

*Note:* The greater the number of positive responses, the greater the person's identification with a traditional heritage. The one exception to positive answers is the question about family name change. This question may be answered negatively.

1. Where was your mother born? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Where was your father born? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Where were your grandparents born?
  - (1) Your mother's mother? \_\_\_\_\_
  - (2) Your mother's father? \_\_\_\_\_
  - (3) Your father's mother? \_\_\_\_\_
  - (4) Your father's father? \_\_\_\_\_
4. How many brothers \_\_\_\_\_ and sisters \_\_\_\_\_ do you have?
5. What setting did you grow up in? Urban \_\_\_\_\_ Rural \_\_\_\_\_ Suburban \_\_\_\_\_
6. What country did your parents grow up in?
 

Father \_\_\_\_\_

Mother \_\_\_\_\_
7. How old were you when you came to the United States? \_\_\_\_\_
8. How old were your parents when they came to the United States? Mother \_\_\_\_\_ Father \_\_\_\_\_
9. When you were growing up, who lived with you? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Have you maintained contact with
  - a. Aunts, uncles, cousins? (1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Brothers and sisters? (1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Parents? (1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Your own children? (1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
11. Did most of your aunts, uncles, cousins live near your home?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
12. Approximately how often did you visit your family members who lived outside your home?
 

(1) Daily \_\_\_\_\_ (2) Weekly \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Monthly \_\_\_\_\_ (4) Once a year or less \_\_\_\_\_ (5) Never \_\_\_\_\_
13. Was your original family name changed?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
14. What is your religious preference?
 

(1) Catholic \_\_\_\_\_ (2) Jewish \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Protestant \_\_\_\_\_

(4) Denomination (5) Other \_\_\_\_\_ (6) None \_\_\_\_\_
15. Is your spouse the same religion as you?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
16. Is your spouse the same ethnic background as you?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
17. What kind of school did you go to?
 

(1) Public \_\_\_\_\_ (2) Private \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Parochial \_\_\_\_\_
18. As an adult, do you live in a neighborhood where the neighbors are the same religion and ethnic background as yourself?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
19. Do you belong to a religious institution?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
20. Would you describe yourself as an active member?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
21. How often do you attend your religious institution?
 

(1) More than once a week \_\_\_\_\_ (2) Weekly \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Monthly \_\_\_\_\_ (4) Special holidays only \_\_\_\_\_

(5) Never \_\_\_\_\_
22. Do you practice your religion at home?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_

(If yes, please specify)

(3) Praying \_\_\_\_\_ (4) Bible reading \_\_\_\_\_

(5) Diet \_\_\_\_\_ (6) Celebrating religious holidays \_\_\_\_\_
23. Do you prepare foods of your ethnic background?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
24. Do you participate in ethnic activities?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_

(If yes, please verify)

(3) Singing \_\_\_\_\_ (4) Holiday celebrations \_\_\_\_\_

(5) Dancing \_\_\_\_\_ (6) Festivals \_\_\_\_\_

(7) Costumes \_\_\_\_\_ (8) Other \_\_\_\_\_
25. Are your friends from the same religious background as you?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
26. Are your friends from the same ethnic background as you?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_
27. What is your native language? \_\_\_\_\_
28. Do you speak this language?
 

(1) Prefer \_\_\_\_\_ (2) Occasionally \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Rarely \_\_\_\_\_
29. Do you read your native language?
 

(1) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (2) No \_\_\_\_\_