



*One generation shall commend Your works to another,  
and shall declare Your mighty acts. Psalm 145:4*

### Sample Gift Language for your Will or Revocable Living Trust

A gift to Stonecroft Ministries in your will or revocable trust enables you to support our mission to help women reconcile to God through His Son, Jesus Christ, and live God's extraordinary through each day of ordinary, and make a difference in the lives of future generations. A bequest:

- Is easy to arrange.
- Will not alter your current lifestyle in any way.
- Can be easily modified to address your changing needs.

### Residual Gift Language

A residual bequest comes to Stonecroft after your estate expenses and specific bequests are paid:

*I give and devise to Stonecroft (Tax ID #43-6041686), located in Kansas City, MO all (or state a percentage) of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).*

### Specific Gift Language

Naming Stonecroft as a beneficiary of a specific amount from your estate is easy:

*I give and devise to Stonecroft (Tax ID #43-6041686), located in Kansas City, the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ (or asset) to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).*

### Contingent Gift Language

Stonecroft can be named as a contingent beneficiary in your will or personal trust, if one or more of your specific bequests cannot be fulfilled:

*If (insert name) is not living at the time of my demise, I give and devise Stonecroft (Tax ID #43-6041686), located in Kansas City, MO, the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ (or all or a percentage of the residue of my estate) to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).*



## Retirement Plan Beneficiary Language

You may name Stonecroft (Tax ID #43-6041686) as a beneficiary of your IRA or other qualified retirement benefits. We encourage you to consult with your tax advisor regarding the tax benefits of such gifts.

Naming Stonecroft as the beneficiary of a qualified retirement plan asset such as a 401(k), 403(b), IRA, Keogh or profit-sharing pension plan will accomplish a charitable goal while realizing significant tax savings. It can be costly to pass such assets on to heirs because of heavy tax consequences. By naming Stonecroft as a beneficiary of a retirement plan, you maintain complete control over the asset while living, but at your death the plan passes to support Stonecroft free of both estate and income taxes.

Making a charitable gift from your retirement plan is easy and should not cost you any attorney fees. Simply request a change-of-beneficiary form from your Plan Administrator. When you have finished, please return the form to your Plan Administrator and notify Stonecroft. We can also assist you with the proper language for your beneficiary designation to Stonecroft.

## Customized Language

If you or your attorney would like Stonecroft to provide you with customized beneficiary language that is specific to your goal and interest, please contact us.

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