

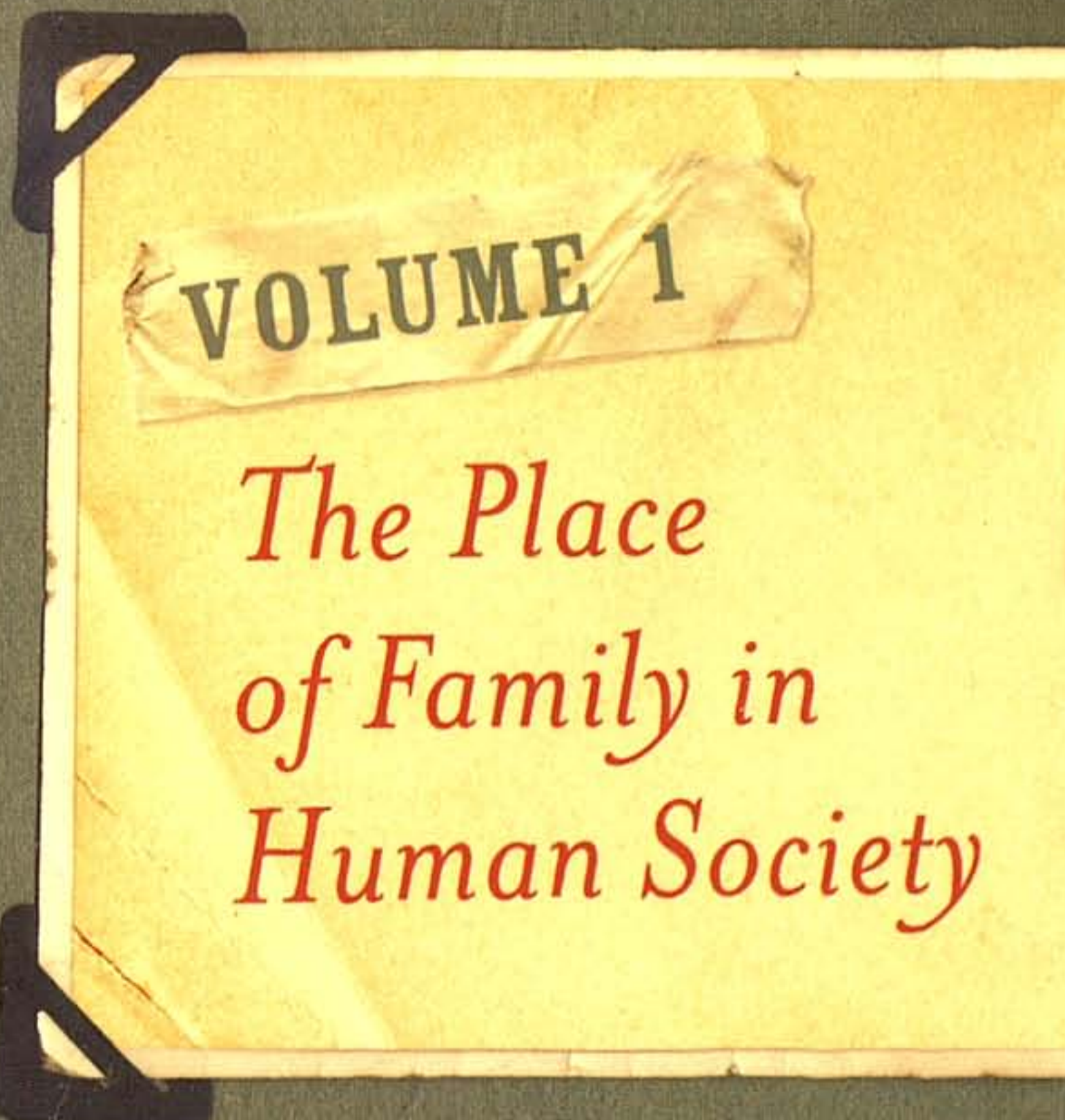
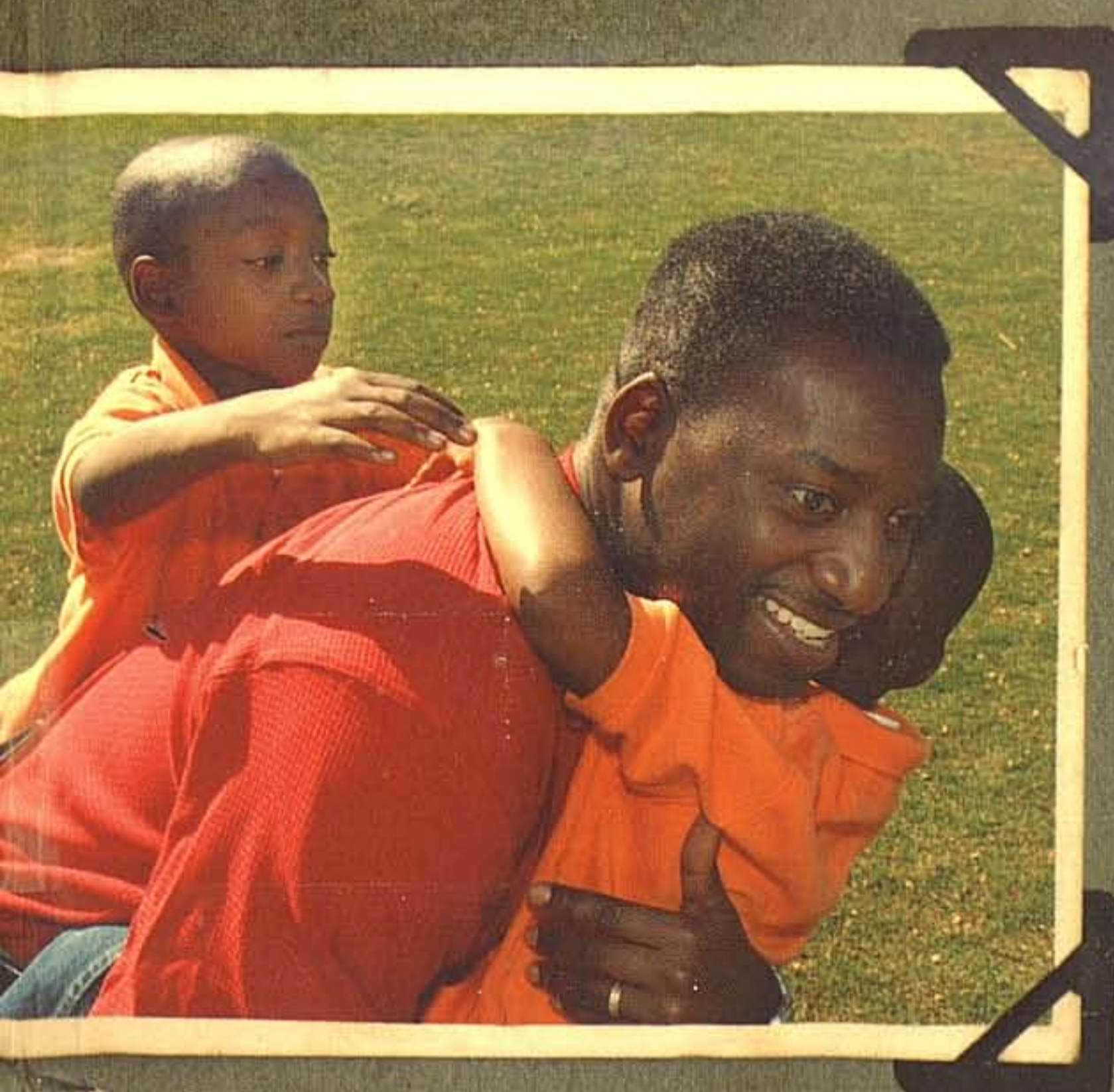
P R A E G E R P E R S P E C T I V E S

THE FAMILY IN THE NEW MILLENNIUM

World Voices Supporting the "Natural" Clan



EDITED BY A. SCOTT LOVELESS AND THOMAS B. HOLMAN



The Family in the New Millennium

The Family in the New Millennium



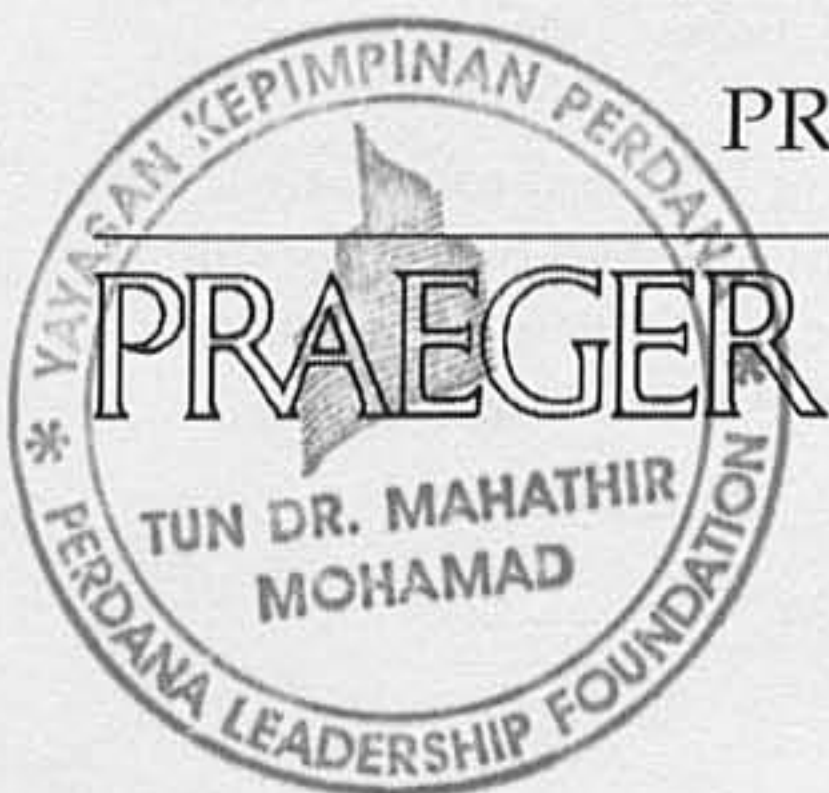
THE FAMILY IN THE NEW MILLENNIUM

WORLD VOICES SUPPORTING
THE "NATURAL" CLAN

VOLUME 1

THE PLACE OF FAMILY IN
HUMAN SOCIETY

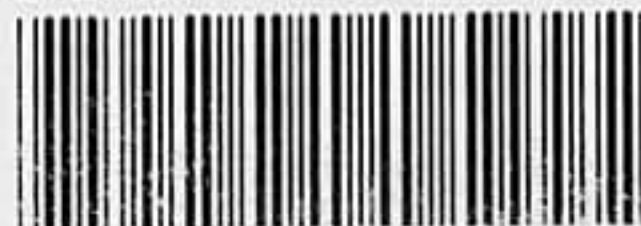
Edited by A. Scott Loveless and
Thomas B. Holman



PRAEGER PERSPECTIVES

Westport, Connecticut
London

PUSTAKA PERDANA



1006608

Library of Congress Cataloging-in-Publication Data

Loveless, A. Scott and Holman, Thomas B.
The Family in the new millennium : world voices supporting the "natural" clan / edited
by A. Scott Loveless and Thomas B. Holman.

p. cm.

Includes bibliographical references and index.

ISBN 0-275-99239-X (set : alk. paper) — ISBN 0-275-99240-3 (v. 1 : alk. paper) — ISBN
0-275-99241-1 (v. 2 : alk. paper) — ISBN 0-275-99242-X (v. 3 : alk. paper) 1. Family. 2.
Marriage. 3. Family policy. I. Loveless, A. Scott. II. Holman, Thomas. III. Title

HQ519.F37 2007

306.85—dc22 2006031055

British Library Cataloguing in Publication Data is available.

Copyright © 2007 by Praeger Publishers

All rights reserved. No portion of this book may be
reproduced, by any process or technique, without the
express written consent of the publisher.

Library of Congress Catalog Card Number: 2006031055

ISBN: 0-275-99239-X (set) (alk. paper)

0-275-99240-3 (vol. 1)

0-275-99241-1 (vol. 2)

0-275-99242-X (vol. 3)

First published in 2007

Praeger Publishers, 88 Post Road West, Westport, CT 06881

An imprint of Greenwood Publishing Group, Inc.

www.praeger.com

Printed in the United States of America



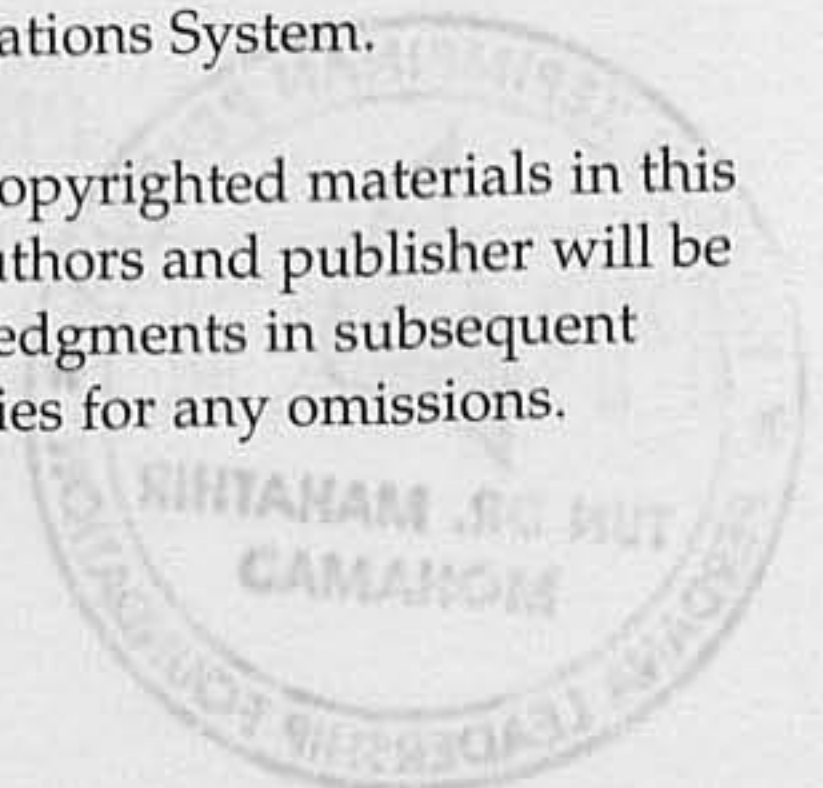
The paper used in this book complies with the
Permanent Paper Standard issued by the National
Information Standards Organization (Z39.48-1984).

10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

These volumes are not published or endorsed by the United Nations System.

Every reasonable effort has been made to trace the owners of copyrighted materials in this
book, but in some instances this has proven impossible. The authors and publisher will be
glad to receive information leading to more complete acknowledgments in subsequent
printings of the book and in the meantime extend their apologies for any omissions.

306.85
FAM



Contents

Preface of Her Highness Shiekha Mozah Bint Nasser Al-Missned, Consort of His Highness the Emir of Qatar and President of the Supreme Council for Family Affairs of Qatar	ix
Preface of the NGO Working Committee <i>Richard G. Wilkins</i> Managing Director, The Doha International Institute for Family Studies and Development, Doha, Qatar	xiii
Acknowledgments	xv
Documents UN General Assembly Resolution A/RES/58/15	xvii
UN General Assembly Resolution A/RES/59/111	xxi
UN General Assembly Resolution A/59/592	xxiii
UN General Assembly Resolution A/59/599	xxix
Section 1: Family	1
Chapter 1: The Role of the Family in Modern Economic Life <i>Gary S. Becker</i> (USA) Nobel Prize Laureate Professor Emeritus, Department of Economics, University of Chicago, USA	3
Chapter 2: Government Policy and Responsibilities Toward the Family: What Is Happening to the Family? <i>Joseph Chamie</i> (USA) Director, Population Division, DESA United Nations (Retired 2005)	12
Chapter 3: The Meaning of Family in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights <i>Don Browning</i> (USA) Alexander Campbell Professor of Religious Ethics and the Social Sciences Divinity School, Emeritus, University of Chicago, USA	38
Chapter 4: The Family and Economic Development: Socioeconomic Relevance and Policy Design <i>Maria Sophia Aguirre</i> (Argentina) Department of Business and Economics, The Catholic University of America, USA	54

- Chapter 5: The Silent Relevance of African Trans-Family Ethnographies: Realities and Reflections on the African Family 93
Kariuki Thuku (Kenya)
 Regional Coordinator
 African Initiative for Alternative Peace and Development [AFRIPAD-TRUST], Nairobi, Kenya
- Chapter 6: Family and Marriage in China after the Implementation of the Single-Child Policy 102
Huidi MA (China)
 The Chinese Academy of Arts, China
Er LIU (China)
 Harbin Institute of Technology, China
Xiaoting LIU (China)
 Beijing Normal University, China
Fenghua LIU (China)
 Chinese Academy of Chinese Medicine, China
- Chapter 7: The Family in the Third (and Second) Millenium . . . BC: Where We Have Been 114
John Gee (USA)
 Institute for the Study and Preservation of Ancient Religious Texts
 Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, USA
- Chapter 8: Families in Different Contexts: A Comparison of European, British, and U.S. Union Formation and Family Patterns 124
Vjollca K. Märtinson (Albania)
 Marriage and Family Therapist
 Provo Canyon School, Provo, Utah, USA
- Chapter 9: Modern Population Trends and the Family 153
Patcharawalai Wongboonsin (Thailand)
 Senior Researcher, Institute of Asian Studies
 Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand
Kua Wongboonsin (Thailand)
 Professor of Demography, College of Population Studies
 Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand
- Chapter 10: The Generational Train Wreck and its Aftermath 163
Alan Tapper (Australia)
 Senior Lecturer in Philosophy
 Edith Cowan University, Perth, Australia
- Chapter 11: A Trade-off Between Two Social Outputs: A Reference to the Qatari Women's Case 173
Lulwa Al-Misned (Qatar)
 Assistant Secretary General for Industrial Research & Investment Promotion
 Gulf Organization for Industrial Consulting, Doha, Qatar

- Chapter 12: What Is Happening to the Family in Developed Nations? 186
David Popenoe (USA)
 Professor of Sociology
 Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
- Chapter 13: Securing a Future for Children: The International Custom of Protecting the Natural Family 191
Jane Adolphe (USA)
 Associate Professor of Law
 Ave Maria Law School, Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA
- Section 2: Parents and Children 225**
- Chapter 14: Why Are Parents Important? Linking Parenting to Childhood Social Skills in Australia, China, Japan, Russia, and the United States 227
Craig H. Hart (USA)
 Professor of Marriage, Family, and Human Development
 School of Family Life, Brigham Young University
 Provo, Utah, USA
- Chapter 15: The Family: A Source of Untold Wealth 248
Craig A. Cardon (USA)
 Businessman, Phoenix, Arizona, USA
 Chairman of the Board
 United Families International, USA
- Chapter 16: The “Withering Away” of Marriage: Some Lessons from the Bolshevik Family Law Reforms in Russia, 1917–1926 257
Lynn D. Wardle (USA)
 Professor of Law, J. Reuben Clark Law School
 Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, USA
- Chapter 17: Demographic Processes in the Countries of Eastern Europe, the CIS, and the Baltic: Trends in the 1990s and What We Should Expect in the Next Decade 296
Anatoly I. Antonov (Russia)
 Professor of Sociology
 Lomonossov Moscow State University, Russia
Viktor M. Medkov (Russia)
 Professor of Sociology
 Lomonossov Moscow State University, Russia

Chapter 18: The Azerbaijani Family in a Period of Rapid Sociocultural Change	316
<i>Abulfez D. Suleymanov</i> (Azerbaijan)	
Doctor of Sociology, Senior Staff Scientist	
Department of Sociology and Social-Psychology	
The Institute of Philosophy and Political-Law Research	
Azerbaijan National Academy of Sciences, Baku, Azerbaijan	
Chapter 19: The Complementarity of Motherhood and Fatherhood: A <i>Tour de Force</i> of the Relevant Social Science	322
<i>W. Bradford Wilcox</i> (USA)	
Professor of Sociology, University of Virginia, USA	
Chapter 20: Why Childhood Attachment Matters: Implications for Personal Happiness, Families, and Public Policy	332
<i>Gladys M. Sweeney</i> (USA)	
Dean, Institute for the Psychological Sciences	
Arlington, Virginia, USA	
Chapter 21: Cohabitation: Consequences for Mothers, Children, and Society	347
<i>Janice Shaw Crouse</i> (USA)	
Senior Fellow, The Beverly LaHaye Institute	
Concerned Women for America, USA	
Chapter 22: The Family as a Source of Strength and Life Skill: The Role of Authoritative Parenting in Building Resilience	363
<i>Josi Salem-Pickartz</i> (Jordan)	
Clinical Psychologist	
Consultant to MMM International on Mental Health Issues, Jordan	
<i>Jill Donnelly</i> (UK)	
President of MMM International, World Movement of Mothers, USA	
Chapter 23: Health, Happiness, and Human Capital	369
<i>Jürgen Liminski</i> (Germany)	
Journalist;	
Director	
Institute for Demography, Social Welfare, and Family, Germany	
<i>Thomas W. Draper</i> (USA)	
Professor of Psychology, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, USA	
About the Editors and Contributors	385
Index	397