



Archangel Society



Help Ensure We Will Always Have a Home

Since 1887, Mercy Home has been a shelter from the storm for children in crisis. Change lives by joining the Mercy Home for Boys & Girls' Archangel Society.

By naming Mercy Home in their estate plans, members of the Archangel Society ensure our children and families have the tools they need to build healthy, productive lives.

There is no financial cost during your lifetime to join the Archangel Society. But joining will enable you to help children who will turn to Mercy Home in the future. Your legacy will create a ripple effect of healing and opportunity for years to come.

"It feels good to help people. Mercy Home helped me, so I try to give back too."

— NATE, FORMER
MERCY HOME YOUTH





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How to Become an Archangel

1. Name Mercy Home for Boys & Girls in your will or trust.

You may need to contact your attorney to create or update these estate planning documents. If you don't yet have a will, we recommend creating one right away.

Sample Gift Language:

I hereby give, devise and bequeath ____ percent (___%) of the residue and remainder of my estate [or: the sum of \$_____] to Mission of our Lady of Mercy, Inc. (d/b/a Mercy Home for Boys & Girls), a nonprofit organization located at 1140 W Jackson Blvd, Chicago, IL 60607, Federal Tax ID #36-2171726.

2. Name Mercy Home for Boys & Girls as a beneficiary of a financial account (such as a brokerage or retirement account).

This is typically the cheapest, fastest, and easiest way to make a significant gift to a charity like Mercy Home. To update the beneficiaries of your account, just visit your plan's website, or contact your plan administrator to find the beneficiary form. You will likely need the following information to add Mercy Home as a beneficiary of your financial accounts:

Our Legal Name: "Mission of Our Lady of Mercy, Inc."

Our Tax ID Number: 36-2171726

(Enter this in place of a Social Security Number)

Our Mailing Address: 1140 W Jackson Blvd, Chicago, IL 60607

We'd love to know your plans! Contact the Philanthropy team at 1-800-378-8266 or plannedgift@mercyhome.org to ensure we're aware of your generous gift.

Thank you for keeping our kids in your heart and Mercy Home in your will!

Blessinas.

Rev. L. Scott Donahue

President and CEO, Mercy Home for Boys & Girls

For more details about becoming a member of the Archangel Society, visit www.MercyHome.org/PlannedGiving

