



EMILY DICKINSON MUSEUM

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Create a Legacy

I dwell in possibility



Leave a legacy that reflects your passions and contributes to the Emily Dickinson Museum's future by planning for a special kind of gift.

THE 1830 SOCIETY

The 1830 Society is for those who have made pledges to give beyond their lifetimes. Your legacy gift will ensure the future of the Emily Dickinson Museum's mission to spark the imagination by amplifying Emily Dickinson's revolutionary poetic voice from the place she called home.

HOW TO JOIN THE 1830 SOCIETY

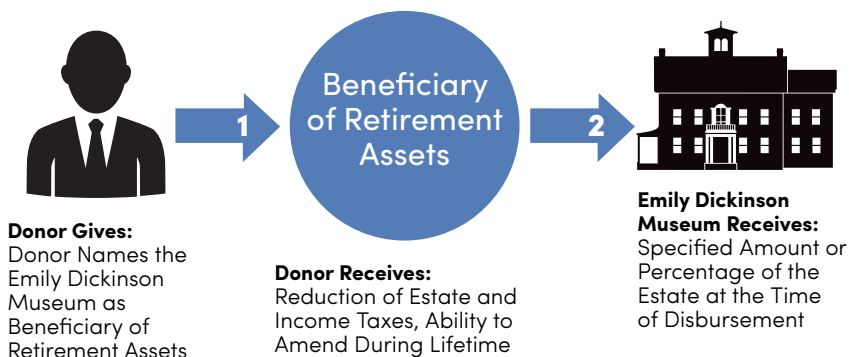
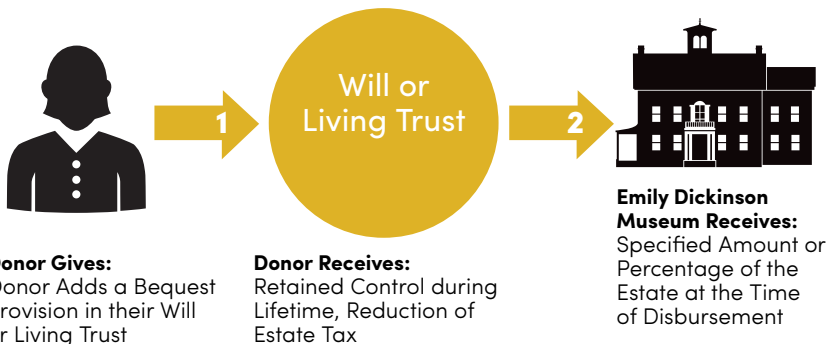
You can simply inform us that you have remembered the Emily Dickinson Museum in your will, retirement plan, or life insurance policy. You can also work with us to make an investment that both benefits the Museum and earns you income during your lifetime.

If you'd like to have your gift recognized now, please contact us to discuss an amount and designation.



What Gift is Best for You?

There are many ways to make a significant charitable contribution to the Emily Dickinson Museum. These gifts can benefit the Museum while also protecting and enhancing your personal financial situation. To notify the Museum of your gift, or for questions, please contact the development office at (413) 542-5084 or development@EmilyDickinsonMuseum.org.



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The Emily Dickinson Museum's gift planning program is offered through Amherst College, providing sophisticated investment management and high quality gift administration. We offer a wide array of products tailored to fulfill your philanthropic goals.

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Museum Receives:**
Specified Amount or
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Under Certain Conditions, the Museum
Accepts Personal Property or Real Estate.

Donor Gives:

Cash, Securities, Other Property



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**Emily Dickinson
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Remaining Assets for the
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Income Tax Deduction, Fixed Payments

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Museum Receives:**
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Donor Receives:

Income and Estate Tax Deduction,
Ability to Make Additional Gifts

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Variable Life Income Tied to
Amherst College's Endowment

DONOR SPOTLIGHT

Polly & Chuck Longworth

As the Museum's founding chair and someone who has studied and written about Emily Dickinson for more than five decades, I have a deep appreciation for this poet's greatness. It's why helping to preserve, restore and protect her family homes and their environs has been a thrill. Chuck and I are glad to provide for the Emily Dickinson Museum's future in our wills, a simple way to continue to preserve her legacy while supporting the Museum.





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Martha Ackmann & Ann Romberger

I first discovered Emily Dickinson when I was 15 years old, and I continue to be drawn to the great poet. For many years, I taught a seminar on Emily Dickinson in the Homestead. I loved the moment each December when my students read "There's a certain Slant of light/Winter Afternoons," then look to the window sills striped with sharp light.

When my wife Ann and I think about planned giving, we seek to nourish what is important to us: the arts, the environment and education. Making a planned gift to the Emily Dickinson Museum advances all three. The poet paid keen attention to the natural world and continues to stretch student minds. She hasn't let go of me yet. Won't you join us in including the Emily Dickinson Museum in your planned giving? The next generation of passionate Dickinson readers will thank you.

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- I have included a provision for the Emily Dickinson Museum in my estate plan.

Please send me additional information about the following gift

- Wills and Living Trusts
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- Please contact me to discuss my gift planning options, to discuss a gift amount and recognition, or for other questions

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For more information about how your estate plans can include a gift to the Museum, please contact our development office at (413) 542-5084 or email development@EmilyDickinsonMuseum.org



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