

# Chapter 1

## Baggage Check-in: Proper Identification

One difference between a great trip and a ruined trip depends on how you identify your luggage at check-in.

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Did you know that lack of proper identification is the number one reason bags are not reunited with their owners? How can you protect yourself?

***Read on!***

Administration (FAA) mandates that every checked bag must have current identification on it:

your current name, address, and telephone number. This does not

mean the name of the person who borrowed your luggage the last time it traveled or the name of the person from whom you borrowed the luggage for your trip. The name on the bag should match the reservation for the person who is traveling. Improper identification (or no identification) has always been the biggest deterrent to reuniting lost luggage with its owner. Many customers that I have helped in finding their missing luggage commonly