

FORM OF BEQUEST

In view of the desire on the part of the members and friends of the Union to provide for its needs by bequest to its Endowment, and of the inquiries that are received from time to time as to the proper wording, forms are shown below for the convenience of those who are planning to remember the Union in their wills.

(General)

I give and bequeath to the American Ornithologists' Union, incorporated not for profit under the laws of the District of Columbia.....dollars.

(Specific)

I give and bequeath to the American Ornithologists' Union, incorporated not for profit under the laws of the District of Columbia.....dollars, in trust to be used for the purposes following, that is to say:

(It is strongly recommended that a competent lawyer be employed to prepare the will and to supervise its execution in order that all the requirements of the law of the State in which the maker of the will resides may be fully complied with. It is also wise to give the Union considerable latitude in the use of any fund to be established by bequest, or, of the income therefrom, so that a change of circumstances may not impair the usefulness of the gift. The Treasurer of the Union will be glad upon request to review the phraseology of proposed bequests and to make suggestions with reference thereto.)