



# INVESTMENT GUARD 10-YEAR OPTION

Protect Your Investment in a Down Market



Optional Benefit with Certain Pacific Life Variable Annuities

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- SUBJECT TO INVESTMENT RISKS, INCLUDING POSSIBLE LOSS OF THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT INVESTED

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# WHY A PACIFIC LIFE VARIABLE ANNUITY

A variable annuity is a long-term contract between you and an insurance company that helps you grow, protect, and manage retirement savings in a tax-advantaged way. It can help you:

- **Grow retirement savings faster** through the power of tax deferral.
- **Manage your investment strategy** by transferring among a diverse selection of investment options free of tax consequences.
- **Convert your assets** to protected, lifetime retirement income.
- **Leave a financial legacy** through a beneficiary benefit.

Our variable annuities also offer features such as asset allocation and optional principal protection. Optional benefits are available for an additional cost.

Guarantees, including optional benefits, are subject to the issuing company's claims-paying ability and financial strength, and do not protect the value of the variable investment options, which are subject to market risk. The value of the variable investment options will fluctuate so that shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than the original cost. Annuity withdrawals and other distributions of taxable amounts, including death benefit payouts, will be subject to ordinary income tax. For nonqualified contracts, an additional 3.8% federal tax may apply on net investment income. If withdrawals and other distributions are taken prior to age 59½, an additional 10% federal income tax may apply. A withdrawal charge also may apply. Withdrawals will reduce the contract value and the value of the death benefits, and also may reduce the value of any optional benefits.

A beneficiary benefit is referred to as a death benefit in the prospectus.

# DOWNSIDE PROTECTION. UNLIMITED GROWTH POTENTIAL.

When you invest for the long term, the equity investments in a variable annuity offer the opportunity for capital growth. However, the risk of market volatility can keep many investors on the sidelines.

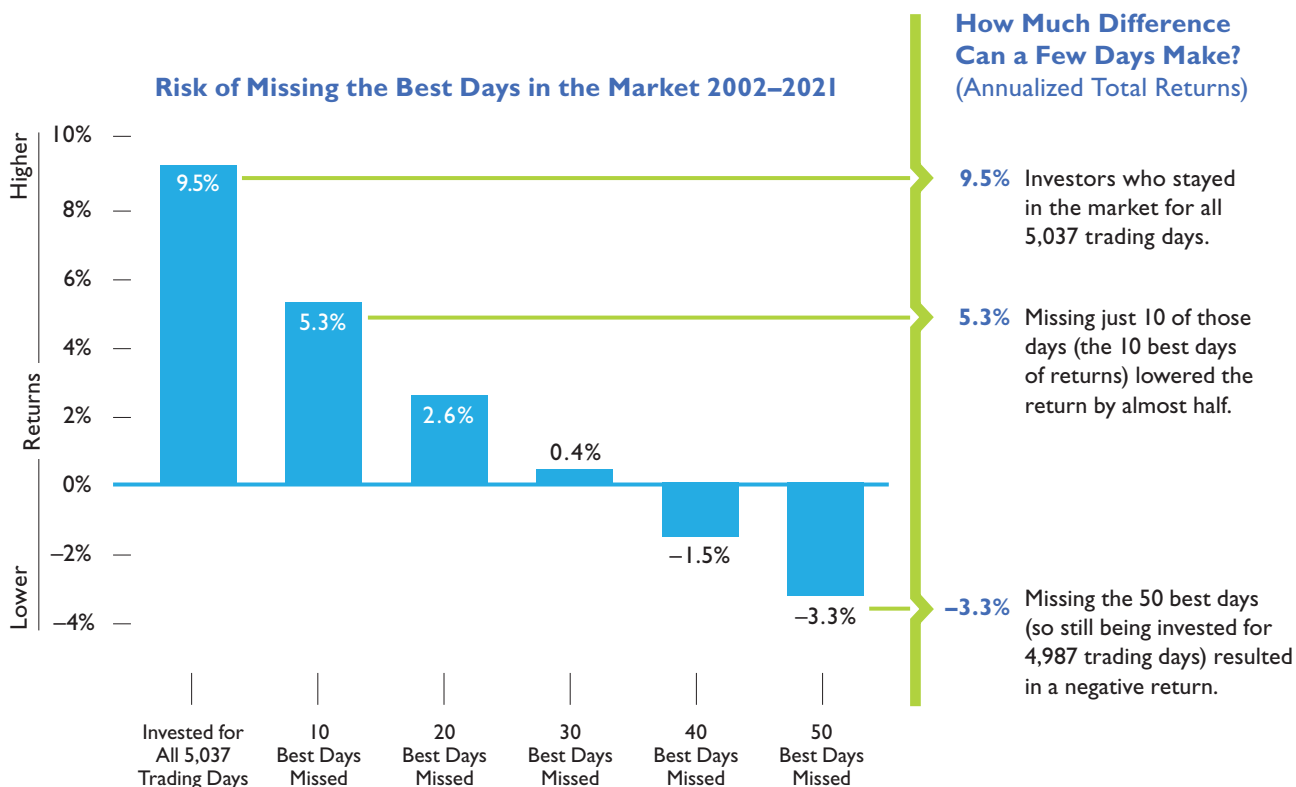
Investment Guard, an optional accumulation benefit available for an additional cost, guarantees that, at the end of 10 years, your contract value will have a level of protection through a 10%, 15%, or 20% buffer from losses. If markets go up, you will benefit from the growth of your chosen investment options.

To elect Investment Guard, your contract must be allocated according to the investment allocation requirements the Company has in effect, which are subject to change. (See your financial professional and the prospectus for details.)

## Develop a Long-Term Plan and Stay Invested

One key to investment success is simple: buy low and sell high. Yet, many investors do the opposite because they're driven by emotions. If you attempted to time the stock market during the past 20 years, you may have missed out on some of the best days. Those who stay invested tend to outperform those who frequently buy and sell as a reaction to market movements.<sup>1</sup> Adding Investment Guard to your annuity can help take some of the emotion out of investing and give you the confidence to stay invested during market ups and downs.

## The Cost of Market Timing



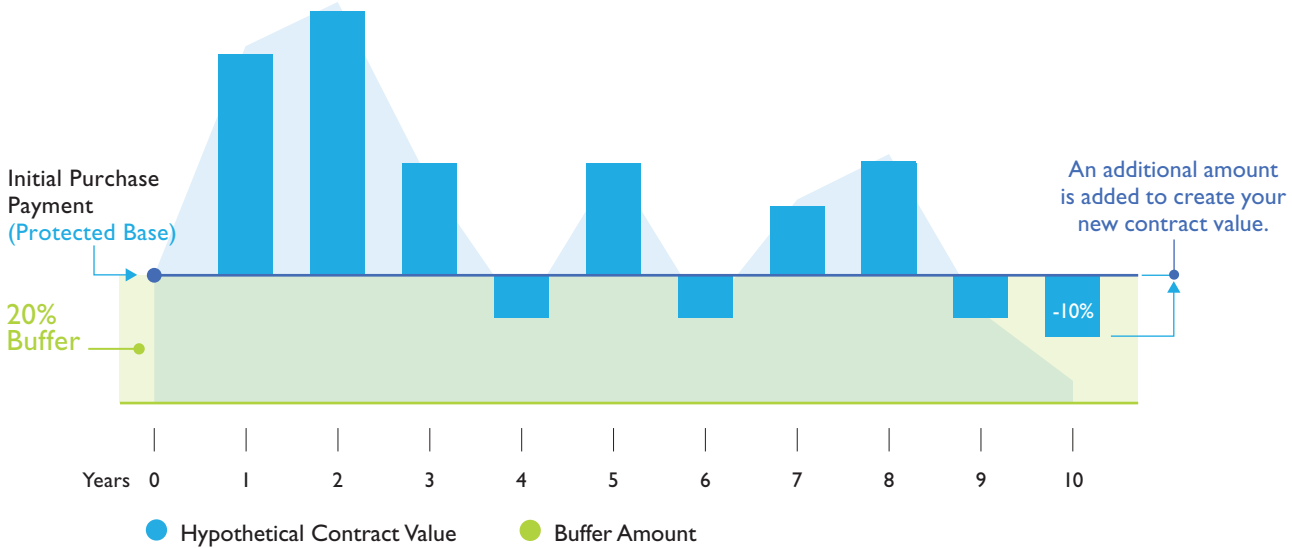
<sup>1</sup>Stocks in this example are represented by the Morningstar® Large Company Stock Index. An investment cannot be made directly in an index. The data assumes reinvestment of income and does not account for taxes or transaction costs. Past performance is no guarantee of future performance, and current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted.

# HOW IT WORKS: DOWNSIDE PROTECTION

Investment Guard provides a protected base, which is equal to your purchase payments made in the first year, adjusted for withdrawals. At the end of your 10-year period, if the contract value loses 10%, 15%, or 20% (depending on the protection chosen) or less, Pacific Life will make up the difference.

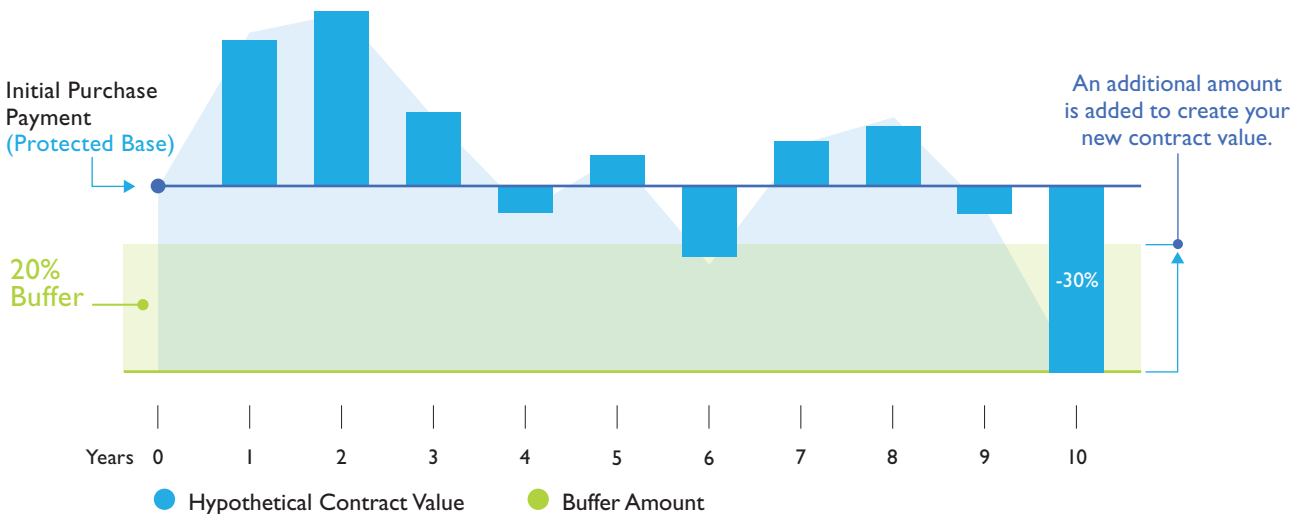
## Scenario 1

On your tenth contract anniversary, if the contract value is less than the protected base and within the buffer amount, **a one-time addition is added to the contract value to make up the difference.**



## Scenario 2

In the event that your contract value loses more than 10%, 15%, or 20% over 10 years, **the first 10%, 15%, or 20% of losses are protected by the buffer amount.** Pacific Life will add the buffer amount back to your contract value on your tenth contract anniversary. Losses beyond the buffer amount will reduce your contract value.

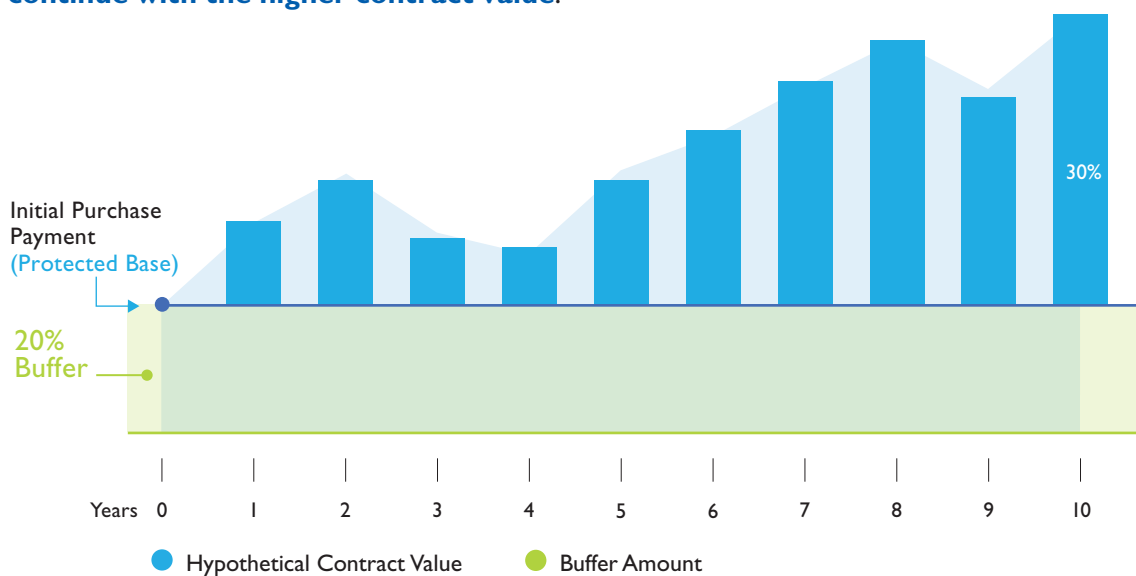


# HOW IT WORKS: UNLIMITED GROWTH POTENTIAL

With the purchase of a variable annuity from Pacific Life, you have the potential for market gains through the performance of your investment options. A variety of investment options are available, giving you the potential for higher growth opportunities. There are no caps on your earnings, so you have unlimited upside potential.

## Scenario 3

On your tenth contract anniversary, if the contract value is more than the protected base, **your contract will continue with the higher contract value.**



During the 10-year period, any withdrawals will reduce the protected base proportionately. When the 10-year period ends, Investment Guard and the protection of purchase payments will automatically terminate. At the end of the 10-year period, you may repurchase another optional benefit, subject to availability.

**Protected base:** Equal to your purchase payments made in the first year, adjusted for withdrawals. Purchase payments made after the first year are not part of the protected base. Please speak to your financial professional before adding funds to the contract after the first contract anniversary. Pacific Life reserves the right to limit additional purchase payments.

**Additional amount:** This is the amount added to your contract value at the end of the 10-year term if your contract value is less than your protected base. The additional amount added will be equal to the difference between your protected base and contract value or the buffer amount, whichever is less.

**Buffer percentage:** The maximum percentage (10%, 15%, or 20% based on the protection chosen at issue) of loss that you are protected against.

**Buffer amount:** The protected base multiplied by the buffer percentage.

These hypothetical illustrations do not reflect a specific actual investment. The examples assume the 20% buffer was selected at issue, and no additional payments or withdrawals were taken.





### Additional Information

Your annual charge is set when your optional benefit is issued and will not change for the 10-year duration of the optional benefit period. The annual charge is listed below.

<b>Annual Charge of the Protected Base</b> (Deducted Quarterly)	
10% Buffer Option	<b>0.20%</b>
15% Buffer Option	<b>0.30%</b>
20% Buffer Option	<b>0.40%</b>

Charge is as of 5/1/23.

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## WHY PACIFIC LIFE

Pacific Life has more than 150 years of experience, and we remain committed to providing quality products, service, and stability to meet your needs today and throughout your lifetime.

It's essential for you to choose a strong and stable company that can help you achieve your future income needs. Since 1868, individuals and their families have relied on the strength of Pacific Life to help protect their financial security.

- Pacific Life Insurance Company is organized under a mutual holding company structure and operates for the benefit of its policyholders and contract owners.
- We have achieved ongoing recognition<sup>1</sup> for high-quality service standards.
- We offer products that address market environments during all stages of your life.
- Pacific Life is designated as one of the 2023 World's Most Ethical Companies<sup>®2</sup> by the Ethisphere Institute, a global leader in defining and advancing the standards of ethical business practices.
- We maintain strong financial-strength ratings from major independent rating agencies.

Ratings may change and do not apply to the safety or performance of the underlying variable investment options. For more information and current financial-strength ratings, please visit [PacificLife.com](https://www.PacificLife.com).



<sup>1</sup>Recipient of multiple DALBAR Service Awards since 1997. Refer to [www.DALBAR.com](https://www.DALBAR.com) for more information regarding awards, certifications, and rankings.

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Ask your financial professional if a Pacific Life variable annuity with Investment Guard may be appropriate for your financial goals in retirement.

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Any additional purchase payments made after the first contract anniversary will increase the contract value and may reduce the benefit provided by the optional benefit.

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***This material must be preceded or accompanied by the product prospectus. Contact your financial professional or visit PacificLife.com for more information, including product and underlying fund prospectuses that contain more complete information about Pacific Life and a variable annuity's risks, charges, limitations, and expenses, as well as the risks, charges, expenses, and investment goals of the underlying investment options. Read them carefully before investing.***

Under current law, a nonqualified annuity that is owned by an individual is generally entitled to tax deferral. IRAs and qualified plans—such as 401(k)s and 403(b)s—are already tax-deferred. Therefore, a deferred annuity should be used only to fund an IRA or qualified plan to benefit from the annuity's features other than tax deferral. These include lifetime income, death benefit options, and the ability to transfer among investment options without sales or withdrawal charges.

Investment Guard is named "Guaranteed Minimum Accumulation Benefit" in the contract rider.

Insurance product and rider guarantees, including optional benefits and any fixed subaccount crediting rates or annuity payout rates, are backed by the financial strength and claims-paying ability of the issuing insurance company and do not protect the value of the variable investment options. They are not backed by the broker/dealer from which this annuity is purchased, by the insurance agency from which this annuity is purchased, or any affiliates of those entities, and none makes any representations or guarantees regarding the claims-paying ability of the issuing insurance company.

Variable insurance products are distributed by **Pacific Select Distributors, LLC** (member FINRA & SIPC), a subsidiary of Pacific Life Insurance Company. Product availability and features may vary by state.

The home office for Pacific Life Insurance Company is located in Omaha, Nebraska.

Contract Form Series: ICC22:10-1352, 10-17800, 10-1780R

Rider Series: ICC22:20-1359-A, ICC22:20-1359-B, ICC22:20-1360-A, ICC22:20-1360-B, ICC22:20-1361-A, ICC22:20-1361-B

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