

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

In order to more effectively represent you, you must prepare, in writing and preferably typewritten, an autobiography and list of priorities in connection with your dissolution of marriage proceedings, which should include the following items:

- * Educational background;
- * General employment history;
- * Financial contributions to the marriage, including separate funds brought into the marriage by way of inheritance, gifts, savings, etc.;
- * Special contributions, such as assisting your spouse in the business, contributing to his or her education, etc.;
- * Source of down payment on all real property;
- * Range of income of both spouses during the marriage;
- * Causes of break-up of the marriage;
- * Dissipation or waste of assets through gambling, loans, investments, etc.;
- * A list of all outstanding debts;
- * Contributions to child-rearing;
- * A diary of your marriage, including information about when you met, when you married, the birth of the child(ren) and who cared for those children, child care status, any information that might be harmful to either one of you concerning the care of the children;
- * If any one witnessed any of the events of your life that might be significant to the custody and/or distribution of property. Please make certain that while you are describing the incident, that you place the person's name, present address and phone number in the dialogue so that we are able to consider using that individual as a witness; and
- * A list, in order of priority, of the results you seek in the dissolution proceedings.