

### WELCOME!

We're glad you're here





# Make A Will Protect Your Legacy





### Agenda

- Introduction to the Enduring Love Foundation
- Remarks by Mr. Charles Stubblefield
- Make A Will Workshop



# Know Your Foundation

#### **Board of Directors**

Mr. Geoff Morrison, Director Mr. Bobby Jones, Director

Mrs. Ann Parsons, Director Mr. Dennis Becker, Treasurer

Mr. Thom Griffith, Director Mrs. Barbara Miller, Secretary

Mr. Nathan Sherman, Chairman



# Know Your Foundation

### Our Purpose

We exist to bring pleasure, praise and people to God through a permanent endowment fund for the duration of this world.



# Know Your Foundation

- Founded in 2002
- ➤ Wholly owned by First Baptist Church Universal City
- ➤ Manages an endowment fund for the sole benefit of FBCUC
- > Gifts are never spent, they are invested for eternity
- Board of Directors elected by FBCUC
- Fund's current value is ~ \$1.5 million
- > Returned more than \$658,000 to FBCUC



# How is the Money Used

- Spending is jointly authorized by Ministerial Staff and Finance Committee
- Loving Up! Funds were expended to support Baptist LAMB mission offering and missions including development of our church plant in Haiti, support of church starts in Tacoma, Portland, Schertz (Impact Church) and New York City.
- ➤ Loving In! Funds were used for internal ministries such as the Spanish and Recreation ministries and most recently the Wellness Initiative, the purchase of land and development of Communion Park and Communion Garden, along with numerous physical plant upgrades and expansions including the Playground and Audio and Video related equipment.
- Loving Out! Funds were spent on outreach benevolence to our church and community to include Resources for Women Crisis Pregnancy Center, national and international world hunger relief to include Feed My Starving Children.



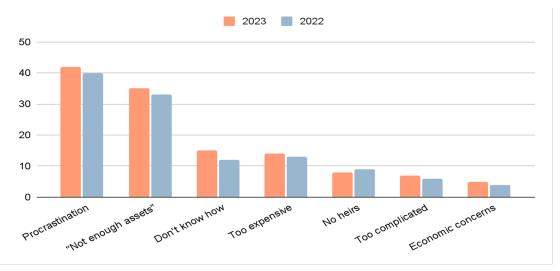
### New Initiative – Legacy Stewardship

- ☐ Most American adults have no will.
- We have partnered with FreeWill.com to offer you the opportunity to create a legally binding will at no cost.
- Our goal is that 100% of our church family, their loved ones, neighbors and friends will create a will and other crucial documents to avoid this unneeded stress.





#### Reasons Americans don't engage in estate planning





## Making a plan can be easy

Where your gift keeps on giving

The Enduring Love Foundation offers our community a free online will-writing tool

- ✓ No cost to you
- ✓ Available from the comfort of your home
- ✓ Creates a legal will customized to your wishes
- ✓ Can be paired with an attorney for complex estates
- ✓ Create an Advanced Health Care Directive, Medical Power of Attorney and Durable Power of Attorney
- ✓ Can be changed in the future



### Planning is essential

Protect your family
Prepare for your future
Pass on *your* values and your valuables

#### **Option 1: Intestate Succession**

- Die without a will
- Government makes decision on property distribution and guardianship
- Most costly and time consuming

#### **Option 2: Last Will & Testament**

- Name the people and ministries you want to receive your assets
- Nominate guardians, executors and administrators who share your faith and values and who you trust to handle your final affairs
- Designate healthcare and financial proxy through additional documents



### > Mr. Charles Stubblefield

- Retired Attorney
- Municpal Court Judge



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### Make-A-Will

## > FreeWill Workshop



## This presentation is not intended to give legal or tax advice.

Please consult your professional advisors about your specific situation.





## CREATE YOUR WILL Absolutely Free!

First Baptist Church of Universal City and the Enduring Love Foundation is making this tool available at no cost to you

EnduringLoveFoundation@fbcuc.org



## To access the Enduring Love Foundation FreeWill.com Site:

- http://www.freewill.com/enduringlovefoundation
- Or Scan the QR Code





WILLS
Click here to prepare
your Last Will and
Testament.



ATTORNEY

Click here to prepare

your Power of

Attorney.

**POWER OF** 



Click here to prepare your Medical Directives. (Note: Does not include a HIPAA release-feature coming soon)

**MEDICAL** 

**DIRECTIVES** 



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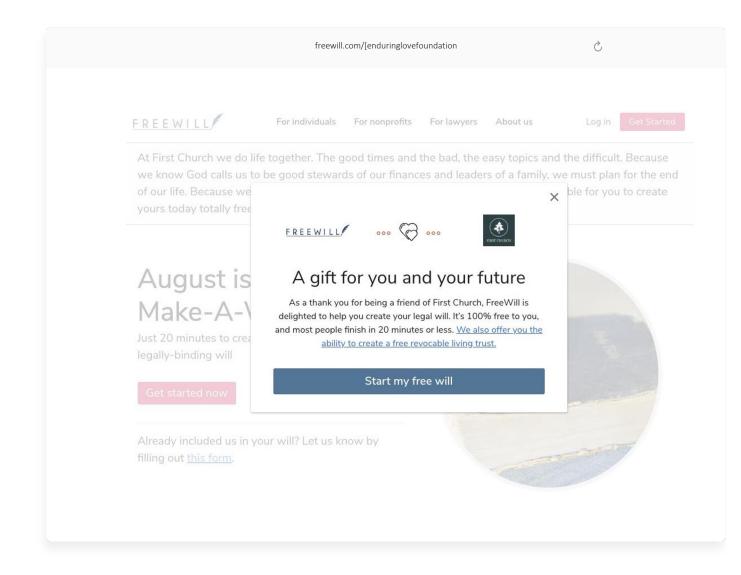
Click here to prepare
your Beneficiary
documents.

Start here to create estate planning documents that fit the unique needs of your family

- Will
- Self proving affidavit
- AHCD
- POA
- Mirror will

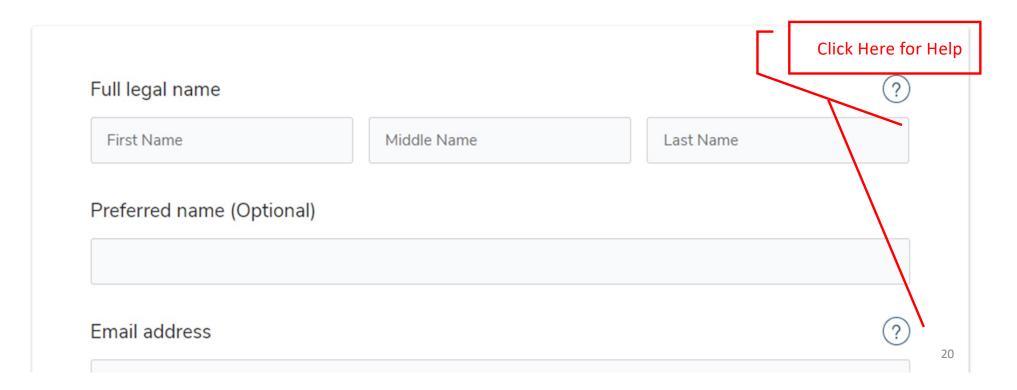
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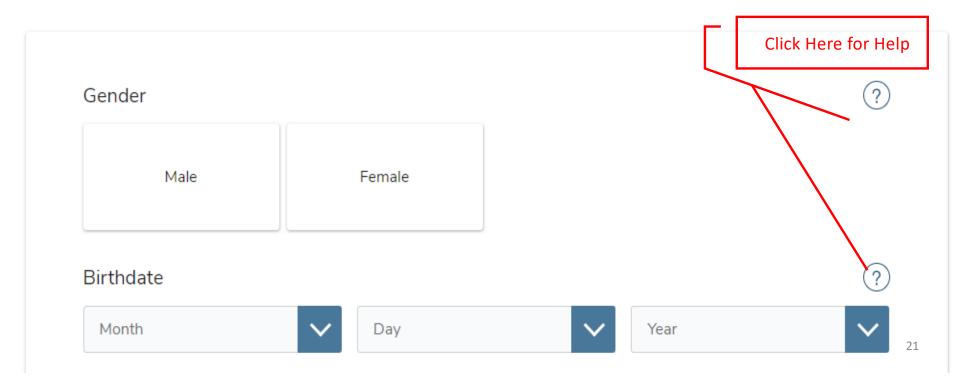


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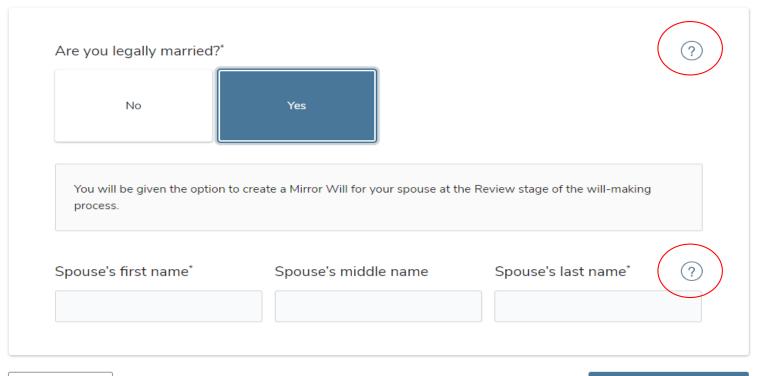


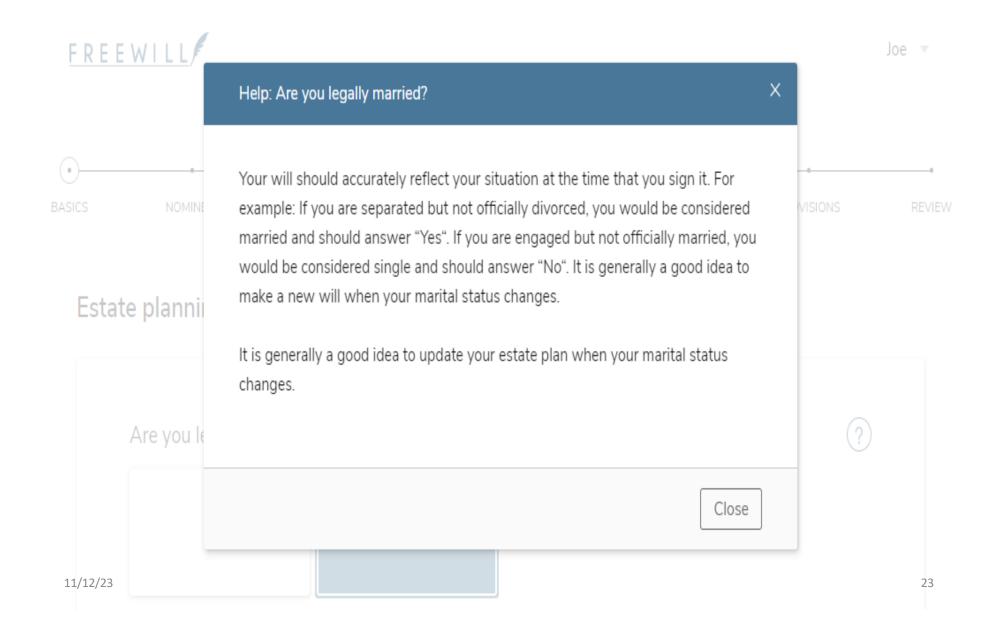
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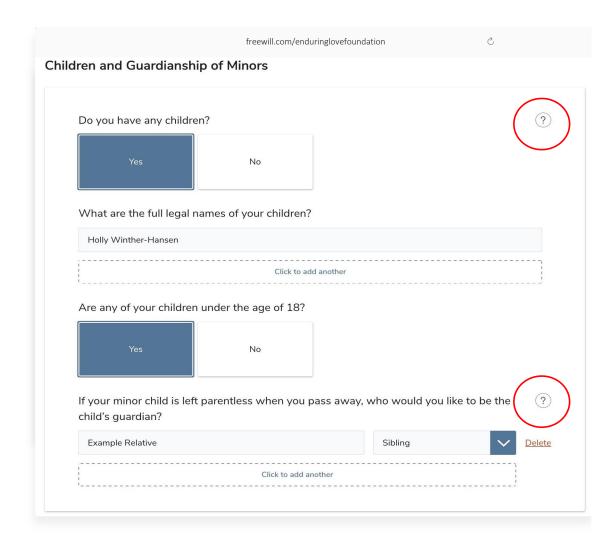
#### Estate planning options

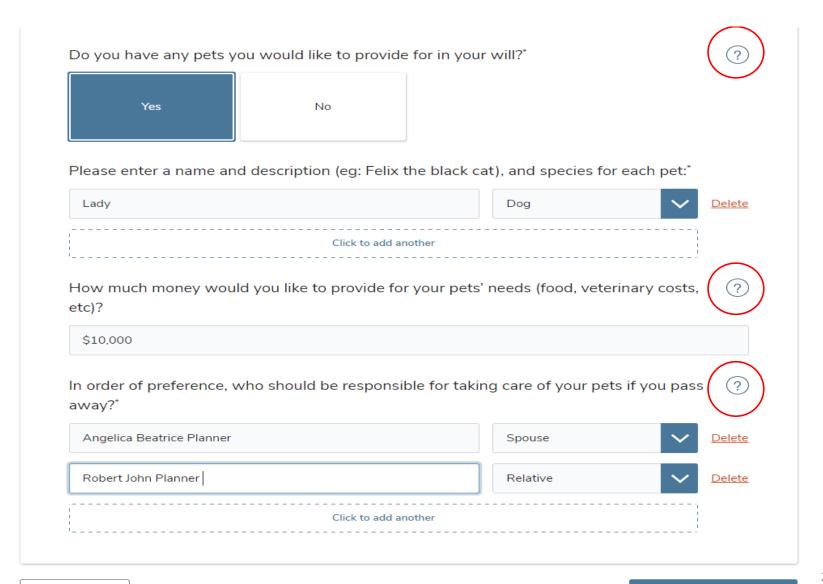




## Aligning guardianship considerations with your faith

- 1. Shared belief in Jesus
- 2. Personal and moral values
- 3. Parenting philosophy
- 4. Emotional and physical well-being
- 5. Lifestyle and support network

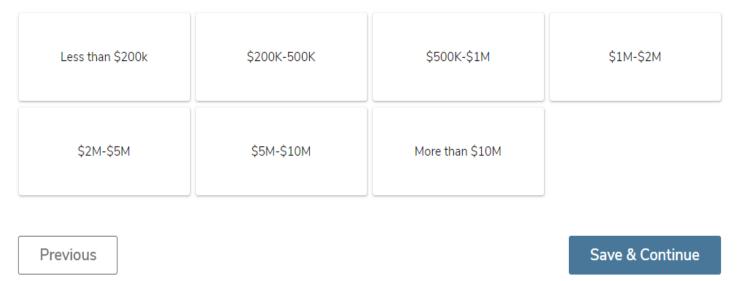






#### What is the approximate total value of assets distributed by your will?

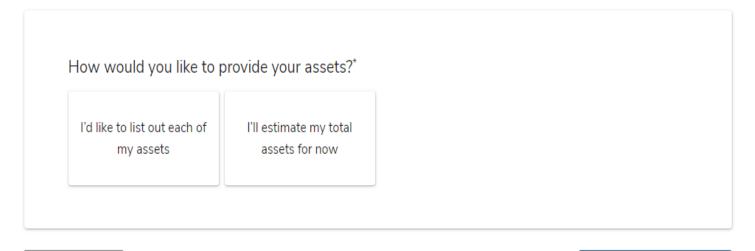
This question helps us understand your estate value in relation to state and federal tax law. We may provide additional guidance throughout your estate planning process depending on your response. This estimate should not include any assets distributed outside of your will (e.g. Joint accounts, 401(k) accounts, life insurance, etc.).





#### Assets

Listing out major assets helps your executor better handle your affairs by providing information about what assets you have and where they're held. This section may take a while but is completely optional. You can choose to skip this section and return to it later.



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#### List your major assets (optional)



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#### Assets distributed by your will (probate)

- · Bank accounts solely owned by you
- Real estate solely owned by you or by tenants in common
- · Brokerage accounts solely owned by you
- · Personal property or valuables

#### Assets NOT distributed through your will (non-probate)

- · Jointly owned bank or brokerage accounts
- · Jointly owned real estate or vehicle
- · 401(k) accounts, pensions, IRAs, etc.
- Life insurance

#### Select an asset to add





### Gifts in Wills

#### Good for those who:

- Want to make an enduring impact
- Wish to retain control of assets during life
- Appreciate a gift option that costs nothing now

#### Gifts in wills can be funded with:

- Cash a specific amount or a % of the estate's remainder
- Real estate or personal property

Fairly easy to establish – and can be changed at any time

A ministry can be a primary beneficiary (first in line) or contingent (second or third in line)



#### Leave a gift to Enduring Love Foundation

FreeWill is free to you because of the support of organizations such as Enduring Love Foundation that work on meaningful issues. Will you consider leaving a gift in support of a cause that is important to you? Click 'No thanks' if you don't want to leave any gifts to charity at this time.

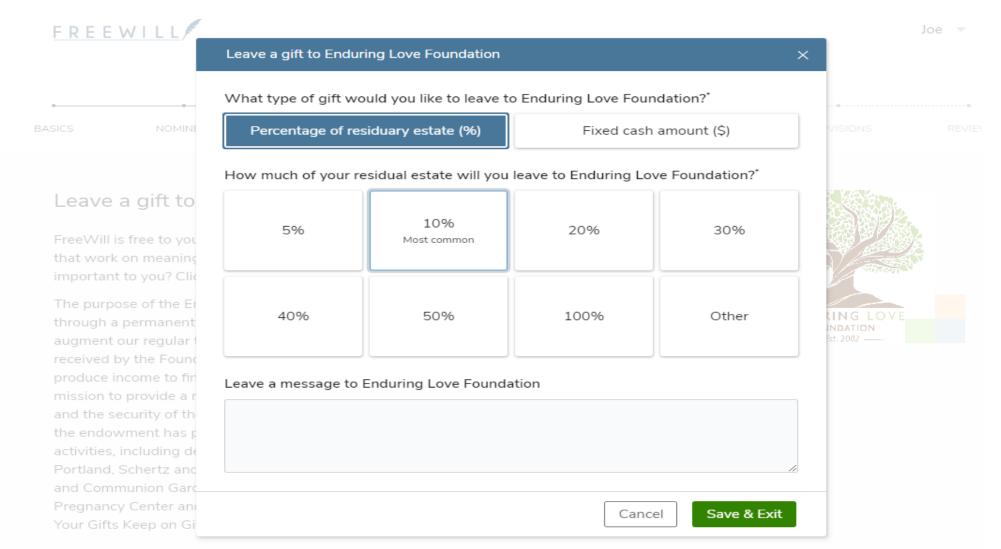
The purpose of the Enduring Love Foundation is to bring pleasure, praise and people to God through a permanent endowment fund for the duration of this world. The intent of the fund is to augment our regular tithes and offerings through special gifts and legacy stewardship. Gifts received by the Foundation are permanently restricted for the sole purpose of being invested to produce income to finance FBCUC mission activities. This website represents an expansion of our mission to provide a means through which 100% of our congregation can ensure peace of mind and the security of their families by preparing legacy documents without cost. Founded in 2002, the endowment has provided more than \$658,000 to support a myriad of FBCUC missions and activities, including development of our church plant in Haiti, support of church starts in Tacoma, Portland, Schertz and New York City, the purchase of land and development of Communion Park and Communion Garden, outreach benevolence to our church and community to include Crisis Pregnancy Center and World Hunger, along with other similar projects. The Foundation is "Where Your Gifts Keep on Giving".

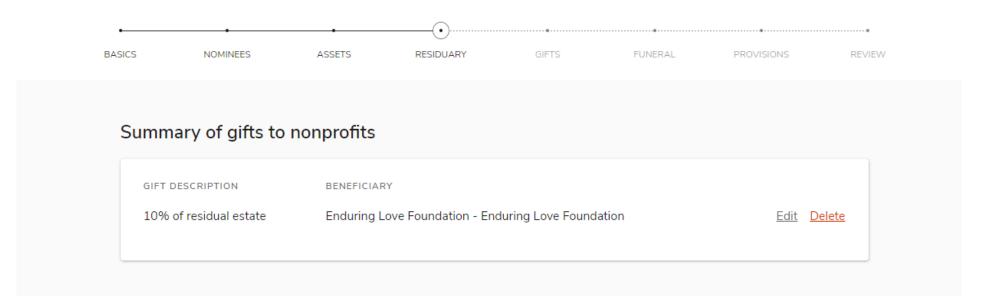


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#### Many Christians like to leave gifts to charity in their will. Will you join them?

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#### Want to leave another gift?



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Will you make the work of nonprofits easier by letting them know who you are?\*



Anonymous gifts may be less helpful to nonprofits because they often cannot be included in planned giving goals.

Sure, let them know

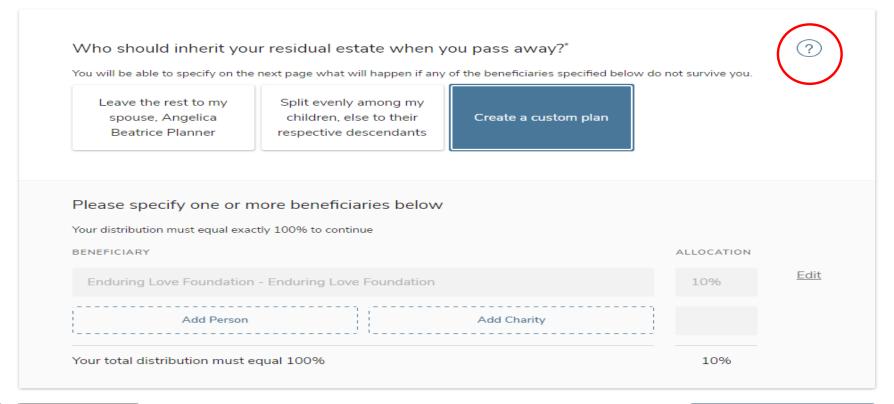
No, I do not consent

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#### Primary beneficiaries of your residual estate

A primary beneficiary is first in line to inherit property when you pass away.



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#### Secondary beneficiaries of your residual estate

A secondary beneficiary (also known as an alternate, or contingent, beneficiary) will inherit property only if the primary beneficiary or beneficiaries do not survive you.

If your spouse, Angelica Beatrice Planner does not survive you, to whom should their portion of the estate go?\*

Split evenly among my children, else to their respective descendants

Leave it to charity

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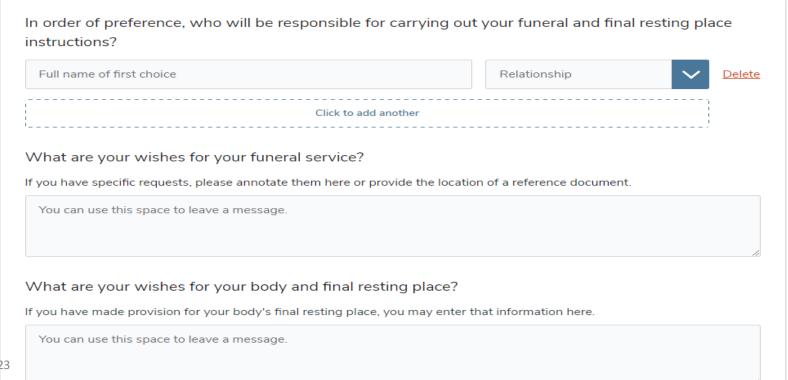
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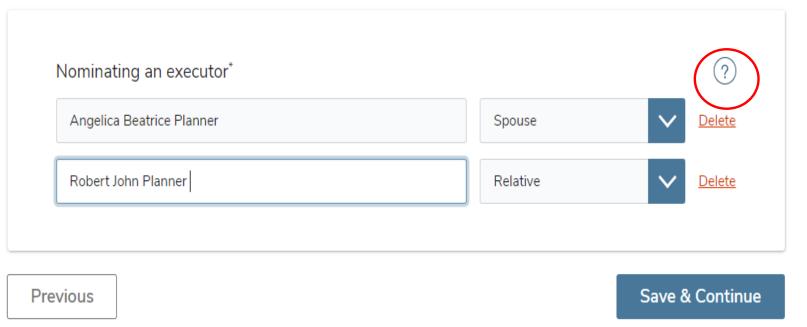
#### **Funeral Wishes**

Here you can choose to include wishes for your funeral and final resting place. The wishes you enter will provide instructions to your funeral executor, but please note that they will not be legally binding. It is recommended that you keep these instructions separate from your estate planning documents, as these instructions usually need to be acted upon quickly prior to asset distribution.





# Executors of your Will



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# **Digital Executors**

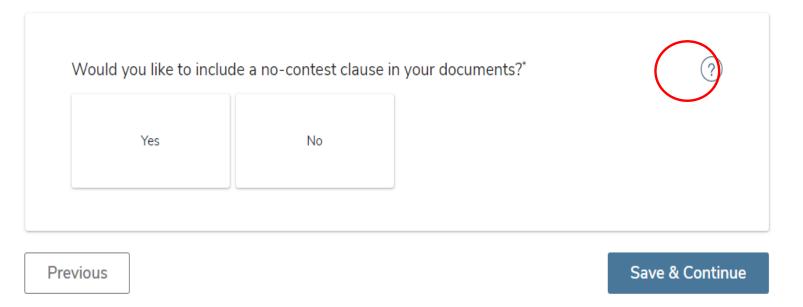
Your digital executor's primary responsibility is to distribute your digital assets to the beneficiaries that you specify. In order to fulfill this responsibility, your digital executor will have the power to access, download, and backup digital assets, convert file formats, access to any devices as necessary to manage digital assets, to clear computer caches and to delete files.

Yes	No		
In order of preference, executor?*  Joseph Arthur Planner	what is the full legal nam	e of the person who will	be your digital ?
Joseph A did	Click to add and		
	gital executor to have acc	ess to the contents of yo	ur electronic
Would you like your dig communications?*			



# No contest clause

A "no-contest clause" is a provision that discourages challenges to your estate plan. It states that anyone who baselessly challenges the distributions you've made will be treated as though they've predeceased you—in other words, they will not receive any gifts you have left them.





# Self-proving Affidavit

# Do you want to add a self-proving affidavit to your Will?\* You will need to sign your will in the presence of a notary public for the self-proving affidavit. However, adding one can reduce the burden on your witnesses to prove the validity of your will and speed up the probate process for your loved ones. Learn more about self-proving affidavits Yes No Save & Continue



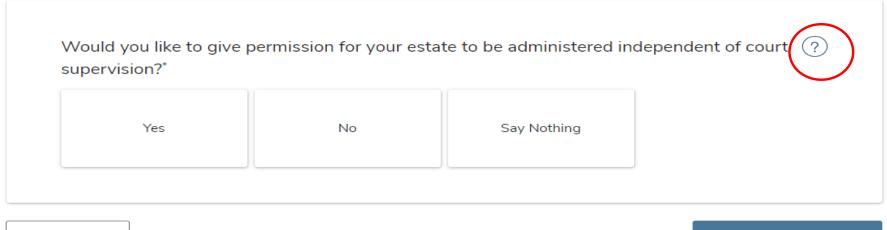
# Third Witness





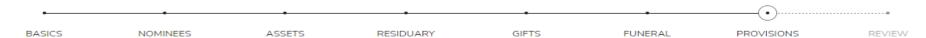
# Independent Administration

Illinois, Missouri, Texas, Louisiana, California, and Nevada permit independent administration of estates, largely free of court supervision. This means that after an executor is approved and an inventory of the estate's assets is filed with the court, the executor can administer the estate with minimal further court involvement or supervision. For example, an executor can settle claims by creditors, sell assets for the payment of taxes, and distribute property to estate beneficiaries, all without the court's oversight or approval. Even if your state does not currently permit independent administration, you can still include language authorizing it in your will if you like - that way, if your state law someday changes, or you move to one of the states that do permit it, your wishes will be clear.



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# Personal Statement

If you would like, you can choose to attach an additional personal statement to your will. Some use this space to document their spiritual or moral values for their next-of-kin, leave a letter to their children or loved ones, provide additional messages for beneficiaries of gifts, or simply to write about their life experiences.

Please note that this is not a legally binding document. Please do not use this space to leave gifts to your beneficiaries.





# Review your responses

Please review everything on this page to make sure it is in accordance with your wishes. If you would like to change anything, click the "Edit" button on the corresponding section.

WILLMAKER NAME	Joe E Planner	
WILLMAKER GENDER	Male	
SPOUSE NAME	Angelica Beatrice Planner	
MARITAL STATUS	Married	
ADDRESS	4905 Nowhere Lane Paradise, TX 78148	
APPROX. VALUE OF ASSET TRANSFER	\$200K - \$500K	



# Mirror Wills

Mirror Wills are Wills made by two individuals (most commonly spouses or partners) with similar wishes for the distribution of their estates. When your Will is mirrored, your spouse's name will replace your name and vice versa. Mirror Wills generally aren't suitable for couples with different wishes or if there are children from prior relationships.

### Learn more about Mirror Wills

If you listed a nonprofit as a primary beneficiary in your Will, the gift will also appear in your spouse's Will as a part of the mirroring process. This will result in two identical gifts, one made upon your passing and one made upon your spouse's passing. Please review your plan and click here if you need to make any adjustments (e.g., gift amount).

Do you want to create a one-time will for your spouse?\*

By selecting "Yes", the Mirror Will and profile for your spouse will be created under this FreeWill account. Subsequent changes made to either document will not be reflected in the other.

Yes

No

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# You're almost done! Follow these instructions to make your will legally valid.

# Read

- Read your will carefully, and make sure you understand everything.
- If there's anything you feel like you don't understand, please speak with a lawyer.

# Sign

- Find two witnesses and a notary. Your witnesses must be at least 14, mentally competent, and someone other than the notary. Neither witness, nor their spouses, should receive any gifts in your will.
- · You and your witnesses must sign and date your will in the same session.
- While in the presence of your witnesses and notary, verbally acknowledge that this is your Last Will and Testament. For example, you could say: "This is my Last Will and Testament that I am signing and it represents my wishes for the distribution of my property at the time of my death." Then:

# Last Will and Testament of John Adam Smith

I, John Adam Smith, of Red Oak, TX, declare this to be my Will, and I revoke all Wills and Codicils previously made by me.

# **Article I: Declarations**

- A. Marital Status As of the date of this Will, I am married to Peggy Sue Smith.
- B. Children As of the date of this Will, I have no living children.

# Article II: Executor Provisions

- A. Executor I nominate my friend Major Payne to serve as Executor of my estate and to carry out the instructions in this Will.
- B. Bond & Court Supervision No bond or other security shall be required of my Executor or Digital Executor in any jurisdiction. To the extent permitted by the laws of the state in which my Will is probated, my Executor shall have the authority to administer my estate without court supervision, and no action shall be required in any court in relation to the settlement of my estate other than the probating and recording of my Will.
- C. Executor Powers I grant to my Executor the following powers:
  - The power to exercise all powers of an absolute owner of property;

# Finalize your last will and testament

# A message from Enduring Love Foundation:

For questions about the FreeWill process, please contact us at enduringlovefoundation@fbcuc.org or visit our website <a href="https://www.fbcuc.org/enduring-love-foundation">https://www.fbcuc.org/enduring-love-foundation</a>.

# Last will & testament

Your will is ready to be made official! Download a PDF or, if you already have a verified account on FreeWill, email a copy to yourself. Once you've printed it out, just follow the included instructions to sign and finalize it.

Download your will

Email your will

# Prefer to see an attorney?

<u>Download a point summary of your will</u> to review with an attorney. This can save you both time and money!

#### Resources

- · Reasons you might want an attorney
- American Bar Association Attorney Finder
- ACTEC Fellow Search
- Avvo
- Our FreeWill Fellows

### Looking for a better way to support your favorite nonprofits now?

Giving stock is one of the most tax-advantageous ways to give during your lifetime. Your gift can be up to 20% larger because you avoid capital gains tax and most donors can also claim an income tax deduction for the stock's full market value. It's a win-win way to support the causes you love!

# Notify nominees

We'll send an email to the nominees named in your will summarizing their roles and responsibilities.

Enter nominee emails

# Sign your will in front of your witnesses

You and your witnesses must sign and date your will in the same session. Then store it somewhere safe and let your executors know where they can find it.

Mark as done

# Review Angelica's last will and testament

Save time by getting both your and Angelica's will signed and witnessed at the same time. To make changes to their will, or to download their point summary, switch profiles.

Download

Email

# Create an Advance Healthcare Directive (Living Will)

Take the lead on your end-of-life medical care decisions. Make a plan now, so your family can respect your wishes.

Get started

# Create a Durable Financial Power of Attorney (DFPOA)

Name a person you trust to make decisions about your property and finances if you're unable to do so.

Get started

# Create a beneficiary plan

 $\frac{11/12/23}{2}$  Document and distribute assets that your will does not cover, including 401(k)s, IRAs, and life insurance policies.





# Where your gift keeps on giving

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