberty, treated with medication, cleared up at age 20; B#1: Acne, treated with medication, outgrew in 20s; B#2: Acne, onset in puberty, outgrew in 20s; MCo: Acne, onset in puberty, treated with medication and outgrew in 20s**  
Cancer (see above): **MGF: Prostate Cancer**

### DONOR LAB RESULTS

Chlamydia: <b>Negative</b>	Gonorrhea: <b>Negative</b>	Syphilis: <b>Nonreactive</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 3986**

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

**I like to think of myself as an extrovert because I really enjoy the company of other people, both my age and various other ages, and I have no problem getting along with large groups of people. But there are also times when I slightly consider myself an introvert because I just don't want to share some of my very personal secrets. Overall, I think I get along with people so well because I am not only funny, but I also know how to act in different situations in order to keep the mood calm and relaxed. I am usually really laid back about everything and accept people for who they are and how they want to act without judging them from a high horse. Realistically, I am a people-pleaser, I will act however other people expect me to as long as their expectation is reasonable. Furthermore, when I know that I have something to do that needs to get done, I simply do it without wasting anytime thinking about how daunting the task might be. I am also very curious with respect to how things work and why they work the way that they do and I am not finished until I have come up with a satisfactory answer which has appeased my wonder.**

What are your special interests and talents?

**I have a wide variety of interests as well as talents. Perhaps my greatest interest is in pleasing other people and serving my community. I take great pride and satisfaction from knowing that I have helped someone else in any way possible; making someone else's day is all I need to make mine. I also really love sports such as basketball, skiing, snowboarding, wakeboarding, hiking, and ping-pong. I really like spending time in the outdoors and camping with my family because it gives me the feeling that I am free from 'the real world' and that I can just get away from it all. I also have a great mind for all logical problems, such as the questions posed on the LSAT as well as simple and fun games such as the Rubik's cube. Ever since I was a kid I loved building things; I started building little toys with Erector Sets and I gradually moved up to taking apart random old appliances around the house. Most recently, I have combined my love for helping other people and building things as a counselor and staff member for a group that helped children build forts out of wood and nails.**

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

**math: Although I do not exactly *enjoy* math, I tolerate the idea of doing it in order to achieve a higher goal, for example, in the realm of engineering. Also, I feel that I am very gifted when it comes to math and would definitely describe myself as being exceptionally skilled.**

**mechanical: As I discussed earlier, I have an immense passion for mechanics and knowing how things in the world work. I definitely think I have an aptitude for mechanics because in the junior high I was able to take apart my dad's old radio and reassemble it. Being an engineering dual major, I definitely think that I am probing my ability to hone my mechanical skills.**

**athletic: I absolutely love all aspects of sports: the competitions, the teams, and the physical exertion. I work out on a regular basis and even though I don't feel that I am a natural at sports, after practicing for a while I can definitely excel at anything I try.**

**musical, artistic, creative: I am more of an observer when it comes to activities from this side of the brain. Although I definitely enjoy listening to all sorts of music, staring at old paintings, and analyzing modern art, I am not even close to being talented at anything of this sort. Although I've been told I have an overactive imagination, I am not very creative in the sense that I am able to write great stories or think of great ideas.**

**language (what languages do you speak?): None, although I am slightly proficient in Catalan Spanish.**

## **DONOR NARRATIVE: Donor 3986 (cont'd)**

What are your goals and ambitions in life?

**I have three main faucets for the goals in my life. The first, and perhaps most important, is for me to find a wife who I love and start a caring family with her. But I hope that this comes after my second goal, which is for me to succeed economically. In order to do this, I hope to graduate in the top 5 % of my engineering classes as well as be admitted to top law schools, which I intend to attend. I hope to graduate from law school and go on to be a very successful patent lawyer at a prestigious law firm. The last, but definitely not last in importance, of my goals is my desire to overall be a positive impact on society and help other people whenever I have the opportunity to better the world that I live in.**

Why do you want to be a sperm donor?

**The main reason that I am a sperm donor is that one of my friends' parents had to use a sperm bank in order to get impregnated because the husband was infertile. How much the sperm bank changed their entire family's life by letting them have children still amazes me to this day and I want everyone to have the opportunity to have children and start a loving and caring family even if they have problems with the fertility of the male's sperm. For the little it costs me to be a sperm donor, the possibilities and potential that arise from me participating in this is undeniably amazing, and I feel as if it would be asinine of me to deny two people who love each other the possibility to impregnate themselves with the children that they so desire.**

Did you choose to be an identity-release donor? Yes Why did you make this choice? **Because I feel that if the child, who will be an adult by the time he has this opportunity, makes the educated decision that for whatever reasons, health or sheer curiosity, wants to know who his biological father is, I don't have the place to stop him from being able to discover his heritage or biological history.**

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

**My very simple, yet quite important message is to just make sure that you love the child to the fullest potential and give it all the opportunities in the world because it is with that assumption that I am willing to donate my sperm to your potential for creating a loving family for this child.**