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DONOR PROFILE: 4253

The past and current personal and family medical history, physical examination, and laboratory test results determine that donor **4253** is eligible and approved for semen donation at The Sperm Bank of California. This profile was prepared in **December, 2009**.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Identity-Release[®] Program: **Yes**
Month/year of birth: **03/1990**
Education: **Currently in college studying Chemistry**
Current occupation: **Student/ Coach**

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Height: **6'**
Weight: **174 ½ lbs**
Hair color: **Medium brown**
Hair type: **Straight**
Eye color: **Green hazel**
Complexion: **Fair/ creamy**
Body type: **Large**
Ethnic origin: **Canadian, English, Scottish, French Canadian**
Religion: **None**
Blood group/Rh: **A 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

Genital/Reproductive: **MA#1: Premature Menopause, onset at 43, Hysterectomy at 50 (due to unbearable menses). MA#2: Hysterectomy at 45 (due to unbearable menses) D: Hydroceles, onset at birth, condition resolved within 2-3 months; Hernia, onset at 18, reparative surgery, condition resolved.**
Heart: **M: High Blood Pressure, onset at 46, medication and exercise, condition managed. F: High Blood Pressure, onset at 45, no treatment, condition ongoing. MGM: High Blood Pressure, High Cholesterol, onset at 62, medication, condition managed; Heart Attack, onset at 72, angioplasty and medication, condition resolved. MGF: High Blood Pressure, onset at 60, medication, condition managed; Heart Attack, cause of death at 77. PGF: High Blood Pressure and High Cholesterol, onset at 60, medication, condition managed. MU: High Blood Pressure, onset at 35, medication, condition managed.**
Muscles/Bones/Joints: **PGM: Osteoporosis, onset at 60, medication, condition managed.**
Neurological: **MGF: Possible Parkinson's Disease (self-diagnosed, grandfather was physician), onset at 72, unknown treatment. MA#1 & MA#2: Migraines, onset in mid-20's, OTC meds, condition resolved. MU: Migraines, onset in teens, medication, condition ongoing.**
Sight/Sound/Smell: **Donor: R:20/20 L:20/20. PGF: Hearing Loss, onset at 65, hearing aids, condition ongoing.**
Skin: **PGF: Skin Cancer (melanoma), onset at 50, surgical spot removal, resolved.**
Cancer (see above): **PGF: Skin Cancer (melanoma)**
Other: **MGF: Gout, onset at 60, no treatment, condition continued until death.**

DONOR LAB RESULTS

Chlamydia: Negative	Gonorrhea: Negative	Syphilis: Nonreactive
HIV 1 & 2: Negative	CMV total antibody: Nonreactive	
Hepatitis B: Negative	Hepatitis C: Negative	HTLV 1 & 2: Negative
Urinalysis: Normal	Chem panel: Normal	CBC: Normal
Cystic Fibrosis: Negative	Tay Sachs: Negative	Sickle cell anemia/thalassemia: Negative

DONOR NARRATIVE: Donor # 4253

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

I am often told I am a funny individual, occasionally being compared to Jim Carrey. I am not afraid to speak my mind and opinion; in other words, I speak the blunt truth. Other than that I am a very motivated person. I am also described as goal-oriented and determined as I am active in collegiate sports. I am a very outgoing individual, often loud and slightly rambunctious at times. My enthusiastic behavior helps my success through life by being completely motivated at tasks I have to complete.

What are your special interests and talents?

My two main priorities in life are school and athletics. I spend over 20 hours per week training and I compete almost every weekend. I have been training for over 12 years and plan to continue through my college career. Outside of training, I am very musically sound. Throughout my childhood I have played many instruments in many bands. I also enjoy listening to music as I perform my daily tasks.

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

math: **I successfully completed the hardest level of calculus in high school and am continuing to study math through college. Although it is not my favorite subject, I do not mind mathematics.**

mechanical: **I have to admit, I am not the handiest person in the world. Compared to my father, who can fix anything, I usually just try not to break something. Unfortunately when something is broken or does not work, I have to buy a new one or get a professional to fix it.**

athletic: **As stated before, I am a very athletic individual. I train for up to 20 hours a week. I love to compete and possibly plan to continue after college.**

musical, artistic, creative: **Also stated above, I have been musically active since my early childhood. I play a variety of musical instruments and enjoy listening to music whatever I am. I am able to improvise to keep rhythm while playing a variety of styles of music.**

language (what languages besides English do you speak?): **None**

What are your goals and ambitions in life?

My ultimate goal in life is to graduate from college with a degree in chemistry. I plan on living outside of the country after school possibly in Canada or Australia. Another one of my goals in life is to never become dependent on a vehicle. I believe in saving the environment and traveling by public transportation or bike. Other than that, I am not too worried about money in my future life. My last goal is to live happily wherever I am and make a positive difference in the lives of people I interact with everyday.

Why do you want to be a sperm donor?

I believe becoming a sperm donor creates the opportunity of a family for an individual who may not be able to create one, whatever her circumstances may be. I do not mean to come off as boisterous, but I also believe I carry good genes as well. I have a good head on my shoulders and I am willing to share myself, so to speak, to others in need.

Did you choose to be an Identity-Release® Program donor? X Yes ___ No. Why did you make this choice?

I chose to be an Identity-Release® Program donor because I am a sperm donor that has nothing to hide. I also am quite curious on what is essentially my offspring, will become. I think one of the most asked questions to a sperm donors` is, "Don't you find it weird to

have a bunch of kids?” My answer to them would explain that I do not find it weird at all. I think that if a family is mature enough to discuss that the child was from a sperm donor, then I believe that child has the right to know who his or her biological father is.

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

The most important thing I must pass on to soon-to-be parents would be to allow your child to grow up with an open mind. Personally, my parents did not force any ideas or beliefs on me, and I believe it significantly contributed to the type of person I am today. Although they were strict regarding education, what was “right” and “wrong”, and encouraged extracurricular activities, they left me to find myself by myself. I am a very independent person and I think being independent makes it easier to find one’s personal individuality. Parents, allow the child to do whatever they want, to a certain extent of course. If the child wants to play sports, travel somewhere, or study something, let them at least try it.