



You have **THE WILL**, we have **THE WAY**.

Protect the people you love. Create a lasting partnership with Jewish Federation of Northeastern New York. Help ensure the future. Your will makes it possible.

A charitable bequest is the simplest form of planned giving. You may leave a bequest of a specific cash amount, a percentage of your estate or the residue of your estate. To leave this type of gift in your will, simply direct that you want a specific amount of money or property to go to a charity of your choice, such as Jewish Federation of Northeastern New York (JFed).

By deciding to leave a bequest of a specific amount of cash, a percentage of your estate or the remainder of your estate, you will provide critical support to the Jewish community.

There's no limit on the amount you may set aside from your estate. You may make a gift as large or as small as you'd like. You may choose to make a gift of cash, securities or other property, and your estate will receive a tax deduction in the amount of your charitable bequest.

Your will does more than protect your estate beyond your lifetime. It also expresses your passion for causes that are important to you, like the Jewish community. A charitable bequest in your will can help safeguard the community and enrich the lives of others.

You experience the warm, personal satisfaction that comes with giving. And, you serve as an enduring role model to your children and grandchildren who, witnessing the fruits of your legacy gift, are likely to follow in your footsteps. Protect the people you love. Create a lasting partnership with the Jewish community.

You may make an unrestricted bequest, which allows us to use the gift to support the Jewish community's unanticipated future needs. Or, you may plan a restricted gift through a bequest for a specific purpose or field of interest. If you have already drafted your will, your attorney can help you arrange a charitable bequest with a simple amendment known as a codicil.

Provide income for the Jewish community each year, in perpetuity, by making a general bequest:

I bequeath \$_____ (or _____% of my residual estate) to Jewish Federation of Northeastern New York to be added to the Unrestricted Endowment Fund; or

I bequeath \$_____ (or _____% of my residual estate) to Jewish Federation of Northeastern New York to establish an endowment to perpetuate my annual gift to the campaign.

Support a specific agency, organization, or field of interest every year, in perpetuity, with a designated bequest to establish an endowment fund:

I bequeath \$_____ (or _____% of my residual estate) to Jewish Federation of Northeastern New York to establish an endowment to support (ie, charitable needs in Israel, Jewish education, or any of our Endowment Development Partners, or other organizations.)

Charitable Bequest



The Jewish Community Endowment Fund does not provide tax or legal advice. You are encouraged to seek independent tax and legal counsel.



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