

## Leave a Legacy.

Your passion for historic gardens and landscapes can continue to thrive through a gift in your Will to the Gardens Trust.

Every gift, large or small, helps us preserve, protect, and celebrate historic gardens and landscapes, ensuring they continue to bring joy, inspiration and pleasure to future generations.

As a token of our gratitude, you will receive a beautiful olive tree to symbolise the enduring nature of your gift.





## Why Leave a Gift to The Gardens Trust?

For centuries, historic gardens and landscapes have provided a sanctuary for people and wildlife alike. Many only survive thanks to the commitment, passion and conservation efforts of those who care deeply about their significance.

By leaving a gift in your Will to the Gardens Trust, you can help us:

- **Protect and conserve** threatened landscapes and gardens, preserving them for future generations.
- Enhance biodiversity by protecting habitats within historic settings.
- Share knowledge about the unique history and design of these landscapes.
- **Inspire young minds** to value and participate in conservation.
- Build stronger communities through engagement with local green spaces.

## How Your Gift Will Make a Difference

Your gift will allow the Gardens Trust to:

- Undertake our statutory work that helps protect and conserve designed landscapes at risk of change or destruction;
- Work with and support volunteers and organisations who protect and campaign for the survival of our historic designed landscapes;
- Share the significance and beauty of historic parks and gardens to all.
- **Champion the protection** of historic landscapes by influencing planning and policy decisions.

Your legacy will directly impact how historic gardens and landscapes are nurtured, protected, and appreciated for years to come.



#### Types of Gifts You Can Leave

There are several ways you can support The Gardens Trust in your Will:

- A Residuary Gift After taking care of loved ones, you can leave the remainder of your estate to The Gardens Trust.
- A Pecuniary Gift You can specify an amount to give, whether small or large.
- A Specific Gift This could be a valuable item, such as artwork, or another item of significance.

If you already have a Will and would like to include a gift to the Gardens Trust, you can easily do so by adding a codicil. This is a simple legal amendment that lets you specify a new bequest without needing to rewrite your entire Will.

We recommend speaking to a solicitor for advice when creating or amending your Will.

If you have already left a gift in your Will to the Gardens Trust, we would like to thank you. By letting us know, we can keep you informed of the work of the Gardens Trust and ensure that your legacy aligns with your passions and preferences.



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# Leaving a gift to **The Gardens Trust** in your will

