



University of Louisville's Honor with Books Program

The Project

The volunteer Library Associates Board (LAB) works to raise much-needed funds for the University Libraries to acquire new materials. The LAB developed the Honor with Books program to raise awareness and increase support for the Libraries. By making a tax-deductible gift to University Libraries through the Honor with Books program, donors receive recognition through a customized bookplate in a newly purchased book.

Benefits

The procurement of new materials is a primary priority for the Libraries. The Honor with Books program allows library supporters to demonstrate their commitment and to acknowledge someone special.

The levels of support are tiered and customizable to the donor's preferences:

- \$100—Supports the purchase of one book and the placement of a bookplate bearing the name of the honoree, the date, and the donor's name.
- \$500—Supports the purchase of six books and the placement of six commemorative bookplates.
- \$10,000—Creates a permanent book fund for a specific area of study. Books secured with these funds will be plated with custom-designed bookplates, and the collection will grow into perpetuity.

Donors receive a letter of acknowledgement for their tax-deductible contribution and a copy of the bookplate. The loved one or family member being recognized is also notified.

How to Get Involved

Outright donors, individuals, groups, companies and others may work together to create collaborative support. If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity, please contact Cheryl Crane with the University of Louisville at 502-852-3523 or cheryl.crane@louisville.edu.