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Through this letter we would like to give you our motivations and project concerning the adoption of Tanzanian child.

You will find below all details concerning our private life, couple life and our desire today to set up a family.

### **Individual presentation**

Myriam Chauvet Lamarque , born the 1st november 1970 at Lombez (France):

I have done all my school and university in France. After my 5 years degree university I have been working as a technology teacher in France from 1993 to 2001 and in Spain (Valencia) from 2001 to 2004 for the French Ministry of Foreign Affair. Since 2004 I'm Tanzanian resident to be with my husband.

Sylvain Chauvet , born the 17th February 1970 at Dreux (France).

After my 5 years university degree (Master Business of Administration) I have been working in different places in France as head office manager. In 1997 I started to work in Tanzania for a safari company as operation manager and head office manager in Arusha for Tanganyika Wildlife Safari ([www.tanganyika.com](http://www.tanganyika.com)). Since 2002 I'm the General Manager of Karafuu Hotel (a 5 stars hotel) in Zanzibar. I have been living in Tanzania for 7 years.

### **Our couple life**

We know each other since University and got married on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of August 2003 at the French Embassy of France in Dar-Es-Salaam.



Our wedding with Mr LIONNET (Ambassador of France in Tanzania)  
And our 2 friends and witnesses Isaya et Kadogo

Myriam is now pregnant and we are waiting for the delivery in January 2005. It seems to be a boy.

We are now leaving in our lovable country that is Tanzania and we are waiting to set up a family.



At home in Zanzibar



At home at Karafuu hotel

To know better our working and leaving place please connect on:

[www.karafuuhotel.com](http://www.karafuuhotel.com)

### Our hobbies

We like very much to travel because it give us the occasion to discover other cultures, landscapes and to meet people from different cultures.



United States of America



Thaïlande



India



Tanzania

We like to share sport activities together like trekking, skiing, swimming, scuba-diving, skate.



Trekking in France



Scuba diving in Zanzibar



Sky diving for Myriam



Skating for Sylvain

It is very important also to meet our family



With our parents in a restaurant



with Sylvain's nephews and nieces



Our first meeting with Corentin, Myriam's nephew, & Solène



Family visiting us in Zanzibar

## Our desire to have children

Since a long time we have the desire to set up a family with natural and non natural children. For us even if an adopted child is different that a natural child, we want to have a united family.

We have decided to adopt a Tanzanian child because we love Tanzania and we plan to stay in Tanzania for several years so the child will be surrounded by his original culture because it is important for us to give the child our culture but not to break the relationship with its original culture.

It seems that we will have a natural child before a adopted child because the delivery is planed in January 2005. But we would like to manage to adopt a child in 2005 in the age of maximum 6 months like that they will be both very close to each other.

As you will see during your social inspection, we have all comfort to welcome a child in our home and our target is to offer the best avenir to our children with full education school.

Our family already gave us their "agreement" to adopt a child, even if this child won't have our blood, this child will have the love of a natural children from all our family.

We hope that our request to adopt a child will be approved by the government of Tanzania.

Thank you

Myriam & Sylvain Chauvet

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