

# Does One Need Family to Be Happy?

## (Germany 2000/2002)

	Age							
	18-30 Years		31-45 Years		46-60 Years		< 61 Years	
	W	E	W	E	W	E	W	E
	in %							
One needs family to be happy	71	69	69	76	72	83	79	88
Without family one is equally happy or happier	19	22	24	14	20	11	13	9
Undecided	10	9	7	9	8	6	8	3

Legend: W = West Germany, E = East Germany

*Data source:* Statistisches Bundesamt, Datenreport 2002, Datenbasis: ALLBUS 2000.

*Literature:* Statistisches Bundesamt (ed.). Datenreport 2002. Schriftenreihe 376. Bonn: Bundeszentrale für politische Bildung, 2002. p. 531.