

Child Poverty Rises as 2-Parent Families Decline  
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"The decline in two-parent families since 1960 has been closely linked with a rise in child poverty, primarily because poverty rates are far higher in single-mother families than in two-parent families."

-- From *The Future of Children*, a report from the Brookings Institution and Princeton University showing that stable marriage can increase the prosperity of couples and improves the lives of children, including those raised by same-sex couples.