



In naming Good Shepherd Ministries in my will, I felt happy to express my admiration for the hard-rentless work done there every day to help the homeless and disadvantaged.

I chose Good Shepherd Ministries because I have had the opportunity to serve on their Board of Directors. I see the tremendous amount of positive change that they are making without many expenses and administrative costs. The Brothers, staff and volunteers are tirelessly doing God's work on the streets of Toronto with our most disadvantaged neighbours, brothers and sisters.

G. Di Lorenzo-Burry

Good Shepherd Ministries is:

- a place where people in need can find food, shelter, clothing and medical care;
- a place where homeless men can find the support they need to rebuild their lives, through the DARE (Drug and Alcohol Recovery Enrichment) and Resettlement Programs;
- a supportive home for seniors with a history of homelessness (St. Joseph's Residence);
- a supportive home for people living with HIV and AIDS (Barrett House).

Your gift supports this vital, caring Mission

... We strive to provide the basic necessities of food, shelter and other services, ensuring each client justice, equality, dignity and acceptance.

We seek to provide human services that will assist clients in regaining freedom from homelessness.

We value each person's inherent goodness and potential for growth.



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*Serving the homeless and disadvantaged
since 1963*



The footprints
you leave today
can help others
find their path
tomorrow . . .

Building a Legacy

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You can lead the way ...

Your annual donations to Good Shepherd Ministries give homeless individuals a path out of despair, with food, clothing, medical care and safe, clean shelter. Your gifts work seven days a week, 365 days a year.

...today...

But did you know that you can also help the homeless by donating stocks and securities to Good Shepherd Ministries? Your financial advisor can tell you about the tax benefits of gifts of appreciated securities and real estate.

...and tomorrow.

You can help tomorrow's homeless men and women follow a path to a better life when you remember the work of Good Shepherd Ministries in your will. Bequests can be in the form of cash, securities, real estate, property or a percentage of your estate.

For I was hungry
and you gave me
food...thirsty,
and you gave
me drink...



You can promote human dignity and help the homeless when you do your financial planning. Your choice can make a real difference to the lives of the homeless – and can offer tax benefits as well.

Ted, meal program guest. Good Shepherd Centre serves more than 1,100 meals and snacks each day, 365 days a year.



Leslie, St. Joseph's Residence. St. Joe's provides a supportive home for nine frail seniors with a history of homelessness.

I was a
stranger
and you
made me
welcome,
naked and
you clothed
me...

Please remember the work of Good Shepherd Ministries by making a lasting contribution with a:

Bequest

Naming Good Shepherd Ministries in your will is one of the easiest ways to make a lasting impact. Bequests may be in the form of cash, securities, real estate, property, or a percentage of your estate. Your bequest is not taxed and can reduce estate taxes for your heirs.

Appreciated securities

Gifts of appreciated securities is an option that provides ideal tax savings for you. You can completely avoid the capital gains tax.

Life insurance policy

Naming Good Shepherd Ministries as the beneficiary or partial beneficiary of a life insurance policy is another simple way to make a lasting gift. An outright gift of a paid-up insurance policy may also be made.

Retirement Plans

You may choose to name Good Shepherd Ministries as the beneficiary of your retirement plans or a portion thereof.

With the stroke of a pen, you can provide food for the hungry, shelter for the homeless, comfort for the lonely, care for the sick and a warm welcome for the stranger.