

Dear Client:

Re: Marital History

Please prepare your marital history in chronological, narrative form, beginning with the events leading up to your marriage until the present time. We prefer that it be typed, as we will be referring to it often. The more detail you include, the better. The information you give us is the best source of knowledge we have of your marriage and the contributions of both you and your spouse to the marriage.

Please discuss the following subject areas in this chronological account of your married life:

1. Education: What education/training does each of you have? When and where did each receive it? How was each able to finance this education/training?
2. Employment: What jobs has each held? What compensation and benefits were available? Did either make any sacrifices or special contributions to enhance the other's career?
3. Gifts: Did either receive any gifts from third parties, inheritances, or personal injury awards during the marriage? What, when, how, and from whom were these acquired? What happened to the property or funds?
4. Assets/Debts: What major assets were acquired during the marriage and what major debts were incurred? What happened to these assets and debts or do they still exist?
5. Children: Describe the circumstances under which your children were born or your stepchildren began to live with you. What is the relationship of these children with you and with your spouse? Do the children have any special needs? What do you hope to provide for them in the future?
6. Health: Have any members of the entire family had physical or psychological problems? When did these occur and how have they been treated? What is the current status of each problem?
7. Major Events: What major events, good or bad, have occurred during the marriage? When did they occur and what was the long-term effect?
8. Dissolution: What specific events led to this dissolution of marriage? How did each spouse contribute to the breakdown of the marriage? How would your spouse answer these two questions?
9. Results: Please delineate, in order of importance, the results you hope to obtain from this action. Do not leave anything out. Please discuss the following:
 - a. Child Custody
 - b. Child Support
 - c. Alimony
 - d. Distribution of Assets
 - e. Any Other Factors of Importance.

Please return this information immediately.

Very truly yours,

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