

2021 Festival Donors



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Diamond Festival Patron \$45,000 & above

- Underwrite the 2021 *Music in the Vineyards* Artistic Directors
- Acknowledgment in the 2021 festival program, on the credits for our virtual concerts and on our website as underwriters of the *Music in the Vineyards* Artistic Directors
- Private events with the Artistic Directors
- Underwriter acknowledgment throughout the festival
- Four complimentary front row seats for one concert of your choice*
- Front row seats reserved for all purchased concert tickets

Platinum Festival Patron \$25,000 & above

- Underwrite a select festival repertoire category and two festival musicians
- Acknowledgment in the 2021 festival program, on the credits for our virtual concerts and on our website as underwriters of your chosen festival repertoire
- Public acknowledgement of your underwriting at a festival concert or special event
- Four complimentary front row seats for one concert of your choice*
- Front row seats reserved for all purchased concert tickets

We sincerely hope there will be opportunities in 2021 to gather as an MITV Family of Major Donors. Depending on the safety guidelines in place during 2021, we look forward to keeping you informed of live and/or virtual gatherings. We miss you!

Gold Festival Patron \$10,000 & above

- Underwrite the expenses of one festival concert
- Cover the engagement fees for one week for one festival musician
- Public acknowledgement of your contribution at a festival concert, recognition in the 2021 festival program and on the credits for our virtual concerts
- Four complimentary front row seats for your sponsored concert*
- Front row seats reserved for all purchased concert tickets

Silver Festival Patron \$7,500 & above

- Underwrite the expenses of one festival concert
- Public acknowledgement of your contribution at a festival concert, recognition in the 2021 festival program and on the credits for our virtual concerts
- Four complimentary front row seats for your sponsored concert*
- Reserved seating for all purchased concert tickets

Bronze Festival Patron \$5,000 & above

- Co-underwrite the expenses of one festival concert
- Public acknowledgement of your contribution at a festival concert, recognition in the 2021 festival program and on the credits for our virtual concerts
- Two complimentary front row seats for your sponsored concert*
- Reserved seating for all purchased concert tickets

Adopt an Artist \$2,500 & above

- Underwrite the engagement fee of one festival musician for one week
- Acknowledgment in the 2021 festival program and on the credits for our virtual concerts

Other Giving Opportunities

- **Stradivarius:** Gifts of \$1,000 to \$2,499
- **Guarnerius:** Gifts of \$200 to \$999 (See box below)
- **Amici:** Gifts up to \$199

Music in the Vineyards @Home 2020 Festival DVD

Contribute \$200 and above to the 2021 Festival and receive a free DVD of the best of our 2020 virtual concerts selected by Michael and Daria Adams.

*Giving via Charitable Foundations

If your donation is given through a charitable foundation, you may not be permitted to receive any goods or services in return. Your tickets will therefore need to be purchased but will be reserved at your sponsored concert.

2021 Cumulative Donations

Music in the Vineyards is grateful for all the ways that you support the festival. We are honored to list in our 2021 festival program at the appropriate donor category level the total value of your cumulative cash and/or stock gifts for 2021 (annual donation, additional contribution, fundraising event donations and Fund a Need contributions) donated during our fiscal year beginning November 1, 2020 through our print deadline of July 1, 2021.

In Kind Donations

- Open up your home or guest home to provide accommodation for our artists during the festival
- Volunteer to help at *Music in the Vineyards* and/or *Kitchens in the Vineyards*
- Become a wine partner and donate wine for pouring at our *Kitchens in the Vineyards* event, *Music in the Vineyards* Closing Night Celebration and our major donor events

For the Love of Music

The Maestro Circle, Our Legacy Gift Program

The Maestro Circle honors individuals who are providing for *Music in the Vineyards* with a gift in their wills or other estate planning documents. All legacy gifts are segregated in an income producing fund that ensures the Festival will continue to be a lasting source of enjoyment for future generations.

If you have made a gift to the Festival as part of your will or estate plan, please inform *Music in the Vineyards*, so we can recognize your commitment through membership in the Maestro Circle. Maestro Circle members will be acknowledged annually in the Festival's summer program and other printed materials which are distributed at all concerts during the season.

Giving Options

- **Bequests:** You can specify in your will either a dollar amount or percentage of your estate that you wish to go to the festival, while you retain the use of all of your assets during your lifetime.
- **Life Insurance:** You can transfer ownership of a paid-up life insurance policy, receiving an immediate tax deduction, and eliminating taxes at the time of your death.
- **Retirement Benefits:** Naming the festival as beneficiary of an IRA or other retirement plan assets will result in eliminating significant estate and income taxes at the time of your death.

If you plan to make such a gift, we recommend that you first contact your financial advisor and once plans are made, please contact *Music in the Vineyards'* Executive Director, Evie Ayers, at 707 258 5559, evie@musicinthevineyards.org

All gifts are tax deductible and acknowledged in the festival program book, on the credits for online performances and on the festival website. *Music in the Vineyards* also accepts matching gifts from corporate employers.
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