

Your Mother's, Father's, and Your Own Ancestral/Biological Heritage

In the next two pages that follow, fill out your Mother's and then your Father's Ancestral/Biological heritage sheets. These will provide you with details about your heritage which extends back to your great grandparents on both your mother's and father's side. Once you've completed filling out both sheets as completely as possible, answer the questions below. They will help to clarify how your heritage, as it was passed down to you, has influenced your own definition of your diverse self.

Questions:

- 1) How strongly did your father identify with his racial and or ethnic group?
- 2) What was the role of his religion, language, and marriage in that self-identification?
- 3) What influence did his parents and/or grand parents have in that self-identification?
- 4) How strongly did your mother identify with his racial and or ethnic group?
- 5) What was the role of her religion, language, and marriage in that self-identification?
- 6) What influence did her parents and/or grand parents have in that self-identification?
- 7) How strongly do you identify with your racial and or ethnic group?
- 8) What is the role of religion, language, and/or marriage in that self-identification?
- 9) What influence did/do your parents, grandparents, and/or great grand parents have in that self-identification?
- 10) Is there a remote racial, religious, or ethnic heritage that you more strongly identify with than other heritages? Why or Why not? If so what is it?

It may become a meaningful experience to talk to parents and other relatives about this assignment. Compare your views and feelings to their's and share why these views are important to you. Think about what you learned from them that you did not know before. Will your children know such things about you?

My Mother's Ancestral/Biological Heritage

Guidelines

= A Mother's Info

= A Father's Info

Write the name of the individual in the box beneath his/her place in your geneological line.

Mother's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
 Languages:

Birthdate: Date born

Marriage Date: Date married

Divorce Date: Date divorced (if applicable)

Remarriage Date: Date remarried (if applicable)

Race: Person's perceived race

Religion: Religion, if any

Ethnicity: Person's ethnic identity

Languages: List languages spoken

Mother's Mother's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
 Languages:

Mother's Father's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
 Languages:

Mother's Mother's Mother's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
 Languages:

Mother's Mother's Father's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
 Languages:

Mother's Father's Mother's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
 Languages:

Mother's Father's Father's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
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My Father's Ancestral/Biological Heritage

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Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
 Languages:

Birthdate: Date born
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Father's Mother's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
 Languages:

Father's Father's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
 Divorce Date:
 Remarriage Date:
 Race:
 Religion:
 Ethnicity:
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Father's Mother's
 Mother's Name:

Birthdate:
 Marriage Date:
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 Father's Name:

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