



BEQUEST INTENTION

Starting in the year of your 55th Reunion, your future legacy gift can be recognized by Williams

WHO: Alumni in their 55th Reunion year and beyond, plus spouses, parents and friends age 75 and older are eligible.

WHAT: Documented bequest intentions can be from a will, trust, retirement plan, life insurance policy, or donor advised fund, etc. It can be a joint bequest, as long as both spouses are age eligible. Your bequest intention will make you a new member or reaffirm your membership in **The Ephraim Williams Society**.

The Ephraim Williams Society honors alumni, spouses, parents, and friends who have demonstrated their commitment to Williams' future by establishing planned gifts or including the college as a charitable beneficiary of their estate plans.

WHY: Through your estate plans you can carry on the legacy of philanthropy that began with our founder, Ephraim Williams in 1793. Your bequest intention supports future students and professors, continues the generosity that came before you, and serves as an example to other alumni. In addition, the college will have the opportunity to acknowledge, thank, and celebrate your future gift now.

HOW: Complete a Bequest Intention Form (see reverse). Provide supporting documentation (e.g. excerpt from will, trust, or beneficiary designation form) and bequest contact information (e.g. executor, trustee, retirement plan administrator, or family member).

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