



Transfer Instructions for Making a Gift of Securities to The Voice of the Martyrs

Gifts of appreciated securities are a smart and simple way to maximize the effectiveness of your charitable giving. If stocks or mutual funds* you've held for more than a year have increased in value, you may want to consider using these assets, rather than cash, to fund your giving. By transferring ownership of your long-term stock to The Voice of the Martyrs (VOM), you make a gift to support the ministry, avoid the capital gains tax you would pay if the stock was sold, and you may claim a charitable income tax deduction for the current fair market value of the asset.

*Does not apply to tax-exempt retirement plans (e.g., IRA, 401(k), etc.).

Mutual Fund Transfers: These transfers can be complicated. Please call VOM's Strategic Partner Services department at 877-337-0458 to find out how to transfer mutual funds.

Stock Transfers:

- **DTC Transfer** — A convenient way to transfer securities if you hold stock in a brokerage account. Simply instruct your broker to electronically transfer your securities out of your account into VOM's Raymond James or Vanguard account and provide the appropriate account information below:

Raymond James

Account: The Voice of the Martyrs, Inc.

DTC #: 0725

Account #: 32652907

Vanguard

Account: The Voice of the Martyrs, Inc.

DTC #: 0062

Account #: 86912831

- **Certificate Transfer** — Transferring stock certificate(s) are easy. It can be endorsed on the back of the certificate and sent by certified mail to The Voice of the Martyrs. You must sign the certificate in front of a bank officer to obtain a Medallion Signature Guarantee (notary public stamps are not an acceptable guarantor for stock certificates). Endorse the certificate exactly as your name(s) appear on the front. For example, if your certificate is listed as "Joe B. and Liz J. Smith," both parties will need to sign the certificate exactly as "Joe B. Smith" and "Liz J. Smith."

Next, write The Voice of the Martyrs **tax identification number, 73-1395057**, in the box on the back requesting a social security number or other identifying number of assignee. Mail the certificate by certified mail to:

**The Voice of the Martyrs, Inc.
Attn: Strategic Partner Services
P.O. Box 443
Bartlesville, OK 74005-0443**

Employee Owned Stock in Non-Retirement Plans — If you purchased stock from your employer (e.g., non-retirement E.S.O.P.), you can instruct them to issue a certificate in The Voice of the Martyrs' name. They will need our tax identification number and our address listed above.

Disclaimer: The information contained in this article is not intended as a substitute for wise tax counsel. We strongly recommend you consult with a professional tax advisor before making a gift of securities.



Securities Transfer Instruction Form

When making a gift of appreciated securities to The Voice of the Martyrs, it is **important** that you contact us in advance so your gift will be properly credited when received and so we can provide you with a charitable gift receipt for tax purposes.

This form is to assist you in contacting The Voice of the Martyrs with the details of your transfer. When completed, you may mail it to us at: The Voice of the Martyrs, Attn: Strategic Partner Services, PO Box 443, Bartlesville, OK 74005-0443; fax to 918-338-0189; or send this information in an email to sps@vom-usa.org. If you have any questions or need further information, please call the Strategic Partner Services team at 877-337-0458 or 918-337-8015.

Date: _____

Donor Name(s): _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Daytime Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Quantity/Name/Symbol of Securities being transferred:

of Shares _____ of _____

Stock brokerage firm: _____

Broker's name: _____ Phone #: _____

This transfer will be completed as soon as possible (or on ____/____/____).

Stock will be transferred to The Voice of the Martyrs account at:

Raymond James

Vanguard

VOM's contact:

Brenda Matlock, Strategic Partner Services Manager | phone: 877-337-0458 | sps@vom-usa.org | fax: 918-338-0189

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