



## Insights into adoption

### *The relationship between a birth mother and adoptive mother of the same child*

Mireille's baby son was placed for adoption in a time when it was not ok for single young women to keep their children, no matter how hard they fought to do so.

Ann adopted this baby boy, and went on to love and raise him and do all the things that a mother does for her child.

And then they meet.

Mireille and Ann will share their stories of how adoption has impacted their lives, and the lives of those around them. They will share with us their own individual strengths and challenges, and how they managed these along the journey of becoming a 'blended' family.

This seminar is open to people personally affected by adoption, and for service providers who work with, or are interested in, adoption related issues.

There will also be time for questions and conversations with Mireille and Ann, and further group discussions.

#### **Date**

Tuesday, February 17, 2009

#### **Time**

10.00am - 1.00pm

#### **Venue**

Relationships Australia (SA)  
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