



## BEQUEST AUTHORIZATION

Many of our donors choose to leave gifts to charity in their will. Are there any causes you are passionate about in our community? Provide this sample gift bequest language below to your attorney or professional advisor when planning to include a gift in your will or estate plans for The Blue Star Salute Foundation, Inc. Then notify us so that we can ensure your gift will benefit the causes you care about and in the way you intend. Leaving a bequest (property or money's given by will) is one of the easiest gifts to make. With the help of an attorney, you can include this language in your will or trust specifying a gift to be made to The Blue Star Salute Foundation, Inc., as part of your estate plan. The value of your bequest will not be subject to estate taxes since we are recognized as a, 501(c)3 organization. This type of giving can benefit any of the funds at the Foundation. Those funds are; a) Wreaths Across America, b) General Fund, and c) Veterans Assistance Fund. Contact us at 205-789-9203 with any question on how to leave a lasting impact with The Blue Star Salute Foundation, Inc..

### **Sample Bequest Language:**

I give and bequeath and devise to The Blue Star Salute Foundation, Inc., a 501(c)3 not-for-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Alabama and located in Shelby County, Alabama,

\_\_\_\_\_ percent (\_\_\_\_\_% ) of my estate

OR the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_;

OR all rest, residue, and remainder of my estate to be used for the following purposes:

\_\_\_\_\_;

### **Important Details:**

Our legal name is The Blue Star Salute Foundation, Inc. We are an IRS not-for-profit 501(c)3 corporation under the laws of the State of Alabama. Our tax identification number is 02-0763282.