

# Building Better FINANCIAL FUTURES



# THERE IS A NEED AND WYFG IS HERE TO MEET IT.

# WE WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH AN OVERVIEW OF:

What we believe at World Financial Group (WFG).

How we help people have better financial futures.

The way our business opportunity works.

THERE IS **NO EXPECTATION**FOR YOU TO MAKE A DECISION TODAY.



### THREE PERSPECTIVES

Who do you know that could benefit from our message?

Could this information help my family or me financially?

Am I intrigued by this opportunity?

# WHAT WE EXPECT IN OUR ASSOCIATES

People skills and desire to learn

Coachability

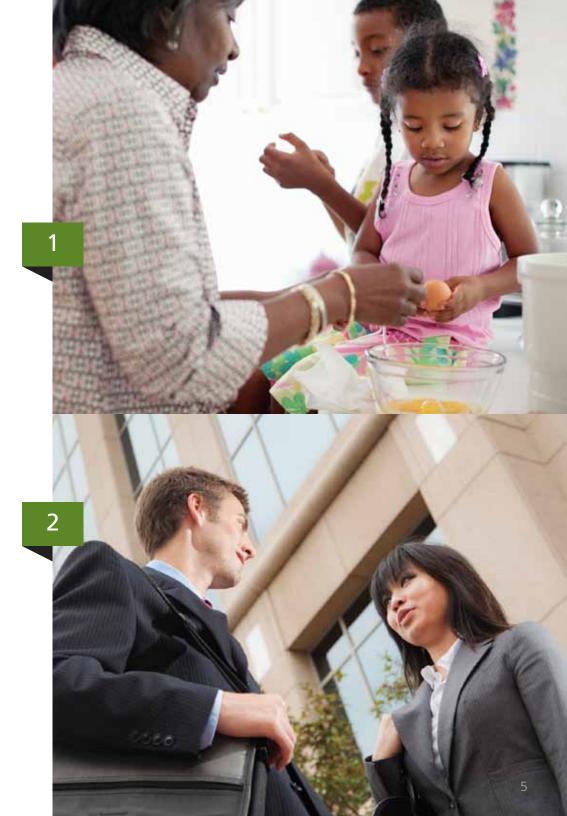
Willingness to follow a proven business platform

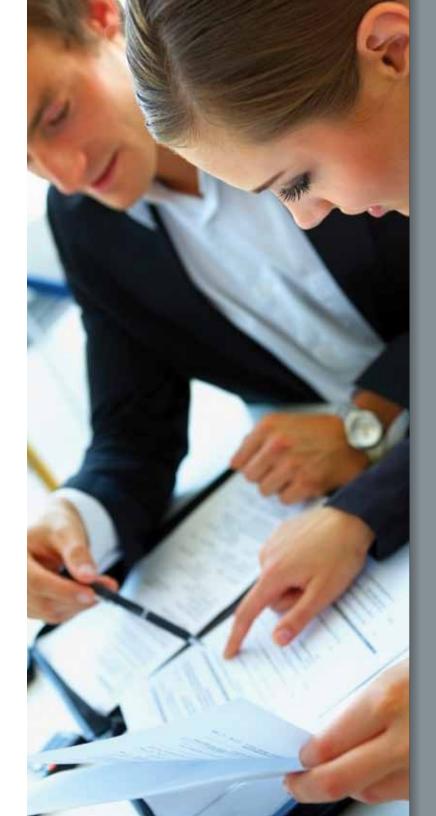


# WFG IS COMMITTED TO HELPING:

Create generations of people who know how to better manage and protect their money.

Provide our associates with the support and systems they need to build strong WFG businesses and create better lives for themselves.





AN OVERWHELMING
NEED FOR OUR
PRODUCTS AND SERVICES

AN EFFECTIVE BUSINESS PLATFORM

POWERFUL COMPENSATION

GREAT TIMING

STRONG CORE VALUES

# WHAT HAPPENS TO THE PEOPLE WHO DO NOT GET HELP?

Many financial services companies focus on only the wealthy few, thus many individuals and families are grossly underserved.

There is an overwhelming need to help middle-income individuals and families with their finances, but there are an insufficient number of companies who are willing to help them.



### WHAT'S THE IMPACT?

Most families are:

Living with insufficient protection and too much debt.

Not saving at all, or not knowing why or how much money they should save to reach their goals.

Without a strategy for their futures, not making enough money and not sure what to do about either.

### WHAT'S THE PRICE?

Without financial security there is:

No peace of mind

Stress and frustration

A negative impact on our families

Sleeplessness

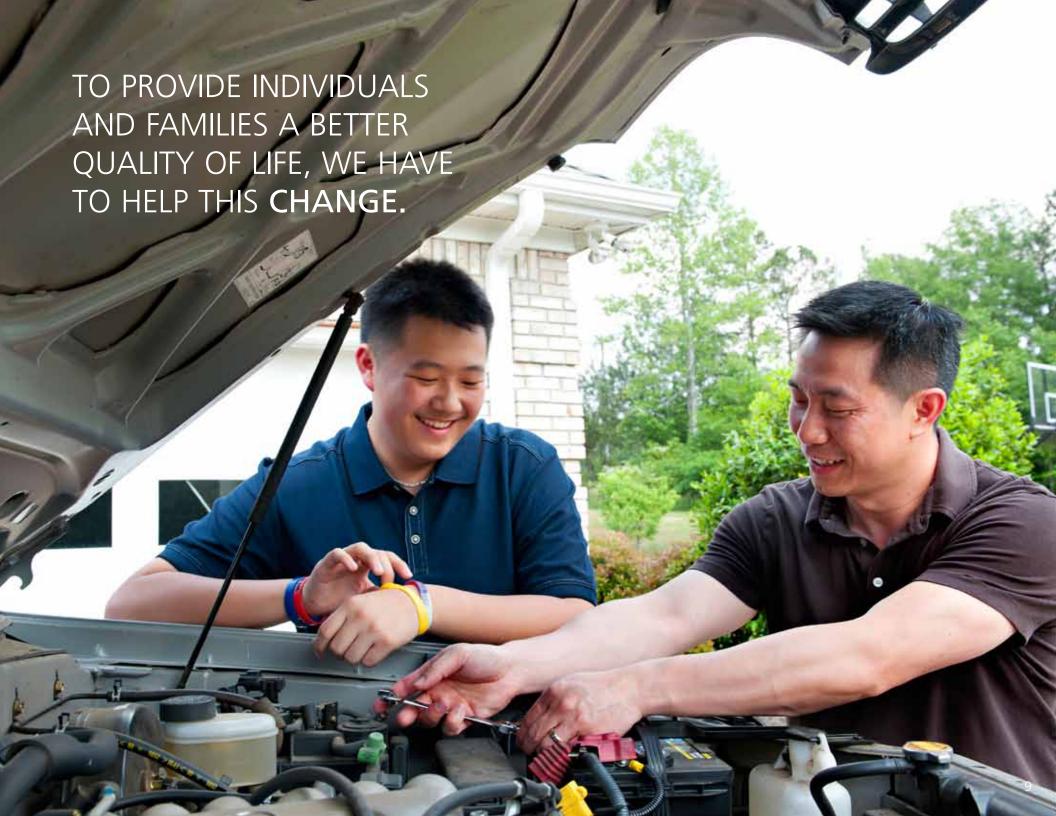
Lost opportunities

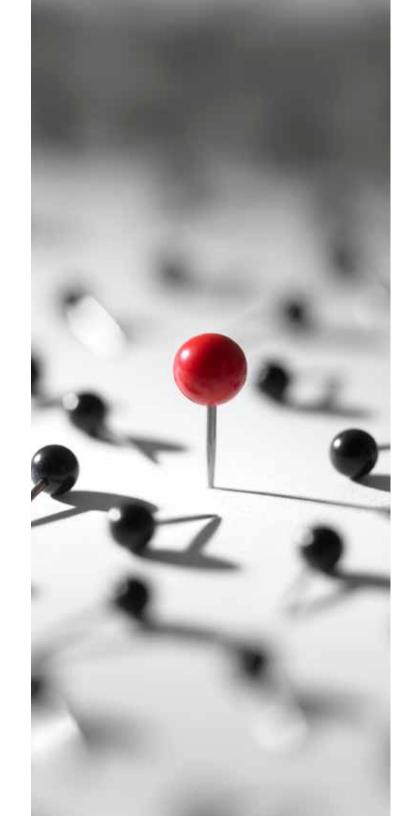
Lack of confidence

Lack of hope

Lowered expectations

Lack of dreams





There is a need for a different kind of company in financial services. WFG believes that we are that company.

### WFG IS A COMPANY THAT:

Reaches out to middle-income individuals and families instead of just the wealthy few.

Helps clients establish goals and gives them a clear strategy on how to reach them.

Helps people build a stronger, more sound financial foundation.

### HOW IS WEALTH DEFINED?

Extravagant lifestyle – celebrities, high-salaried sports stars, etc.

Exotic sports car, expensive home, designer brands

# BUT MOST PEOPLE WHO TRY TO LIVE A "WEALTHY" LIFESTYLE:

Spend the money they earn or more.

Don't attain wealth but, instead, accumulate large amounts of debt.

# FINANCIAL SECURITY REQUIRES DISCIPLINE

It's necessary to develop discipline, and the ability to determine wants versus needs THE DISCIPLINE TO DETERMINE NEEDS VERSUS WANTS IS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE FINANCIAL SECURITY.



# FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE ISN'T ABOUT EXTRAVAGANCE OR LIVING IN A MEGA-MANSION.

### TRUE FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE:

Saving more and spending less

Living within one's means

Protecting loved ones should the "worst-case scenario" occur

Reducing and eliminating debt

Saving sufficient funds to cover expenses for six months to a year

Building long-term savings that protect you and your family for life

Financial Independence = Peace of Mind





# WFG BELIEVES IN A RESPECTFUL, NO-PRESSURE PROCESS.

On the first visit, the associate discusses concepts, gathers data and information, and makes a follow-up appointment.

The associate performs a financial needs analysis for the client.

The associate returns to present the analysis and recommendations.

To know and understand three basic financial concepts can help people have and enjoy financial security. This is what WFG associates teach.



### THE POWER OF TIME

Time can be your greatest ally or your worst enemy. If you haven't started saving for your future, start now.

An example of saving \$5,000 per year in a tax-deferred account earning 10% per year.<sup>1</sup>

	Time	Principal Invested	Total Accumulation	
Person A	40 years	\$200K	\$2.2 million	
Person B	38 years	\$190K	\$1.8 million	
Difference	2 years	\$10K	\$400K	

8 hours a day, 5 days a week: **\$96 per hour** 

### MANAGING RATE AND RISK\*

A one-time investment of \$10,000 saved for 36 years

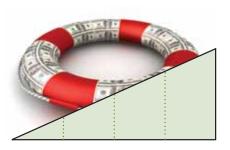
Interest Rate Percentage	Total Accumulation	
2%	\$20,000	
6%	\$80,000	
10%	\$320,000	

The Rule of 72 - If you divide 72 by the interest rate being earned on your savings, you will obtain the approximate number of years required for your initial savings to double.



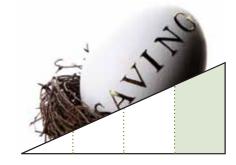
### REDUCE THE IMPACT OF TAXES<sup>2</sup>

### **TAXABLE**



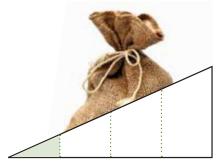
Savings Accounts
Certificates of Deposit (CDS)

### TAX DEFERRED



401(K)S, IRAs Fixed Annuities Savings Bonds

### TAX EXEMPT



Roth IRAS

Cash Accumulation in a
Life Insurance policy

<sup>\*</sup> The Rule of 72 is a mathematical concept that approximates the number of years it will take to double the principal at a constant rate of return. The performance of investments fluctuates over time and, as a result, the actual time it will take an investment to double in value cannot be predicted with any certainty. Additionally, there are no guarantees that any investment or savings program can outpace inflation. All figures are for illustrative purposes only and do not reflect an actual investment in any product.

# A FINANCIAL ANALYSIS PROVIDED BY A WFG ASSOCIATE CAN HELP ANSWER THE QUESTIONS:

How do I create a workable savings plan that I can stick to?

What goals should I set, and how much do I need to save to reach these goals?

Are there products available that can provide guarantees against loss?

What products can allow my money to grow but still allow me to have access to it without a penalty or being taxed?<sup>2</sup>

How much insurance do I need? What types of insurance should I consider?

Will a professional work with me even if I don't have a lot of money?













INSURANCE

TERM INSURANCE

UNIVERSAL LIFE

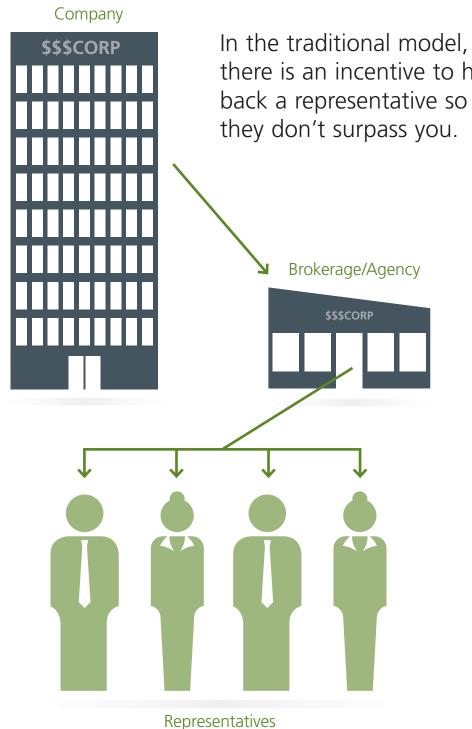
FIXED ANNUITIES

**INVESTMENTS** 

IRA

RETIREMENT

COLLEGE SAVINGS



there is an incentive to hold back a representative so they don't surpass you.

> In order for any representative to advance, they usually have to leave the brokerage/agency for other employment, which means that the brokerage/ agency is losing its best people.

THE TRADITIONAL MODEL INHIBITS **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT** AND GROWTH.

### TRADITIONAL MODEL

### **Production Oriented**

### **WEAKNESSES**

Incentive to hinder promotion(s)

Difficult to keep talented people

Can deter loyalty

Lower energy

Environment can be negative

Stressful

Little to no growth

Little recognition other than your paycheck

### **STRENGTHS**

Good training

Professionalism

Strong products

Great earning potential

### NON-TRADITIONAL MODEL Recruiting Oriented

### WEAKNESSES

Products often based on a fad

Products have small earnings potential

No standards for participation

Inadequate training

No loyalty or buy in

Possible lack of professionalism

Lacking financial discipline

Get-rich-quick mentality

Low entry-level earnings

### **STRENGTHS**

Positive and inspirationa

High-energy environment

Business ownership

Potential for growth

Major recognition

WFG has taken the best of both the production- and recruiting-focused models and created a hybrid business model that rewards both production and leadership development.

### THE WFG HYBRID MODEL

Our model offers:

Excellent, high-quality training programs

A high-standard of professionalism

Top-rated products

Excellent earnings potential

An energetic and positive working environment

Inspiration and motivation

Exciting growth potential

Mentoring from top leadership

Business ownership





# A WFG ASSOCIATE CAN EARN INCOME IN ONE OF THREE WAYS:

Personal production



Override the production of the associates you help develop

Residual income from renewals and/or trails



WFG associates can develop their full potential as leaders and business owners while building their organization.

The guidelines for an associate's next promotion are clearly stated and easily accessible from his/her first moment with the company.

An associate's personal production and hard work, as well as that of his/her organization, are among the factors that help determine when the associate achieves his/her next promotion.

WFG offers an excellent income opportunity. The following example shows how helping a family results in a \$2,808 commission paid to the field, with the commission based on an average Life Insurance Policy sale to a 40-year-old male who is contributing \$185 per month to the policy.<sup>6,7</sup>

	Per Month	Per Year
Associate <sup>8,9</sup> (Helps four families per month)	\$4,044	\$48,528
Senior Marketing Director <sup>8,9</sup> (Helps four families per month)	\$7,276	\$87,312
Senior Marketing Director leading a five-person organization <sup>8,9,10</sup>		
Only Senior Marketing Director's associates <sup>10</sup> help four families each per month	\$16,174	\$194,088
Senior Marketing Director and each member <sup>10</sup> of the organization help four families per month	\$23,450	\$281,400

### NOW IS A PERFECT TIME TO CONSIDER THE WFG BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY.

# IN DIFFICULT ECONOMIC TIMES, THERE IS:

A greater demand for financial education and guidance

A heightened demand to earn extra income

Increased motivation to ensure security



# THE STRENGTH OF A BUSINESS BEGINS WITH STRENGTH OF CHARACTER

In life and in business, especially financial services, a person should have integrity, honesty, dependability, and be worthy of someone's trust. These traits help to build long-lasting relationships.

### WFG BELIEVES IN FAMILY

WFG wants our associates' families to be supported and involved in the business.

It's important to have teamwork both at home and at work.

WFG believes that involving family helps create a more positive and effectual environment.

Our associates are encouraged to always remain positive and to never give up on their dreams.



Is the WFG business opportunity for you? Typically, people who are considering becoming an associate with our company look to do so:

### PART TIME

Like their current jobs but would like to earn extra income

Are frustrated or dissatisfied where they are in their career/life, and would like more control over their time and income

Feel less secure or have recently lost a job, and are looking for options

### **FULL TIME**

Are looking to change careers or want to own a business



LET'S OVERVIEW THE THREE QUESTIONS
WE ASKED YOU TO
CONSIDER WHEN
CONTEMPLATING A
CAREER WITH WFG.

Who do you know that could benefit from our message?

Could this information help my family or me financially?

Am I intrigued by this opportunity?

### **NEXT STEPS**

Consider the reasons why you may want to become a WFG associate and discuss them with your spouse/family.

In the next one to two days, meet with a WFG associate for a follow up meeting.

If you set an appointment with an associate, please keep it.

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- 6 Opportunities to build other income may be achieved by qualifying for additional compensation and by qualifying for bonus pools.
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- 9 Associates of World Financial Group are independent contractors, regardless of field title/designation.
- 10 Example assumes all Senior Marketing Director's team members are at the Associate level.



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