

ARRL Life Membership Application



I hereby apply for Life Membership in the American Radio Relay League, Inc.

My present membership expires _____ or I am a new member _____

Name _____ Call Sign _____ License Class _____

Street _____

City _____ State or Province _____ ZIP or P.C. _____

Country _____ Date of Birth _____

If application is for Family Life Membership, give full name and call sign of the principal Life Member who receives **QST**:

Name _____ Call Sign _____

Enclosed is my: ☐ Check ☐ Money Order ☐ Charge Request

to cover my: ☐ First Quarterly Payment ☐ Full Payment

Charge to my: ☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express ☐ Discover

Number _____ Expire Date _____

Rules for Life Membership

1. A paid-up Life Membership in the League shall be available to any member, other than a Family Member, upon payment of a fee twenty-five times the annual dues rate, and upon approval of the application by the League's Executive Committee.
2. The Life Membership fee is currently \$975 in the U.S.¹ and possessions, \$1225* in Canada², and \$1550** elsewhere³. Age 65 and over, \$900 in the U.S.¹ and possessions. Proof of age in the form of a copy of a birth certificate or a driver's license is required for the reduced rate.
3. An applicant may choose an alternative time-payment plan of 8 quarterly installments over a two and one-half year period. Payment schedule is: **U.S.** and possessions: 7 payments of \$122.00, last payment of \$121.00; age 65 and over: 8 payments of \$112.50; ***Canada**: 7 payments of \$154.00, last payment of \$147.00; ****elsewhere**: 8 payments of \$193.75. Each quarterly payment applicant will be provided an interim two and one-half year membership certificate. Payments are due and payable upon receipt of each quarterly reminder notice sent to the applicant. Upon completion of payments, Life Membership will be granted with the approval of the Executive Committee. In the event an applicant is unable to complete payments on the quarterly plan, the applicant will be given a term of membership, to include the receipt of **QST**, at the annual dues rate in effect at the time the applicant is transferred from the quarterly payment plan back to regular membership status, commensurate with payments received.
4. **Life Memberships are non-transferable and dues payments are non-refundable.** However, upon the death of a Life Member, membership may pass to a surviving spouse upon request, if he or she is an ARRL Family Member, either unexpired term or life, and licensed at the time of the Life Member's death. A new Life Member plaque, if desired, will be available for a one-time fee of \$50.
5. A paid-up Family Life Membership in the League shall be available to any family member of a Life Member's family upon receipt of a fee of \$200, and including a provision for regular Life Membership to be acquired upon the additional payment of the difference in dues normally required, if he or she should cease to be eligible for the \$200 rate. In accordance with the By-Laws, the address of the Family Life Member must be the same as that of the principal Life Member receiving **QST**.
6. Life membership is also available to blind members upon payment of a fee of \$200 without receipt of **QST**.
7. All payments must be in U.S. funds. Checks must be drawn on a bank within the U.S. We are not responsible for cash lost in the mail.

I agree to the conditions and terms as outlined above.

Signature _____ Call sign _____ Date _____

¹Life Membership dues include \$375 for a lifetime subscription to **QST**. First Class postage is available for an additional \$47 a year in the US, is billed separately, and is subject to change depending on postal rates.

²Life Membership dues include \$375 for a lifetime subscription to **QST**. International life rates include a \$250 surcharge for surface delivery to Canada.

³Life Membership dues include \$375 for a lifetime subscription to **QST**. International life rates include a \$575 surcharge for air delivery to other countries.