



Gifts Through Your Will

A bequest is one of the easiest gifts to make. With the help of an advisor, you can include language in your will or trust specifying a gift to be made to family, friends, or Greenhouse Ministries as part of your estate plan.

Benefits of your Bequest

- Receive estate tax charitable deduction.
- Lessen the burden of taxes on your family.
- Leave a lasting legacy at Greenhouse Ministries

Your Bequest Options

A bequest may be made in several ways:

- Gift of a percentage of your estate.
- Gift of a specific dollar amount or asset.
- Gift from the balance or residue of your estate.

Greenhouse Ministries' Bequest Language

In order to make a bequest, you should speak with your attorney. Your attorney can help you include a bequest to Greenhouse Ministries in your estate plan. We have provided some basic bequest language to assist you and your attorney.

1. Outright Bequest

If you are considering making an outright bequest to Greenhouse Ministries, we recommend the following language:

Simple Bequest

"I hereby, give, devise and bequeath (*a specific \$ amount, a specific %, description of property, or the rest and residual of my estate*) to Greenhouse Ministries, a non-profit corporation located at 309 South Spring Street, Murfreesboro, TN 37130, Federal Tax ID #62-1802432, designated in support of _____."

2. Restricted Bequest

If you are considering a bequest but would like to ensure that your bequest will be used only for a specific purpose, please let us know. We would be happy to work with you and your attorney to help identify ways to give that will ensure your charitable

objectives can be met. We will also work with you and your attorney to craft language to accomplish your objectives.

In cases where donors are making a restricted bequest, we recommend that your attorney include the following provision to give Greenhouse Ministries flexibility, should it no longer be possible for our organization to use your gift as you originally intended:

“If, in the judgement of the Board of Directors of Greenhouse Ministries, it shall become impossible for Greenhouse Ministries to use this bequest to accomplish the specific purposes of the bequest, Greenhouse Ministries may use the income and principal of this gift for such purpose or purposes as the Board determines is most closely related to the restricted purpose of my bequest.”

Contact Us

Please contact Sarah Gwinn, investor relations specialist, at 615-494-0499 or sarah.gwinn@greenhousemin.org if you have any questions about how to make a bequest to Greenhouse Ministries or to request any additional information that might be helpful to you and your attorney as you consider making a bequest.