


MAKE ZERO LEPROSY YOUR LEGACY WITH YOUR GIFT OF A LIFETIME

"I am willing."



**A BEQUEST FOR PEOPLE AFFECTED
BY LEPROSY IN YOUR WILL**


**THE
LEPROSY MISSION NZ**
TE MIHANA TŪWHENUA O AOTEAROA



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USE YOUR WILL TO DO GOD'S WILL

A man with leprosy came and knelt before him and said, "Lord, if you are willing, make me clean." Jesus reached out his hand and touched the man. "I am willing," He said.

Matthew 8:2-3

Your mission is His mission! Like Jesus, you too have reached out, touched people who have leprosy and made them whole. Thank you. In your lifetime, you have been part of a huge fall in the number of people affected by leprosy.

Yet many remain, still falling prey to this life-destroying disease. One case every two minutes! Hundreds of thousands a year, added to the millions who are affected. It can be zero!

Zero Leprosy. No child with leprosy. No leprosy on the earth. A great goal at last within reach.

Make Zero Leprosy Your Legacy – by the simple act of leaving a bequest to The Leprosy Mission (TLMNZ) in your Will.

This brochure shows you how to do this. It really is very simple, using the Codicil form that came with this booklet (also available in the Bequests section of our website). Remembering your leprosy work in your Will costs you nothing now, yet you will be making lives whole again long after your lifetime.

PRECIOUS YOUNG LIVES SET FREE FROM LEPROSY

Your bequest will bless and benefit countless people affected by leprosy, including beautiful children like Rabiul.

RABIUL

Rabiul in Bangladesh was just 6 when we found him literally in the grip of leprosy – his hand had become clawed and immobile because of the disease. He couldn't even hold his own food.

Rabiul had developed horrific lesions on his skin and damage to his facial nerves had stolen his power to smile.

Thanks to support like your bequest, Rabiul was found, his leprosy was cured and his disabilities were treated through reconstructive surgery. He can go to school, play with his friends ... and smile again.



YOUR GIFT OF A LIFETIME

FAMILY COMES FIRST... AND THEN YOU CHANGE THE WORLD

After your Will has met the needs of your family and loved ones, your bequest has an extraordinary power to make lives whole.

Even a small portion of your estate can be one of the greatest gifts of your lifetime.

CURE 100 – \$24,000

With 12 months of medication, you will set 100 people free from leprosy.



LEPROSY LAB – \$127,497

Your molecular biology lab will use PCR testing to track leprosy's spread with astonishing accuracy – from tiny genetic samples of the disease.



PATIENT CARE LAB – \$64,557

Your histopathology lab will study tissues and cell samples, to diagnose leprosy and manage patient care.



ESSENTIAL SURGERY – 100 FOOT OPERATIONS – \$614,000

You will provide vital reconstructive foot surgeries for 100 people who suffer the miserable disability called 'drop foot', causing constant injuries and stumbling. Thanks to you, 100 people will walk again!



100 PROSTHETIC LIMBS – \$550,000

As disease-damaged nerves cause injuries, burns, infection and loss of limbs, your gift will restore movement, dignity



ROSE

Rose in Papua New Guinea suffered heart-breaking bullying and abuse because of her leprosy. Thanks to support like your bequest, she received help from village health volunteers and receive the multi-drug therapy that cured her leprosy.



Thank you in advance for helping children like Rose, Rabiul and untold others, through your gift of a lifetime. You will make lives whole again, long after your lifetime, towards the ultimate goal of a world without leprosy.



MAKING A BEQUEST SO SIMPLE, SO POWERFUL

To make your bequest to The Leprosy Mission, you don't even need to change your existing Will. Simply write a Codicil and attach it to your Will as an amendment.

We have included a codicil with this brochure. You can also download and print one from the Bequests section of leprosymission.org.nz.

What form will your bequest take?

Amount – a specific donation or a percentage of your estate

Asset – an item such as property, investments, jewellery or life insurance policy

Residual – what is left after taking care of your loved ones and financial matters

WHAT IS A WILL?

Half of NZ Adults do not have one

If that includes you, please regard this brochure as a timely reminder to make a Will or revise an outdated Will. We all need one.

Your Will is a legal document naming your beneficiaries. These are the people who will receive your property, wealth and possessions at the time of your death.

It is simple – yet for your peace of mind that your Will really does distribute your estate the way you want, seek professional advice from a lawyer or a Will Services provider such as Public Trust.

Please consider choosing The Leprosy Mission New Zealand as a beneficiary in your Will.

DEPARTURE TIME

Receive your free planner for preparing for life's end.

Departure Time is a lovely uplifting diary-style planner booklet you can use to note down all the important details that your people will need at the end of your life. For your loved ones, having all your information in one place makes a difficult time much less stressful. Use the enclosed form to request a free copy or visit the Bequests section of our website.





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MAKE IT YOUR
LEGACY**

**WITH A BEQUEST TO THE
LEPROSY MISSION IN YOUR WILL**

It is so easy and it costs nothing now to make life whole for countless people affected by leprosy.

Give hope, healing and confidence for the future with your gift of a lifetime.

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