

Five Reasons to Die Without a Will

There must be powerful reasons to avoid a will because so many people die without one. Just in case you happen to be one of the many who will depart without a will, here are five reasons to buttress your position. You can use these to help you sleep at night.

1. The province can do a better job deciding how to disburse your assets than you can.
2. The court can choose a better administrator to handle your estate during probate than you can.
3. The court can choose a more caring guardian for your minor children than you can.
4. The government will use your tax dollars more efficiently than your favorite charity or a charitable organization.
5. Your grieving loved ones will be busy looking after you and your family, not your will.

Powerful reasons. Hardly, nonetheless, are you unwittingly in these reasons year after year as they continue to take off the mind the convenience of making a will.

Your friends at ABC Charity urge you to take action now. Your family will appreciate it. The charities you support will appreciate it. And you will appreciate the peace of mind you get from fulfilling one of your most important stewardship responsibilities.

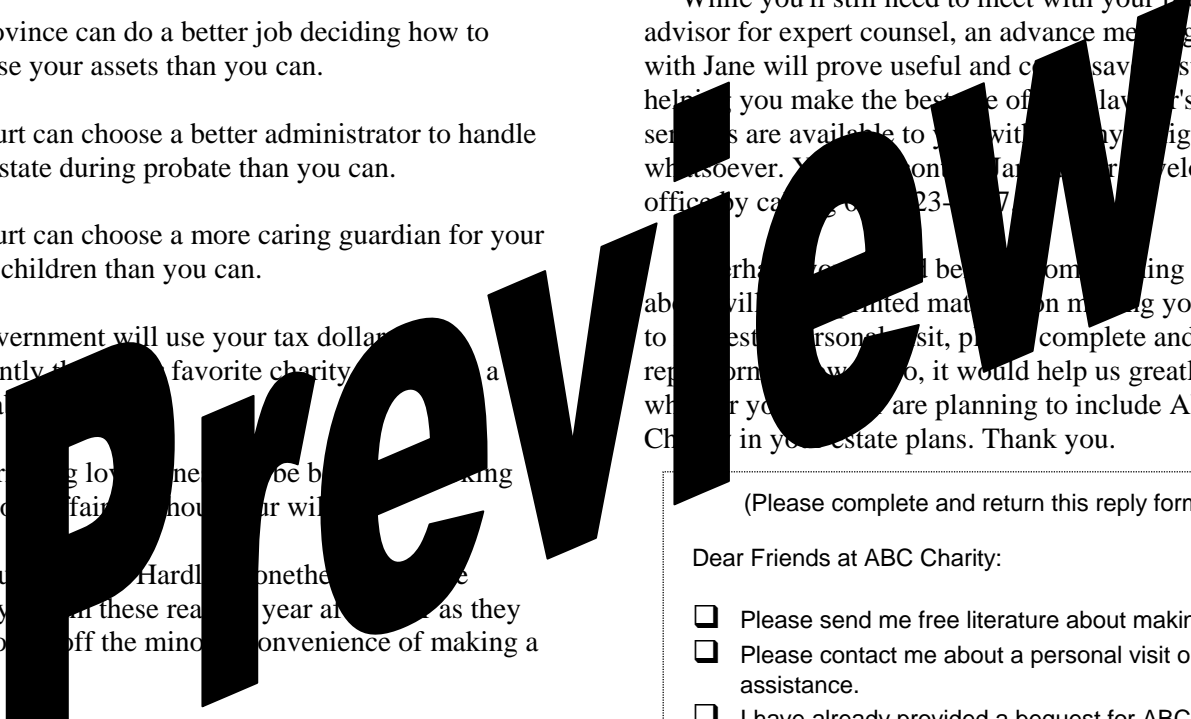
Like many people, you may be uncertain about going to a lawyer. But a lawyer who specializes in estate planning knows the right questions to ask and the best ways to help you accomplish your goals. These professionals are well-trained and normally well worth the time and expense they cost.

If you need an estate-planning lawyer, we'll assist you with a list of names and addresses of professionals we have worked with in the past. Jane Doe, our gift

planning director, can help you with this. She will provide you with helpful printed material on making a will and, if you like, supply information on ways you can include charitable giving in your plans.

While you'll still need to meet with your professional advisor for expert counsel, an advance meeting or two with Jane will prove useful and cost savings by helping you make the best use of your lawyer's time. Her services are available to you with any jurisdiction whatsoever. You can contact her at her development office by calling 23-457.

Whether you will be coming more about will printed material on making your will or to request a personal visit, please complete and mail the reply form below. It would help us greatly to know whether you are planning to include ABC Charity in your estate plans. Thank you.



(Please complete and return this reply form.)

Dear Friends at ABC Charity:

- Please send me free literature about making a will.
- Please contact me about a personal visit or other assistance.
- I have already provided a bequest for ABC Charity in my will.
- Please send me information about the ABC Heritage Society.

Name: _____

Address: _____

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Phone: _____

Mail this form to:
 ABC Charity, 123 Main Street, Anytown.