



# FIXED ANNUITIES

## 10 Reasons to Buy a Fixed Annuity

<b>1</b>	<b>Safety</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No stock market fluctuations</li><li>• Principal and interest guarantees</li></ul>
<b>2</b>	<b>Tax Deferral</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Interest earned is tax-deferred</li><li>• No 1099s (if no withdrawals are taken)</li></ul>
<b>3</b>	<b>Accumulation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Attractive interest rates (plus tax deferral)</li><li>• First-year interest rate enhancement plus rate options may be available on some products</li></ul>
<b>4</b>	<b>Liquidity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Surrender-free withdrawal features usually limited to 10% free withdrawal annually in most contracts.<sup>1</sup></li></ul>
<b>5</b>	<b>Estate Planning</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Proceeds of a fixed annuity are paid directly to the named beneficiary</li><li>• Avoids the cost, delay, and expense of probate</li></ul>
<b>6</b>	<b>No Sales Charge</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 100% of your premium earns interest from day one</li></ul>
<b>7</b>	<b>Flexibility &amp; Control</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Between contribution and payout options, there may be a good fit for many people</li></ul>
<b>8</b>	<b>Diversification</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fixed annuities can play an important role in a well-diversified investment portfolio</li></ul>
<b>9</b>	<b>Multiple Guarantees</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 100% Premium guarantee from the issuing insurance company<sup>2</sup></li><li>• Minimum interest rate guarantee</li><li>• Guaranteed lifetime income options</li></ul>
<b>10</b>	<b>One of a Kind</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Because what other accumulation vehicles can provide the nine great reasons listed here?</li></ul>

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