



# **Legacy Giving**

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The following information is meant to help you understand how to include Portland Bible College in your estate planning. As always, we encourage you to discuss the details of your situation with a legal or financial professional.

Portland Bible College is a ministry of Mannahouse Church, which is registered with the Internal Revenue Service as a 501(c)(3) organization. Donations to Portland Bible College are treated as charitable gifts and are tax-deductible where applicable.

## Sample Language for Your Will (General Gifts)

Giving a general, unrestricted gift to PBC is one of the simplest ways to include PBC in your estate planning and allows the gift to be used where it is most needed at the time it is received. These types of gifts help us to have the flexibility to respond to God's leading amid changing circumstances while staying true to the vision and core mission of our college.

# To give a specific amount: "I give the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_ to Portland Bible College (9150 NE Fremont St, Portland, OR, 97220; EIN 93-6034705) for its general purposes." To give a portion of your estate: "I give \_\_\_\_\_\_% of my estate [or \_\_\_\_\_ share] to Portland Bible College (9150 NE Fremont St, Portland, OR, 97220; EIN 93-6034705) for its general purposes."

### Sample Language for Your Will (Specific Gifts)

Occasionally, donors may want to leave specific instructions on how they would like their gift to be used. This type of gift is known as a restricted gift. If you have a specific project or focus in mind, please reach out to us! We want to help you achieve your goals in a way that maximizes the amount of good your gift can do, and we're happy to talk with you about how to achieve that. You can reach us by email at <a href="mailto:advancement@portlandbiblecollege.org">advancement@portlandbiblecollege.org</a>, phone at 503-255-3540, or by mail at 9150 NE Fremont St, Portland, OR 97220.

### To make a gift for a specific purpose:

"I give the sum of \$ or [% of my estate] to Portland Bible College (9150 NF
Fremont, Portland, OR 97220; EIN 93-6034705) for the purpose of

If the Board of Portland Bible College determines at a future date that it is no longer possible or practical to use my gift for the specified purpose, the Board may change its usage designation, endeavoring to remain faithful to the intent of the gift and the ultimate goals of the giver."

(**Note**: the second paragraph in the example above makes provision for unforeseen circumstances in which the donor's stated intentions cannot actually be accomplished in a beneficial way. This avoids a situation where the gift cannot be used because the original intention has unexpectedly become impossible to meet. Including this language helps ensure your gift will be the blessing you intended it to be to the college. We will always do our best to fulfill your wishes, honoring the intention of the gift as much as possible even if some unavoidable adjustment needs to be made.)

# **Portland Bible College Contact Information:**

If you have any questions, feel free to contact our Advancement Office. We'd love to have a conversation with you!

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