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TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR PERSONAL LEGACY

BEGIN YOUR PLANNING JOURNEY

Why You Need an Estate Plan

If you have put off writing your will or making plans for your estate, you're not alone. Estate planning is not a chore. It is an opportunity to create your legacy.

Estate planning is for *everyone*, regardless of age or assets. It allows you to protect the people and causes you care about most, no matter what twists and turns happen in life.

Don't wait to take the first step – you may actually feel relieved as you get things in order. Plus, you can rest easy knowing that you are setting your family up for success. And that's a legacy you can be proud of.

HOW WILL YOU BE REMEMBERED?

When creating or updating your plans, consider including a gift to the VFW. You'll be able to extend your values through your support of veterans. By leaving a percentage of your estate to us you can make a big difference while retaining your assets for life.

ESTATE PLANNING ESSENTIALS



A WILL. Ensures that your assets will be distributed exactly as you intend.



LIVING WILL. Articulates your wishes concerning heroic, life-sustaining measures.



DURABLE POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Designates a trusted individual to handle legal and financial matters on your behalf.



HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY.

Stipulates who will make health care decisions on your behalf, should you be unable to do so.

To learn more about the benefits of gift planning and giving options that could work for you, contact us today or visit www.vfw.org/plannedgiving.

JOIN **TOGETHER** TO SHARE YOUR VALUES

Simply put, the VFW strives to do good things for deserving people – our veterans, their families and their communities. From local grassroots ideas to national influence, we work every day to make a difference. It’s our strength as an organization. And, with each supporter, we only grow stronger.

If you feel strongly about the VFW and would like to join together with others who

share your values, we hope you’ll consider joining the VFW Heroes Circle.

If you have already included the VFW in your estate plans, please let us know by completing and returning the attached reply card, or by calling the VFW Planned Giving Office at (816) 968-1119. We want to extend our gratitude and welcome you into the VFW Heroes Circle.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

We can’t say thank you enough to you and our other generous supporters who have helped us fight to better the lives of all those who have worn the uniform of the United States military! Thanks to gifts from supporters like you, we have been able to stand strong as we continue to fight for all that’s good FOR VETERANS.

GIVE VETERANS THE HELP THEY NEED

A gift of any size helps ensure that those who have protected our country are protected in return. Contact us at (816) 968-1119 to learn more about supporting veterans.



YES! I’D LIKE TO HELP VETERANS.

- ☐ I’d like more information about estate and gift planning.
- ☐ I’ve included the VFW in my will or estate plans (and haven’t previously notified you).
- ☐ I have a question. Please contact me by:
 - ☐ Phone; best time to call: _____ a.m./p.m.
 - ☐ Email.

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PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO:
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VFW National Headquarters
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