



# YOUR GIFT CHANGES LIVES.



## HOW TO MAKE A QCD GIFT:

### ASK YOUR IRA CUSTODIAN TO TRANSFER FUNDS DIRECTLY TO:

#### CHILDREN OF FALLEN PATRIOTS FOUNDATION

- Tax ID (EIN): 47-0902295
- Address: 1818 Library Street, Suite 500, Reston, VA 20190

### TURN YOUR RETIREMENT SAVINGS INTO OPPORTUNITY, HONOR, AND HOPE.

**LEARN MORE**

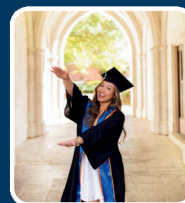


#### CHANGING FUTURES

When service members make the ultimate sacrifice, their children are left with both emotional and financial challenges.

#### WITH YOUR SUPPORT, FALLEN PATRIOTS PROVIDES:

- College scholarships
- Educational counseling
- Long-term support for Gold Star families



One of the most **impactful and tax-smart** ways to give is through a **QUALIFIED CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION (QCD).**

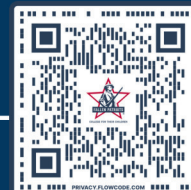
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**HONORING THEIR  
SACRIFICE.**



## INVESTING IN THEIR LEGACY

Together, we ensure that every child of the fallen receives the future they deserve.



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## WAYS TO GIVE

### WHAT IS A QUALIFIED CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION (QCD)?

**A QCD IS A DIRECT TRANSFER FROM YOUR IRA TO CHILDREN OF FALLEN PATRIOTS FOUNDATION.**

- Available to donors 70½ or older
- Counts toward your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD)
- Excluded from taxable income

**QCDs allow you to support our mission while maximizing your tax benefits.**

### WHY GIVE THROUGH A QCD?

- Reduce your taxable income
- Satisfy your RMD without increasing taxes
- Simplify giving with a direct transfer
- Make a lasting difference for Gold Star children

#### **Example:**

If you are required to withdraw **\$10,000**, you can give that amount directly to Children of Fallen Patriots.

- Your RMD is satisfied
- You avoid taxable income
- A child of the fallen moves closer to their college dream

## VOICES OF IMPACT:

**Every QCD and planned gift** directly empowers students like Julia—helping them honor their parent's legacy through education.



**"Fallen Patriots gave me the gift of financial security as I completed my education. I will never be more grateful to this organization for ensuring my ability to complete my studies without looming payments or the prospects of future debt."**



**-CFP SCHOLAR JULIA FINKEN, DAUGHTER OF FALLEN  
US ARMY LTC PAUL JOHN FINKEN**



## PLANNED GIVING - LEGACY SOCIETY

**BUILD YOUR LEGACY BY SUPPORTING  
THEIRS:**

Create lasting change for the children of our fallen heroes. Become a member by making a planned gift in one of the following ways:

- **Bequests**
  - Include Children of Fallen Patriots in your will or living trust to leave a portion of your estate.
- **Beneficiary Designations**
  - Name us as a beneficiary of your IRA, 401(k), life insurance policy, or bank account.
- **Charitable Gift Annuities (CGAs)**
  - Make a gift and receive fixed lifetime income, with the remainder supporting our mission.
- **Charitable Remainder Trusts (CRTs)**
  - Transfer assets into a trust that provides income for life, with the remainder going to our cause.
- **Donor-Advised Funds (DAFs)**
  - Recommend grants over time or name us as a successor beneficiary for a meaningful impact.

**THROUGH YOUR ESTATE OR RETIREMENT PLAN, YOU  
CAN HONOR FALLEN HEROES BY SECURING BRIGHTER  
FUTURES FOR THEIR CHILDREN.**