

MAKING A GIFT TO LAN SU THROUGH YOUR WILL OR REVOCABLE TRUST

Making a charitable bequest to Lan Su in your will or revocable trust is a wonderful way to show your love for the garden. There are several ways you can make a gift to Lan Su through your will or trust:

Unrestricted

You can specify that Lan Su receive a percentage of your estate, a specific sum of money, or specific asset (such as stocks, bonds, or real or personal property). The most useful kind of bequest is unrestricted, allowing the funds to be allocated by Lan Su wherever the need is the greatest.

Restricted

You can also designate that your gift be used for Lan Su's general grants and operations, or you can restrict your gift to a specific program, event, or other purpose that is important to you.

BEQUEST LANGUAGE

Lan Su is pleased to offer the following language for you and your attorney to incorporate into your estate planning documents.

Unrestricted bequest:

I give to Lan Su Chinese Garden, an Oregon nonprofit corporation that is recognized as exempt from tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, located in Portland, Oregon [*insert here the specific sum of money, percent of the estate, the property, or the "rest, residue and remainder of my estate"*], to be used for its general purposes.

Restricted bequest:

I give to Lan Su Chinese Garden, an Oregon nonprofit corporation that is recognized as exempt from tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, located in Portland, Oregon [*insert here the specific sum of money, percent of the estate, the property, or the "rest, residue and remainder of my estate"*] to be used for [*insert purpose, program, event, etc. for which the gift is to be used*] for so long as the Lan Su Chinese Gardens Board of Directors determine that the needs exists. Should the need no longer exist or become unwise, the Board of Directors may, in its sole discretion, direct the use of my bequest for a purpose related as closely as possible to that stated above.

INFORMING LAN SU CHINESE GARDEN

Your decision to make a bequest to Lan Su is deeply meaningful to us. We hope that you will let us know that you have made a gift to the garden in your estate plan so we can express our appreciation and honor your support appropriately.

CONTACT US

For any questions or concerns, please contact us at 503.542.2921 or at lisas@lansugarden.org.