



## Sample Language for Bequests

A bequest may be in the form of cash, securities, real estate, or other property. You should specify that Mohonk Preserve receive a certain amount or percentage of your estate, particular assets, or the remainder of your estate after providing for heirs.

### Types of Bequests:

***Specific bequests*** are used to make gifts of a specific dollar amount or specific assets, such as securities, real estate, or personal property.

***Residuary bequests*** are used to give all or a portion of the rest, residue, and remainder of your estate after payment of expenses and any specific amounts designated to other beneficiaries.

***Contingent bequests*** will result in gifts to the Mohonk Preserve only in the event of the death of other beneficiaries or the fulfillment of certain conditions described in your estate plans.

### Sample Language:

*"I give, devise, and bequeath unto Mohonk Preserve, a charitable New York State corporation, all of my residuary estate*

OR

a portion of my residuary estate equal to \_\_\_\_% thereof

OR

the following described

property\_\_\_\_\_

OR

the sum of \_\_\_\_\_"

*to be allocated by Mohonk Preserve wherever the need is greatest.*

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