

My family has changed a lot since I made my will. My sons are both middle aged with grown children and even grandchildren. They're all doing well – our family has worked hard and been fortunate. I told my sons it would give me great

joy to be able to use some of my money to help children who haven't been so fortunate.

Kinship Center referred me to an advisor who is helping me not only protect the people I love but also to leave a legacy that is important to me.

— Dolly B.



When Mom talked to me about her estate plan, it started me thinking. My wife and I have been successful and our kids are well launched in their own careers. I've even started an account to help with my grandkids' education.

Now my wife and I realize we have the freedom to do more. We're going to include Kinship Center in our own estate plan. We want to know that we can make a lasting difference in other kids' lives, too.

- Andrew B.

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Kinship Center is licensed by the State of California Community Care Licensing Division, certified by health and behavioral health departments in counties where clinics are present, certified by Regional Center for care of medically fragile and developmentally disabled children, accredited by California Alliance of Child and Family Services, and a member of Child Welfare League of America, California Association of Adoption Agencies and Voice for Adoption.

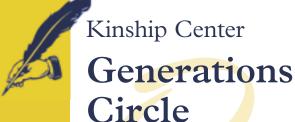
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Leaving a Legacy Through
Planned Giving



The charitable plans you make today will bring a lifetime of benefit to children who need it most.



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WILL EMPOWER KINSHIP CENTER



## ■ Giving to Make Dreams Happen

Dreams come in all shapes and sizes. Kinship Center's mission has remained the same for more than 25 years...to help every child have a safe, permanent family that will be there for a lifetime. For more than 50,000 children in California with backgrounds of abuse, neglect or abandonment, this is still a dream.

You can help realize this most basic of life's dreams. Giving through a will or estate plan is something everyone can do, not just the wealthy or those facing retirement.

### ■ An Investment for the Future

Unfortunately, there will always be children in our community who need Kinship Center's help.

Since 1984, Kinship Center has helped children with the scars of past abuse become part of safe, loving adoptive and extended relative families, so they won't have to spend their childhoods in the limbo of foster care. For children who have never known the love and safety of a stable home and family, this is an investment that will make the difference for a lifetime.

## ■ Planned Giving Creates Permanence

Permanence is critical to our society. Children who grow to adulthood in a series of temporary homes or institutions are more likely to become society's dependents... the homeless, the chronically unemployed, the mentally ill. A recent study found that 80% of boys growing up in foster care had been arrested within five years of becoming adult. 75% of girls had become pregnant.

Kinship Center works 365 days a year to create the permanence that allows children to thrive and grow to healthy adulthood. But permanence is also about making sure Kinship Center will be around for a second quarter century, and a third. Your planned gift gives Kinship Center the dollars to strengthen our foundations and secure the future for new generations of children.

An investment in Kinship Center is an investment in our children and in our community.



# Supporting Your Beliefs with a Planned Gift

A planned gift is one way you can invest in the causes you care most about. If you choose to include Kinship Center, you can use your will, life insurance policy, IRA, or other vehicle to leave your chosen legacy while saving taxes, protecting your assets, and meeting the needs of your loved ones.

A gift in your will or living trust A bequest is the simplest way to support Kinship Center without giving up the resources you depend on right now. Bequests are revocable and can be adjusted to reflect changes in your life.

**Other giving vehicles** You can support Kinship Center and at the same time receive valuable tax savings, capital gains benefits, and income for life through a variety of planned gift options.

Kinship Center can provide referrals to expert estate planning attorneys who will help you make a plan that meets your needs and your family's needs.

If you are thinking about making a planned gift to Kinship Center, let us help answer any questions you may have about tax and estate planning.

For information, call 831-455-4704 or email donateinfo@kinshipcenter.org

Become a member of the Kinship Center *Generations Circle* by notifying the Development Office of your planned gift. Call 831-455-4704.