



“More and more people are leaving gifts in their Wills to help charities forge a new future. By supporting the Canon Collins Trust in this way, you can help create more just, more open, more equal societies in southern Africa.”

Lord Peter Hain,  
Patron of the Canon Collins Trust

## How to Remember us in Your Will

If you haven't made a Will, it is vital to do so as soon as possible. If you already have, you can always add a 'codicil' (a kind of supplement) to add a beneficiary. A solicitor will be able to guide you.

### Here's an example of wording

Your Will should specify the sum or item, or indicate the percentage of the residue of your estate you want to bequeath:

*"I give ..... to the Canon Collins Educational and Legal Assistance Trust, of 17 Oval Way, London SE11 5RR (registered charity number 1102028) for its general purposes, and I declare that the receipt of the honorary treasurer or other proper officer of the said Canon Collins Educational & Legal Assistance Trust shall be a full and sufficient discharge for the said legacy."*

## Allow Others to Remember You

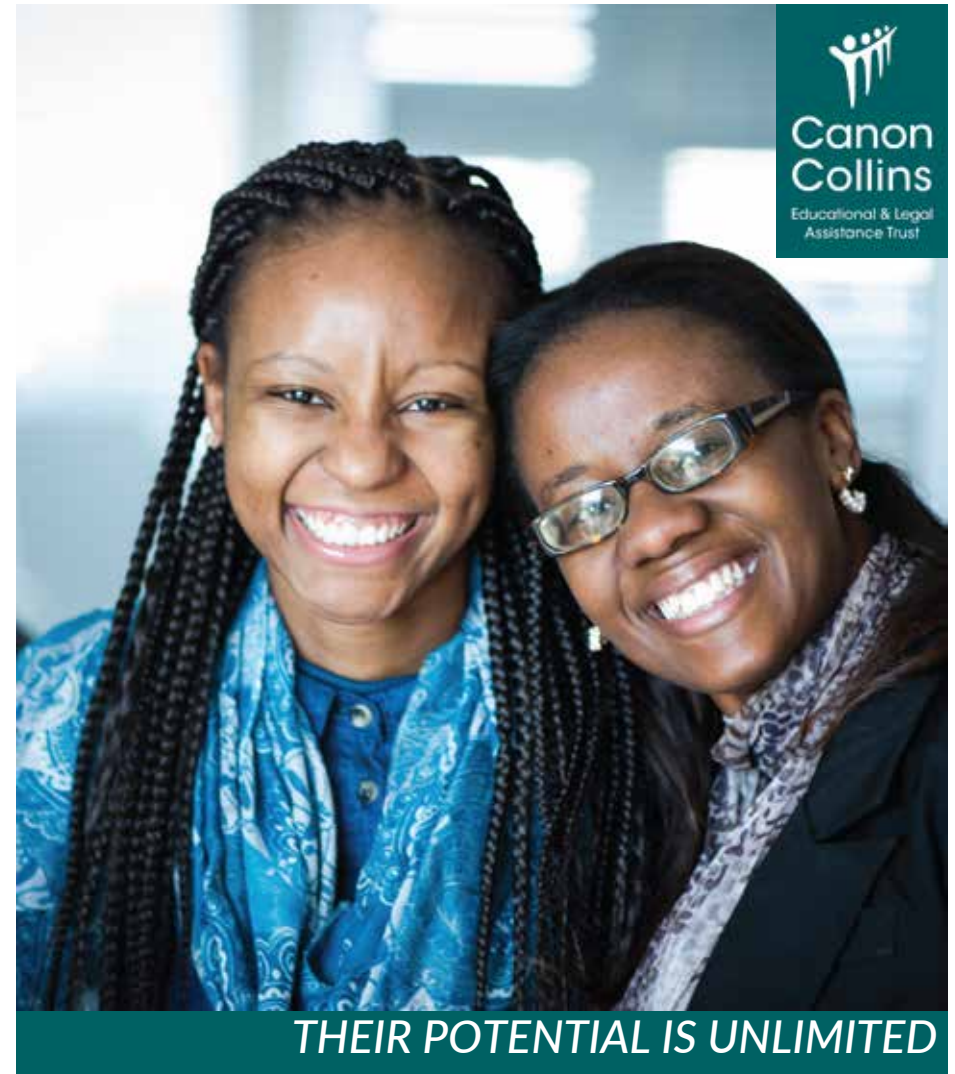
If leaving a gift in your Will is not for you, you may want to consider requesting that donations are made to the Trust in your memory, for example by setting up donations in lieu of flowers, or establishing a fund to which your family and friends can contribute in memory of you.

## Let us Know

You are of course under no obligation to tell us you've left a gift in your Will (it is a private matter, after all). If you do, we would be delighted to have the opportunity to say thank you. And it would give us some assurance that our work will continue in the years to come.

**If you would like to discuss any aspect of this with Stuart Craig, in confidence, please telephone 02 03 7700 395 or email [stuart@canoncollins.org.uk](mailto:stuart@canoncollins.org.uk)**

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## WILL YOU HELP US BUILD A MORE OPEN AND JUST SOCIETY?

A gift in your Will can help the Canon Collins Trust fulfil its mission to lead change through education and legal assistance in southern Africa.



## About the Canon Collins Trust

In southern Africa, human rights and democracy are scarce and fragile commodities. With our roots in the anti-apartheid struggle, we are committed to contributing towards a new framework for human rights.

To realise this, southern Africa will need strong leadership in key fields. Through our scholarship and alumni programmes, we are building a community of change makers who create and use knowledge for positive social impact. Through our support of legal assistance and advocacy, we are deepening democracy for some of the region's most marginalised and excluded citizens.

## A century of passion for education in South Africa

*A tribute to our oldest supporter*



"He admired the work that the Canon Collins Trust is doing to help and support individuals in South Africa in education and programmes that encourage leadership based on human rights."

Sheila Ebbutt



Keith Ebbutt grew up in the Berlin of the 1920s and 30s. In those formative years, Keith experienced first-hand the horrors of Nazism. He was sent back to England for his schooling, where the deep class divides made a strong impression on him.

These early experiences inspired in Keith a lifelong dedication to pacificism, universal fairness and equality. He became a regular donor to the Canon Collins Trust and on his 100th birthday asked for donations in lieu of gifts. Sadly, Keith did not live long beyond his birthday and at 100 years became our oldest legator.

He is remembered as someone who

believed strongly in the power of education, and the right of all young people to free education. Keith never gave up hope, never lost heart or stopped pursuing what he believed in till his last breath.

Through his perseverance, Keith has touched many lives in southern Africa. With Keith's support, our alumni are pressing for freedom and equality – some at personal risk; others using expertise they acquired thanks to the scholarships they received.

The legacy Keith kindly left to the Canon Collins Trust will reach many more. Will you join him in the support of scholars to make their mark on society?

## Remembering us in your Will

After you have made provision for your loved ones, would you consider leaving a gift to the Canon Collins Trust? Your commitment to achieving a free and just society in southern Africa will be remembered for years to come. Your gift – however small – will make an enduring difference.

Even if you don't think you have much to leave, you would be surprised by how little it takes to make a significant impact, when it is given to the right people and used with the prudence the Canon Collins Trust has come to be known for.

## Your Questions Answered

### How does inheritance tax work?

Inheritance Tax is currently applied to Estates worth over £325,000. Everything over that is taxed at 40%, unless you leave gifts to charities amounting to at least 10% of your Estate, in which case the tax reduces to 36%.

### What happens if you don't make a will?

If you die intestate (without a Will), your money, property and possessions will be shared out according to the law instead of your wishes. This can mean that they pass to someone you hadn't intended – or that someone you want to pass things on to receives nothing.

### What type of gift can I leave?

- Donate a sum of money.
- Leave a percentage of the remainder of your estate.
- Donate a specific item, e.g. a piece of art that we could sell or use for fundraising.



The Canon Collins Trust has supported over 3,500 scholars through their studies since 1981.