





As you savor the flavors of your life, think about the leftovers. No matter what you have, you can use your resources to make a big difference for others. By giving of your life's leftovers, you spend no money. Your lifestyle is not changed in any way. Yet, *you live every day knowing that what cost you nothing now will make a priceless difference for others later.*

Thanksgiving SHARING LIFE'S GIFTS



Happy Leftovers

Consider your assets and what you want to do with them when you are gone. *What you leave behind can advance God's Kin'dom in your name, and you leave a legacy worthy of a life well-lived.* Think of what you can do with your:

-  Bank account (savings or checking)
-  Investment account
-  Retirement account
-  Commercial annuity

Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Creator of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.

James 1: 17 (NRSV)

If you have these of types of accounts and want to use what's left over to do some good, call your account administrator and instruct them to make a beneficiary designation to your church. They may call it a "payable on death" or POD beneficiary instructions. You can designate all of what is left or a percentage to continue making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Best of all, a beneficiary designation:

- Operates outside of your will (no probate for it)
- Takes only minutes to complete
- You can change your mind and revisit it anytime you want

WAYS TO GIVE	Requires Money Now	Can be Changed	Takes Less Than 10 Minutes
CASH GIFT	●		●
WILL		●	
BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION		●	●

A payable on death designation gives you almost limitless flexibility. You control the process and can change it anytime you want. You can leave the full amount remaining, or divide it up between more than one beneficiary. You should consult your lawyer to make sure this action fits within your estate plan.



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