

# NIGHTLIGHT<sup>®</sup> CHRISTIAN ADOPTIONS

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## HOSTING PARENT APPLICATION

Please complete and return this application. Include two photographs of you and your child(ren) (if any).  
Complete the form using your full legal name(s).

**Husband:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*First Middle Last*

**Wife:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*First Middle Last*

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street City State Zip*

### Other Contact Information:

( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
*Home mobile (his) mobile (hers)*

( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
*business (his) business (hers)*

( ) \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
*Fax Preferred Email*

### Names and birth dates of children and whether adopted:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a home study that has been completed in the last 6 months or less? Yes/No. If yes, when was it issued?

If you do not have a current home study, Nightlight Christian Adoptions will perform a modified home study prior to your date to begin hosting.

From which country or countries do you wish to host? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any other adults (age 18 or older) living in the home? Yes/No What is their relation to you?

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(All adults must have fingerprints taken to be included in the home study.)*

Have you and all the adults in your home lived in your current state of residence all of the last 5 years? Yes/No

If no, please list all the states you have resided in over the last 5 years. \_\_\_\_\_

**MALE APPLICANT**

**FEMALE APPLICANT**

\_\_\_\_\_ Date and Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Nationality \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Marriage (Date and Place) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Number of Previous Marriage(s) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Termination Date(s) of Previous Marriage(s) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Last Grade/Degree Completed \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Other Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date Employed \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Passport Number \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Annual Salary \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Other Sources of Income \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Mortgage/Rent Payments \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Debts over \$1000 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Health Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Amount of Life Insurance \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever declared bankruptcy? Yes/No If so, when? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Please explain on a separate sheet.)

1. State your preferences for a child(ren) you would consider hosting:
  - A. Sex: Male  Female
  - B. More than one child? Yes/No How many? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Are you comfortable in hosting a child who may have some minor physical, mental, emotional, or developmental problems? Yes/No (Note: Many of these problems self-correct with proper care.)
3. If you answered yes to the above question, what conditions or medical problems you are willing to accept?  
 \_\_\_\_\_
6. Please answer *yes* or *no* to the following. Explain any *yes* answers below. Remember, a *yes* answer does not necessarily disqualify you from hosting. Feel free to call if you have questions about this.

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\_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever been arrested/charged/indicted? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you have any health problems or conditions that would interfere with caring for a child? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever been charged with or accused of child abuse or neglect? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever received treatment for a mental condition? \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever used illicit drugs? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever been treated for drug or alcohol abuse? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you worked with another hosting agency within the past 24 months? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever been denied a home study? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever been given an *unfavorable* home study? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever begun but not completed the home study process? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever been a foster parent? \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ Have you ever had a child removed from your home? \_\_\_\_\_

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. As a host, who will be the primary caretaker for the child (*at least one host parent must be home to care for the children during the hosting period*)? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Why do you want to host a child? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

9. How did you hear about Nightlight Christian Adoptions?  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

In the event that you would like to pursue adoption of the child(ren) you have hosted, you will need to contact Nightlight Christian Adoptions to discuss the adoption process. Nightlight cannot guarantee that any child hosted is or is not available for adoption.

Children hosted internationally may have some minor health concerns or developmental delays. These problems are usually corrected by proper care. Nightlight Christian Adoptions will assist you in finding proper health care for the children you are hosting while they are in your care. Nightlight is a non-profit organization. While hosting families are not expected to incur the entire cost associated with hosting a child (air fare, staff arrangements in country, etc.), families are expected to assist in fundraising efforts and are expected to raise enough funds to alleviate the cost of hosting the number of children each family plans to host. Nightlight will assist you in your fundraising efforts and has also prepared a letter which you can modify and send to family and friends for fundraising. In the event that there is a lack of funding for any particular child, the host family will be expected to cover the left over expenses for the children they are hosting. Nightlight expects the cost for hosting a child to be approximately \$1,500 to \$2,000.

I/WE CERTIFY BY SIGNING BELOW THAT I/WE GIVE CONSENT AND AGREEMENT TO THE ABOVE AND THAT ALL INFORMATION GIVEN IN THIS APPLICATION IS CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY/OUR KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITY. I/WE ALSO AGREE TO THE TERMS SPECIFIED IN THIS APPLICATION FORM.

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*Male Applicant*

\_\_\_\_\_

*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_

*Female Applicant*

\_\_\_\_\_

*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_

**Nightlight Christian Adoptions Representative**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Date**