

3 Ways to Support Five Acres and Our Future

While nearly every asset could be used to make a charitable gift after your lifetime, there are three specific assets that make sense for many supporters.

1] Cash. The most popular way to remember Five Acres in your will is a simple bequest of cash. You can leave a specific sum of money or a percentage of the remainder of your estate.

2] Retirement plan assets. To name Five Acres as a beneficiary of your IRA or retirement plan, simply ask your plan administrator for a change-of-beneficiary form. As a nonprofit organization, we will have full use of the assets after your lifetime, unlike your heirs, who could pay income taxes if they inherit it.

3] Life insurance. You can give life insurance policies you no longer need for your family and include Five Acres as a beneficiary of a percentage or the full amount.

 Please contact us to learn more about how to join the Legacy Society. On behalf of the children and families we serve, thank you!



What You Can Do Today

Just as our children need forever families, we need your lasting support to make a transformative difference in the future of children's well-being in our community.



Contact us to learn more about joining the Legacy Society or to let us know you have already made a gift to Five Acres in your estate plans.

Thank you for ensuring a
promising future for Five Acres!



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The Five Acres Legacy Society

Shaping the Future
of Five Acres



You Can Make a Difference Today for Tomorrow



We are grateful to our many passionate supporters who have given their time, talent and treasure to support Five Acres and our growth over the years. Our Legacy Society members' visionary philanthropy helps us sustain our services and programs for the children and families we serve. It also ensures a promising future for Five Acres.

If you have benefitted from or been touched by the work we do and would like to join together with others who share your values and aspirations for our future, we hope you will consider joining our Legacy Society.

What Is the Legacy Society?

The Legacy Society is a special group of members who are dedicated to the needs of vulnerable children and who have made provisions for Five Acres through their estate plans. Your thoughtful gifts help further our mission to promote safety, well-being and permanency for children and their families. Every person who remembers Five Acres in their estate plans automatically becomes a member of the Legacy Society.

Your gifts provide essential long-term financial support for Five Acres today and tomorrow. Popular ways to give include the following:

- Gifts made through your will or living trust, called bequests
- Gifts of retirement plan assets after your lifetime
- Donating life insurance policies
- Funding a charitable remainder trust

Member Benefits

When you become a member of the Legacy Society, you join a community making an impact in the lives of children and future generations. To thank and honor your contribution, benefits include the following:

- An invitation to the annual Legacy Society appreciation luncheon

- Special recognition in Five Acres' annual report
- Special recognition on Five Acres' donor appreciation wall
- Invitations to select agency events
- Publications highlighting our Five Acres' families, volunteers and supporters

How Do You Join?

It's easy to join. If you have already named Five Acres in your will or other estate plans, please let us know. Simply contact Jennifer Berger at (626) 773-3749 or jberger@5acres.org.

If you have not already made charitable plans and would like to discuss your options, we encourage you to meet with your personal financial advisor to select the best type of gift for your circumstances. We are pleased to provide you and your advisors with any additional information to assist you in your plans.

