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**Return of Private Foundation  
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust  
Treated as a Private Foundation**

**2009**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Note. The foundation may be able to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

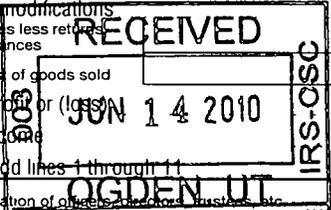
For calendar year 2009, or tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, and ending \_\_\_\_\_

G Check all that apply:  Initial return  Initial return of a former public charity  Final return  
 Amended return  Address change  Name change

Use the IRS label. Otherwise, print or type. See Specific Instructions	Name of foundation <b>THE THOMAS BERRY FOUNDATION</b> Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <b>29 SPOKE DRIVE</b> City or town, state, and ZIP code <b>WOODBIDGE, CT 06525</b>	A Employer identification number <b>52-2149696</b> B Telephone number <b>203-393-9442</b>
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation	J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/> D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) \$ <b>215266.</b> (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/> F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses <small>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a))</small>	(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received	152069.			
2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	316.	316.	316.	Statement 1
4 Dividends and interest from securities				
5a Gross rents				
b Net rental income or (loss)				
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 8a				
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0.		
8 Net short-term capital gain			0.	
9 Income modifications				
10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less Cost of goods sold				
c Gross profit or (loss)				
11 Other income				
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	152385.	316.	316.	
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	30000.	0.	0.	0.
14 Other employee salaries and wages				
15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a Legal fees				
b Accounting fees Stmt 2	4150.	0.	0.	4150.
c Other professional fees Stmt 3	110017.	0.	0.	110017.
17 Interest				
18 Taxes Stmt 4	207.	0.	0.	0.
19 Depreciation and depletion				
20 Occupancy				
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	44584.	0.	0.	44584.
22 Printing and publications	15516.	0.	0.	15516.
23 Other expenses Stmt 5	9482.	0.	0.	9482.
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	213956.	0.	0.	183749.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	4500.			4500.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	218456.	0.	0.	188249.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-66071.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		316.		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			316.	

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only		
		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	281337.	215266.	215266.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments			
	3 Accounts receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	4 Pledges receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5 Grants receivable			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a Investments - U.S. and state government obligations			
	b Investments - corporate stock			
	c Investments - corporate bonds			
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
12 Investments - mortgage loans				
13 Investments - other				
14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶				
Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
<b>16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers)</b>	<b>281337.</b>	<b>215266.</b>	<b>215266.</b>	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
<b>23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)</b>	<b>0.</b>	<b>0.</b>		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0.	0.	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.	
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	281337.	215266.	
<b>30 Total net assets or fund balances</b>	<b>281337.</b>	<b>215266.</b>		
<b>31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	<b>281337.</b>	<b>215266.</b>		

**Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances**

1 Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year - Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	281337.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-66071.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	215266.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	0.
<b>6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>215266.</b>

**Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income**

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)	(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a			
b	NONE		
c			
d			
e			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			

2	Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	2	
3	Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		{ }	3

**Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income**

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank.

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?

Yes  No

If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see instructions before making any entries.

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col. (b) divided by col. (c))
2008	436614.	0.	.000000
2007	397597.	441289.	.900990
2006	926649.	466039.	1.988351
2005	577948.	406952.	1.420187
2004	357167.	136310.	2.620255

2	Total of line 1, column (d)	2	6.929783
3	Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	1.385957
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2009 from Part X, line 5	4	
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	0.
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	3.
7	Add lines 5 and 6	7	3.
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	188249.

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions.

**Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 - see instructions)**

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary-see instructions)		
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	3.
c	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b)		
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	2	0.
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	3.
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4	0.
5	<b>Tax based on investment income.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	3.
6	Credits/Payments:		
a	2009 estimated tax payments and 2008 overpayment credited to 2009	6a	88.
b	Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b	
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d	
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	88.
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	
9	<b>Tax due.</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	
10	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	85.
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: <b>Credited to 2010 estimated tax</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>85.</b> Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11	0.

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
1c		X
2		X
3		X
4a		X
4b		X
5		X
6	X	
7	X	
8a		
8b	X	
9	X	
10	X	

1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?

1b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for definition)?  
If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.

1c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?

2 Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year:  
(1) On the foundation. \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. \$ 0.

3 Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. \$ 0.

4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?

4b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? N/A

5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?  
If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T

6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either:  
• By language in the governing instrument, or  
• By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?

7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year?  
If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV

8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) MA

8b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation

9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2009 or the taxable year beginning in 2009 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV

10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses Stmt 6

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11 At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions)
12 Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008?
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?
Website address N/A
14 The books are in care of TEPLIZKY & COMPANY Telephone no. 203-387-0852
Located at ONE BRADLEY ROAD SUITE 600, WOODBRIDGE, CT ZIP+4 06525
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15 N/A

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

1a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.)
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see page 20 of the instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2009?
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):
a At the end of tax year 2009, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2009? If "Yes," list the years
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement - see instructions.)
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here.
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2009 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2009)
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2009?

**Part VII-B** Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

- (1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?  Yes  No
- (2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?  Yes  No
- (3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?  Yes  No
- (4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)?  Yes  No
- (5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?  Yes  No

b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)?  Yes  No  
 Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here  N/A

c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d). N/A

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?  Yes  No

b If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?  Yes  No N/A

5b		
6b		X
7b		

**Part VIII** Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation.

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
See Statement 7		30000.	0.	0.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ▶ 0

**Part VIII** Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)

**3** Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶ 0

**Part IX-A** Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 SEE ATTACHED	
	0.
2	
3	
4	

**Part IX-B** Summary of Program-Related Investments

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.	Amount
1 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 <span style="float: right;">▶</span>	0.

**Part X** Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions)

1 Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	0.
b Average of monthly cash balances	1b	0.
c Fair market value of all other assets	1c	0.
d Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	0.
e Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0.
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	0.
4 Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	
5 Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	0.
6 Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	0.

**Part XI** Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here  and do not complete this part.)

1 Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	
2a Tax on investment income for 2009 from Part VI, line 5	2a	
b Income tax for 2009. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	
3 Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	
4 Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5 Add lines 3 and 4	5	
6 Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7 Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	

**Part XII** Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1 Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. - total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	188249.
b Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	0.
2 Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3 Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4 Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	188249.
5 Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	5	3.
6 Adjusted qualifying distributions Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	188246.

**Note.** The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

**Part XIII Undistributed Income** (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2008	(c) 2008	(d) 2009
1 Distributable amount for 2009 from Part XI, line 7				0.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2009				
a Enter amount for 2008 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2009:				
a From 2004				
b From 2005				
c From 2006				
d From 2007				
e From 2008				
f Total of lines 3a through e	0.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2009 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ <u>N/A</u>				
a Applied to 2008, but not more than line 2a			0.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2009 distributable amount				0.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2009 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)	0.			0.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	0.			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed		0.		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see instructions		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2008. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2009. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2010				0.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2004 not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2010. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2005				
b Excess from 2006				
c Excess from 2007				
d Excess from 2008				
e Excess from 2009				

**Part XIV Private Operating Foundations** (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

1 a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2009, enter the date of the ruling ▶ 07/07/99

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section  4942(j)(3) or  4942(j)(5)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2009	(b) 2008	(c) 2007	(d) 2006	
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed	0.	0.	0.	11069.	11069.
b 85% of line 2a	0.	0.	0.	9409.	9409.
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed	188249.	436630.	397597.	928680.	1951156.
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities.	188249.	436630.	397597.	928680.	1951156.
3 Subtract line 2d from line 2c. Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Value of all assets	215266.	281337.	441289.	282790.	1220682.
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					0.
b "Endowment" alternative test - enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed	0.	0.	0.	7379.	7379.
c "Support" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					0.
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					0.
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					0.
(4) Gross investment income					0.

**Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year-see the instructions.)**

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000). (See section 507(d)(2).)

None

b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.

None

2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:

Check here  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

a The name, address, and telephone number of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

c Any submission deadlines:

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors:

**Part XV** Supplementary Information (continued)

<b>3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment</b>				
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<i>a Paid during the year</i>				
GENESIS FARM 41-A SILVER LAKE ROAD BLAIRSTOWN, NJ 07825		N/A	CONTRIBUTION TO SUPPORT 501 (C) 3 PURPOSE	1500.
WNYC RADIO 160 VARICK STREET NEW YORK, NY 10013		N/A	CONTRIBUTION TO SUPPORT 501 (C) 3 PURPOSE	3000.
<b>Total</b>			<b>▶ 3a</b>	<b>4500.</b>
<i>b Approved for future payment</i>				
None				
<b>Total</b>			<b>▶ 3b</b>	<b>0.</b>





**Schedule B**  
(Form 990, 990-EZ,  
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**

▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

OMB No 1545-0047

**2009**

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

**THE THOMAS BERRY FOUNDATION**

**52-2149696**

Organization type (check one)

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)( ) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

**Note.** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

**General Rule**

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II

**Special Rules**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution.** An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2 of its Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of its Form 990-PF, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

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Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2009)

Name of organization

Employer identification number

THE THOMAS BERRY FOUNDATION

52-2149696

**Part I Contributors** (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	GERMESHASHEN FOUNDATION C/O WILMERHALE 60 STATE ST BOSTON, MA 02109	\$ 75000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	GERMESHASHEN FOUNDATION C/O WILMERHALE 60 STATE ST BOSTON, MA 02109	\$ 30000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3	VARIOUS	\$ 7173.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
4	ROGER COOKE 1910 SW MYRTLE STREET PORTLAND, OR 97201	\$ 1000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
5	BOSTON FOUNDATION 75 ARLINGTON STREET BOSTON, MA 02116	\$ 3896.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
6	ENGELHARD FOUNDATION 645 5TH AVE STE 712 NEW YORK, NY 10022	\$ 25000.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

Name of organization

Employer identification number

**THE THOMAS BERRY FOUNDATION**

**52-2149696**

**Part I Contributors** (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	<p><b>THE SAN FRANCISCO FOUNDATION</b></p> <p>225 BUSH STREET</p> <p>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94104</p>	<p>\$ 10000.</p>	<p>Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)</p>
		<p>\$ _____</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)</p>
		<p>\$ _____</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)</p>
		<p>\$ _____</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)</p>
		<p>\$ _____</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)</p>
		<p>\$ _____</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)</p>

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Form 990-PF Interest on Savings and Temporary Cash Investments Statement 1

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Source	Amount
WAINWRIGHT BANK AND TRUST	316.
Total to Form 990-PF, Part I, line 3, Column A	316.

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Form 990-PF Accounting Fees Statement 2

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Description	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Invest- ment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING	4150.	0.	0.	4150.
To Form 990-PF, Pg 1, ln 16b	4150.	0.	0.	4150.

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Form 990-PF Other Professional Fees Statement 3

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Description	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Invest- ment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charitable Purposes
WEB SITE MGMT	26000.	0.	0.	26000.
SECRETARIAL	71317.	0.	0.	71317.
MARKETING	12700.	0.	0.	12700.
To Form 990-PF, Pg 1, ln 16c	110017.	0.	0.	110017.

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Form 990-PF Taxes Statement 4

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Description	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Invest- ment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charitable Purposes
MASS STATE TAX	207.	0.	0.	0.
To Form 990-PF, Pg 1, ln 18	207.	0.	0.	0.

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Form 990-PF	Other Expenses			Statement	5
Description	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Invest- ment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charitable Purposes	
BANK CHARGE	840.	0.	0.	840.	
POSTAGE	337.	0.	0.	337.	
OFFICE SUPPLIES	5054.	0.	0.	5054.	
TELEPHONE	1493.	0.	0.	1493.	
COMPUTER EXPENSE	1050.	0.	0.	1050.	
INSURANCE	708.	0.	0.	708.	
To Form 990-PF, Pg 1, ln 23	9482.	0.	0.	9482.	

Form 990-PF	List of Substantial Contributors Part VII-A, Line 10	Statement	6
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Name of Contributor	Address
GERMESHASHEN FOUNDATION	C/O WILMERHALE 60 STATE ST BOSTON, MA 02109
THE SAN FRANCISCO FOUNDATION	225 BUSH STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94104
CHARLES ENGELHARD FOUNDATION	645 5TH AVENUE STE 712 NEW YORK, NY 10022



**Thomas Berry Foundation**  
**Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**  
**2009**

The Forum on Religion and Ecology at Yale is the major activity of the Thomas Berry Foundation. In that capacity we describe in the first two items the major activities of the Forum at Yale. In the third item we list the charitable activities of the Thomas Berry Foundation through the work of the Forum in a broader context.

1. **Joint Master's Degree Program** between the School of Forestry and Environmental Studies (F&ES) and Yale Divinity School (YDS)
  - Teaching students with classes in Western Religions and Ecology, Asian Religions and Ecology, Native American Religions and Ecology, Indigenous Traditions and Ecology, Christianity and Ecology
  - Advising students in the joint program as well as working with the admissions officers regarding prospective students
  - Fund raising for the program and for scholarships for its students
  
2. **Joint appointments** for Mary Evelyn Tucker and John Grim with F&ES, YDS, Religious Studies, Center for Bioethics, Institution for Social and Policy Studies (ISPS)
  - Attending faculty meetings and seminars and trying to help faculty understand the nature of this joint MA program
  - Working collaboratively with YDS and FES to sponsor joint programs or conferences (like the Renewal conference in 2008 and the Climate Change conference in 2010)
  - Working with the Bioethics Center on programs such as Bill McKibben's talk and the program on toxic chemicals with John Wargo and Philip and Alice Shabecoff
  - Working on the FES Aspen conference (2008) on Transforming Consciousness with Gus Speth, Stephen Kellert, Tony Leiserowitz and Lisa Fernandez
  
3. **Forum on Religion and Ecology at Yale**
  - Web site ([www.yale.edu/religionandecology](http://www.yale.edu/religionandecology))**
    - New home page with Events and News and Media (videos)
    - New Climate Change section with statements of the world's religions and related conferences
    - Sending out monthly newsletters featuring conferences, events, and publications in the field
    - Sending out news articles collected by UNEP

**Books**

Harvard Series on World Religions and Ecology- 10 volumes  
<http://fore.research.yale.edu/publications/books/index.html>

*Daedalus* issue on "Religion and Ecology: Can the Climate Change?" September 2001

[www.amacad.org/publications/fall2001/fall2001.aspx](http://www.amacad.org/publications/fall2001/fall2001.aspx)

Thomas Berry Essays Edited:

*The Sacred Universe* (Columbia University Press, 2009)

*The Christian Future and the Fate of Earth*  
 (Orbis Books, 2009)

*Evening Thoughts* (Sierra Club Books, 2006)

*The Great Work* (Random House, 1999)

[www.thomasberry.org/Books](http://www.thomasberry.org/Books)

Ecology and Justice Series Edited: (20 volumes)

Orbis Books, Maryknoll NY

[http://fore.research.yale.edu/publications/books/book\\_series/orbis/ecojust.html](http://fore.research.yale.edu/publications/books/book_series/orbis/ecojust.html)

Books in Progress:

*Living Cosmologies*

*Religion, Ethics and Ecology* (Island Press)

*Journey of the Universe* (with Brian Swimme)

**Journal**

*Worldviews: Global Religions, Culture and Ecology*

Special issue on "Sustainability and Religion"

Fall 2008 Vo 12, No 2-3

[www.brill.nl/wo](http://www.brill.nl/wo)

**Encyclopedia**

*The Spirit of Sustainability*

(Berkshire Publishers, September 2009)

Project of the Forum on Religion and Ecology at Yale

Editors:

Willis Jenkins, YDS,

Whitney Bauman, Florida International University

<http://www.berkshirerepublishing.com/brw/product.asp?projID=82>

**Films**

*Renewal: Religious Environmental Movements*

Forum was a principal advisor for the film

Introduced at a conference the Forum organized with YDS and FES in March 2007

[www.renewalproject.net](http://www.renewalproject.net)

We are exploring the possibility of a film with examples from around the world of religious grassroots environmentalism

*Journey of the Universe*

Working on a major film project with Brian Swimme, directed by David Kennard, *Cosmos* series with Sagan. The project will include a film, book, educational materials and website.

[www.thomasberry.org/film](http://www.thomasberry.org/film)

#### **Websites created and maintained:**

Forum on Religion and Ecology at Yale

[www.yale.edu/religionandecology](http://www.yale.edu/religionandecology)

Thomas Berry Website with Berry Foundation information

[www.thomasberry.org](http://www.thomasberry.org)

Teilhard Association Website

[www.teilharddechardin.org](http://www.teilharddechardin.org)

Religion and Ecology Website

[www.religionandecology.org](http://www.religionandecology.org)

Journey of the Universe

[www.thomasberry.org/film](http://www.thomasberry.org/film)

#### **Conferences September 2009- June 2010**

Center for Humans and Nature Conference

Code of Ethics for Biodiversity Conservation for IUCN

Chicago, September 15-19, 2009, Paris February 2010

[www.humansandnature.org](http://www.humansandnature.org)

Thomas Berry Award, Lecture, and Memorial Service

Cathedral of St. John the Divine, NYC

September 26, 2009

[www.thomasberry.org](http://www.thomasberry.org)

Dialogue of Civilizations Conference

Rhodes, Greece

October 8-10, 2009

[www.wpfdc.org](http://www.wpfdc.org)

2009 Global Environmental Action International Conference

Japanese Ministry of Environment, Tokyo, Japan

*Promoting Technologies and Policies toward a Low Carbon Society*

October 16 – 17, 2009

[http://www.gea.or.jp/top\\_en.html](http://www.gea.or.jp/top_en.html)

Religion, Science, and Environment 8<sup>th</sup> Symposium  
 Sponsored by the Ecumenical Patriarch, Bartholomew  
*"Restoring Balance: The Great Mississippi River"*  
 October 21-25, 2009  
[www.rsesymposia.org](http://www.rsesymposia.org)

"Many Heavens, One Earth: Faith Commitments for a Living Planet"  
 Sponsored by Alliance for Religion and Conservation and UN Development Programme  
 Hosted by Prince Philip and UN Secretary General Ban Ki-moon  
 Windsor Castle, England  
 November 2-4, 2009  
[www.windsor2009.org](http://www.windsor2009.org)

American Academy of Religion  
 Hosted Forum on Religion and Ecology lunch  
 Meeting with Shrivasta Goswami on Yamuna River  
 Participated in panel on Confucianism and in religion and ecology sessions  
 Montreal, Canada  
 November 6-9, 2009  
[www.aarweb.org](http://www.aarweb.org)

Parliament of World Religions, Melbourne, Australia  
 December 3-9, 2009  
 Organized 10 panels on religion and ecology as well as on Thomas Berry and Journey of the Universe film  
[www.parliamentofreligions.org](http://www.parliamentofreligions.org)

Planning meetings in India  
 TERI University, New Delhi  
 For Yamuna River Conference  
 January 3-8, 2010

The Traditional Circle of Elders  
*Women's Ways of Knowing*  
 Canyon de Chelly, Arizona  
 February 19-21, 2010  
[www.twocircles.org](http://www.twocircles.org)

Earth Charter International Council  
 Pocantico Conference Center, Tarrytown, NY  
 March 4-6, 2010  
[www.earthcharter.org](http://www.earthcharter.org)

Kalliopeia Foundation Conference  
 Marin County, CA  
 March 17-21, 2010  
[www.kalliopeia.org](http://www.kalliopeia.org)

Yale Conference organized by the Forum and YDS and F&ES  
*Environmental Justice and Climate Change*  
 April 8-10, 2010 (Fri at F&ES; Sat at YDS)  
<http://www.yale.edu/divinity/dislocations/index.shtml>

American Teilhard Association Annual Meeting  
 Union Theological Seminary, NYC  
 April 17, 2010  
[www.teilharddechardin.net](http://www.teilharddechardin.net)

Beyond Sustainability  
 Hawaii Volcanoes National Park  
 June 20-25, 2010  
[www.beyondsustainability.org](http://www.beyondsustainability.org)

Earth Charter +10 Conference  
 Amsterdam  
 June 29, 2010  
[www.earthcharter.org](http://www.earthcharter.org)

### **Future Conferences**

Because of the importance of India and China in the global picture we plan to do conferences there. The response has been very favorable to the Forum's work as there is a growing recognition that environmental ethics needs to be religiously and culturally based and in dialogue with scientists and policy makers.

India – *Religions in India and the Environment*  
 Focused on the health of the Yamuna River  
 With FES and TERI University  
 Planning meeting in Montreal, Nov 8, 2010  
 Planning meetings in India, Jan 5-6, 2010  
 Proposed conference dates, Dec 16-18, 2010

The Harvard volumes on Hinduism and Ecology and Jainism and Ecology are now published in India through Oxford University Press and Molttil Press respectively

China – *Traditional Chinese Thought and the Environment* with Institute for the Humanities, Beijing University and the Institute for the Study of World Religions Chinese Academy of Social Sciences and potentially the Ministry of the Environment  
 In June 2008 we met in Beijing with Pan Yue, Vice Minister of the Environment. He was keenly interested in such a conference as he has been writing and speaking on the need for an ecological culture in China based on the traditions of Confucianism, Daoism, and Buddhism.

Our colleague from Harvard and now of Beijing University, Tu Weiming, would like to explore a joint project with Beijing University and Yale on issues regarding religion and ecology.

The Harvard volumes on Confucianism and Ecology, Daoism and Ecology and Buddhism and Ecology have been translated into Chinese and are now published in China. There are plans to translate the entire Harvard book series into Chinese.

The two volumes on Confucian Spirituality that MET edited with Tu Weiming are also in Chinese.

NB The Academy of Korean Studies in Seoul (a high level government funded think tank) has recently contacted us to direct a major research and publication project on Asian traditions and ecology. Due to many commitments we have declined.

**Submitted by:**

Mary Evelyn Tucker and John Grim  
 Forum on Religion and Ecology at Yale, Co-directors

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Form 8868

(Rev. April 2009)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

# Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No 1545-1709

► File a separate application for each return.

- If you are filing for an Automatic 3-Month Extension, complete only Part I and check this box
- If you are filing for an Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension, complete only Part II (on page 2 of this form)

Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868

## Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed)

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

**Electronic Filing (e-file).** Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization <b>THE THOMAS BERRY FOUNDATION</b>	Employer identification number <b>52-2149696</b>
File by the due date for filing your return See instructions	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P O box, see instructions <b>29 SPOKE DRIVE</b>	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>WOODBIDGE, CT 06525</b>	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return)

- |   |  |                                    |
|---|--|------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990               | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation)                | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL            | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ            | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)     | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |

### TEPLIZKY & COMPANY

• The books are in the care of ► **ONE BRADLEY ROAD SUITE 600 - WOODBRIDGE, CT 06525**  
Telephone No ► **203-387-0852** FAX No ► **203-387-1918**

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_ If this is for the whole group, check this box . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until August 15, 2010, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for  
►  calendar year 2009 or  
►  tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, and ending \_\_\_\_\_

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period

3a	If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions	3a	\$	0.
b	If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit	3b	\$	88.
c	<b>Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions	3c	\$	0.

Caution. If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions

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