

This Application form has been designed for you to print and mail to Lifetime Adoption.

Please send your completed application and photo to:



Lifetime Adoption
Attn: Applications
400 Idaho-Maryland Rd.
Grass Valley, CA 95945
(530) 271-1740

Apply@LifetimeAdoption.com

Once we have received your completed application and photo, you will be contacted by the email address provided to confirm that we received it. We will notify you via email within 1-5 business days.

If you have any questions please contact us by phone at (530) 271-1740 or by email at Apply@LifetimeAdoption.com



ADOPTIVE FAMILY APPLICATION AND QUESTIONNAIRE

Please note that this application is confidential and is **not** shared with the birth parents. On occasion information on the following pages may be shared to help birth parents to better understand who you are. There is no right or wrong answers - just be yourself. Completing this questionnaire does not imply a commitment to or from Lifetime Adoption regarding your adoption process.

Today's Date _____

Husband's full name

Wife's full name

Address

City

State

ZIP code

Home Phone Number

Email Address

Work Phone (His)

Work Phone (Hers)

Cell Phone (His)

Cell Phone (Hers)

Fax

Best Day & Time to Reach You

Date of Marriage

Place of Marriage

Are you in the Military? _____

If yes, List the State(s) of Residence: _____

Are one or both of you a US Citizen? _____

Please provide divorce date(s) if either previously married: _____

Number of children you have: _____

Age(s) of children: _____

Besides the people listed on this application, is there anyone else living at your residency?

If yes, please explain:

How did you hear about Lifetime? _____

Have you ever been denied for a Home Study?

If yes, please explain:

Have you ever been foster parents? _____ If yes, please email a copy of your foster home study to apply@lifetimeadoption.com

Have you previously contacted Lifetime before? _____

To help us determine your adoption timeframe, please tell us when you'll be ready to adopt?

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Today | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 months to 1 year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 to 6 months | <input type="checkbox"/> More than a year |

What **type of child** are you interested in adopting? (Please check all that apply.)

Age:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newborn | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 year to 2 years |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0 to 3 months | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 years to 3 years |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 to 6 months | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 to 5 years |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6 months to 1 year | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 to 8 years |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 years and up |

Racial preference:

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Caucasian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> African American |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> African American/Caucasian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/African American | <input type="checkbox"/> Native American |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Caucasian | <input type="checkbox"/> Native American/Caucasian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Other | <input type="checkbox"/> East Indian |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Any Race |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

We are open to:

- Twins
- Sibling Groups (to age) _____
- Special Needs

Gender:

- Boy
- Girl
- No preference

Financial Limitations in Adoption

(THIS WILL NOT BE SHARED WITH THE BIRTH MOTHER)

What is your total combined income? _____

What is your complete adoption budget? _____

(For example \$12,000 to \$18,000, \$14,000 to \$20,000, etc.)

This is for our office use only, to help determine guidelines for adoption situations that fit into your financial plan. The average Lifetime adoption costs between \$20,000 and \$30,000, including our fees, birth mother expenses, home study and legal fees.

If your state allows would you want to be considered for a birth mother that has expenses?

Yes No

If so, how much?

Up to \$1,000 Up to \$3,000 Up to \$5,000 Consider for all

Comments:

Adoptive Family Health:

Her Health –

Do you have a current or past medical or mental health condition? If Yes, please explain:

Do you use alcohol? _____

Have you ever had an alcohol problem? If yes, please explain: _____

Have you ever had a drug problem? If yes, please explain: _____

His Health –

Do you have a current or past medical or mental health condition? If Yes, please explain:

Do you use alcohol? _____

Have you ever had an alcohol problem? If yes, please explain: _____

Have you ever had a drug problem? If yes, please explain: _____

Criminal Background:

Her Criminal Record

Have you ever been convicted of any crime, other than minor traffic violations?

Please explain the details of your conviction:

His Criminal Record

Have you ever been convicted of any crime, other than minor traffic violations?

Please explain the details of your conviction:

A Little More About Them:

Please tell us your reasons for adopting (infertility, age, etc.):

A Few Questions for Him:

Describe your hobbies and what you like to do in your spare time:

Describe your wife's personality:

What do you admire about her?

On a scale of 1 to 10 (1 is low, 10 is high), how would you rate her level of patience?

A Few Questions for Her:

Describe your hobbies and what you like to do in your spare time:

Describe your husband's personality:

What do you admire about him?

On a scale of 1 to 10 (1 is low, 10 is high), how would you rate his level of patience?

Family's Religious Information

We often receive specific requests from birth mothers wishing to find families who share their religious beliefs. Use as much space as you need to provide a thoughtful and thorough response to each of the questions below.

Adoptive Mother's Religious Information

Do you attend church? **Yes** **No**

What church do you attend?

What is the denomination?

Share your spiritual beliefs (including thoughts on God, Jesus Christ, the Trinity, the Bible, etc.) and how you will teach this to your child?

Adoptive Father's Religious Information

Do you attend church? **Yes** **No**

What church do you attend?

What is the denomination?

Share your spiritual beliefs (including thoughts on God, Jesus Christ, the Trinity, the Bible, etc.) and how you will teach this to your child?

Employment:

His Employer: _____

His Occupation: _____

His highest level of education: _____

Her Employer: _____

Her Occupation: _____

Her highest level of education: _____

Her Personal Information

Date of birth _____

U.S. citizen? Yes No Native American Yes No

Race/Nationality _____

Her Highest Level of Education: _____

His Personal Information

Date of birth _____

U.S. citizen? Yes No Native American Yes No

Race/Nationality _____

His Highest Level of Education: _____

Which program are you interested in knowing more about (please check all that apply)

Adoption For Life

Bronze

Silver

Gold

High-profile/Confidential

I'm not sure at this time but want to learn more about them .

We declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Adoptive Mother Signature

Date

Adoptive Father Signature

Date

**Thank you for your interest in adopting through Lifetime Adoption's successful program!
Your next step is to mail the application and a picture to the address provided on the first
page.**

We look forward to helping you find your baby!