

LEAVE A LEGACY

of compassion

WE SHARE THE VISION FOR A WORLD where animals are treated as living, feeling beings—free from human exploitation. And together, we can create that world.

As you know, we couldn't do this work without you. We're deeply grateful for your support, compassion, and dedication to our shared mission to end the abuse of animals raised for food. There's one more action you can take right now to help create a world free of suffering—and a future built on kindness—for decades to come. Until all animals are free.

Creating a legacy gift is a powerful act that can help end the most heartbreaking and wide-spread abuses on factory farms—from animals being trapped in cages so small they can barely move, to separating loving mothers from their babies hours after giving birth.

It's the consistent, transformational support that we receive from gifts in wills, trusts, and other estate plans that allows us to keep the pressure on companies, industries, and governments. To enact fundamental, lasting changes to the cruelest practices in industrialized animal agriculture. And to reach every person necessary to sustain our movement and end factory farming for good.

Your partnership in this important work empowers us to keep fighting for change as long as we're needed—and until every animal can live the life they deserve.

The following information touches on some of the simplest and most common ways to create a legacy to help animals. For many of these gifts, no minimum dollar amount or cash is required. Your donation is realized when you are no longer here to contribute your energy and effort to this work. Only then will you be giving The Humane League the honor and privilege of carrying on your legacy of compassionate action for animals.

If you have the desire to create lasting change beyond your lifetime, there is most likely a way to make that happen. We'd be happy to help you and your advisors find the right solution to your lifelong philanthropic goals. *Thank you.*

A SIMPLE, FLEXIBLE WAY TO GIVE

A gift in your will or trust, or by beneficiary designation, requires no immediate donation, and you can change your mind at any time if your needs change. You can name The Humane League as a secondary or contingent beneficiary, so we only receive your gift if your other beneficiaries are not in need of support. You can designate a percentage of your assets, specific dollar amount, or an item of value (such as real estate or personal property). Even 1% of what remains after your loved ones are remembered can have an enormous impact on the lives of farmed animals.



Every adult should have a will (and sometimes a living trust, too!), and the general recommendation is to review it every five years or so to ensure that it's up to date. A will and/or living trust accomplishes some important tasks, including allocating your assets, reflecting your most important relationships, designating guardians for children and caregivers for beloved companion animals, and distributing any planned gifts to charities that you support. Additionally, the estate planning process also includes creating documents that designate someone to make financial and medical decisions on your behalf if you are no longer able to do so. Without plans in place, your state's laws and local courts will decide these things for you.

As a supporter, you also are invited to use FreeWill, a third-party online estate planning platform that we offer free of charge. Visit freewill.com/thl to start your plan.

A Gift in Your Will or Trust

To include The Humane League in your will or trust, we suggest simply providing the following language to your estate attorney or the preparer of your will or living trust:

"I hereby give, devise and bequeath [PERCENTAGE, DOLLAR AMOUNT, SHARE, or RESIDUARY] to The Humane League, a Pennsylvania nonprofit corporation having a registered address at 1321 Upland Drive, Box 19696, Houston, TX 77043, and a mailing address of P.O. Box 10476, Rockville, MD 20849, Federal Tax ID #04-3817491, for The Humane League's general use and purpose."

If you'd like to direct your gift to a particular project or purpose, we can assist you and your attorney in drafting language that ensures your gift will be used as you intend.

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Please join me by becoming a legacy donor to The Humane League. Doing so will help
ENSURE A FUTURE WHERE EVERY ANIMAL IS TREATED WITH DIGNITY AND RESPECT.
Every voice, every action, and every choice we make brings us closer to a kinder, more just world.

STEVE LEVIN
Legacy Society Member

A Gift by Beneficiary Designation

A gift by beneficiary designation is simple: just sign your name!

You can name The Humane League as a beneficiary of some percentage or all of your:

- Retirement accounts
- Life insurance plan
- Donor advised fund (DAF)
- Bank and brokerage accounts

As with gifts in your will, you can designate all or a percentage of the funds in your account, and you can name The Humane League as a primary beneficiary or a second-in-line beneficiary. And, of course, you can change your mind at any time.



To make a gift through a beneficiary designation, contact your retirement plan administrator, insurance company, bank, or financial institution for a change-of-beneficiary form. You may even be able to request or download your form from your online account portal.

Be sure to include our **Federal Tax ID #04-3817491**.

And please let us know after you have done so.

Some financial institutions will not notify us after your lifetime that we are a beneficiary; sharing your wishes now helps ensure your gift will be distributed as you wish. We'll always keep your information confidential, and you can update your plans at any time.

A GIFT THAT PAYS YOU BACK

A charitable gift annuity helps you support The Humane League while providing you and/or a loved one steady income for life. The Humane League works with the National Gift Annuity Foundation (NGAF) to offer this win-win option.

Here's how it works: You make a donation of cash, appreciated securities, or in some cases, real estate to NGAF. In return, they pay one or two people a fixed amount every year for life. The payment amount never changes, and part of it may even be tax-free. You also qualify for a federal income tax charitable deduction at the time of your gift.

After your lifetime, what's left in the account is transferred to The Humane League to keep fighting for a world where animals are free from human exploitation. Minimum gift levels and annuitant ages apply; contact us to learn more and receive a personalized illustration of your charitable gift annuity.



We're grateful for your consideration of such a profound gift! You are in no way obligated to do so, but we hope that you will let us know if you have planned a legacy gift for The Humane League. We will never ask you for details you are not comfortable sharing, and we will always respect your right to change your plans.

PLEASE BE IN TOUCH

To explore your giving options, let us know you've completed a gift, or learn more about particular programs and projects, please contact our legacy giving team. We look forward to hearing from you!

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(Attn: Development Department)

Federal Tax ID: #04-3817491

When you share that you have included a gift in your will or other plan, we look forward to welcoming you as a member of our exclusive Legacy Society.

The information contained in this publication is current as of February 2026 and is subject to change. It is not intended as legal or financial advice. Always consult your tax or legal professionals prior to establishing a legacy gift, and discuss your plans with your family or other trusted advisors.

