

Making a Bequest to River Music Experience

For many friends and supporters of the River Music Experience, the decision to remember the RME with the gift of a bequest is a natural extension of their desire to support the good work of RME even after they have passed.

Bequests are commitments of a future contribution and can be made while drafting a will or formulating an estate plan at any time, regardless of the age of the donor.

If you are interested in making a bequest to the RME, we recommend the following or similar language.

General support of the RME

"I give _____ (state the specific property, a dollar amount, a percentage or the remainder) to River Music Experience, located in Davenport, IA, to further the objectives and purposes of the organization."

Support of a specific program at RME

"I give _____ (state the specific property, a dollar amount, a percentage or the remainder) to River Music Experience, unrestricted, with preference given to the purposes specified by me in a separate written agreement with River Music Experience, as that agreement may be amended from time to time."

Adding the provision that your gift designation is separate from your will or living trust allows you the freedom to change your designation at some future date without having to change your will or living trust and incur additional legal fees.

Please let us know when you have named the RME in your will, so that we can take the opportunity to thank you. We encourage you to contact the RME even if you wish that you and your gift remain anonymous. The RME will work closely and confidentially with you and your advisers to create a gift plan that reflects your personal interest in supporting the RME programs.

If you have questions, please contact:

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