

The Communities of Eben Ezer

**POWERED BY CONNECTIONS -
ENGAGED IN A LIFE FILLED WITH JOY!!**

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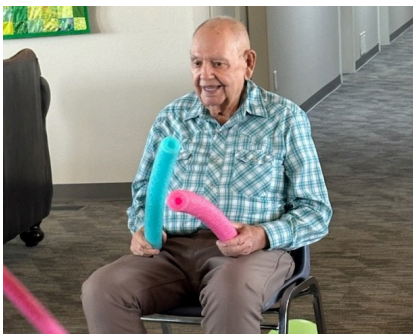
“She was the helper of many.” - Romans 16:2



**Your generosity today helps ensure
compassionate care and vibrant
communities for generations to come.**



CONNECTING OUR PASSION TO ACTION!



ACTIVITY TIME!



BUNCO!



ALWAYS FUN TIMES!



**LEAVING
A
LEGACY**

Leaving a Legacy: Estate & IRA Charitable Giving

At Eben Ezer, we are deeply grateful for the individuals and families who faithfully support our mission founded in faith, to empower our team and those we serve to grow together as a community that celebrates aging.

Throughout Eben Ezer's history, others have believed so heavily in the work that happens within Eben Ezer that they have financially supported the mission in many different ways. The need for this financial support is as present now as it has ever been.

The State of Colorado is reducing Medicaid payments by two percent across all levels of care. Let's be clear this is a cut, not merely a hold on our rate reimbursement. Similar situations are occurring in the arenas of Medicare reimbursement and the increased presence of advantage plans. While support for current operations is imperative for us to continue to operate, long term planning and designated gifts have been imperative to the continued growth of this organization.

Support the Communities of Eben Ezer!!
www.ebenezer.org

Why Planned Giving Matters!



Planned gifts allow you to:

- Continue your values beyond your lifetime
- Support older adults in need of compassionate care
- Potentially reduce taxes for your heirs
- Make a larger impact than you may have thought was possible

*A planned gift is
not about the size of
your estate –
it's about the heart
behind your
generosity!!*





Giving through your IRA - A Simple Way to Give

If you are age 70½ or older, you can make a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) directly from your IRA.

How it works:

- You instruct your IRA administrator to send a gift directly to Eben Ezer.
- The gift counts toward your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) (if applicable).
- The amount is excluded from your taxable income.

Benefits:

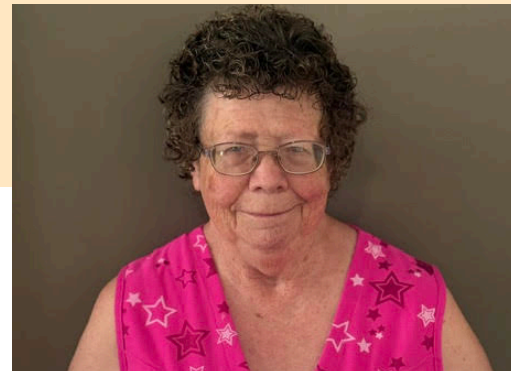
- May reduce your annual tax burden
- Simple, direct transfer
- Immediate impact on residents and programs
- Can be repeated annually

Example:

Instead of withdrawing your RMD and paying taxes, you can direct up to \$105,000 (2024 IRS limit, indexed annually) directly to a qualified charity like Eben Ezer.

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Naming Eben Ezer in your Estate Plan



**Include Eben Ezer
in your will or trust in several
flexible ways**

Bequest Options Include:

- *A specific dollar amount*
- *A percentage of your estate*
- *A gift of remaining assets*
- *A contingent gift (if other beneficiaries are not able to inherit)*



IMPACT

of Your Legacy Gift



OTHER WAYS TO MAKE A LEGACY GIFT

You may also consider:

- *Naming Eben Ezer as a beneficiary of a retirement account or IRA*
- *Designating Eben Ezer as a life insurance beneficiary*
- *Giving appreciated stocks or securities*
- *Establishing a charitable gift annuity or trust (with professional guidance)*

THE IMPACT OF YOUR GIFT

Legacy gifts help ensure that Eben Ezer can continue to provide:

- *Compassionate long-term care and assisted living*
- *Safe, dignified environments for aging adults*
- *Support for residents who have outlived financial resources*
- *Programs that enhance quality of life for elders and families*

Your generosity becomes part of every meal served, every hand held, and every life honored.



We Are Here to
HELP

CONSIDER EBEN EZER

If you are considering Eben Ezer in your estate plans or would like more information about planned giving, we would be honored to assist you confidentially and without obligation.

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We also encourage you to speak with your financial advisor or estate planning attorney. Thank you for considering a legacy of compassion.