

## **Sample Bequest Language**

The following are options for gifts you can make to Hopelink through your will. When discussing such a “testamentary” gift with your attorney, the information on this page may be helpful.

### **Remainder Estate (Will):**

As soon as practicable after my death, Trustee shall distribute the residue of my estate to Hopelink of Redmond, Washington, (EIN 91-0982116), or its successor.

### **General Specific Dollar Distribution (Will):**

As soon as practicable after my death, my Personal Representative shall distribute [*Dollar Amount Spelled Out, e.g. one hundred thousand dollars*] (\$[*Dollar Amount in Figures, e.g. 100,000.00*]) to Hopelink of Redmond, Washington, (EIN 91-0982116), or its successor.

### **Designated Specific Dollar Distribution (Will)**

As soon as practicable after my death, my Personal Representative shall distribute [*Dollar Amount Spelled Out, e.g. one hundred thousand dollars*] (\$[*Dollar Amount in Figures, e.g. 100,000.00*]) to Hopelink of Redmond, Washington, (EIN 91-0982116), or its successor, to be used for \_\_\_\_\_.

### **Designated Specific Dollar Distribution (Trust):**

As soon as practicable after [*survivor Trustor's or deceased Trustor's or Trustor husband's or Trustor wife's*] death, Trustee shall distribute [*Dollar Amount Spelled Out, e.g. one hundred thousand dollars*] (\$[*Dollar Amount in Figures, e.g. 100,000.00*]) to the Hopelink of Redmond, Washington, (EIN 91-0982116), or its successor, to be used for \_\_\_\_\_.

### **Percentage (Will)**

Distribution of Residue. If my *wife, Shirley*, does not survive me for a period of ninety days, all the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate shall be allocated and distributed to the following charitable organizations in the percentages shown:

*Fifty Percent (50%)* to Hopelink, of Redmond, Washington (EIN 91-0982116), or its successor [*if designated gift: to be used for \_\_\_\_\_*].

### **Percentage (Trust):**

The net remaining Trust Estate shall continue to be administered up to one year after survivor Trustor's death, at which time Trustee shall allocate and distribute the Trust Estate to the following charitable organizations in the percentages shown:

*Fifty Percent (50%)* to Hopelink, of Redmond, Washington (EIN 91-0982116), or its successor [*if designated gift: to be used for \_\_\_\_\_*].

If you have any questions, please contact: Ezzy Ramos, Major Gifts Officer at (425) 869-8430 or by email at [EzzyR@hope-link.org](mailto:EzzyR@hope-link.org).