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# Introduction to Retirement Planning & Integrating Gift Planning into Your Story

# Agenda

- What we do
- What is Retirement Planning?
- Retirement Issues
- Some thoughts on giving
- Case studies on integrating gift planning into your retirement plan
- Questions



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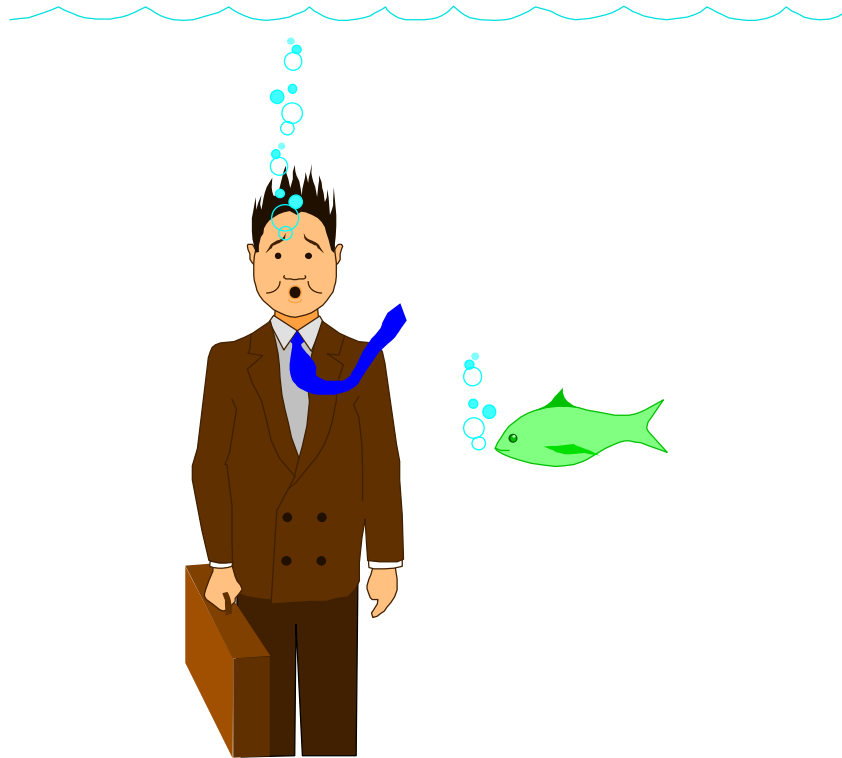
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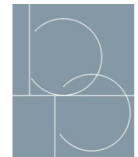
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# Introduction

If your outgo exceeds your income...



...your upkeep will be your downfall!



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# First Principles

**PEOPLE DON'T PLAN TO FAIL,  
THEY FAIL TO PLAN.**

**A process, not an event!**



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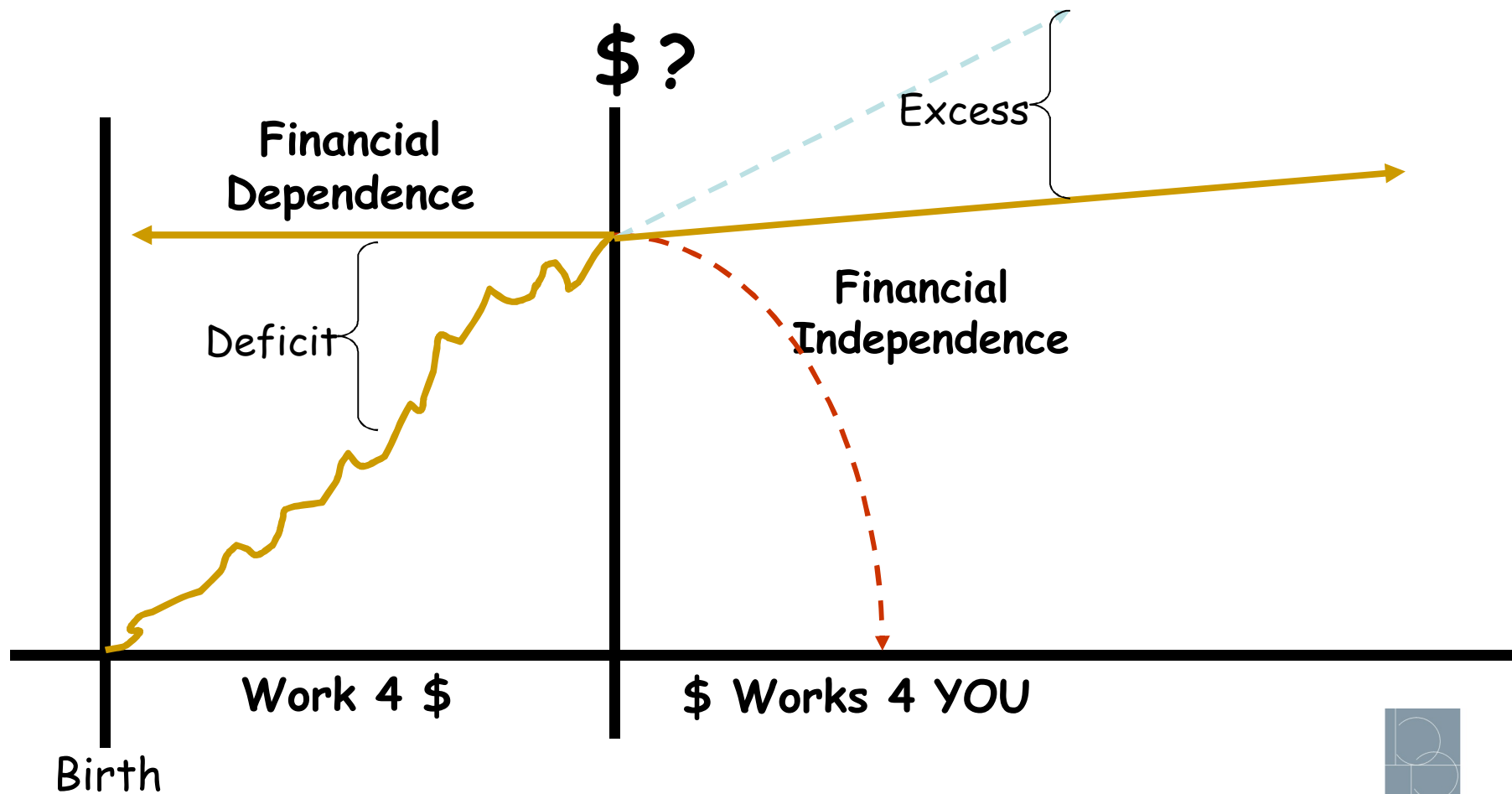
# What we do

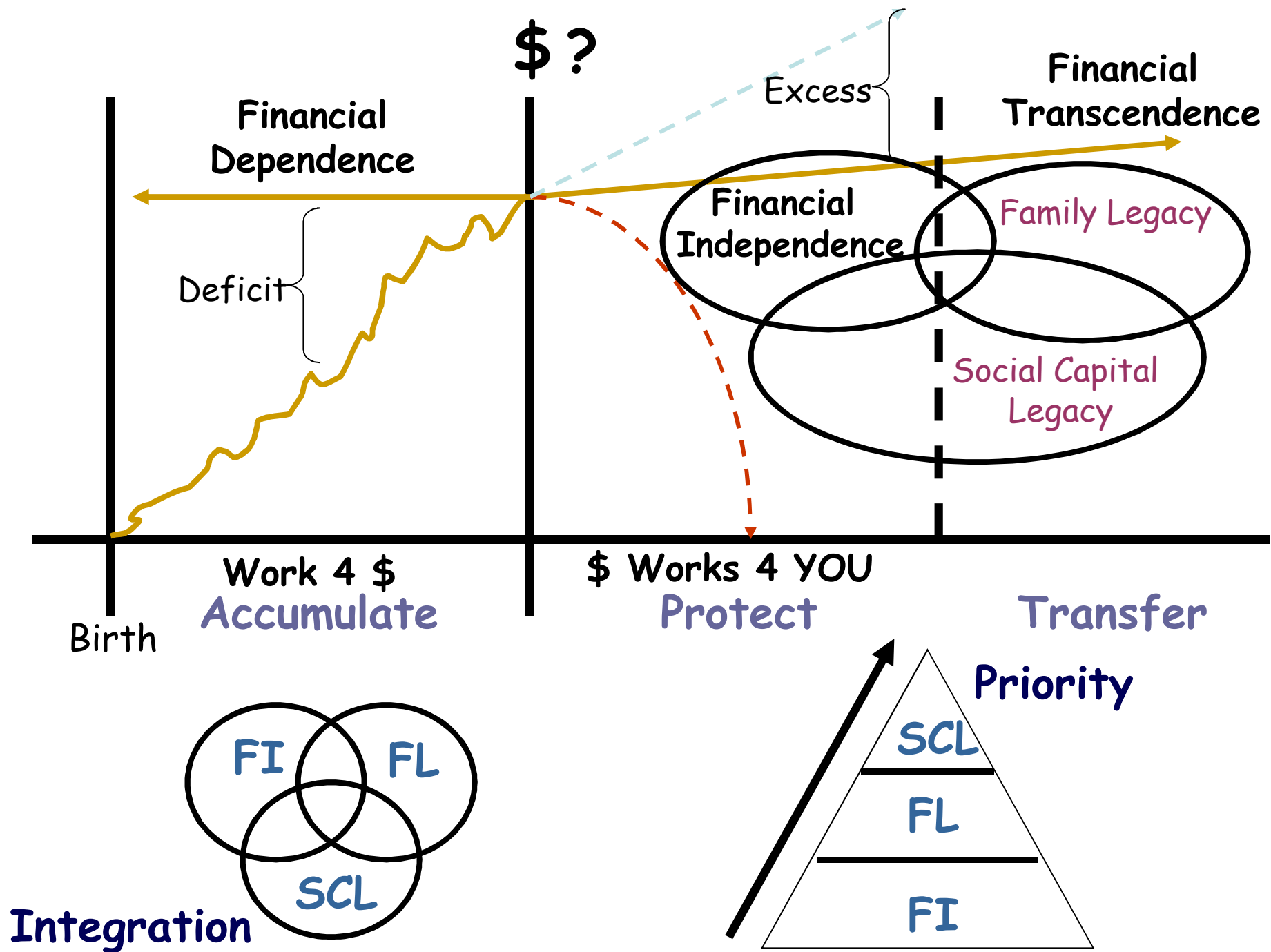
- Our planning begins from a different place
- Through a series of questions we undertake a process of discovery
- The discovery encourages you to envision long term goals that are anchored in your values
- We quantify your progress in reaching your goals, identify the gaps that exist, recommend solutions that bridge the gap and help implement the solutions



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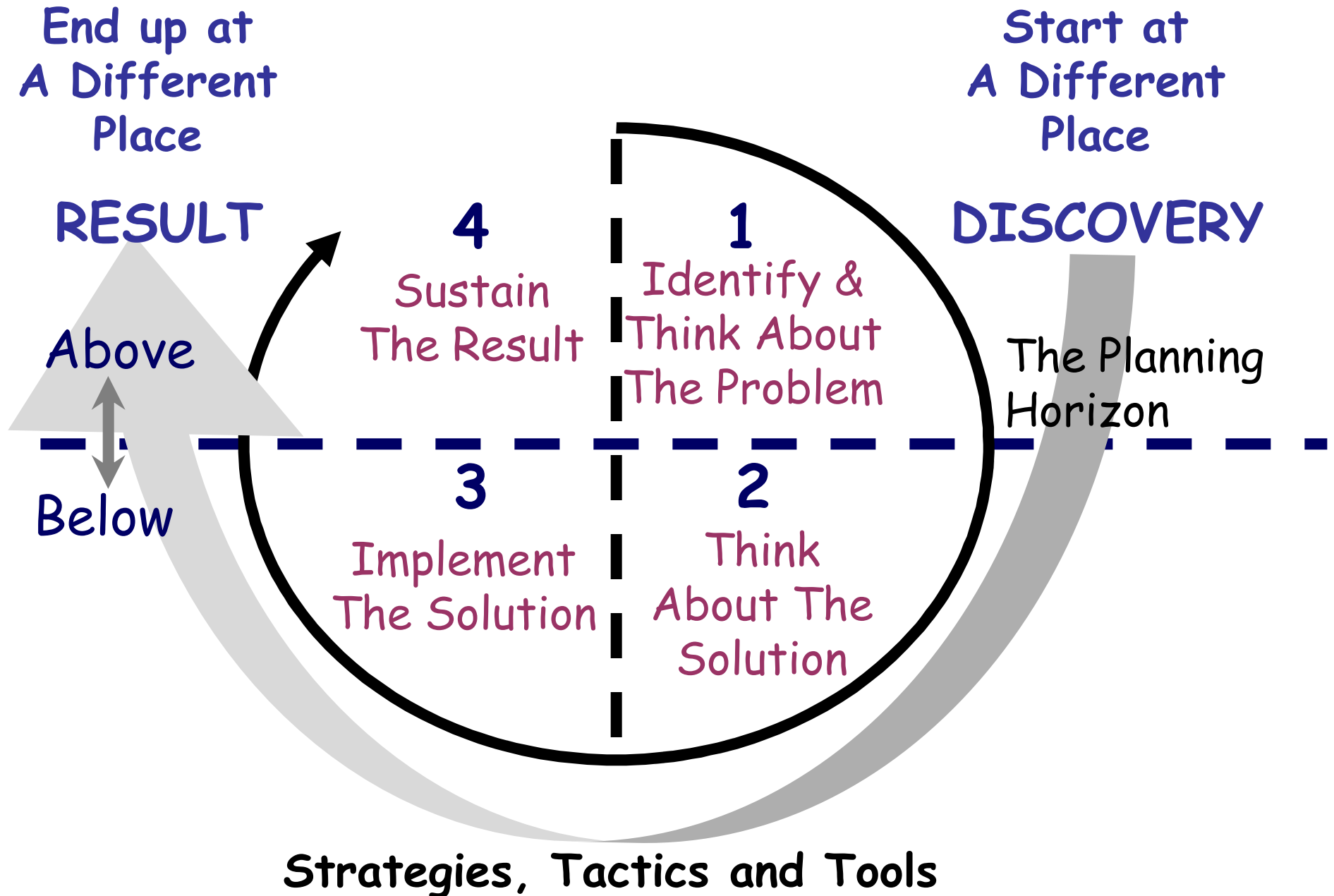
# Life Stages







# Mission, Vision, Values & Goals



# What is Financial Planning?

- Objectives
  - Short, medium, long term goals
  - Budgeting
  - Measurable, achievable, realistic
- Resources
  - personal, family, employer, government
- Obstacles

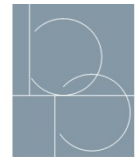


# VISOR

- **V**ision
- **I**mportance
- **S**upporting Resources
- **O**bstacles
- **R**eadiness

# First Principles

- Will , Power of Attorney
- Cash Reserve
- Debt elimination
- Objectives



# Three places your estate can go when you die

- Your heirs
- The government
- **Your favourite charity(ies)**



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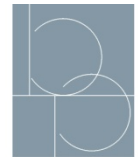
# Wills

- Gives direction
- Minimizes tax
- Names guardians, executors
- Establishes trusts
- **Makes provisions for charity**



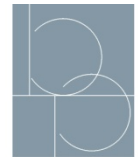
# Will

- Disaster clause. Name a charity
- Extra beneficiary
- Residual interest



# Three Reasons to Die Without a Will

- The court can do a better job deciding how to disburse your estate than you can
- The court can choose a more caring guardian for your children than you can
- The government will use your estate tax dollars more efficiently than your family or charity



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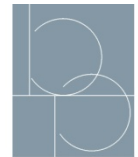
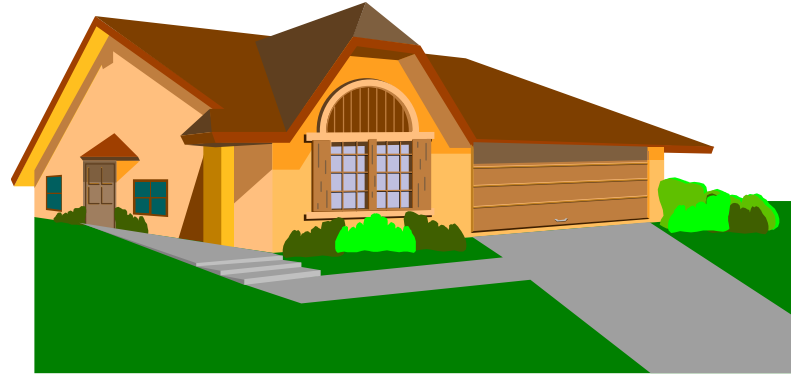
# Wills

- Above all, it is...



- Your story
- Who's going to tell it?

# The cornerstones of financial security



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# Retirement

- Lifestyle?
- How much money will you need?
- Impact of inflation?
- Freedom to retire or slow down early?
- Time and planning



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# Retirement Issues

- Employee or self employed?
- RPP?
  - DC or DB
- Retirement Allowances
- Gov't benefits. Have I maximized them?
- Personal plans
- Debt
- Housing
- Care/Health



# Retirement Issues continued

- Insurance
- Survivor Income/marital status
- Adult Dependents
- When should I retire?
- Where should I retire to?
  - Transit
  - Health care
  - Interests
  - Family



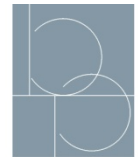
# Life Insurance

- Buy a new policy
- Name charity as beneficiary (even 10%o!)
- Estate replacement
- Name estate as beneficiary
  - Do it in the will
- Last to die



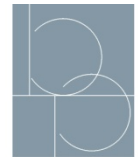
# Registered Plans

- RRSP: name charity as (contingent) beneficiary
- TFSA: name charity as beneficiary (spouse is successor annuitant)
- RRIF: name charity as beneficiary (spouse is successor annuitant)
- RPP: name charity as beneficiary of residual interest



# Non-registered assets

- Probatable vs. non probatable
- GICs, bank deposits, stocks, bonds, mutual funds, capital property is....
- Insurance company GICs, segregated funds, registered plans may not be, if a beneficiary is named
- Beware of CRA
- Beware of joint accounts





# Building your Legacy

- How will you be remembered after you are gone?
- What impact will you have on this world?
- What legacy will you leave to your community?



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# Giving is all about choices

- The choice to give
- The choice of who will receive your gift
- The choice of when to give
- The other choice – HOW TO GIVE.

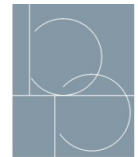


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# How to give – Two Fundamental Choices

- Immediate support
- Longer term support

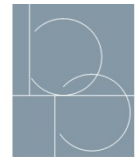
*Use your Advisors to help select the right giving solution for your goals!*



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# Immediate Support

- Cash Gift (cheque, credit card)
- Gift of Securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds)
- Attending an event
- Volunteering



# Longer term Support

- Private Foundation
- Donor Advised Fund
  - Community Foundation
  - Commercial Program



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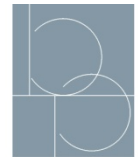
# Private Foundation

- Registered charity with charitable status
- Separate legal entity
  - Independent Board of Directors
  - Independent filings
- Generally one person (or family) contributes at least 50% of the assets and/or controls at least 50% of the Board
- Recommended minimum: \$1,000,000 (no legal minimum)



# Donor Advised Fund

- Can be held with a Community Foundation (Toronto CF) or Commercial Program (Banks, Mackenzie, Investors Group)
- Simplified account setup, recordkeeping and administration
- Not a separate legal entity – part of a larger public foundation
- Generally smaller minimums (as low as \$10,000)
- “Feel” of a private foundation



# Donor Advised Fund Example



- Four Easy Steps

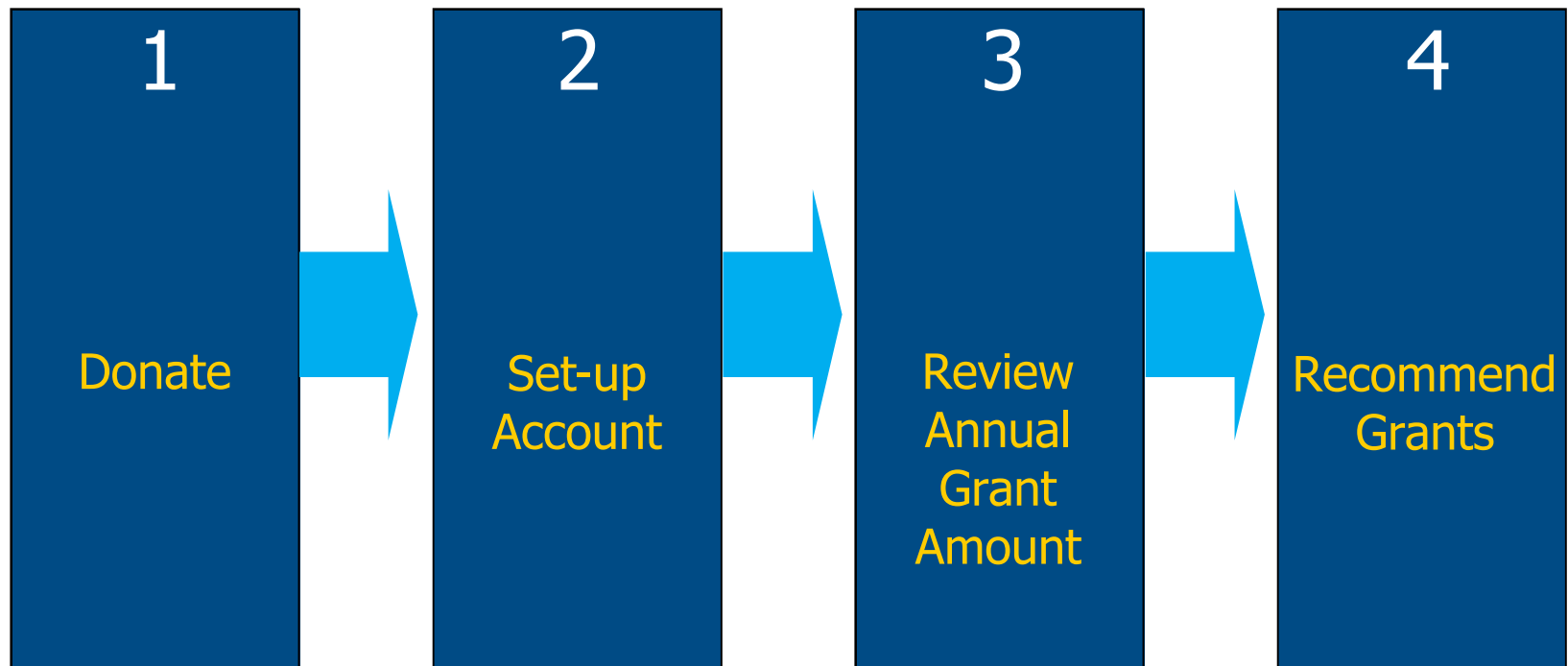


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# How does it Work?

## 4 Easy Steps



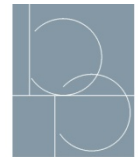
## Step 1: Contribute To The Gift Fund

- Irrevocable donation –  
Kate Evans donates \$100,000 to start up her Fund
- Receives tax receipt for \$100,000
- Can donate cash or securities



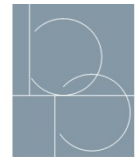
## Step 2: Set-up Account

- Name the account (*“The Kate Evans Charitable Fund”*)
- Recommend an investment



## Step 3: Review Annual Grant Amount

- Charities must disburse minimum of 3.5% of capital annually
- Donor may sometimes select a granting rate
- Let's assume that this year, Kate's Fund has \$4,000 available to grant (granting rate of 4%)



## Step 4: Recommend Grants

- Recommend grants to registered Canadian charities at any time during the year



- This year, Kate's grants are as follows:

|                                    |         |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| Royal Conservatory of Music:       | \$1,500 |
| Toronto Public Library Foundation: | \$1,000 |
| Hospital for Sick Children:        | \$ 500  |
| Daily Bread Food Bank:             | \$1,000 |



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- Grants come from the “Kate Evans Charitable Fund”



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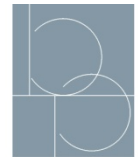
# What Happens Next?

- Kate can add to her Fund each year (can also leave an estate gift to her Fund)
- If Kate dies or is unable to manage her Fund. She may:
  1. Name a Successor
  2. Standing Grant Recommendation
  3. Close Out Fund



# Why might you consider a Donor Advised Fund?

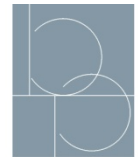
- Simplicity – consolidates all your charitable giving in one account
- Cost effective – receive many of the benefits of a private foundation without the administrative responsibilities and upfront costs
- Involve your advisor in your charitable planning – part of your overall financial plan
- Professional asset management, easy record keeping and tax reporting
- Support the charities you want – when you want
- Remain anonymous or be acknowledged
- Create a charitable legacy



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# The Five Cs

- Conflict
- Control
- Confidence
- Clarity
- Complexity





# Key Questions

1. What does financial independence mean?
2. What is an appropriate legacy for my family?
3. What does my social capital legacy look like?



# Modified RRIF Meltdown

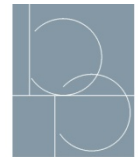
- Client
- Solution
- Result



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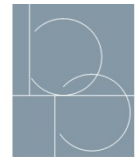
# Annuity - \$100,000 capital

- Client
- Issue
- GIC @ 2.5% OR  
Annuity to produce \$2500/year
- Back to back estate replacement



# Reducing Tax Burden

- Client
- Issues
- Solution
- Result



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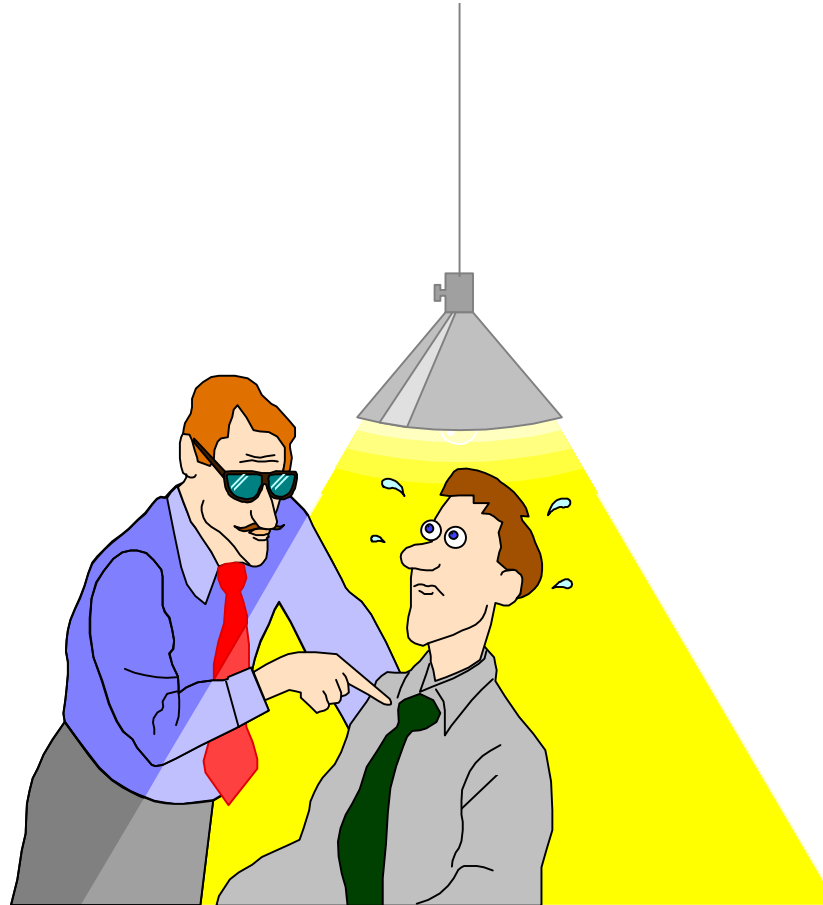
# Enhancing Philanthropic Footprint

- Client
- Issues
- Process
- Result



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# ?? Questions??



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