

Bequest Language

You can remember Star Island in your will by a specific dollar amount or percentage, with an endowment bequest or as the residual or contingent beneficiary of your estate. You may also leave your retirement assets to Star Island.

Residual Bequest Language

You can name Star Island as a beneficiary of a residual charitable bequest from your estate. Sample charitable bequest language to share with your attorney:

I give and devise to Star Island of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, all or state a percentage of the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, to be held, administered, and used by the Board of Trustees for the unrestricted support Star Island.

I instruct that all my charitable gifts shall be made, to the extent possible, from property that constitutes “income in respect of a decedent” as that term is defined in the Internal Revenue Code.

Contingent Bequest Language

Star Island can be named a contingent beneficiary in your will or personal trust. Sample charitable bequest language to share with your attorney:

If (insert name) does not survive me, I give and devise to Star Island of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, to be held, administered and used for the unrestricted support.

I instruct that all my charitable gifts shall be made, to the extent possible, from property that constitutes “income in respect of a decedent” as that term is defined in the Internal Revenue Code.

Specific Bequest Language:

Naming Star Island or a program as a beneficiary of a specific amount from your estate is easy. Sample charitable bequest language to share with your attorney:

I give and devise to Star Island of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, the sum of \$_____ (or specified percentage or tangible property) to be held, administered, and used by Star Island for unrestricted support.

I instruct that all my charitable gifts shall be made, to the extent possible, from property that constitutes “income in respect of a decedent” as that term is defined in the Internal Revenue Code.