

## Presented by:

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## Important Notes

These pages depict certain wealth preservation strategies concerning possible methods for taking distributions from your qualified retirement plan. For purposes of this analysis, several of your qualified retirement plans may be aggregated and shown as one single plan. This report provides only broad, general guidelines, which may be helpful in shaping your thinking about and discussing your wealth preservation needs with your professional advisors.

Each scenario shown illustrates your current situation or an alternative scenario and its possible effects on the financial situation you provided. Inclusion of one or more of these scenarios does not constitute a recommendation of that scenario over any other scenario.

Calculations contained in this analysis are estimates only based on the information you provided, such as the value of your assets today, and the rate at which the assets appreciate. Rates of return will vary over time, particularly for long-term investments. The actual values, rates of growth, and tax rates may be significantly different from those illustrated. These assumptions are only a "best guess." It is unlikely that any one rate of return will be sustainable over a long period of time.

The Setting Every Community Up for Retirement Enhancement (SECURE) Act became Public Law No. 116-94 on December 20, 2019.

Strategies may be proposed to support the purchase of various products such as insurance and other financial products. When this occurs, additional information about the specific product (including a prospectus, if required, or an insurer provided policy illustration) will be provided for your review.

IMPORTANT: The projections or other information contained in this report, and generated by this analysis tool (Qualified Plan Concepts) regarding the likelihood of various outcomes are hypothetical in nature, do not reflect actual results and are not guarantees of future results.

This tool and support materials are designed to provide general information on the subjects covered. It is not intended to provide specific legal or tax advice. You should discuss all strategies with your legal, tax, and financial advisors.

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## Avoiding Penalties on Early Distributions

Early distributions are withdrawals from a qualified plan before age $591 / 2$.

## How Distributions are Taxed

Retirement plan distributions are taxed as income. Distributions before age $591 / 2$ incur an additional $10 \%$ penalty unless you qualify for an exception.

## Common exceptions to the $10 \%$ penalty include:

- Death or total disability of owner
- Medical expenses ${ }^{1}$ above $10 \%$ of adjusted gross income
- Higher education expenses (for IRAs only)
- Separation from service to employer during or after age 55 (not for IRAs)
- First-time home buyers up to \$10,000 (for IRAs only)
- Certain in-plan rollovers
- Distributions of substantially equal periodic payments


## Substantially Equal Periodic Payments

Choice of three calculation (Safe-Harbor) methods:

## 1 Annuity Method

- Constant annual payment over expected lifetime
- Usually the highest annual payment and fastest spend-down of account
- Least flexible calculation


## 2 Amortization Method

- Constant annual payment over expected lifetime
- Usually a lower annual payment and slower spend-down of account
- More choices for life expectancy calculation


## 3 Life Expectancy Method

- Variable annual payment that fluctuate with account balance each year
- Usually the smallest initial annual payment
- Annual payment increase if account earns more interest than assumed in calculations

All three methods must continue until the later of age $591 / 2$ or five years

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## Substantially Equal Periodic Payments

## Three Methods to Avoid 10\% Penalty

\$ Beginning Account Balance December 31, 2015: \$200,000

| Year | Part. <br> Age | Annual Distribution | Account ${ }_{4}$ Balance ${ }^{4}$ | Annual Distribution | Account ${ }_{4}$ Balance ${ }^{4}$ | Annual Distribution | Account Balance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2020 | 49 | 7,839 | 288,786 | 11,866 | 284,492 | 11,821 | 284,540 |
| 2021 | 50 | 8,444 | 302,886 | 11,866 | 294,599 | 11,821 | 294,699 |
| 2022 | 51 | 9,096 | 317,418 | 11,866 | 305,515 | 11,821 | 305,671 |
| 2023 | 52 | 9,827 | 332,334 | 11,866 | 317,305 | 11,821 | 317,520 |
| 2024 | 53 | 10,584 | 347,636 | 11,866 | 330,037 | 11,821 | 330,318 |
| 2025 | 54 | 11,398 | 363,294 | 11,866 | 343,788 | 11,821 | 344,139 |
| 2026 | 55 | 12,273 | 379,271 | 11,866 | 358,639 | 11,821 | 359,066 |
| 2027 | 56 | 13,215 | 395,522 | 11,866 | 374,679 | 11,821 | 375,187 |
| 2028 | 57 | 14,176 | 412,048 | 11,866 | 392,001 | 11,821 | 392,598 |
| 2029 | 58 | 15,261 | 428,740 | 11,866 | 410,709 | 11,821 | 411,401 |
| 2030 | 59 | 16,427 | 445,525 | 11,866 | 430,914 | 11,821 | 431,709 |
| 2031 | 60 | 17,680 | 462,316 | 11,866 | 452,735 | 11,821 | 453,642 |
| 2032 | 61 | 18,947 | 479,099 | 11,866 | 476,302 | 11,821 | 477,329 |
| 2033 | 62 | 20,387 | 495,690 | 11,866 | 501,754 | 11,821 | 502,911 |
| 2034 | 63 | 21,837 | 512,062 | 11,866 | 529,242 | 11,821 | 530,540 |
| 2035 | 64 | 23,489 | 527,982 | 11,866 | 558,930 | 11,821 | 560,379 |
| 2036 | 65 | 25,142 | 543,413 | 11,866 | 590,992 | 11,821 | 592,606 |
| 2037 | 66 | 26,902 | 558,203 | 11,866 | 625,620 | 11,821 | 627,410 |
| 2038 | 67 | 28,773 | 572,180 | 11,866 | 663,018 | 11,821 | 664,998 |
| 2039 | 68 | 30,762 | 585,154 | 11,866 | 703,407 | 11,821 | 705,594 |

[^1]${ }^{4}$ Account Balance assumes that undistributed funds grow at $8.000 \%$ annually.

$\qquad$ LIFE EXPECTANCY METHOD $\qquad$ AMORTIZATION METHOD² $\qquad$ ANNUITY METHOD³

| Annual Distribution | Account Balance | Annual Distribution | Account Balance | Annual Distribution | Account Balance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 32,874 | 596,915 | 11,866 | 747,028 | 11,821 | 749,438 |
| 35,113 | 607,230 | 11,866 | 794,138 | 11,821 | 796,789 |
| 37,253 | 616,088 | 11,866 | 845,017 | 11,821 | 847,927 |
| 39,748 | 622,994 | 11,866 | 899,966 | 11,821 | 903,158 |
| 42,094 | 627,952 | 11,866 | 959,312 | 11,821 | 962,806 |
| 44,536 | 630,702 | 11,866 | 1,023,405 | 11,821 | 1,027,226 |
| 47,067 | 630,974 | 11,866 | 1,092,625 | 11,821 | 1,096,800 |
| 49,683 | 628,478 | 11,866 | 1,167,383 | 11,821 | 1,171,940 |
| 51,940 | 623,375 | 11,866 | 1,248,122 | 11,821 | 1,253,091 |
| 54,682 | 614,941 | 11,866 | 1,335,320 | 11,821 | 1,340,734 |
| 56,939 | 603,426 | 11,866 | 1,429,494 | 11,821 | 1,435,389 |
| 59,159 | 588,623 | 11,866 | 1,531,201 | 11,821 | 1,537,616 |
| 60,683 | 571,010 | 11,866 | 1,641,045 | 11,821 | 1,648,021 |
| 62,748 | 549,787 | 11,866 | 1,759,677 | 11,821 | 1,767,259 |
| 63,929 | 525,607 | 11,866 | 1,887,799 | 11,821 | 1,896,035 |
| 64,890 | 498,467 | 11,866 | 2,026,171 | 11,821 | 2,035,114 |
| 65,588 | 468,413 | 11,866 | 2,175,613 | 11,821 | 2,185,319 |
| 65,974 | 435,542 | 11,866 | 2,337,010 | 11,821 | 2,347,540 |
| 65,006 | 401,074 | 11,866 | 2,511,319 | 11,821 | 2,522,740 |
| 63,662 | 365,280 | 11,866 | 2,699,573 | 11,821 | 2,711,955 |

Life expectancy is based on the Single Life Expectancy Table. See the Assumptions page for additional information.
${ }_{3}^{2}$ Amortize the plan over the owner's life expectancy using the Single Life Expectancy Table and assuming an interest rate of $2.500 \%$.
${ }_{4}^{3}$ Annuitize over lifetime based on lifetime income and assumed $2.500 \%$ interest. Use of Annuity Method requires a reasonable interest rate (see Assumptions pages)
${ }^{4}$ Account Balance assumes that undistributed funds grow at $8.000 \%$ annually.


## Assumptions

## General Assumptions

Mike's DOB: January 2, 1971
Sally's DOB: January 3, 1973
Contact Information:
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Charlotte, North Carolina 28262
Home Phone: 704-212-4567
Business Phone: 800-927-3210
Email Address: mikeandsally@gmail.com
The Account Balance is grown pro-rata based on the date entered.

## Traditional IRA/Qualified Plan Assumptions

Current Traditional IRA/Qualified Plan amount is $\$ 200,000$, which includes the employee cost basis amount of $\$ 0$, and assumes a growth rate of $8.000 \%$. Calculations assume all non-deductible and after-tax contributions (also known as basis, investment in the contract, and non-taxable portion) are included in the original after-tax amount of $\$ 0$. Hypothetical rates of return illustrated are not associated with any particular investment product.

A portion of the distributions from the Traditional IRA/Qualified Plan that includes any after-tax amount may not be taxable. These illustrations assume there are no other Traditional IRA/Qualified Plan account balances for calculations that include any after-tax amount.

Elections: Required Minimum Distributions based on the Single Life Expectancy Table.

## Distribution Assumptions

Early retirement distributions are exempt from the IRC Section 72(t) penalty.

## Distribution Assumptions (Continued)

Distributions from the Traditional IRA/Qualified Plan that does not include any after-tax amount are taxable. A portion of the distributions from the Traditional IRA/Qualified Plan that includes any after tax amount is not taxable. The non-taxable portion is the amount of the distribution that bears the same ratio to the total amount of the distribution received as the total remaining after-tax amount bears to the Traditional IRA/Qualified Plan account balance at the end of the year.

Distribution methods illustrated use a 'reasonable rate of interest' of 2.500\%. Distributions are based on the Single Life Expectancy Table.

## Final Regulations

Required Minimum Distributions are calculated based on the Single Life Expectancy Table. If your beneficiary is your spouse (who is more than 10 years younger than you) distributions during your life may be calculated using the Joint and Last Survivor Table.

## Compliance with Revenue Ruling 2002-62

Section 72(t) distributions are in compliance with the calculation methods stated in Revenue Ruling 2002-62. The following calculation methods may be illustrated under this ruling: 1) Extension of the existing Uniform Lifetime Table for use with the Life Expectancy Method. 2) Addition of annuity factor table for use with the Annuity Method. 3) Addition of interest rate (not more than $120 \%$ of the federal mid-term rate) for use with the Amortization and Annuity Methods.

## Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017

The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 was signed into law on December 22, 2017 as P.L. 115-97, also known as TCJA 2017 in this presentation. TCJA applies to deaths and gifts made in 2018 and later. After December 31, 2025, the estate and gift tax rates and exclusions will revert to the amounts provided in the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012.

## Setting Every Community Up for Retirement Enhancement (SECURE)

The Setting Every Community Up for Retirement Enhancement (SECURE) Act became Public Law No. 116-94 on December 20, 2019. Provisions of the Act apply to retirement plans in 2020 and later.


[^0]:    ${ }^{\prime}$ IRC Sec. $72(t)(2)(B)$ If either spouse was born prior to January 2,1949 medical expenses need only be $7.5 \%$ above adjusted gross income.

[^1]:    Life expectancy is based on the Single Life Expectancy Table. See the Assumptions page for additional information
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