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Details regarding adoption in Egypt (in relation i.e. to age and status of those being adopted, adoptive candidates, their motives etc.) can be found in extant adoption / fosterage contracts dating from the fourth century A.D. onwards. Concentrates on the clauses contained in adoption / fosterage contracts and examines the reasons dictating the compilation of a written contract in Late Antique and Byzantine Egypt.

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