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Form 990-PF

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Private Foundation

or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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OMB No. 1545-0047

2021

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2021, or tax year beginning 01-01-2021, and ending 12-31-2021

Name of foundation  
Arthur H Merry & Ernest B Merry  
Foundation Inc

A Employer identification number  
82-2050931

Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address)  
2919 Sussex Rd

Room/suite

B Telephone number (see instructions)  
(706) 738-7976

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code  
Augusta, GA 30909

C If exemption application is pending, check here

G Check all that apply:  

Initial return

Initial return of a former public charity

Final return

Amended return

Address change

Name change

D 1. Foreign organizations, check here.....  
2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ...

H Check type of organization:  

Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust

Other taxable private foundation

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here .....

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) \$ 2,469,016

J Accounting method:  

Cash

Accrual

Other (specify)

(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here .....

Part I

Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions).)

(a) Revenue and expenses per books

(b) Net investment income

(c) Adjusted net income

(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)

Revenue

1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)

2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B

3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments

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 6a 42,195

7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)

8 Net short-term capital gain

9 Income modifications

10a Gross sales less returns and allowances

b Less: Cost of goods sold

c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)

11 Other income (attach schedule)

12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11

13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.

14 Other employee salaries and wages

15 Pension plans, employee benefits

16a Legal fees (attach schedule)

b Accounting fees (attach schedule)

c Other professional fees (attach schedule)

17 Interest

18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)

19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion

20 Occupancy

21 Travel, conferences, and meetings

22 Printing and publications

23 Other expenses (attach schedule)

24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23

25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid

26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25

27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:

a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements

b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)

c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)

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<b>Part II Balance Sheets</b>		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only. (See instructions.)		
		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	4,555	6,097	
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	13,772	2,047	
	<b>3</b> Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>4</b> Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>5</b> Grants receivable . . . . .			
	<b>6</b> Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . . . .			
	<b>7</b> Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .			
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .	293	205	
	<b>10a</b> Investments—U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	<b>b</b> Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule) . . . . .	1,847,408	1,791,723	2,469,016
	<b>c</b> Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>11</b> Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶ _____ Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	<b>12</b> Investments—mortgage loans . . . . .			
	<b>13</b> Investments—other (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>14</b> Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶ _____ Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
<b>15</b> Other assets (describe ▶ _____)				
<b>16</b> <b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	1,866,028	1,800,072	2,469,016	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .			
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .			
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .			
	<b>20</b> Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	<b>21</b> Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>22</b> Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)			
	<b>23</b> <b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .		0	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Foundations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here</b> ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 24, 25, 29 and 30.</b>			
	<b>24</b> Net assets without donor restrictions . . . . .	1,866,028	1,800,072	
	<b>25</b> Net assets with donor restrictions . . . . .			
	<b>Foundations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here</b> ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 26 through 30.</b>			
	<b>26</b> Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds . . . . .			
	<b>27</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			
	<b>28</b> Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
	<b>29</b> <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	1,866,028	1,800,072	
<b>30</b> <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see instructions) .	1,866,028	1,800,072		

<b>Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>		
<b>1</b> Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 29 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return) . . . . .	<b>1</b>	1,866,028
<b>2</b> Enter amount from Part I, line 27a . . . . .	<b>2</b>	-65,956
<b>3</b> Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b> Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .	<b>4</b>	1,800,072
<b>5</b> Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b> Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 29 .	<b>6</b>	1,800,072

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

<b>(a)</b> 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>(b)</b> How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	<b>(c)</b> Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	<b>(d)</b> Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
<b>1 a</b> 730 AT&T INC STOCK		P	2010-01-01	2021-12-08
<b>b</b> 200 INTL BUSINESS MACH CORP STOCK		P	2019-12-11	2021-12-08
<b>c</b> 80 VITARIS INC STOCK		P	2010-01-01	2021-12-08
<b>d</b> 40 KYNDRYL HOLDINGS INC STOCK		P	2010-01-01	2021-12-08
<b>e</b>				
<b>(e)</b> Gross sales price	<b>(f)</b> Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	<b>(g)</b> Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	<b>(h)</b> Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)	
<b>a</b> 16,529		28,382	-11,853	
<b>b</b> 24,063		27,303	-3,240	
<b>c</b> 933			933	
<b>d</b> 670			670	
<b>e</b>				
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			<b>(l)</b> Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) <b>or</b> Losses (from col.(h))	
<b>(i)</b> F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	<b>(j)</b> Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	<b>(k)</b> Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any		
<b>a</b>			-11,853	
<b>b</b>			-3,240	
<b>c</b>			933	
<b>d</b>			670	
<b>e</b>				
<b>2</b> Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)			<b>2</b>	-13,490
<b>3</b> 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) (see instructions). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8			<b>3</b>	

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

<b>1a</b>	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>b</b>	All other domestic foundations enter 1.39% (0.0139) of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% (0.04) of Part I, line 12, col. (b)		
<b>2</b>	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Add lines 1 and 2.	<b>3</b>	1,011
<b>4</b>	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	<b>Tax based on investment income.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-.	<b>5</b>	1,011
<b>6</b>	Credits/Payments:		
<b>a</b>	2021 estimated tax payments and 2020 overpayment credited to 2021	<b>6a</b>	1,216
<b>b</b>	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	<b>6b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	<b>6c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	<b>6d</b>	
<b>7</b>	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d.	<b>7</b>	1,216
<b>8</b>	Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached.	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	<b>Tax due.</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b> .	<b>9</b>	
<b>10</b>	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b> .	<b>10</b>	205
<b>11</b>	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: <b>Credited to 2022 estimated tax</b> 205 <b>Refunded</b>	<b>11</b>	

**Part VI-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b> 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?		No
<b>b</b> Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes? See the instructions for the definition. <i>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.</i>		No
<b>c</b> Did the foundation file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year?.		No
<b>d</b> Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: <b>(1)</b> On the foundation. ► \$ _____ <b>(2)</b> On foundation managers. ► \$ _____		
<b>e</b> Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ► \$ _____		
<b>2</b> Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>		No
<b>3</b> Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>		No
<b>4a</b> Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?.		No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year?.		
<b>5</b> Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		No
<b>6</b> 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?		No
<b>7</b> Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XIV.</i>	Yes	
<b>8a</b> Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ► GA		
<b>b</b> 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? <i>If "No," attach explanation.</i>	Yes	
<b>9</b> 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 2021 or the taxable year beginning in 2021? See the instructions for Part XIII. <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIII</i>		No
<b>10</b> Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.</i>		No

**Part VI-A Statements Regarding Activities** (continued)

<b>11</b>	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. . . . .	<b>11</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>12</b>	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions . . . . .	<b>12</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>13</b>	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ <u>N/A</u>	<b>13</b>	<b>Yes</b>	
<b>14</b>	The books are in care of ▶ <u>Catherine Merry Williams</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>(706) 738-7976</u>			

Located at ▶ 2919 Sussex Road Augusta GAZIP+4 ▶ 30909

<b>15</b>	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of <b>Form 1041</b> —check here . . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>			
	and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year . . . . . ▶ <b>15</b>			
<b>16</b>	At any time during calendar year 2021, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? . . . . .	<b>16</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ▶			

**Part VI-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.**

<b>1a</b>	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
	(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? . . . . .	<b>1a(1)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? . . . . .	<b>1a(2)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? . . . . .	<b>1a(3)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? . . . . .	<b>1a(4)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(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)? . . . . .	<b>1a(5)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? ( <b>Exception.</b> 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>1a(6)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</b>	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did <b>any</b> 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 instructions. . . . .	<b>1b</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>c</b>	Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>			
<b>d</b>	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 2021? . . . . .	<b>1d</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>2</b>	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)):			
<b>a</b>	At the end of tax year 2021, did the foundation have any undistributed income (Part XII, lines 6d and 6e) for tax year(s) beginning before 2021? . . . . .	<b>2a</b>		<b>No</b>
	If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
<b>b</b>	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is <b>not</b> 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 <b>all</b> years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions.) . . . . .	<b>2b</b>		
<b>c</b>	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to <b>any</b> of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
<b>3a</b>	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? . . . . .	<b>3a</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2021 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 2021.) . . . . .	<b>3b</b>		
<b>4a</b>	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	<b>4a</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</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 2021? . . . . .	<b>4b</b>		<b>No</b>

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

<b>5a</b>	During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
	(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?. . . . .	<b>5a(1)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?. . . . .	<b>5a(2)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?. . . . .	<b>5a(3)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions. . . . .	<b>5a(4)</b>		<b>No</b>
	(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?. . . . .	<b>5a(5)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</b>	If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did <b>any</b> 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. . . . .	<b>5b</b>		
<b>c</b>	Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>			
<b>d</b>	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?. . . . . If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).	<b>5d</b>		
<b>6a</b>	Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?. . . . .	<b>6a</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</b>	Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?. . . . . If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.	<b>6b</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>7a</b>	At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<b>7a</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</b>	If "Yes", did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?. . . . .	<b>7b</b>		
<b>8</b>	Is the foundation subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment during the year?. . . . .	<b>8</b>		<b>No</b>

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

<b>1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation. See instructions</b>				
<b>(a) Name and address</b>	<b>(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position</b>	<b>(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)</b>	<b>(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation</b>	<b>(e) Expense account, other allowances</b>
Catherine M Williams 2919 Sussex Rd Augusta, GA 30909	President 0.00	0		
James Leibach 3238 Ramsgate Rd Augusta, GA 30909	Vice President 0.00	0		
Robert B McDonald 119 Davis Rd Augusta, GA 30907	Trustee 0.00	0		
<b>2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."</b>				
<b>(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000</b>	<b>(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position</b>	<b>(c) Compensation</b>	<b>(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation</b>	<b>(e) Expense account, other allowances</b>
NONE				
<b>Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000.</b> . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>				

**Part VII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)**
**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE".**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
<b>Total</b> number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services. . . . . ►		

**Part VIII-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
<b>1</b> CONTRIBUTIONS TO VARIOUS ORGANIZATIONS FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE. TWENTY TWO(22)ORGANIZATIONS WERE ABLE TO RECEIVE ASSISTANCE.	117,000
<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	

**Part VIII-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)**

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.	Amount
<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b>	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
<b>3</b>	
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . . ►	

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

<b>1</b>	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly fair market value of securities. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	2,208,754
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	48,757
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions). . . . .	<b>1c</b>	0
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c). . . . .	<b>1d</b>	2,257,511
<b>e</b>	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation). . . . .	<b>1e</b>	0
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets. . . . .	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d. . . . .	<b>3</b>	2,257,511
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1.5% (0.015) of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions). . . . .	<b>4</b>	33,863
<b>5</b>	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. . . . .	<b>5</b>	2,223,648
<b>6</b>	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% (0.05) of line 5. . . . .	<b>6</b>	111,182

**Part X 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.)

<b>1</b>	Minimum investment return from Part IX, line 6. . . . .	<b>1</b>	111,182
<b>2a</b>	Tax on investment income for 2021 from Part V, line 5. . . . .	<b>2a</b>	1,011
<b>b</b>	Income tax for 2021. (This does not include the tax from Part V.). . . . .	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines 2a and 2b. . . . .	<b>2c</b>	1,011
<b>3</b>	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1. . . . .	<b>3</b>	110,171
<b>4</b>	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions. . . . .	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Add lines 3 and 4. . . . .	<b>5</b>	110,171
<b>6</b>	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions). . . . .	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	<b>Distributable amount</b> as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XII, line 1. . . . .	<b>7</b>	110,171

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

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	117,000
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments—total from Part VIII-B. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes. . . . .	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required). . . . .	<b>3a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule). . . . .	<b>3b</b>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part XII, line 4. . . . .	<b>4</b>	117,000



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

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2020	(c) 2020	(d) 2021
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2021 from Part X, line 7				110,171
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2021:				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2020 only. . . . .			4,849	
<b>b</b> Total for prior years: 20____, 20____, 20____				
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2021:				
<b>a</b> From 2016. . . . .				
<b>b</b> From 2017. . . . .				
<b>c</b> From 2018. . . . .				
<b>d</b> From 2019. . . . .				
<b>e</b> From 2020. . . . .				
<b>f</b> <b>Total</b> of lines 3a through e. . . . .				
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2021 from Part XI, line 4: ► \$ <u>117,000</u>				
<b>a</b> Applied to 2020, but not more than line 2a			4,849	
<b>b</b> Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>c</b> Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions). . . . .	0			
<b>d</b> Applied to 2021 distributable amount. . . . .				110,171
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	1,980			
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2021. (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)				
<b>6</b> <b>Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:</b>				
<b>a</b> Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	1,980			
<b>b</b> Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b. . . . .				
<b>c</b> 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. . . . .				
<b>d</b> Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount—see instructions. . . . .				
<b>e</b> Undistributed income for 2019. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions. . . . .				
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2021. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2022. . . . .				0
<b>7</b> Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions). . . . .				
<b>8</b> Excess distributions carryover from 2016 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions). . . . .				
<b>9</b> <b>Excess distributions carryover to 2022.</b> Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a. . . . .	1,980			
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9:				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2017. . . . .				
<b>b</b> Excess from 2018. . . . .				
<b>c</b> Excess from 2019. . . . .				
<b>d</b> Excess from 2020. . . . .				
<b>e</b> Excess from 2021. . . . .	1,980			

**Part XIII Private Operating Foundations** (see instructions and Part VI-A, question 9)

**1a** If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2021, enter the date of the ruling . . . . .

**1b** Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section ☐ 4942(j)(3) or ☐ 4942(j)(5)

**2a** Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part IX for each year listed . . . . .

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2021	(b) 2020	(c) 2019	(d) 2018	
<b>b</b> 85% (0.85) of line 2a . . . . .					
<b>c</b> Qualifying distributions from Part XI, line 4 for each year listed . . . . .					
<b>d</b> Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities . . . . .					
<b>e</b> Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c . . . . .					
<b>3</b> Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
<b>a</b> "Assets" alternative test—enter:					
<b>(1)</b> Value of all assets . . . . .					
<b>(2)</b> Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i) . . . . .					
<b>b</b> "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part IX, line 6 for each year listed . . . . .					
<b>c</b> "Support" alternative test—enter:					
<b>(1)</b> Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties) . . . . .					
<b>(2)</b> Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii). . . . .					
<b>(3)</b> Largest amount of support from an exempt organization . . . . .					
<b>(4)</b> Gross investment income . . . . .					

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

**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.

**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. to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d. See instructions

**a** The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail address of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

ARTHUR ERNEST MERRY FOUNDATION INC  
2919 SUSSEX DRIVE  
AUGUSTA, GA 30909  
(706) 738-7976

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

NONE

**c** Any submission deadlines:

NONE

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

CONTRIBUTIONS ARE DISCRETIONARY

**Part XIV** **Supplementary Information** (continued)

**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

<div>Recipient</div> <div>Name and address (home or business)</div>	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
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
<b>Total</b> . . . . .			<b>3a</b>	117,000
<b>b</b> <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
<b>Total</b> . . . . .			<b>3b</b>	

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

## Part XV-B Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes

Line No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XV-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes). (See instructions.)
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Form **990-PF** (2021)

**Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations**

**Part XVI**

<b>1</b> Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>a</b> Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:			
<b>(1)</b> Cash. . . . .	<b>1a(1)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>(2)</b> Other assets. . . . .	<b>1a(2)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</b> Other transactions:			
<b>(1)</b> Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization. . . . .	<b>1b(1)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>(2)</b> Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization. . . . .	<b>1b(2)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>(3)</b> Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets. . . . .	<b>1b(3)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>(4)</b> Reimbursement arrangements. . . . .	<b>1b(4)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>(5)</b> Loans or loan guarantees. . . . .	<b>1b(5)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>(6)</b> Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations. . . . .	<b>1b(6)</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>c</b> Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees. . . . .	<b>1c</b>		<b>No</b>

**d** If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column **(b)** should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column **(d)** the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.

(a) Line No.	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements

**2a** Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? . . . . . ☐ Yes ☒ No

**b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

<b>Sign Here</b>	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.		
	*****	2022-02-07	*****
	Signature of officer or trustee	Date	Title

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instructions. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's Signature	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	PTIN
	Scott A Adkins				P01255720
	Firm's name ▶ Anderson Adkins & Company CPAs PC				Firm's EIN ▶ 58-2106437
Firm's address ▶ 604 Ponder Place Drive Evans, GA 30809					Phone no. (706) 288-2000

Form 990PF Part XIV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment				
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)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
AUGUSTA RESCUE MISSION 526 WALKER STREET AUGUSTA, GA 30901	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	10,000
RISE AUGUSTA 3570 WHEELER RD AUGUSTA, GA 30909	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	3,000
AUGUSTA CARE PREGNANCY CENTER 1298 1/2 BROAD STREET AUGUSTA, GA 30901	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	8,000
<b>Total . . . . . ▶ 3a</b>				117,000

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Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
EASTER SEALS OF EAST GEORGIA 1500 WRIGHTSBORO RD AUGUSTA, GA 30904	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	8,000
AUGUSTA MUSEUM OF HISTORY 560 REYNOLDS STREET AUGUSTA, GA 30901	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	1,000
BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF AUGUSTA 206 MILLEDGE RD AUGUSTA, GA 30904	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	6,000
<b>Total . . . . . ▶ 3a</b>				117,000

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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)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
AUGUSTA TECHNICAL COLLEGE 3200 AUGUSTA TECH DR AUGUSTA, GA 30906	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	6,000
BROAD STREET MINISTRY 20 BROAD STREET AUGUSTA, GA 30901	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	9,000
FAMILY PROMISE OF AUGUSTA 2177 CENTRAL AVENUE AUGUSTA, GA 30904	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	4,000
<b>Total . . . . . ▶ 3a</b>				117,000



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Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
SALVATION ARMY 1384 GREENE ST AUGUSTA, GA 30901	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	1,000
GOLDEN HARVEST FOOD BANK 3310 COMMERCE DR AUGUSTA, GA 30909	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	6,000
GA INDEPENDENT COLLEGE ASSN 600 W PEACHTREE ST NW STE 1510 ATLANTA, GA 30308	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	2,000
<b>Total . . . . . ▶ 3a</b>				117,000

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Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
FORCES UNITED 1190 INTERSTATE PKWY AUGUSTA, GA 30909	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	8,000
CHRIST COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES INC 1226 DANTIGNAC ST AUGUSTA, GA 30901	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	9,000
COVENANT CARE SERVICES INC 3950 RIDGE AVENUE MACON, GA 31210	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	8,000
<b>Total . . . . . ▶ 3a</b>				117,000

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Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
YOUNG LIFE OF AUGUSTA 2249 WALTON WAY AUGUSTA, GA 30904	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	10,000
HERITAGE ACADEMY 333 GREENE ST AUGUSTA, GA 30901	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	5,000
FRACTURED ATLAS 248 WEST 35TH STREET 10TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10001	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	2,000
<b>Total . . . . . ▶ 3a</b>				117,000

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Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
K9S FOR WARRIORS 114 CAMP K9 RD PONTE VEDRA BEACH, FL 32081	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	2,000
TUTTLE NEWTON HOME 2196 CENTRAL AVE AUGUSTA, GA 30904	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	5,000
SPECIAL OLYMPICS OF GEORGIA 6046 FINANCIAL DR NORCROSS, GA 30071	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	2,000
<b>Total . . . . . ▶ 3a</b>				117,000

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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)				
<b>a</b> Paid during the year				
CHOSEN FOR LIFE MINISTRIES 1800 HOG MOUNTAIN RD BLDG 700-101 WATKINSVILLE, GA 30677	NONE	PC	GENERAL ASSISTANCE	2,000
Total . . . . . ▶ 3a				117,000

**TY 2021 Accounting Fees Schedule**

**Name:** Arthur H Merry & Ernest B Merry  
Foundation Inc

**EIN:** 82-2050931

**Software ID:** 21013475

**Software Version:** 2021v4.0

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING FEES	3,120	0	0	0

## TY 2021 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule

**Name:** Arthur H Merry & Ernest B Merry  
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### Investments Corporation Stock Schedule

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
APPLE INC - 400 shs (WFA)	19,239	71,028
AT&T INC - 730 shs (WFA)		
BANK OF AMERICA CORP - 250 shs (WFA)	7,932	11,122
CHEVRON CORPORATION - 190 shs (WFA)	23,786	22,296
COCA COLA COMPANY - 300 shs (WFA)	13,764	17,763
DUKE ENERGY CORP COM NEW - 304 shs (WFA)	25,569	31,890
JOHNSON & JOHNSON - 200 shs (WFA)	27,944	34,214
JP MORGAN CHASE & CO - 236 shs (WFA)	25,238	37,371
MICROSOFT CORP - 375 shs (WFA)	32,078	126,120
PFIZER INCORPORATED - 650 shs (WFA)	23,543	38,383
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS - 404 shs (WFA)	21,384	20,992
AT&T INC	170,839	108,092
VERIZON	64,204	63,027
COMCAST	56,070	70,462
CENTURYLINK-LUMEN	33	25
EQUITY RESIDENTIAL	1,271,446	1,804,389
COCA COLA COMPANY - 200 shs (WFA)	8,654	11,842
INTL BUSINESS MACHINE CORP -200 shs(WFA)		
VITARIS INC - 80 SHS (WFA)		

**TY 2021 Other Expenses Schedule**

**Name:** Arthur H Merry & Ernest B Merry  
Foundation Inc

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**Software Version:** 2021v4.0

**Other Expenses Schedule**

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
BANK CHARGES	30			
OFFICE SUPPLIES	50			
POSTAGE	12			



**TY 2021 Other Professional Fees Schedule**

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Foundation Inc

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**Software Version:** 2021v4.0

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
Professional Fees	4,000	0	0	0

**TY 2021 Taxes Schedule**

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Foundation Inc

**EIN:** 82-2050931

**Software ID:** 21013475

**Software Version:** 2021v4.0

**Taxes Schedule**

<b>Category</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Net Investment Income</b>	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b>	<b>Disbursements for Charitable Purposes</b>
Federal Income Taxes	1,011			