The Hispanic Family in Flux

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Change in the number of 20-35 year olds: 2000 to 2005

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Growth in Family Households with Own Children under 18: 1990-2005

- All Family Households: 3,922
- Two-Parent Households: 2,942
- One-Parent Households: 1,382

- Total: 3,922
- Hispanic: 2,942

- Total: 75%
- Hispanic: 143%

- All Family Households: 3,922
- Two-Parent Households: 2,539
- One-Parent Households: 965

- Total: 3,922
- Hispanic: 2,539

- Total: 38%
Marriage Among 20-30 Year Olds: 2005

- Total Hispanic
- Hispanic Foreign Born
- Hispanic Native Born
- White
- Black
Married with Spouse Absent as Share of All Married: 2005

- Hispanic Total
- Hispanic NB Total
- Hispanic FB Total
- Hispanic FB arrived ≥2000
- Hispanic FB arrived 1990-99
- Hispanic FB arrived ≤1980
- White
- Black
Persons Divorced as a Share of Persons Ever Married: 2005

- Total Hispanics
- Hispanic Native Born
- Hispanic Foreign Born
- Hispanic FB since 2000
- Hispanic FB arrived 90s
- Hispanic FB arrived 80's
- White
- Black

Bar chart showing the percentage of persons divorced as a share of persons ever married for different categories based on ethnicity and nativity.
Unmarried Women with a Birth in the Past Year: 2005
Primary Language by Generation

Source: 2002 National Survey of Latinos
Better for children to live with parents until marriage

- Spanish: 95
- Bilingual: 75
- English: 52
- Non-Latino: 46
In general it’s better for husbands to have the final word.

The bar chart shows the percentage of individuals who believe it’s better for husbands to have the final word, categorized by language and ethnicity. The chart indicates that:

- Spanish-speaking individuals have the highest percentage (43):
  - Bilingual (34)
  - English (27)
  - Non-Latino (29)

The chart suggests that language and ethnicity play a significant role in these beliefs.
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