

Donor Advised Funds: Tools for Generosity

Generosity is more than writing a check. It is how you live into God's call to serve others and build his kingdom. A donor advised fund (DAF) at The Signatry can help you transform your generosity from occasional giving to a lifelong calling.

What is a Donor Advised Fund?

A donor establishes a DAF with a qualified 501(c)(3) nonprofit sponsor like The Signatry and makes charitable contributions to the fund. The sponsor has legal control over the fund and gives the donor advisory privileges to recommend how those dollars are invested and granted.



How It Works

Give. Grow. Grant.

A: GIVE

Contribute cash, stocks, or nonliquid assets (e.g., business interest, real estate). Contributions are generally tax deductible.

B: GROW

Recommend investments in public markets or private opportunities. DAF investment income is generally tax-advantaged.

C: GRANT

Recommend single or recurring grants from the DAF to the nonprofits you care about.

Benefits

Give now. Activate strategically.

- Simplify your generosity with minimal administrative burden and one contribution receipt at tax time.*
- Use stocks, business interests, real estate, and other nonliquid assets to support any approved nonprofit.
- Tax advantages from donating noncash assets can minimize your taxes and maximize your generosity, benefiting both your family and the nonprofits you support.
- Alternative investments and biblically responsible investment pools can grow your DAF contributions over time, while creating positive impact today.
- Set up recurring grants to any approved nonprofit.
- Involve your whole family: the DAF serves as a central teaching tool for generosity, guiding your children toward kingdom-focused, long-term giving.

*You may receive more than one contribution receipt from The Signatry depending on the complexity of your donation.



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