



Wake Forest

LEGACY SOCIETY

The Wake Forest we inherit today was built by generations of leaders who shared a common vision: to make Wake Forest one of the best universities in the nation. Wait. Poteat. Reynolds. Babcock. Hankins. Carswell. The names on Reynolda campus buildings, scholarships, and professorships represent the legacy left by those who have come before us.

Our Legacy Society honors the University's first president, Samuel Wait, who in the winter of 1834 led an inspired group of Baptists in creating the Wake Forest Manual Labor Institute. His tenacious drive, virtue, and vision helped create what began with just sixteen students and has now become one of the nation's premier universities. The Legacy Society recognizes those alumni and friends who, like Dr. Wait, share a vision for an even greater Wake Forest University.

Now is our time to be the visionaries for Wake Forest's future. By endowing a professorship, scholarship, departmental, or other fund, your gift will permanently provide for the students and faculty of tomorrow. Membership in the Society is extended to those who have included the University in their estate plan.

We encourage you to consider your personal legacy to Wake Forest University. By making a planned gift, your legacy will become a part of the University's future and will serve as a permanent reminder of your generosity to and love for Wake Forest.

Our Legacy Society gets together for fun, intimate events. In the recent past, we toured a state-of-the-art Amazon Fulfillment Center in Chester, VA, attended a director's discussion and play on campus, visited Colonial Williamsburg, enjoyed a virtual wine tasting, had an art party in Reynolda Village and spent the day at the Biltmore Estate. We hope you will join us at our next Legacy Society event and encourage your friends to join as well. There is something for everyone!