

Abstract:

This bachelor thesis focuses on the topic of LGBT families in the Czech Republic, a demographic that is often discussed in the media but is otherwise overlooked. The aim of this thesis is to show what problems homosexual parents or parents-to-be have to face that may differ from heterosexual parents. The main topic of this thesis is to introduce some aspects of same-sex parenting. Moreover, I discuss other topics that are linked, more or less, to this type of parenting. These include forming gender identity, parenting and homosexuality. In the practical section, I interviewed homosexual parents and explored what the biggest pitfalls are of LGBT parenting.

Key words:

homoparentality; gender development; homosexuality; same-sex parenting; family; parenthood; sexual orientation