

GIFTS & PLEDGES

You can contribute any amount to the Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc. at any time, or pledge an amount to be given over a period of time on a monthly, quarterly or annual basis.

MEMORIALS & TRIBUTES

Your gift may be made in memory or in honor of a special person, event or organization. A gift to the Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc. is a fitting and lasting tribute to a cherished member or loved-one.

DESIGNATED GIFTS

You may designate your gift for a specific Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc. activity or fund.

PLANNED GIFTS & BEQUESTS

You can support the future of the Daughters of Penelope through a bequest to the Foundation, or you may wish to consider a life income agreement.

ENDOWMENT GIFTS

The principal of your gift to the Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc. endowment fund is preserved intact forever. Endowment gifts are invested and the income earned helps support the Foundation's services.

**The Daughters of Penelope
Foundation, Inc.
appreciates your Donation!**

**YES! I want to be included in the
Commitment to the Future!**

Enclosed is my tax-deductible contribution of:

\$35 \$75 \$100 \$150 \$200 \$_____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Tel. _____

State/Prov. & Zip/Postal Code: _____

In Honor Of: _____

In Memory Of: _____

Designated gift to (project name): _____

Please contact me about making a Pledge, Planned Gift and Bequest, or an Endowment Gift.

Please make checks payable to:

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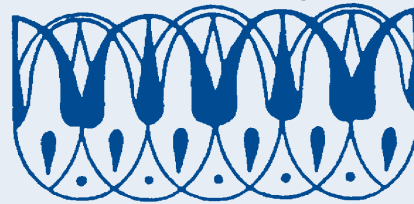
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which makes things happen ...

*The Daughters of Penelope Foundation,
Inc. is the*

"Wind beneath our Wings."

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Foundation, Inc.



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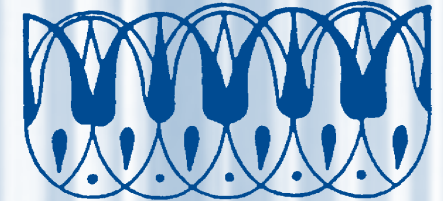
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Committed
TO THE
Future



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Historic Mission

The Daughters of Penelope was founded in San Francisco, California on November 16, 1929, for the purpose of helping women and families of immigrants of Greek descent to assimilate into early 20th century American society.

Now, a century later, the main focus is to promote the social, ethical, philanthropical, cultural and intellectual interests of its members, while preserving and promoting the ideals and traditions of Hellenism in each of our communities.

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Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc.

The Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc. was established in 1983 to ensure that these objectives are carried forward by providing monetary support for special programs - primarily scholarships - for future generations.



Alexandra
Apostolides Sonenfeld

The vision and dreams of our Founder, Alexandra Apostolides Sonenfeld, will be carried forward by the Foundation. It is our belief that programs such as these provide opportunities to expand our hearts and minds. We know where we have been and where we are now. We are looking to the future and where we can.

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Programs



Annual Symposium

A series of lectures are offered during the Supreme Convention, enlisting the services of prominent authors, sociologists, musicians and historians exploring the subjects of contemporary interest.



District Governors Conference

The Foundation assists in generating educational forums in leadership training and self-development for the new District Governors of the Daughters of Penelope.



Scholarships

Education is the primary path toward advancement of women in today's society. Under the direction of The Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc., the Daughters of Penelope have granted in excess of \$250,000 dollars over the years to AHEPA family-related women toward a variety of scholarships. Undergraduate and postgraduate awards are available.

Individuals, Chapters and Districts can underwrite a scholarship in honor or memory of a name of their choice. For further information, please contact headquarters. It is the dedication and commitment of the membership that makes this program flourish.

For further information, please visit www.ahepa.org and visit the Daughters of Penelope page.

we're

making a Difference!



Statue of Penelope situated at the De Young Museum in San Francisco

The Daughters of Penelope are making a difference in a number of community efforts throughout the world.

Hellenic Legacy of the Arts

An exquisite marble statue of Penelope created by 19th century American Sculptor, Franklin Simmons, stands on exhibit at the De Young Museum in San Francisco. This gift from the Daughters of Penelope pays tribute to its founding city.

The Greek Immigrant Oral History Study

This major project was initiated by The Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc. Hundreds of recorded hours chronicling the history of Greek immigrants in the United States and Canada were gathered and compiled by our membership and deposited in the Library of Congress in Washington, DC, the University of Minnesota, and the Library of Congress in Athens, Greece. The Daughters of Penelope have the distinction of creating the only study of its kind in the Congressional Library in Washington, DC.

Penelope's Books

If education is one of our goals, what better place to begin than with the children? As part of our educational commitment, the Daughters of Penelope Foundation, Inc. initiated the **Children's Literacy Project** in 2002. This project promotes education through reading; reading *to* children and reading *by* children. As a public relations vehicle for Chapters, **Penelope's Books** can be donated to libraries, schools, hospitals, shelters and churches by chapters or individual members. This effort not only promotes literacy, education and the love of reading but also acts as a tool for all Daughters of Penelope to promote our organization in a positive light. Raising a reader through books is an attainable goal. Let us help you put books in the hands of those who need them the most - children.