

## **New Member Biography Instructions**

Here are instructions for writing your biography to be posted on our new member board and in a future issue of Kaleidoscope.

Please write a short (2 paragraph) biography about yourself. We can then post it together with your photo on the new member board. Please write your bio in narrative form, using first person, and e-mail it to me as soon as possible to [megan@ussb.org](mailto:megan@ussb.org). Due to space constraints, please limit it to ~150 words.

Here are a few guidelines for writing your bio:

- Do you have a nick-name or name you preferred to be called?
- When and where were you were born? Where did you grow up?
- If you moved to Santa Barbara recently, where from and why? How long have you lived in Santa Barbara?
- Describe your family including names of spouse, children, pets...
- Describe your educational background and your profession(s).
- What are some major accomplishments that you are proud of. (It's okay to brag!)
- What are your favorite hobbies, activities, etc.?
- Please share with us about your religious background and why you have come to the Unitarian Society and your hopes and aspirations as a new member of USSB?

Please call or e-mail me if you have any questions.

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