

Family Values



MEET THE NICHOL FAMILY: Lytle '55, (center), attorney, and his wife, Margaret, flanked by their sons Bill '97, (left), University of Mississippi law student, and Clay '00, (right), development officer for a marine engineering firm.

Instilling the Desire to Give Back

"[St. Paul's] did so much for me. . . I want it to continue, especially for the children of alumni," says Lytle, who, together with Margaret, designated St. Paul's School as a beneficiary of their 401(k) in conjunction with the Form of 1955's 50th anniversary.

As with so many other attributes, the notion of giving back to a cause larger than oneself can be passed along from parent to child. The example set by their parents made an impression on both Bill and Clay and they followed suit, naming St. Paul's School a beneficiary of their respective estates.

"All you can do is set the example, but tradition has a lot to do with it as well and my sons feel they owe St. Paul's a great deal," adds Lytle. "One reason St. Paul's is still here is because people have been

willing to pay the School back for what it did for them in each generation."

Follow the Nichol Family's Lead

If you have included St. Paul's School in your estate plans, please follow the example of the Nichol family and make your plans known to us so we can recognize you as a member of the John Hargate Society.

We also hope you will model this behavior for your children, for they are the next generation of philanthropists.

And remember, irrevocable planned gifts count in total Form giving at reunion.

For additional information on this and other strategies, please contact Director of Gift Planning Bob Barr at rbarr@sps.edu or 603-229-4875.