

To Whom it May Concern;

Please don't let this message fall on deaf ears.

I am a birthmother in reunion with the daughter I was coerced into relinquishing in 1963. My daughter went through of considerable expense and effort to find me. What joy she has brought into my life, if she had access to her original birth certificate we might have been reunited many years earlier. What a waste it is for adoptees to have no right to information that is THEIRS.

I was NEVER promised my daughter would not find me, nor was I promised anonymity. I was however promised I would go on with my life and forget I had ever given birth. How in the world do you forget a life had grown inside your body right under your heart.

Please treat adopted people with fair and equal rights, all PEOPLE have the right to know who they are and where they come from.

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