

Marital Status

Single

Spouse's Monthly Income

0

Number of Children

0

Monthly Daycare Cost

0

Your Name...

Your Spouse's Name...

Favorite Color...

Favorite Music...

Favorite Food...

Essential Skills...

Character Traits...

Role History Number

07

Role Description

You graduated from high school with good marks in English and science, and almost perfectly fluent in French. You loved to read and learned new vocabulary every day. You liked the way science books were written, packed full of information, but French was always your favourite. The French teacher spotted your talent and encouraged you—by never talking to you in English. He also found you a French pen pal, who became a real friend. You were also a peer helper as everyone saw you as empathetic.

You enrolled in university to do a degree in French literature, with a minor in science. You took out a student loan and worked part-time for six months as a Dishwasher in the university cafeteria, for your first two years. You got summer jobs three years in a row as a Park Interpreter in a national park because you spoke French well and knew the names of plants and animals. As a park interpreter you assisted in a number of other jobs when needed. You were known for your honesty and integrity. Others loved to work with you. You found that job pretty hectic though, and were always glad to get back to your computer and your books in the fall.

You didn't much like dishwashing either, so in your third year you started **translating research papers** and journals for the Science Faculty. You added more translation courses to your degree program. Usually, translators translate into their native language. In Technical Translation the language is precise and specific, without the shades of meaning that are common in descriptive writing. You enjoy reading through the papers before you start the translation.

A year later your word processing skills have really improved so you are able to earn more money at translation. Your notion of teaching French after graduation has started to fade. You always kind of hated standing up in front of a bunch of people, anyway. Final exams are almost over, you're expecting an Honours Degree in French-and now you know what to do with it.

You are 23 years old.