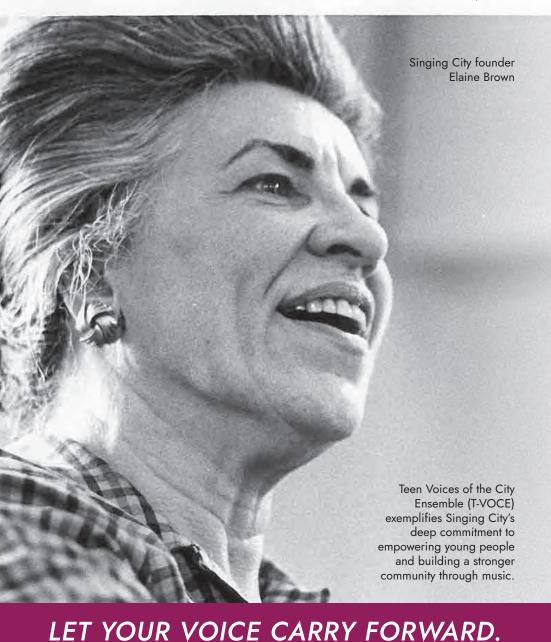




LEGACY SOCIETY

YOUR LEGACY. OUR SONG.

# A LEGACY OF SONG AND SOCIAL IMPACT



For more than 75 years, Singing City has been a beacon of what is possible when people of diverse backgrounds come together through choral music. In 1948, Elaine Brown's heroic vision created one of the nation's first integrated choirs.

Our founding belief is simple and profound: people singing side by side can bridge divides and uplift the human spirit.

Singing City is more than a choir. We are a socially conscious vocal movement that educates, motivates, and empowers through song. We perform, teach, commission new works, and collaborate with civic and cultural partners across Philadelphia.

Our work is made possible by people who believe in this mission. By including Singing City in your estate plans, you become a hero of this legacy—a champion of music, unity, and community. Your gift ensures that future generations will continue to experience the transformative power of music and connection.





## **PLANNING YOUR LEGACY:**

QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE

## ■ What is a planned gift?

A gift you plan now to be given in the future, often through a will or trust. It reflects your foresight and commitment to values that will live on.

## ■ Who can make a planned gift?

Anyone. You don't need to be wealthy—just thoughtful. If Singing City has meant something to you, you can make a lasting difference.

## ■ Why make a planned gift?

To support an organization important to you and create your legacy built on harmony, equity, and musical excellence in Philadelphia.

## ■ Where can a planned gift come from?

IRAs, insurance policies, retirement accounts, stock, real estate, or a percentage of your estate. There are many flexible ways to make a meaningful contribution.

## ■ When should I start?

Anytime. Starting now allows you to align your intentions with your legacy and the causes that matter most. Your plan can change as your life does.

## A GIFT FOR THE FUTURE

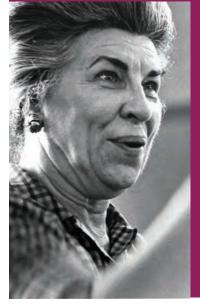
A legacy gift is a powerful expression of your values. It allows you to care for loved ones while sustaining the causes that have shaped your life. If you own anything—a home, a retirement account, a family heirloom—you have an estate. The way you share those assets becomes part of your story.

Planned gifts are often the most impactful donations an organization receives. Your bequest or deferred gift can:

- Build organizational stability for the future
- Preserve our history and future
- Support education and accessibility
- Provide financial aid to ensure accessibility for all
- Inspire artistic excellence and leadership



Artistic and Music Director, Dr. Rollo A. Dilworth





# THE ELAINE BROWN LEGACY SOCIETY

Your generous estate gift sustains Elaine's vision to uplift, inspire, and unite through choral music. Join The Elaine Brown Legacy Society and let your legacy sing on.

Contact us to learn more.

We recommend consulting your legal or financial advisor to cre-

"I give and bequeath to Singing City, located at 1501 Cherry

\_\_% of the residue of my estate to be used for general

Street, Philadelphia, PA 19102, the sum of \$ or

purposes as determined by the Board of Directors."

**EVERY GIFT MATTERS.** 

**EVERY VOICE COUNTS.** 

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For more information: www.singingcity.org

**HOW TO MAKE A BEQUEST** 

ate a plan that fits your goals. Below is sample language

for including Singing City in your will:



## ☐ I have made a provision for Singing City in my estate plans.

carry the song forward.

To learn more or to notify us of your gift, please

complete and return the confidential form. It will

allow us to recognize your thoughtful plans.

YES, I want to help

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#### Signature

#### Date

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Please return this form to:
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or email to: info@singingcity.org



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