LEAVING A GIFT IN YOUR WILL WITH CHRISTIANS IN SPORT

Thank you for considering leaving a legacy to Christians in Sport. Any contribution, however big or small, will go towards reaching the world of sport for Christ.

We recognise that a legacy left to us is an act of faith and a great statement of trust in our work, a confirmation of passion and belief in reaching sportspeople with the gospel for years to come. We are grateful for any legacies left to us and take seriously the responsibility to steward your contribution well. Leaving a legacy is a very personal matter and of course your family and friends will come first. Just as a Will brings security to your family's future, a legacy can help us under God's grace, continue to grow and tell sports people about Christ.

"THE HARVEST IS PLENTIFUL BUT THE WORKERS ARE FEW. ASK THE LORD OF THE HARVEST, THEREFORE, TO SEND OUT WORKERS INTO HIS HARVEST FIELD."

MATTHEW 9:37-38



FAQS

WHY ARE LEGACIES IMPORTANT FOR CHRISTIANS IN SPORT?

We are incredibly grateful for the income we receive through legacies. Any legacy left to Christians in Sport enables us to make a lasting impact on the mission field of sport. An impact which helps Christians to integrate sport and faith as well as giving sportspeople an opportunity to explore the gospel message.

HOW DO LEGACIES WORK?

Legacies can be left in your Will or by way of a declaration to the executors of the Will with instructions as to how and which charity the bequest is to be distributed.

WHY SHOULD I MAKE A WILL?

Making a Will means that you can be sure your wishes will be followed after your death. A Will also gives you the opportunity to continue to provide for the people and causes you care about in your lifetime. Whatever your wishes about the distribution of your estate it is advisable to make a Will (if you haven't already) as it is the only legal guarantee your wishes will be kept.

WHAT IF I ALREADY HAVE A WILL?

It is important to keep your Will up-to-date and review it in light of any birth, death, marriage or divorce in your family. If you ever want to add or amend your will you can usually do so cheaply and easily with a legal document called a codicil.

WHAT ABOUT INHERITANCE TAX?

Your solicitor will be best placed to advise you on inheritance tax and explain to you the new rules surrounding tax relief for those who leave 10 percent of their estate to charity. In most cases, your legacy gift to Christians in Sport would be exempt from inheritance tax.

SHOULD I TELL CHRISTIANS IN SPORT I'VE INCLUDED THEM IN MY WILL?

It is entirely up to you what you want to tell us. If you would like to let us know, we'd love to hear from you! Hearing from our supporters about what has inspired you or your loved ones to include Christians in Sport in their Wills is a great inspiration and encouragement for us.

WHAT DO I DO NEXT?

Firstly, if you are considering writing or amending your will seek independent legal advice. A solicitor will be able to walk you through the process. They will ensure that legal formalities are followed and that you feel comfortable about the content of your Will. You can find a local solicitor through the Law Society at www.lawsociety.org.uk.

A solicitor will be able to give you the correct wording to include to leave a legacy in your Will. They will also be able to help add a codicil (an amendment) to your Will if you already have one.

If you have any further questions on making a legacy and would like to speak to someone at Christians in Sport please telephone 01869 255630 and ask for the Partner Relations team. We can't offer legal advice but would be very happy to talk about the impact your legacy gift might make on our mission.

More FAQs can be found on our website:

www.christiansinsport.org.uk/legacies

The key information you will need to include if you intend to remember Christians in Sport in your Will is our full name, address and registered charity number, which are as follows:

Christians in Sport
Frampton House Unit D1
Telford Road Industrial Estate
0X26 4LD

Tel: 01869 255630

Registered charity no: 1086570.

LEAVING A GIFT IN YOUR WILL

A gift left in your Will with Christians in Sport will reach the world of sport for Christ bringing the Good News to sportspeople for years to come.

If you would like us to know your intentions please complete this response slip and return it to:

Partner Relations Christians in Sport, Frampton House Unit D1, Telford Road Industrial Estate,

Alternatively contact:

0X26 4LD

Jill Proctor, Partner Relations Team Leader jill@christiansinsport.org.uk

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Title: Full name:

Address:

I intend to/have remembered Christians in Sport in my Will (delete as appropriate)

There is no need to give any further details about your legacy but if you would like to do so use the space below.