



**Royal Star
& Garter**

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Suggested wording

We often get requests for standard texts to use when people want to include us in their Will. Please see our suggested wording below.

We always recommend that you use a solicitor to make or update your Will.

There are three ways to make a gift in your Will

- **A residuary legacy** is a share, or percentage of your choosing, or the whole of your estate, after you have remembered loved ones and all debts, expenses and other legacies have been paid.

Suggested wording for a residuary gift:

I give the residue / a __ % share of the residue of my estate to The Royal Star & Garter Homes, 15 Castle Mews, Hampton, Middlesex, TW12 2NP (Registered Charity Number 210119) for its general charitable purposes. I further direct that the receipt of the Honorary Treasurer or any other proper officer of Royal Star & Garter for the time being shall be a sufficient discharge for the said legacy."

- **A pecuniary legacy** is a fixed cash amount (such as £500, £2,000 or £100,000). You may wish to index link the amount so that it keeps pace with inflation, otherwise its value may be reduced over time.
- **A specific legacy** is a piece of property (such as medals, jewellery, or a painting, for example).

Suggested wording for a pecuniary or specific gift:

"I give the sum of £_____ (or the item specified) to The Royal Star & Garter Homes, 15 Castle Mews, Hampton, Middlesex, TW12 2NP (Registered Charity Number 210119) for its general charitable purposes. I further direct that the receipt of the Honorary Treasurer or other proper officer of Royal Star & Garter for the time being shall be a sufficient discharge for the said legacy."