

#### Donor Appreciation & Recognition

Centennial Society donors will become part of the Masonic Children's Home family. Your contributions will be permanently recognized through the inscription of your name, or your honoree's name(s), in the new Centennial Garden that has been created as an extension of the beautiful outdoor Donor Recognition Garden on the children's home grounds.

In addition, you will receive updates about our children's home and our young residents through a subscription to the "Home's Grown Kids" newsletter. You also will be invited to join us at special events throughout the year

including the annual Youth Appreciation Day and the annual Donor Dinner.



# Thank You!

Masonic Charities is sincerely grateful for every gift to the Children's Home.



Please contact the Office of Gift Planning or the Director of Children's Services with questions or for assistance.

## Office of Gift Planning

717-367-1121, ext. 33460 800-599-6454

Email: giving@MasonicCharitiesPa.org

#### Director of Children's Services

Masonic Village at Elizabethtown
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# MASONIC CHILDREN'S HOME CENTENNIAL SOCIETY

For the Life of a Child





### Masonic Children's Home

Masonic Village at Elizabethtown of the R.W. Grand Lodge of F. & A. M. of Pennsylvania

Caring for Children since 1913

#### Securing Brighter Futures

We do not yet know their names, but we do know this: the children will come to us, as they have in the past, from situations that challenge their very futures. And just like their predecessors over the past century, their potential will depend on those willing to help them secure brighter futures.

These precious youth arrive with many varied needs: nutrition, health care, security, clothing, education, guidance and love. Once they come "home," they are cared for as individuals, each valued for his or her strengths, potential and unique personalities. For most, this is a fresh start; a chance to attain the dreams they never before dared to hope for.

It is only through your charitable contributions that the Masonic Children's Home is able to provide the 24-hours-a-day, 365-days-a-year care, support and resources that truly make this a "home" for the children.

As one graduate said, "... the home ... affords a sense of family and provides physical, emotional and educational support to children who then prosper in this atmosphere. The home launches young people into a life of opportunity and accomplishment that they may never otherwise experience."





### Join the Centennial Society

Becoming a member of the Centennial Society is an extraordinary opportunity to make this kind of meaningful difference in children's lives. Becoming a member of this distinct honorary society is as simple as naming the Masonic Children's Home in your will through a bequest – or, you may choose to give other types of planned gifts such as a Charitable Gift Annuity, securities, an insurance policy, property or a trust.

While all forms of support are welcome and appreciated, charitable bequests provide the greatest support. Bequests are appealing to many because you maintain control of your assets – no contributions are made during your lifetime.

For those interested in considering a gift (of \$5,000 or more) that pays a guaranteed lifetime income at attractive rates, Charitable Gift Annuities may be your preference. Our staff can provide you a simple, no-obligation benefits illustration by request.

All gifts are tax-deductible as allowed by law.

## Help Make a Difference Today For the Life of a Child

You can help make a difference in children's lives by planning a charitable bequest to the Masonic Children's Home in your will or by making another planned gift that better suits your circumstances.

Masonic Charities' licensed legal staff can help ensure correct language for a will and even review your overall estate plan as a complimentary service.

Our knowledgeable staff in the Gift Planning Office will help you determine the most advantageous gift for your circumstances, if you desire their assistance. They are able to suggest tax and planning advantages of respective ways of giving and help you prepare to meet with your attorney.

#### Yes, I would like more information.

$\square$ Please call me to discuss my estate plan.
☐ Please call me regarding correct language for a
bequest.
☐ Please send me information about bequests.
□ Please call me about lifetime income from a Charitable Gift Annuity.
☐ I have other questions. Please call me.
Name
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Email
Address

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