My master thesis deals with the topic of family development over time. In the theoretical part I do a literature research and describe the basic concepts related to this topic. At the same time I describe the development of the family over time and work with the concepts of traditional and postmodern family, which are important for the practical part. In the latter, I obtained the material through interviews with families with children up to the age of 5. In the research part I describe the research questions in more detail and then discuss the data collected and its analysis. I briefly introduce the families from my research. For better clarity, the thesis contains graphs and tables that complete a comprehensive view of the topic. Through my research, I found that the terms traditional and modern family are very abstract topics and each of my respondents had a different idea of the term. Similarly, each respondent saw the future of the family in society somewhere else. The socioeconomic status of the family or respondent was a significant factor in the responses. In general, my research is a probe into the mindset of the contemporary middle class.