

Thank you for considering including WAVS in your estate planning! Leaving a legacy gift for WAVS ensures that the work we do can continue for years to come. You may name WAVS as a charitable beneficiary in your will, specifying a certain sum, a percentage, or the residue of your estate.

You may also name WAVS as a beneficiary of your life insurance policy. Here is some sample language for including WAVS in your will. Please remember that estate planning should be made with the assistance of an attorney.

This general language assigns the donated amount to WAVS for general purposes. Please keep in mind that donations can also be designated for our endowment funds or a specific purpose. If WAVS no longer works in a particular program at the time your gift is realized, it will be directed to a similar program or the area of greatest need.

To leave a specific amount:

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To leave a percentage amount:

I, _____, hereby give, devise, and bequeath to West African Vocational Schools, Tax ID#91-2028889, a nonprofit organization with its principal office in Fresno, California, ____% of my estate to be used at its discretion.

To leave a residuary gift:

I, _____, hereby give, devise, and bequeath to West African Vocational Schools, Tax ID#91-2028889, a nonprofit organization with its principal office in Fresno, California, any remaining assets after all other requests have been fulfilled, to be used at its discretion.

To leave a contingent gift:

I give to my *brother, John Doe*, if he survives me, _____% of my will or trust estate. If *John* Doe does not survive me, I give that _____% of my will or trust estate to West African Vocational Schools, Tax ID#91-2028889, a nonprofit organization with its principal office in Fresno, California, to be used at its discretion.

Thank you again for ongoing support of WAVS and the work we do in Guinea-Bissau!