

# YOUR LEGACY FOR THE PLANET

Thanks to people like you, we can continue to protect the animals and defend the planet

# HOW CAN MY LEGACY HELP?

We only have one planet and its future depends on decisions like yours.

Wwf spain will fully apply your help to the protection of animals, the preservation of biodiversity, the conservation of the seas, water, forests..., So that human beings can live in harmony with nature.



WITH €100 000, WE FINANCE A TEAM OF RANGERS WITH VEHICLES IN ONE OF THE RESERVES FOR THE IBERIAN LYNX, GORILLAS, RHINOS OR PANDAS.





# **STEPS THAT MUST BE TAKEN**

## 1. CHOOSE WHO IS GOING TO BE THE BENEFICIARY OF YOUR ASSETS AND LEARN HOW TO NAME THEM

Whenever you choose to mention WWF Spain, you must use the official name, CIF and address of the organization: Asociación para la Defensa de la Naturaleza, WWF/Adena, CIF: G-28766319, at: Gran Vía de San Francisco 8-D, 28005 Madrid, Spain.

#### 2. DECIDE THE TYPE OF DONATION YOU WISH TO MAKE

- If it is an amount of money, this will be swiftly turned into grants for projects such as protection of endangered species, animal trafficking, climate change...
- If it is movable property –jewellery, art...– or property –flat...– we will carry out an official valuation and place it on the market, to transform it into environmental aid, with the maximum guarantees and transparency.

Please bear in mind that any donation is useful. It is not necessary to give a large amount to help nature.

#### 3. OBTAIN ADVICE AND DRAW UP YOUR WILL BEFORE A NOTARY

Alongside the free advice offered by any notary, at WWF Spain we provide free legal advice at any time to clarify any question you may have before, during and after visiting the notary.

Testamenta.es collaborates with us to provide you with notary services free of charge, indicating that you wish to include us in your will.

You can also find your notary at notariado.org, who will also provide legal advice free of charge.

#### 4. INFORM US

It is important that you inform us that you have included us in your will to facilitate the process and turn your wishes into assistance. Follow-up will always be optional, so communication will be as per your wishes and always confidential.

In appreciation of your support, upon receiving a copy of your will, or at least the part where you mention us, WWF Spain will plant a tree on your behalf in **Your forest**.

# HOW YOU CAN INCLUDE WWF SPAIN

Thank you for your interest in including the protection of animals and nature in your will. There are several ways to do this.

#### YOU CAN NAME WWF/ADENA AS YOUR UNIVERSAL HEIR

in the event that you do not have mandatory heirs, handing over all assets and rights.

"I hereby appoint the Association for the Defence of Nature, WWF/Adena, as the universal heir to my assets, to be used in compliance with their purposes."

#### YOU CAN NAME WWF/ADENA AS A CO-HEIR

in the event that you want to give your assets to more than one person or institution, indicating in the will the percentage assigned to each of the beneficiaries.

"I name XXX (heir) to half (one third/ ... choose a percentage) of my estate to be paid from the disposable portion of the state to the Association for the Defence of Nature, WWF/Adena, to be used for their purposes."

## YOU CAN ALSO DONATE A SPECIFIC ASSET OR AMOUNT OF MONEY TO WWF/ADENA through a **bequest**.

"I appoint a legatee in (indicate assets or amount of money), from the disposable portion of the estate to the Association for the Defence of Nature, WWF/Adena, to be used for the carrying out of its purposes."



"I'm filled with peace and joy knowing that when I'm no longer here, and thanks to my legacy, I will be contributing to preserve the world that WWF Spain imagines. A world of great oceans, impressive deserts, forests full of life, of peaks that have inspired climbers, adventurers, writers and artists and in which a great variety of animals live".

Ana María Gutiérrez

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### WHY IS IT ADVISABLE TO MAKE A WILL?

If you have not made a will, the destination of your assets will be decided by law. This law may vary, depending on where you live, and thus may not be in accordance with your wishes. Having an open will is the only way to ensure that your wishes are carried out and that your loved ones and your chosen solidarity causes receive what you have arranged for them.

### WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A REGULAR WILL AND A SOLIDARY WILL?

In a solidary will you include, in the disposable portion of the estate, one or more non-profit organisations.

- It is compatible with the existence of other heirs, respecting the legitimate part of the person concerned, serving as an example for your family to follow.
- It allows you to leave a part or a percentage of your estate, or a particular asset.
- It can be modified however many times as you wish.
- It is inexpensive, around 50 euros, and may even be free if you do it on-line through testamenta.es
- It is a simple process.

The contributions received by WWF Spain are exempt from any tax, so that your aid will be used entirely for our programmes.

### WHAT ABOUT THE LIFE-INSURANCE POLICY?

Life insurance is another way to transform your support into aid; it is not part of your inheritance and you can include WWF Spain at any time as a beneficiary.

### CAN WE DONATE IN MEMORY OF SOMEONE?

After the death of a loved one, some wish to pay tribute to this person by asking us to plant a tree with their name and surname and making a donation so that we can continue to care for nature.





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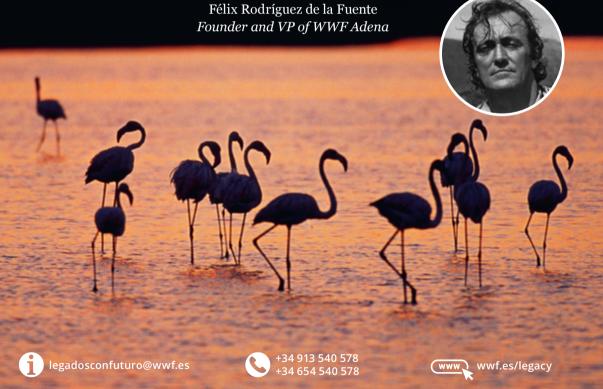
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### WHEN YOU INCLUDE WWF SPAIN IN YOUR WILL, YOU LEAVE YOUR INHERITANCE TO THE PLANET

"Every plant, every animal, even every mining complex, every landscape has its reason for being. There are not within our reach by pure chance or whim but are part of ourselves. Man is not a UFO from a distant galaxy; man is a poem woven from the fog of the dawn, with the colour of the flowers, with the song of the birds, with the howl of the wolf or the roar of the lion."





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