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## FUND SUMMARY: THE GOLD BULLION STRATEGY FUND

Investment Objective: The Gold Bullion Strategy Fund (the "Fund") seeks returns that reflect the performance of the price of Gold bullion.

Fees and Expenses of the Fund: This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy, hold, and sell shares of the Fund. You may pay other fees, such as brokerage commissions and other fees to financial intermediaries, which are not reflected in the table and Examples below. You may qualify for sales charge discounts on purchases of Class A shares if you and your family invest, or agree to invest in the future, at least \$25,000 in the Fund. More information about these and other discounts is available from your financial professional and in How to Purchase Shares in this Prospectus.

Shareholder Fees (fees paid directly from your investment)	Class A
Maximum Sales Charge (Load) Imposed on Purchases (as a % of offering price)	5.75%
Maximum Deferred Sales Charge (Load) (as a % of original purchase price)	None
Maximum Sales Charge (Load) Imposed on Reinvested Dividends and other Distributions	None
Annual Fund Operating Expenses (expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)	
Management Fees	0.75%
Distribution and/or Service (12b-1) Fees	0.25%
Other Expenses <sup>(1)</sup>	0.35%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses <sup>(2)</sup>	<u>0.11%</u>
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	1.46%

- (1) Includes shareholder service expenses of 0.15% that may include sub-transfer agent and sub-custodian fees.
- (2) Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses are indirect costs of investing in other investment companies. The operating expenses in this fee table will not correlate to the expense ratio in the Fund's financial highlights, when issued, because the financial statements include only the direct operating expenses incurred by the Fund and does not include the indirect costs of investing in other investment companies.

**Example:** This Example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other mutual funds.

The Example assumes that you invest \$10,000 in the Fund for the time periods indicated and then redeem all of your shares at the end of those periods. The Example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year and that the Fund's operating expenses remain the same. Although your actual costs may be higher or lower, based upon these assumptions your costs would be:

1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years
\$715	\$1,010	\$1,327	\$2,221

**Portfolio Turnover:** The Fund pays transaction costs, such as commissions, when it buys and sells securities (or "turns over" its portfolio). A higher portfolio turnover may indicate higher transaction costs and may result in higher taxes when Fund shares are held in a taxable account. These costs, which are not reflected in annual fund operating expenses or in the Example, affect the Fund's performance. During the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024, the Fund's portfolio turnover rate was 77% of the average value of its portfolio.

**Principal Investment Strategies:** The Fund's Adviser delegates execution of the Fund's investment strategy to the Sub-Adviser. Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest primarily in Gold bullion-related (1) exchange-traded funds ("ETFs"); (2) exchange-traded notes ("ETNs"); (3) exchange-traded futures contracts, (4) over-the-counter forward contracts and (5) fixed income securities, including through mutual funds and ETFs that invest primarily in fixed income securities.

Gold bullion-related ETFs are those that invest primarily in (i) physical Gold bullion and/or (ii) over the counter or exchange-traded derivatives on Gold bullion such as forward contracts, futures contracts, and options contracts or swap contracts. Gold bullion related ETNs are those with interest and/or principal payments linked to the price of Gold bullion. Derivatives are primarily used as substitutes for Gold bullion because they are expected to produce returns that are substantially similar to those of Gold bullion. Derivatives used by the Fund are expected to produce a significant portion of the Fund's returns. The Fund does not invest more than 25% of Fund assets in over-the-counter derivative contracts with any one counterparty. ETFs and ETNs may employ leverage, which magnifies the changes in the underlying Gold index or Gold price upon which they are based.

The Fund concentrates investments in the Gold bullion industry under normal circumstances investing over 25% of its assets in the Gold bullion industry. For purposes of measuring the 25% Gold bullion industry investments, the Fund includes the effects of leverage to Gold bullion (e.g., a security with 2 times leverage to Gold bullion price changes is counted at twice its value). The Fund also invests in investment grade fixed income corporate notes and bonds to generate interest income and to preserve principal. The Fund defines investment grade fixed income securities as those that are rated, at the time purchased, in the top four categories by a rating agency such as Moody's Investors Service, Inc. ("Moody's") or Standard & Poor's Ratings Group ("S&P"), or, if unrated, determined by the Sub-Adviser to be of comparable quality. However, the fixed income securities are selected without restriction as to maturity, issuer country or capitalization.

The Fund will invest up to 25% of its total assets in the wholly owned and controlled Subsidiary (the "Subsidiary"). The Subsidiary is expected to provide the Fund with exposure to Gold bullion within the limitations of the federal tax requirements of Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"). The Subsidiary will invest primarily in Gold bullion-related: ETFs, ETNs, futures and forward contracts. The Fund's investments will be composed primarily of securities, even when viewing the Subsidiary on a consolidated basis. The Subsidiary, when viewed from a consolidated basis, is subject to the same investment restrictions as the Fund.

The Sub-Adviser selects securities and derivatives to maintain the Fund's primary allocation to investments that it believes will have returns that reflect the performance of the price of Gold bullion. The Sub-Adviser disposes of securities or derivatives to replace them with investments that it believes have a higher expected return or will more closely track Gold bullion prices or both. However, placement of individual trades, with the exception of fixed income trades, is conducted by the Adviser in consultation with the Sub-Adviser. The Sub-Adviser selects derivative counterparties it believes to be creditworthy and will close out a derivative position if it believes the counterparty is no longer creditworthy. The Sub-Adviser places substantially all fixed income trades. The Adviser and/or Sub-Adviser may engage in frequent trading to achieve the Fund's investment objective, which may result in continued turnover in excess of 100%.

**Principal Investment Risks:** As with all mutual funds, there is the risk that you could lose money through your investment in the Fund. The Fund is not intended to be a complete investment program. Many factors affect the Fund's net asset value and performance.

The following risks apply to the Fund through its direct investments as well as indirectly through investments in ETFs, mutual funds, ETNs, and the Subsidiary.

- Gold Risk: The price of Gold may be volatile and Gold bullion-related ETFs, ETNs and derivatives may be highly sensitive to the price of Gold. The price of Gold bullion can be significantly affected by international monetary and political developments such as currency devaluation or revaluation, central bank movements, economic and social conditions within a country, transactional or trade imbalances, or trade or currency restrictions between countries. Physical Gold bullion has sales commission, storage, insurance, and auditing expenses.
- Banking Sector Risk: The banking sector can be adversely affected by legislation, regulation, competition and by declines in general economic conditions, increased borrower defaults, and changes in interest rates.
- *Concentration Risk:* Because the Fund will invest more than 25% of its assets in the Gold bullion industry, the Fund will be subject to greater volatility risk than a Fund that is not concentrated in a single industry.
- Derivatives Risk: Futures and forwards are subject to inherent leverage that magnifies Fund losses. These derivatives may not provide an effective substitute for Gold bullion because changes in derivative prices may not track those of the underlying Gold bullion. Also, over the counter forwards are subject to counterparty default risk.
- ETF, Mutual Fund and ETN Risk: ETFs, mutual funds and ETNs are subject to investment advisory or management and other expenses, which will be indirectly paid by the Fund. Each is subject to specific risks, depending on its investment strategy. Also, each may be subject to leverage risk, which will magnify losses. ETNs are subject to default risks. ETFs and ETNs may not provide an effective substitute for Gold bullion because changes in derivative prices held by these instruments may not track those of the underlying Gold bullion.
- *Fixed Income Risk:* The value of bonds and other fixed income securities will fluctuate with changes in interest rates. Typically, a rise in interest rates causes a decline in the value of fixed income securities. Current conditions may result in a rise in interest rates, which in turn may result in a decline in the value of the fixed income investments held by the Fund. As a result, for the present, interest rate risk may be heightened. Issuers may also default.
- Management Risk: The Sub-Adviser's judgments about the attractiveness, value and potential appreciation or depreciation of a particular instrument in which the Fund invests may prove to be inaccurate and may not produce the desired results. The Adviser's assessment of the Sub-Adviser's investment qualifications may also prove to be inaccurate and may not produce the desired results.
- *Market Risk:* The Fund's investments will decline in value if the price of Gold declines. Overall securities market risks may affect the value of individual Fund holdings. Factors such as foreign and domestic economic growth and market conditions, interest rate levels, and political events may adversely affect the equity and fixed income securities markets.

Overall investment market risks affect the value of the Fund. Factors such as economic growth and market conditions, interest rate levels, and political events affect the US and international investment markets. Additionally, unexpected local, regional or global events, such as war; acts of terrorism; financial, political or social disruptions; natural, environmental or man-made disasters; the spread of infectious illnesses or other public health issues (such as the global pandemic coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)); and recessions and depressions could have a significant impact on the Fund and its investments and may impair market liquidity. Such events can cause investor fear, which can adversely affect the economies of nations, regions and the market in general, in ways that cannot necessarily be foreseen.

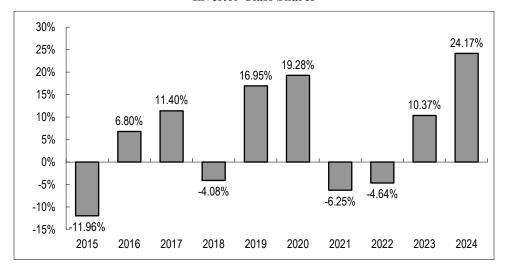
- Taxation Risk: By investing in Gold bullion indirectly through the Subsidiary, the Fund will obtain exposure to the Gold bullion markets within the federal tax requirements that apply to the Fund. However, because the Subsidiary is a controlled foreign corporation, any income received from its investments will be passed through to the Fund as ordinary income, which may be taxed at less favorable rates than capital gains.
- Turnover Risk: A higher portfolio turnover may result in higher transactional and brokerage costs. The Sub-Adviser's use of the Fund as an asset allocation tool for its other clients will increase the Fund's portfolio turnover. The Fund's turnover rate is expected to be above 100% annually.
- Wholly Owned Subsidiary Risk: Changes in the laws of the United States and/or the Cayman Islands, under which the Fund and the Subsidiary, respectively, are organized, could result in the inability of the Fund and/or Subsidiary to operate as described in this Prospectus and could negatively affect the Fund and its shareholders. Your cost of investing in the Fund will be higher because you indirectly bear the expenses of the Subsidiary. The Subsidiary is not registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940 ("1940 Act"), as amended, and, unless otherwise noted in this Prospectus, is not subject to all of the investor protections of the 1940 Act, such as limits on leverage when viewed in isolation from the Fund.

## *Is the Fund Right for You?*

The Fund is intended for investors who want returns that seek to reflect the performance of the price of Gold bullion without the burdens of personally acquiring and holding Gold bullion.

**Performance:** The bar chart and performance table below show the variability of the Fund's returns, which is some indication of the risks of investing in the Fund. The bar chart shows performance of the Fund's Investor Class shares for each full calendar year for the past ten years. The performance table compares the performance of the Fund's Investor Class shares over time to the performance of a broad-based market index and a supplemental index. You should be aware that the Fund's past performance (before and after taxes) may not be an indication of how the Fund will perform in the future. Investor Class shares are not offered in this Prospectus but would have similar annual returns to Class A shares because the classes are invested in the same portfolio of securities, however, the returns for Class A shares might be lower than Investor Class shares because Investor Class shares might have lower expenses than Class A shares. Also, shareholder reports containing financial and performance information will be mailed to shareholders semi-annually. Updated performance information and daily net asset value per share ("NAV") is available at no cost by calling toll-free 1-855-650-QGLD (7453).

## Investor Class Performance Bar Chart For Calendar Years Ended December 31st Investor Class Shares



Best Quarter:	3/31/2016	16.46%
Worst Quarter:	12/31/2016	(13.84)%

# Performance Table Average Annual Total Returns (For periods ended December 31, 2024)

	One	Five	Ten
Investor Class Shares	Year	Year	Years(1)
Investor Class Shares Return before taxes	24.17%	7.89%	5.56%
Investor Class Shares Return after taxes on distributions	12.78%	4.21%	2.80%
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and sale of Fund shares	14.32%	4.53%	3.07%
S&P 500 Total Return <sup>(2)</sup>			
(reflects no deduction for fees, expenses or taxes)	25.02%	14.53%	13.40%
S&P GSCI Gold Index <sup>(3)</sup>			
(reflects no deduction for fees, expenses or taxes)	26.62%	10.42%	7.39%

- (1) The performance record shown in the table reflects the investment performance of the Fund's Investor Class Shares, which are not offered in this Prospectus. Had Class A Shares been operational during the periods in the table, it would have had similar, but lower, annual returns because Investor Class shares are invested in the same portfolio of securities and the annual returns would differ only to the extent that the Class A shares do not have the same expenses and because Class A shares are subject to a sales load.
- (2) The S&P 500 Total Return Index is an unmanaged composite of 500 large capitalization companies and includes the reinvestment of dividends. This index is widely used by professional investors as a performance benchmark for large-cap stocks. Investors cannot invest directly in an index.
- (3) The S&P GSCI (Goldman Sachs Commodity Index) Gold Index, a sub-index of the S&P GSCI, provides investors with a reliable and publicly available benchmark tracking the COMEX gold future. The index is designed to be tradable, readily accessible to market participants, and cost efficient to implement. Investors cannot directly invest in an index.

After-tax returns were calculated using the historical highest individual federal marginal income tax rates and do not reflect the impact of state and local taxes. Actual after-tax returns depend on an investor's tax situation and may differ from those shown, and after-tax returns shown are not relevant to investors who hold shares of the Fund through tax-deferred arrangements, such as 401(k) plans or individual retirement accounts.

Investment Adviser: Advisors Preferred, LLC (the "Adviser")

Sub-Adviser: Flexible Plan Investments, Ltd. (the "Sub-Adviser")

**Sub-Adviser Portfolio Managers:** Jerry C. Wagner, President of the Sub-Adviser, has served the Fund as a portfolio manager since it commenced operations in 2013. Timothy Hanna, CFS, CFIP, Senior Portfolio Manager of the Sub-Adviser, has served the Fund as portfolio manager since August 2019. Daniel Poppe, CFA, is senior Research Analyst of the Sub-Adviser and has served as a portfolio manager of the Portfolio since April 2024.

Purchase and Sale of Fund Shares: The investment minimums for the Fund are:

	Initial Investment		Subsequent	Investment
	Regular	Retirement	Regular	Retirement
Class	Account	Account	Account	Account
A	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$250	\$100

The Fund, Adviser or Sub-Adviser may waive any investment minimum. You may purchase and redeem shares of the Fund on any day that the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") is open. Redemption requests may be made in writing, by telephone, or through a financial intermediary and will be paid by ACH, check or wire transfer. Purchase and redemptions requests must be received by the Fund (or an authorized broker or agent, or its authorized designee) before the close of regular trading on the NYSE (normally 4:00 p.m., Eastern Time) to assure ample time to transmit to the Fund prior to NAV pricing.

**Tax Information:** Dividends and capital gain distributions you receive from the Fund, whether you reinvest your distributions in additional Fund shares or receive them in cash, are taxable to you at either ordinary income or capital gains tax rates unless you are investing through a tax-deferred plan such as an IRA or 401(k) Plan. However, these dividend and capital gain distributions may be taxable upon their eventual withdrawal from tax-deferred plans.

Payments to Broker-Dealers and Other Financial Intermediaries: If you purchase the Fund through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank), the Fund and its related companies may pay the intermediary for the sale of Fund shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealer or other intermediary and your salesperson to recommend the Fund over another investment. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT PRINCIPAL INVESTMENT STRATEGIES AND RELATED RISKS

## **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The Fund seeks returns that reflect the performance of the price of Gold bullion. The Fund's investment objective may be changed without shareholder approval by the Trust's Board of Trustees (the "Board" or the ("Trustees") upon 60 days written notice to shareholders. However, the Fund's 25% Gold bullion industry investment policy is a fundamental policy and may not be changed without approval by a "majority of the outstanding shares" of the Fund which means the vote of the lesser of (a) 67% or more of the shares of the Fund represented at a shareholder meeting, if the holders of more than 50% of the outstanding shares of the Fund are presented by proxy, or (b) more than 50% of the outstanding shares of the Fund.

#### PRINCIPAL INVESTMENT STRATEGIES

Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest primarily in Gold bullion-related: (1) exchange-traded funds ("ETFs"); (2) exchange-traded notes ("ETNs"); (3) exchange-traded futures contracts, (4) over-the-counter forward contracts and (5) fixed income securities, including through mutual funds and ETFs that invest primarily in fixed income securities.

Gold bullion-related ETFs are those that invest primarily in (i) physical Gold bullion and/or (ii) over-the-counter or exchange-traded derivatives on Gold bullion such as forward contracts, futures contracts, and options contracts or swap contracts. Gold bullion related ETNs are those with interest and/or principal payments linked to the price of Gold bullion. Derivatives are primarily used as substitutes for Gold bullion because they are expected to produce returns that are substantially similar to those of Gold bullion. Derivatives used by the Fund are expected to produce a significant portion of the Fund's returns. The Fund does not invest more than 25% of Fund assets in over-the-counter derivative contracts with any one counterparty. ETFs and ETNs may employ leverage, which magnifies the changes in the underlying Gold index or Gold price upon which they are based.

The Fund concentrates investments in the Gold bullion industry under normal circumstances investing over 25% of its assets in the Gold bullion industry. For purposes of measuring the 25% Gold bullion industry investments, the Fund includes the effects of leverage to Gold bullion (e.g., a security with 2 times leverage to Gold bullion price changes is counted at twice its value). The Fund also invests in investment grade fixed income corporate notes and bonds to generate interest income and to seek to preserve principal. The Fund defines investment grade fixed income securities as those that are rated, at the time purchased, in the top four categories by a rating agency such as Moody's Investors Service, LLC ("Moody's") or S&P Ratings Group ("S&P"), or, if unrated, determined by the Sub-Adviser to be of comparable quality. However, the fixed income securities are selected without restriction as to maturity, issuer country or capitalization.

The Fund will invest up to 25% of its total assets in the wholly owned and controlled Subsidiary. The Subsidiary is expected to provide the Fund with exposure to Gold bullion within the limitations of the federal tax requirements of Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"). The Subsidiary will invest primarily in Gold bullion-related ETFs, ETNs, and derivatives. The Fund's investments will be composed primarily of securities, even when viewing the Subsidiary on a consolidated basis. The Subsidiary, when viewed from a consolidated basis, is subject to the same investment restrictions as the Fund. The Fund may invest a small portion of its assets in Gold bullion-related instruments directly (outside of the Subsidiary) while maintaining compliance with the Code.

The Sub-Adviser selects securities and derivatives to maintain the Fund's primary allocation to investments that it believes will have returns that reflect the performance of the price of Gold bullion. The Sub-Adviser disposes of securities and derivatives to replace them with investments that it believes have a higher expected return or will more closely track Gold bullion prices or both. However, placement of individual trades is with the exception of substantially all fixed income trades conducted by the Adviser in consultation with the Sub-Adviser or by the Sub-Adviser. The Sub-Adviser places substantially all fixed income trades. The Adviser and/or sub-Adviser select counterparties they believe to be creditworthy based upon a review of key financial aspects of the counterparty including earnings relative to fixed costs, leverage ratios and equity. The Adviser and/or Sub-Adviser further restrict counterparties to those rated "A3" or higher by Moody's or similarly rated by another rating agency, or if unrated, determined by the Adviser and/or Sub-Adviser to be of similar credit quality. The Adviser and/or Sub-Adviser monitor financial news, company reports, such as quarterly, semi-annual, and annual reports, other regulatory filings, and rating agency publications to monitor counterparty credit quality. The Adviser and/or Sub-Adviser will close out a derivative position if it believes the counterparty is no longer creditworthy. The Adviser and/or Sub-Adviser may engage in frequent trading to achieve the Fund's investment objective, which may result in continued turnover in excess of 100%.

#### **Subsidiary**

The Subsidiary will invest primarily in Gold bullion-related ETFs, ETNs, and derivatives. The Subsidiary is subject to the same investment restrictions as the Fund, when viewed on a consolidated basis. By investing in Gold indirectly through the Subsidiary, the Fund will obtain exposure to the Gold markets within the federal tax requirements that apply to the Fund. Specifically, the Subsidiary is expected to provide the Fund with exposure to the Gold commodities markets within the limitations of the Code. Subchapter M requires, among other things, that at least 90% of the Fund's income be derived from securities or derived with respect to its business of investing in securities (typically referred to as "qualifying income"). Income from certain of the Gold bullion-related securities in which the Fund invests will not be treated as "qualifying income" for purposes of the 90% income requirement. The Fund may also make investments in certain Gold bullion-related securities through the Subsidiary because income from these securities is not treated as "qualifying income" for purposes of the 90% income requirement if the Fund invests in the security directly.

To satisfy the 90% income requirement, the Subsidiary will, not less than annually, declare a dividend to the Fund, as the sole shareholder of the Subsidiary, in an amount approximately equal to the total amount of "Subpart F" income (as defined in Section 951 of the Code) generated by or expected to be generated by the Subsidiary's investments during the fiscal year. Such dividends are "qualifying income" pursuant to Subchapter M (Section 851(b)) of the Code. The Internal Revenue Service has issued a number of private letter rulings to other mutual funds (unrelated to the Fund), which indicate that certain income from a fund's investment in a wholly owned foreign subsidiary will constitute "qualifying income" for purposes of Subchapter M. The Fund does not have a private letter ruling but complies with IRS restrictions as described above.

Because the Fund may invest a substantial portion of its assets in the Subsidiary, which may hold some of the investments described in this Prospectus, the Fund may be considered to be investing indirectly in some of those investments through its Subsidiary. For that reason, references to the Fund may also include the Subsidiary. The Subsidiary is subject to the same investment restrictions and limitations on a consolidated basis and follows the same compliance policies and procedures as the Fund.

#### PRINCIPAL INVESTMENT RISKS

There is no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. The Fund's share price will fluctuate with changes in the market value of its portfolio investments. When you sell your Fund shares, they may be worth less than what you paid for them and, accordingly, you can lose money investing in the Fund. Risks could adversely affect the NAV, total return and the value of the Fund and your investment. The risk descriptions below provide a more detailed explanation of the principal investment risks that correspond to the risks described in the Fund's "Fund Summary" section of this Prospectus.

The following risks apply to the Fund through its direct investments as well as indirectly through investments in ETFs, mutual funds, ETNs and the Subsidiary.

- > Gold Risk: The price of Gold may be volatile and Gold bullion-related ETFs, ETNs and derivatives may be highly sensitive to the price of Gold. The price of Gold bullion can be significantly affected by international monetary and political developments such as currency devaluation or revaluation, central bank movements, economic and social conditions within a country, transactional or trade imbalances, or trade or currency restrictions between countries. Physical Gold bullion has sales commission, storage, insurance, and auditing expenses.
- > Banking Sector Risk: The banking sector can be adversely affected by legislation, regulation, competition, declines in economic conditions, corporate and consumer debt defaults, changing interest rates, and instability in the financial markets in general. Credit losses resulting from financial difficulties of borrowers can have a significant negative impact. Changes in legislation in past years may have tended to increase competition in the industry. The stability and profitability of this sector depends significantly upon the availability and cost of capital funds.
- > Concentration Risk: Because the Fund will invest more than 25% of its assets in the Gold bullion industry, the Fund will be subject to greater volatility risk than a Fund that is not concentrated in a single industry. The Gold bullion industry, as a whole, may be unprofitable if the price of Gold falls below a certain level. Additionally, the Fund's investments in Gold bullion industry-related securities and instruments may be more volatile than securities markets in general and may perform poorly even when securities markets, in general, are rising.
- Derivatives Risk: Futures and forwards are subject to inherent leverage that magnifies Fund losses. Because derivatives typically require only a small margin payment, the fluctuation of the value of derivatives in relation to the underlying assets upon which they are based is magnified. Thus, the Fund may experience losses that exceed losses experienced by Funds that do not use derivative contracts. Similarly, long option positions, although fully paid, if used by an ETF or ETN, indirectly expose the Fund to leverage risk because a small investment may produce large changes in value. Additionally, these long positions may expire worthless. Derivatives may not provide an effective hedge or substitute for Gold because changes in derivative prices may not track those of the underlying Gold bullion. Lack of correlation (or tracking) may be due to factors unrelated to the value of the investments being hedged, such as speculative or other pressures on the markets in which these instruments are traded. Consequently, the effectiveness of options, forwards, futures and swaps as hedging vehicles will depend, in part, on the degree of correlation between price movements in the derivatives and price movements in underlying

Gold bullion. While options, forwards, futures, and swaps contracts are generally liquid instruments, under certain market conditions, they may become illiquid. Futures exchanges may impose daily or intra-day price change limits and/or limit the volume of trading. Additionally, government regulation may further reduce liquidity through similar trading restrictions. There can be no assurance that any particular derivatives strategy adopted will succeed.

- ETF, Mutual Fund and ETN Risk: ETFs, mutual funds and ETNs are subject to investment advisory or management and other expenses, which will be indirectly paid by the Fund. As a result, your cost of investing in the Fund will be higher than the cost of investing directly in ETFs, mutual funds and ETNs and may be higher than other mutual funds that invest directly in stocks and bonds. ETFs are listed on national stock exchanges and are traded like stocks listed on an exchange. ETF shares may trade at a discount or a premium in market price if there is a limited market in such shares. ETFs and ETNs are also subject to brokerage and/or other trading costs, which could result in greater expenses to the Fund. Because the value of ETF shares depends on the demand in the market, the Sub-Adviser may not be able to liquidate the Fund's holdings at the most optimal time, adversely affecting performance. Additional risks of investing in ETFs, mutual funds and ETNs are described below:
  - Credit Risk: An ETN issuer's credit quality may decline causing the security price to fall. ETN issuers are also subject to default risk. ETFs are subject to declining credit quality and default to the extent they hold debt securities or derivatives of issuers subject to credit risk.
  - O Leverage Risk: ETFs, mutual funds and ETNs may employ leverage, which magnifies the changes in the underlying Gold price or Gold index upon which they are based. For example, if an ETF's current benchmark is 200% of the price of Gold bullion and the ETF meets its objective, the daily value of the ETF will tend to increase or decrease twice the daily value of the change in the price of Gold bullion. (e.g., if Gold bullion goes up 10% in a day, then the leveraged ETF's value should go up 20%; conversely, if Gold bullion goes down 10% that day, then the leveraged ETF's value should go down 20%).
  - o Net Asset Value and Market Price Risk: The market value of ETF shares may differ from their NAV. This difference in price may be due to the fact that the supply and demand in the market for ETF shares at any point in time is not always identical to the supply and demand in the market for the underlying holdings. Accordingly, there may be times when an ETF share trades at a premium or discount to its net asset value.
  - o Strategy Risk: Each ETF, mutual fund and ETN is subject to specific risks, depending on the nature of its investment strategy. These risks could include liquidity risk and sector risk.
  - o *Tracking Risk:* ETFs, mutual funds and ETNs in which the Fund invests will not be able to replicate exactly the performance of the indices or prices they track because the total return generated by the securities will be reduced by transaction costs incurred in adjusting the actual balance of the securities or derivatives. In addition, the index-tracking ETFs, mutual funds and ETNs in which the Fund invests will incur expenses not incurred by their applicable indices. Certain securities comprising an index may, from time to time, temporarily be unavailable, which may further impede the security's ability to track an index. ETFs and ETNs may not provide an effective substitute for Gold bullion because changes in derivative prices held by these instruments may not track those of the underlying Gold bullion.
- Fixed Income Risk: When the Fund invests in bonds and other fixed income securities the value of your investment in the Fund will fluctuate with changes in interest rates. Typically, a rise in interest rates causes a decline in the value of fixed income securities owned by the Fund. In general, the market price of debt securities with longer maturities will increase or decrease more in response to changes in interest rates than shorter-term securities. Current conditions may result in a rise in interest rates, which in turn may result in a decline in the value of the fixed income investments held by the Fund. As a result, for the present, interest rate risk may be heightened. Other risk factors include credit risk (the debtor may default) and prepayment risk (the debtor may pay its obligation early, reducing the amount of interest payments). These risks could affect the value of a particular investment by the Fund, possibly causing the Fund's share price and total return to be reduced and fluctuate more than other types of investments.
- Management Risk: The Sub-Adviser's judgments about the attractiveness, value and potential appreciation or depreciation of a particular security or instrument in which the Fund invests may prove to be inaccurate and may not produce the desired results. The Adviser's assessment of the Sub-Adviser's investment qualifications may also prove to be inaccurate and may not produce the desired results.
- Market Risk: Gold prices, securities and derivative markets can be volatile. In other words, prices can fall rapidly in response to developments affecting a specific company or industry, or to changing economic, political or market conditions. The NAV of the Fund will fluctuate based on changes in the value of the Gold bullion, securities, and derivatives in which the Fund invests. The Fund invests, directly or indirectly, in Gold bullion, securities and derivatives, which may be more volatile and carry more risk than some other forms of investment. Market prices of Gold bullion securities and derivatives in broad Gold market segments may be adversely affected by price trends in interest rates, exchange rates or other factors wholly unrelated to the value or condition of an issuer or Gold. The Fund's investments will decline in value if the price of Gold declines. Overall securities market risks may affect the value of individual Fund holdings. Factors such as foreign and domestic economic growth and market conditions, interest rate levels, and political events may adversely affect the equity and fixed income securities markets.

For example, the COVID-19 global pandemic and the aggressive responses taken by many governments, including closing borders, restricting international and domestic travel, and the imposition of prolonged quarantines or similar restrictions, as well as the forced or voluntary closure of, or operational changes to, many retail and other businesses, has had negative impacts, and in many cases severe negative impacts, on markets worldwide. COVID-19 negatively affected the worldwide economy, as well as the economies of individual countries, the financial health of individual companies and the market in general in significant and unforeseen ways. Any such impact from a similar worldwide outbreak could adversely affect the Fund's performance and the performance of the securities in which the Fund invests. During an outbreak, the Fund could lose money over short periods due to short-term market movements and over longer periods during more prolonged market downturns.

Market events such as these and other types of market events may cause significant declines in the values and liquidity of many securities and other instruments, and significant disruptions to global business activity and financial markets. Turbulence in financial markets, and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and fixed-income markets may negatively affect many issuers both domestically and around the world, and can result in trading halts, any of which could have an adverse impact on the Fund. During periods of market volatility, security prices (including securities held by the Fund) could change drastically and rapidly, and therefore adversely affect the Fund.

- > Taxation Risk: By investing in Gold bullion indirectly through the Subsidiary, the Fund will obtain exposure to the Gold bullion markets within the federal tax requirements that apply to the Fund. The Subsidiary is classified as a controlled foreign corporation for U.S. tax purposes. Typically, any gains/losses from trading in Section 1256 futures contracts, such as exchange-traded commodity futures contracts, are taxed 60% as long-term capital gains/losses and 40% short term capital gains/losses. However, because the Subsidiary is a controlled foreign corporation any income received from its investments will be passed through to the Fund as ordinary income.
- > Turnover Risk: A higher portfolio turnover may result in higher transactional and brokerage costs associated with the turnover, which may reduce the Fund's return unless the securities traded can be bought and sold without corresponding commission costs. The Fund's turnover rate is expected to be above 100% annually.
- Wholly Owned Subsidiary Risk: Changes in the laws of the United States and/or the Cayman Islands, under which the Fund and Subsidiary, respectively, are organized, could result in the inability of the Fund and/or Subsidiary to operate as described in this Prospectus and could negatively affect the Fund and its shareholders. For example, the Cayman Islands does not currently impose any income, corporate or capital gains tax, estate duty, inheritance tax, gift tax or withholding tax on the Subsidiary. If Cayman Islands law changes such that the Subsidiary must pay Cayman Islands taxes, Fund shareholders would likely suffer decreased investment returns. The Subsidiary is not registered under the 1940 Act and, unless otherwise noted in this Prospectus, is not subject to all of the investor protections of the 1940 Act. The Fund, by investing in the Subsidiary when viewed in isolation from the Fund, will not have all of the protections offered to investors in registered investment companies with respect to Sections 8 and 18 (regarding investment policies, capital structure and leverage), Section 15 (regarding investment advisory contracts) and Section 17 (regarding affiliated transactions and custody). However, the Fund wholly owns and controls the Subsidiary, and the Fund and Subsidiary are both managed by the Sub-Adviser as overseen by the adviser, making it unlikely that the Subsidiary will take action contrary to the interests of the Fund or its shareholders. The Fund's Board has oversight responsibility for the investment activities of the Fund, including its investment in the Subsidiary, and the Fund's role as the sole shareholder of the Subsidiary. Also, the sub-adviser in managing the Subsidiary's investment portfolio, is subject to the same investment restrictions and operational guidelines that apply to the management of the Fund.

Liquidity Program: The Fund may participate in the ReFlow Fund, LLC ("ReFlow") liquidity program, which is designed to provide an alternative liquidity source for mutual funds experiencing net redemptions of their shares. Pursuant to the program, ReFlow provides participating mutual funds with a source of cash to meet net shareholder redemptions by standing ready each business day to purchase Fund shares up to the value of the net shares redeemed by other shareholders that are to settle the next business day. Following purchases of Fund shares, ReFlow then generally redeems those shares when the Fund experiences net sales, at the end of a maximum holding period determined by ReFlow (currently 28 days) or at other times at ReFlow's discretion. While ReFlow holds Fund shares, it will have the same rights and privileges with respect to those shares as any other shareholder. ReFlow will periodically redeem its entire share position in the Fund and request that such redemption be met in kind in accordance with the Fund's redemption in kind policies described under "HOW TO REDEEM SHARES" below. For use of the ReFlow service, the Fund pays a fee to ReFlow each time it purchases Fund shares, calculated by applying to the purchase amount a fee rate determined through an automated daily auction among participating mutual funds. The minimum fee rate is 0.25% of the value of the Fund shares purchased by ReFlow although the Fund may submit a bid at a higher fee rate if it determines that doing so is in the best interest of Fund shareholders. ReFlow's purchases of Fund shares through the liquidity program are made on an investment-blind basis without regard to the Fund's objective, policies or anticipated performance. ReFlow purchases will not be subject to any investment minimum applicable to such shares. Investments in the Fund by ReFlow in connection with the ReFlow liquidity program are not subject to the market timing limitation or fees described in "FREQUENT PURCHASES AND REDEMPTIONS OF FUND SHARES" below. The investment Adviser and Sub-Adviser believe that the program assists in stabilizing the Fund's net assets to the benefit of the Fund and its shareholders. To the extent a Fund's net assets do not decline, the investment Adviser and Sub-Adviser may also benefit.

Temporary Investments: To respond to adverse market, economic, political, or other conditions, the Fund may invest 100% of its total assets, without limitation, in high-quality short-term debt securities and money market instruments. The Fund may be invested in these instruments for extended periods, depending on the Sub-Adviser's assessment of market conditions. These short-term debt securities and money market instruments may include shares of other mutual funds, commercial paper, certificates of deposit, bankers' acceptances, U.S. Government securities and repurchase agreements. While the Fund is in a defensive position, the opportunity to achieve its investment objective will be limited. Furthermore, to the extent that the Fund invests in money market mutual funds for its cash position, there will be some duplication of expenses because the Fund would bear its pro rata portion of such money market funds' advisory and operational fees. The Fund may also invest a substantial portion of its assets in such instruments at any time to maintain liquidity or pending selection of investments in accordance with its policies.

**Fund Holdings Disclosure:** A description of the Fund's policies regarding the release of Fund holdings information is available in the Fund's SAI. Shareholders may request Fund holdings schedules at no charge by calling toll-free 1-855-650-QGLD (7453).

**Fund Proxy Voting Disclosures:** The actual voting records relating to portfolio securities of the Fund during the most recent 12-month period ended June 30 are available without charge, upon request, by calling toll free 1-866-862-9686 The information is available on the Fund's website at <a href="https://www.advisorspreferred.com/gold-bullion-fund-or">https://www.advisorspreferred.com/gold-bullion-fund-or</a> on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. In addition, a copy of the Trust's proxy voting policies and procedures is also available by calling 1-866-862-9686 and will be sent within three business days of receipt of a request.

**Tailored Shareholder Report Disclosure:** The Fund's annual and semi-annual Tailored Shareholder Reports ("TSRs") are available without charge, upon request, by calling toll free 1-866-862-9686. The information is available on the Fund's website at <a href="https://www.advisorspreferred.com/gold-bullion-fund">https://www.advisorspreferred.com/gold-bullion-fund</a> or on the SEC's website at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a>.

Cybersecurity: The computer systems, networks and devices used by the Fund and its service providers to carry out routine business operations employ a variety of protections designed to prevent damage or interruption from computer viruses, network failures, computer and telecommunication failures, infiltration by unauthorized persons and security breaches. Despite the various protections utilized by the Fund and its service providers, systems, networks, or devices potentially can be breached. The Fund and shareholders could be negatively impacted as a result of a cybersecurity breach. Cybersecurity breaches can include unauthorized access to systems, networks, or devices; infection from computer viruses or other malicious software code; and attacks that shutdown, disable, slow, or otherwise disrupt operations, business processes, or website access or functionality. Cybersecurity breaches may cause disruptions and impact the Fund's business operations, potentially resulting in financial losses; interference with the Fund's ability to calculate NAV; impediments to trading; the inability of the Fund, the Adviser, the Sub-Adviser, and other service providers to transact business; violations of applicable privacy and other laws; regulatory fines, penalties, reputational damage, reimbursement or other compensation costs, or additional compliance costs; as well as the inadvertent release of confidential information.

Similar adverse consequences could result from cybersecurity breaches affecting issuers of securities in which the Fund invests; counterparties with which the Fund engages in transactions; governmental and other regulatory authorities; exchange and other financial market operators, banks, brokers, dealers, insurance companies, and other financial institutions (including financial intermediaries and service providers for the Fund's shareholders); and other parties. In addition, substantial costs may be incurred by these entities in order to prevent any cybersecurity breaches in the future.

## **MANAGEMENT**

**Investment Adviser:** Advisors Preferred LLC ("Advisors Preferred"), located at 1445 Research Blvd., Suite 530, Rockville, MD 20850, serves as investment Adviser to the Fund. Subject to the authority of the Board, Advisors Preferred is responsible for management of the Fund's investment Fund directly or through a sub-adviser. Advisors Preferred is responsible for assuring the Fund's investments are selected according to the Fund's investment objective, policies, and restrictions. Advisors Preferred was formed in 2011 and commencing 2012, provides investment advisory services to mutual funds. As of December 31, 2024, Advisors Preferred had approximately \$1.6 billion in assets under management. Pursuant to an advisory agreement between the Fund and the Adviser, the Adviser is entitled to receive, and did receive during the last fiscal year, on a monthly basis, an annual advisory fee equal to 0.75% of the Fund's average daily net assets.

**Sub-Adviser:** Flexible Plan Investments, Ltd. ("FPI") is located at 3883 Telegraph Road, Suite 100, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, 48302. FPI was founded in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan in 1981 by its President, Jerry C. Wagner. FPI provides investment management services to individuals, pension and profit plans and non-profit organizations. It is expected that the assets in the Fund will come from individuals with whom FPI has a contractual relationship pursuant to which FPI provides investment management and other services for a fee. As of December 31, 2024, FPI had approximately \$1.536 billion in assets under management. Pursuant to a sub-advisory agreement between the Adviser and the Sub-Adviser, the Sub-Adviser is entitled to receive from the Adviser (not the Fund), a monthly fee equal to the annual rate of 0.550% of up to \$300 million of Fund assets sub-advised by FPI (the "Subadviser Assets"), 0.575% of Subadviser Assets between \$300 million and \$400 million, 0.600% of Subadviser Assets between \$400 million and \$600 million, and 0.650% of Subadviser Assets in excess of \$600 million. This fee schedule applies to the total assets of the Fund and of all funds in the fund family that are sub-advised by FPI, for purposes of measuring Sub-Adviser Assets. In addition to the sub-advisory fee, FPI may receive Distribution and Shareholder Servicing Fees for distribution-related activities and for providing certain services to clients of FPI who are also shareholders in the Fund. FPI reduces any amount due FPI under contractual relationships with its clients by any amounts received from the Fund after payment of any third-party fees associated with its services to the Fund.

A discussion regarding the basis for the Board's approval of the advisory agreement and sub-advisory agreement is available in the semi-annual shareholder report for the period ended June 30, 2024.

Sub-Adviser Portfolio Managers: Jerry C. Wagner has served as President, CEO, and majority shareholder of FPI since its organization in 1981. Timothy Hanna, Senior Portfolio Manager of FPI, also serves as portfolio manager. Timothy Hanna has served as the Subadviser's Senior Portfolio Manager since January 2014. Before joining the Subadviser, he was an institutional fixed-income manager at Multi-Bank Securities and previously a derivatives trader. Mr. Hanna is responsible for performing applied economic and quantitative research for the Subadviser's strategies and mutual funds. He reviews new and existing strategies, ensuring that algorithms perform within expectations, providing modifications to achieve best execution and efficient implementation. Mr. Hanna has a bachelor's degree in accounting from Wayne State University and a master's degree in finance from Walsh College. He holds the designations of Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) and Certified Fixed-Income Practitioner (CFIP). Daniel Poppe serves as a portfolio manager of the Fund. Mr. Poppe joined FPI in January 2019 as a Junior Research Analyst and has been a Senior Research Analyst since 2022. Mr. Poppe holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Finance as well as one in Business Economics from Oakland University where he graduated magna cum laude. Mr. Poppe holds the designation of Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA).

The Fund's SAI provides additional information about the portfolio managers' compensation structure, other accounts managed and ownership of shares of the Fund.

## INVESTMENT SUBSIDIARY

The Fund may invest up to 25% of its total assets in the Subsidiary. The Subsidiary is a company organized under the laws of the Cayman Islands and is overseen by its own board of directors who are officers of the Fund. The Fund is the sole shareholder of the Subsidiary, and it is not currently expected that shares of the Subsidiary will be sold or offered to other investors. If, at any time, the Subsidiary proposes to offer or sell its shares to any investor other than the Fund, you will receive 60 days' prior notice of such offer or sale.

As with the Fund, the Adviser delegates investment responsibility to the Sub-Adviser. Pursuant to an investment advisory agreement between the Adviser and the Subsidiary, the Adviser manages the affairs of the Subsidiary directly or through the Sub-Adviser. Pursuant to an investment sub-advisory agreement between the Adviser and the Sub-Adviser, the Sub-Adviser executes the investment program of the Subsidiary. Under these agreements, the Adviser and Sub-Adviser provide the Subsidiary with the same type of management services, under the same terms, as are provided to the Fund, except that the Adviser and Sub-Adviser receive no fee. These agreements provide for automatic termination upon the termination of the advisory or sub-advisory agreement with respect to the Fund. The Subsidiary has also entered into separate contracts for the provision of custody and transfer agency services with the same service providers that provide those services to the Fund.

The Subsidiary will also bear the fees and expenses incurred in connection with the custody, transfer agency and audit services that it receives. The Fund expects that the expenses borne by the Subsidiary will not be material in relation to the value of the Fund's assets. It is also anticipated that the Fund's own expense will be reduced to some extent as a result of the payment of such expenses at the Subsidiary level. It is therefore expected that any duplicative fees for similar services provided to the Fund and Subsidiary will not be material.

The Subsidiary will be managed pursuant to compliance policies and procedures that are the same, in all material respects, as the policies and procedures adopted by the Fund. As a result, the Sub-Adviser is subject to the same investment policies and restrictions that apply to the management of the Fund, and, in particular, to the requirements relating to leverage, liquidity, brokerage, and the timing and method of the valuation of the Subsidiary's Fund investments and shares of the Subsidiary, when viewing the Fund and the Subsidiary on a consolidated basis. These policies and restrictions are described in detail in the Fund's SAI. The Fund's Chief Compliance Officer oversees implementation of the Subsidiary's policies and procedures and makes periodic reports to the Fund's Board regarding the Subsidiary's compliance with its policies and procedures.

On an aggregate basis with the Fund, the Subsidiary complies with the provisions of the 1940 Act in Sections 8 and 18 (regarding investment policies, capital structure and leverage); the Adviser and Sub-Adviser to the Subsidiary, are SEC-registered and each complies with the provisions of the 1940 Act in Section 15 (regarding investment advisory contracts) and the Subsidiary complies with the provisions of the 1940 Act in Section 17 (regarding affiliated transactions and custody) and employs the same custodian as the Fund.

The financial statements of the Subsidiary will be consolidated in the Fund's financial statements which are included in the Fund's annual and semi-annual financial reports. The Fund's Tailored Shareholder Reports are distributed to shareholders; and the annual and semi-annual financial statements are provided without charge upon request as indicated on the back cover of this Prospectus. Please refer to the SAI for additional information about the organization and management of the Subsidiary.

#### **HOW SHARES ARE PRICED**

Shares of the Fund are sold at NAV plus any applicable sales load. The NAV of the Fund is determined at close of regular trading (normally 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time) on each day the NYSE is open for business. NAV is computed by determining, on a per class basis, the aggregate market value of all assets of the Fund, less its liabilities, divided by the total number of shares outstanding ((assets-liabilities)/number of shares = NAV). The NYSE is closed on weekends and New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Presidents' Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Juneteenth Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. The NAV takes into account, on a per class basis, the expenses and fees of the Fund, including management, administration, and distribution fees, which are accrued daily. The determination of NAV for a share class for a particular day is applicable to all applications for the purchase of shares, as well as all requests for the redemption of shares, received by the Fund (or an authorized broker or agent, or its authorized designee) before the close of trading on the NYSE on that day.

Generally, the Fund's securities are valued each day at the last quoted sales price on each security's primary exchange. Securities traded or dealt in upon one or more securities exchanges (whether domestic or foreign) for which market quotations are readily available and not subject to restrictions against resale shall be valued at the last quoted sales price on the primary exchange or, in the absence of a sale on the primary exchange, at the mean between the current bid ask prices on such exchanges. Securities primarily traded in the National Association of Securities Dealers' Automated Quotation System ("NASDAQ") National Market System for which market quotations are readily available shall be valued using the NASDAQ Official Closing Price. Securities that are not traded or dealt in any securities exchange (whether domestic or foreign) and for which over-the-counter market quotations are readily available generally shall be valued at the last sale price or, in the absence of a sale, at the mean between the current bid and ask price on such over-the-counter market. Debt securities not traded on an exchange may be valued at prices supplied by a pricing agent(s) based on broker or dealer supplied valuations or matrix pricing, a method of valuing securities by reference to the value of other securities with similar characteristics, such as rating, interest rate and maturity.

If market quotations are not readily available, securities will be valued at their fair market value as determined using the "fair value" procedures approved by the Board. Fair value pricing involves subjective judgments, and it is possible that the fair value determined for a security may be materially different from the value that could be realized upon the sale of that security. The fair value prices can differ from market prices when they become available or when a price becomes available. The Board has delegated execution of these procedures to a fair value team composed of one or more officers from each of the (i) Trust, (ii) administrator, and (iii) Advisor and/or sub-Advisor. The team may also enlist third party consultants such as an audit firm or financial officer of a security issuer on an as-needed basis to assist in determining a security-specific fair value. The Board reviews and ratifies the execution of this process and the resultant fair value prices at least quarterly to ensure the process produces reliable results.

The Fund may use independent pricing services to assist in calculating the value of the Fund's securities. In addition, market prices for foreign securities are not determined at the same time of day as the NAV for the Fund. Because the Fund may invest in underlying ETFs which hold portfolio securities primarily listed on foreign exchanges, and these exchanges may trade on weekends or other days when the underlying ETFs do not price their shares, the value of some of the Fund's portfolio securities may change on days when you may not be able to buy or sell Fund shares.

In computing the NAV, the Fund values foreign securities held by the Fund at the latest closing price on the exchange in which they are traded immediately prior to closing of the NYSE. Prices of foreign securities quoted in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollars at current rates. If events materially affecting the value of a security in the Fund's portfolio, particularly foreign securities, occur after the close of trading on a foreign market but before the Fund prices its shares, the security will be valued at fair value. For example, if trading in a portfolio security is halted and does not resume before the Fund calculates its NAV, the Advisor may need to price the security using the Fund's fair value pricing guidelines. Without a fair value price, short-term traders could take advantage of the arbitrage opportunity and dilute the NAV of long-term investors. Fair valuation of the Fund's portfolio securities can serve to reduce arbitrage opportunities available to short-term traders, but there is no assurance that fair value pricing policies will prevent dilution of the Fund's NAV by short term traders. The determination of fair value involves subjective judgments. As a result, using fair value to price a security may result in a price materially different from the prices used by other mutual funds to determine NAV, or from the price that may be realized upon the actual sale of the security.

With respect to any portion of the Fund's assets that are invested in one or more open-end management investment companies registered under the 1940 Act, the Fund's NAV is calculated based upon the NAVs of those open-end management investment companies, and the prospectuses for these companies explain the circumstances under which those companies will use fair value pricing and the effects of using fair value pricing.

#### **HOW TO PURCHASE SHARES**

This Prospectus describes Class A shares offered by the Fund. For information on ongoing distribution fees, see the section entitled Distribution Fees in this Prospectus. Each class of shares in the Fund represents interest in the same portfolio of investments within the Fund. There is no investment minimum on reinvested distributions and the Fund may change investment minimums at any time. The Fund reserves the right to waive sales charges, as described below. The Fund, the Adviser and Sub-Adviser may each waive investment minimums at their individual discretion. Not all share classes may be available for purchase in all states. The Fund offers Investor Class shares, which have a higher investment minimum and no sales charge, and Advisor Class shares, which have no sales charge, through a different prospectus.

Class A Shares: Class A shares are offered at the public offering price, which is NAV per share plus the applicable sales charge. The sales charge varies, depending on how much you invest. There are no sales charges on reinvested distributions. You can also qualify for a sales charge reduction or waiver through a right of accumulation or a letter of intent if you are a U.S. resident. See the discussions of "Right of Accumulation" and "Letter of Intent" below. The Fund reserves the right to waive any load as described below. The following sales charges apply to your purchases of Class A shares of the Fund.

Amount Invested	Sales Charge as a % of Offering Price (1)	Sales Charge as a% of Amount Invested	Dealer Reallowance
Under \$25,000	5.75%	6.10%	5.00%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	5.00%	5.26%	4.25%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4.75%	4.99%	4.00%
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3.75%	3.83%	3.25%
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2.50%	2.56%	2.00%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	2.00%	2.04%	1.75%
\$1,000,000 and above	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

<sup>(1)</sup> Offering price includes the front-end sales load. The sales charge you pay may differ slightly from the amount set forth above because of rounding that occurs in the calculations used to determine your sales charge.

## How to Reduce Your Sales Charge

You may be eligible to purchase Class A shares at a reduced sales charge. To qualify for these reductions, you must notify the Fund's distributor in writing and supply your account number at the time of purchase. You may combine your purchase with those of your "immediate family" (your spouse and your children under the age of 21) for purposes of determining eligibility. If applicable, you will need to provide the account numbers of your spouse and your minor children as well as the ages of your minor children.

<u>Rights of Accumulation</u>: To qualify for the lower sales charge rates that apply to larger purchases of Class A shares, you may combine your new purchases of Class A shares with Class A shares of the Fund that you already own. The applicable initial sales charge for the new purchase is based on the total of your current purchase and the current value of all other Class A shares that you own. The reduced sales charge will apply only to current purchases and must be requested in writing when you buy your shares.

Shares of the Fund held as follows cannot be combined with your current purchase for purposes of reduced sales charges:

- Shares held indirectly through financial intermediaries other than your current purchase broker-dealer (for example, a different broker-dealer, a bank, a separate insurance company account or an investment adviser);
- Shares held through an administrator or trustee/custodian of an Employer Sponsored Retirement Plan (for example, a 401(k) plan) other than employer-sponsored IRAs; and
- Shares held directly in the Fund account on which the broker-dealer (financial adviser) of record is different than your current purchase broker-dealer.

Letters of Intent: Under a Letter of Intent ("LOI"), you commit to purchase a specified dollar amount of Class A shares of the Fund, with a minimum of \$25,000, during a 13-month period. At your written request, Class A shares purchases made during the previous 90 days may be included. The amount you agree to purchase determines the initial sales charge you pay. If the full-face amount of the LOI is not invested by the end of the 13-month period, your account will be adjusted to the higher initial sales charge level for the amount actually invested. You are not legally bound by the terms of your LOI to purchase the amount of your shares stated in the LOI. The LOI does, however, authorize the Fund to hold in escrow 5% of the total amount you intend to purchase. If you do not complete the total intended purchase at the end of the 13-month period, the Fund's transfer agent will redeem the necessary portion of the escrowed shares to make up the difference between the reduced rate sales charge (based on the amount you intended to purchase) and the sales charge that would normally apply (based on the actual amount you purchased).

Repurchase of Class A Shares: If you have redeemed Class A shares of the Fund within the past 120 days, you may repurchase an equivalent amount of Class A shares of the Fund at NAV, without the normal front-end sales charge. In effect, this allows you to reacquire shares that you may have had to redeem, without repaying the front-end sales charge. You may exercise this privilege only once and must notify the Fund that you intend to do so in writing. The Fund must receive your purchase order within 120 days of your redemption. Note that if you reacquire shares through separate installments (e.g., through monthly or quarterly repurchases), the sales charge waiver will only apply to those portions of your repurchase order received within 120 days of your redemption. The redemption and repurchase of Fund shares may still result in a tax liability for federal income tax purposes.

## Sales Charge Waivers

The sales charge on purchases of Class A shares is waived for certain types of investors, including:

- Current and retired directors and officers of the Fund or any of its subsidiaries, their families (*e.g.*, spouse, children, mother, or father) and purchases referred through the Adviser or Sub-Adviser.
- Employees of the Adviser or Sub-Adviser and their families, or any full-time employee or registered representative of the distributor or of broker-dealers having dealer agreements with the distributor (a "Selling Broker") and their immediate families (or any trust, pension, profit sharing or other benefit plan for the benefit of such persons).
- Any full-time employee of a bank, savings and loan, credit union or other financial institution that utilizes a Selling Broker to clear purchases of the Fund's shares and their immediate families.
- Participants in certain "wrap-fee" or asset allocation programs or other fee-based arrangements sponsored by broker-dealers and other financial institutions that have entered into agreements with the distributor.
- Clients of financial intermediaries that have entered into arrangements with the distributor providing for the shares to be used
  in particular investment products made available to such clients and for which such registered investment advisers may charge
  a separate fee.
- Institutional investors (which may include bank trust departments and registered investment advisers).
- Any accounts established on behalf of registered investment advisers or their clients by broker-dealers that charge a transaction fee and that have entered into agreements with the distributor.
- Separate accounts used to fund certain unregistered variable annuity contracts or Section 403(b) or 401(a) or (k) accounts.
- Employer-sponsored retirement or benefit plans with total plan assets in excess of \$5 million where the plan's investments in the Fund are part of an omnibus account. A minimum initial investment of \$1 million in the Fund is required. The distributor in its sole discretion may waive these minimum dollar requirements.

The Fund does not waive sales charges for the reinvestment of proceeds from the sale of shares of a different fund where those shares were subject to a front-end sales charge (sometimes called an "NAV transfer"). Whether a sales charge waiver is available for your retirement plan or charitable account depends upon the policies and procedures of your intermediary. Please consult your financial Adviser for further information.

Minimum and Additional Investment Amounts: The minimum initial and subsequent investment by class of shares is:

	Initial Investment		tment Subsequent Investment	
	Regular	Retirement	Regular	Retirement
Class	Account	Account	Account	Account
A	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$250	\$100

The Fund, the Adviser and Sub-Adviser may each waive investment minimums at their individual discretion. There is no minimum investment requirement when you are buying shares by reinvesting dividends and distributions from the Fund.

Purchasing Shares: You may purchase shares of the Fund by sending a completed application form to the following address:

## Regular Mail

The Gold Bullion Strategy Fund c/o Ultimus Fund Solutions, LLC P.O. Box 46707 Cincinnati, OH 45246-0707

## Express/Overnight Mail

The Gold Bullion Strategy Fund c/o Ultimus Fund Solutions, LLC 225 Pictoria Drive, Suite 450 Cincinnati, OH 45246

The USA PATRIOT Act requires financial institutions, including the Fund, to adopt certain policies and programs to prevent money-laundering activities, including procedures to verify the identity of customers opening new accounts. As requested on the application, you should supply your full name, date of birth, social security number and permanent street address. Mailing addresses containing a P.O. Box will not be accepted. This information will assist the Fund in verifying your identity. Until such verification is made, the Fund may temporarily limit additional share purchases. In addition, the Fund may limit additional share purchases or close an account if it is unable to verify a shareholder's identity. As required by law, the Fund may employ various procedures, such as comparing the information to fraud databases or requesting additional information or documentation from you, to ensure that the information supplied by you is correct.

Automatic Investment Plan: You may participate in the Fund's Automatic Investment Plan, an investment plan that automatically moves money from your bank account and invests it in the Fund through the use of electronic funds transfers or automatic bank drafts. You may elect to make subsequent investments by transferring a minimum of \$1,000 on a periodic basis into your established Fund account. Please contact the Fund toll-free at 1-855-650-QGLD (7453) for more information about the Fund's Automatic Investment Plan.

Purchase through Brokers: You may invest in the Fund through brokers or agents who have entered into selling agreements with the Fund's distributor. The brokers and agents are authorized to receive purchase and redemption orders on behalf of the Fund. Such brokers are authorized to designate other intermediaries to receive purchase and redemption orders on the Fund's behalf. The Fund will be deemed to have received a purchase or redemption order when an authorized broker or its designee receives the order. The broker or agent may set their own initial and subsequent investment minimums. You may be charged a fee if you use a broker or agent to buy or redeem shares of the Fund. Finally, various servicing agents use procedures and impose restrictions that may be in addition to, or different from, those applicable to investors purchasing shares directly from the Fund. You should carefully read the program materials provided to you by your servicing agent.

Purchase by Wire: If you wish to wire money to make an investment in the Fund, please call the Fund toll-free at 1-855-650-QGLD (7453) for wiring instructions and to notify the Fund that a wire transfer is coming. Any commercial bank can transfer sameday funds via wire. The Fund will normally accept wired funds for investment on the day received if they are received by the Fund's designated bank before the close of regular trading on the NYSE. Your bank may charge you a fee for wiring same-day funds.

Automated Clearing House (ACH) Purchase --Current shareholders may purchase additional shares via Automated Clearing House ("ACH"). To have this option added to your account, please send a letter to the Fund requesting this option and supply a voided check for the bank account. Only bank accounts held at domestic institutions that are ACH members may be used for these transactions. You may not use ACH transactions for your initial purchase of Fund shares. ACH purchases will be effective at the closing price per share on the business day after the order is placed. The Fund may alter, modify, or terminate this purchase option at any time. Shares purchased by ACH will not be available for redemption until the transactions have cleared. Shares purchased via ACH transfer may take up to 15 days to clear.

The Fund, however, reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to reject any application to purchase shares. Applications will not be accepted unless they are accompanied by a check drawn on a U.S. bank, thrift institutions, or credit union in U.S. funds for the full amount of the shares to be purchased. After you open an account, you may purchase additional shares by sending a check together with written instructions stating the name(s) on the account and the account number, to the above address. Make all checks payable to the Fund. Cash, third party checks (except for properly endorsed IRA Rollover checks), counter checks, starter checks, traveler's checks, money orders, credit card checks, and checks drawn on non-U.S. financial institutions will not be accepted. Cashier's checks, bank official checks, and bank money orders are reviewed on a case-by-case basis and may be accepted under certain circumstances.. Redemptions of Shares of the Fund purchased by check may be subject to a hold period until the check has been cleared by the issuing bank. To avoid such holding periods, Shares may be purchased through a broker or by wire, as described in this section.

*Note:* Ultimus Fund Services, LLC, the Fund's transfer agent, will charge a \$25 fee against a shareholder's account, in addition to any loss sustained by the Fund, for any check or electronic payment returned to the transfer agent for insufficient funds.

For shareholder account funds and/or transfers into the Fund, the Fund may accept securities in lieu of cash at the discretion of the Adviser or Sub-Adviser. There may be black-out periods such as near the end of a fiscal quarter or other holding or reporting periods where the Adviser or Sub-Adviser may refuse to accept securities into the Fund from new or existing Shareholders. Any tax issues resulting from the exchange of securities into the Fund in lieu of cash are the responsibility of the shareholder.

When Order is Processed: All shares will be purchased at the NAV per share (plus any applicable sales charge) next determined after the Fund receives your application or request in good order. All requests received in good order by the Fund before the close of regular trading on the NYSE (normally 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time)) on each day the NYSE is open for business will be processed on that same day. Requests received after the close of regular trading on the NYSE will be processed on the next business day.

Good Order: When making a purchase request, make sure your request is in good order. "Good order" means your purchase request includes:

- The name of the Fund and Class of shares
- The dollar amount of shares to be purchased
- A completed purchase application or investment stub
- Check payable to the "The Gold Bullion Strategy Fund"

Good order means that your purchase (whether direct or through a financial intermediary) is complete and contains all necessary information; has all supporting documentation (such as trust documents, beneficiary designations, proper signature guarantees, IRA rollover forms, etc.); and is accompanied by sufficient purchase proceeds. An Account Application that is sent to the Fund's transfer agent does not constitute a purchase order until the transfer agent processes the Account Application and receives correct payment by check or wire transfer.

**Retirement Plans:** You may purchase shares of the Fund for your individual retirement plans. Please call the Fund toll-free at 1-855-650-QGLD (7453) for the most current listing and appropriate disclosure documentation on how to open a retirement account.

## **HOW TO REDEEM SHARES**

Redeeming Shares: You may redeem all or any portion of the shares credited to your account by submitting a written request for redemption to:

## Regular Mail

## The Gold Bullion Strategy Fund

c/o Ultimus Fund Solutions, LLC P.O. Box 46707 Cincinnati, OH 45246-0707

## Express/Overnight Mail

## The Gold Bullion Strategy Fund

c/o Ultimus Fund Solutions, LLC 225 Pictoria Drive, Suite 450 Cincinnati, OH 45246

Redemptions by Telephone: The telephone redemption privilege is automatically available to all new accounts. If you do not want the telephone redemption privilege, you must indicate this in the appropriate area on your account application or you must write to the Fund and instruct it to remove this privilege from your account.

The proceeds will be sent by mail to the address designated on your account or wired directly to your existing account in a bank or brokerage firm in the United States as designated on your application. To redeem by telephone, call toll-free 1-855-650-QGLD (7453). During periods of high market activity, you may encounter higher than usual wait times. Please allow sufficient time to ensure that you will be able to complete your telephone transaction prior to market close. Neither the Fund nor its transfer agent will be held liable if you are unable to place your trade due to high call volume. The redemption proceeds normally will be sent by mail or by wire within three business days after receipt of your telephone instructions.

The Fund reserves the right to suspend the telephone redemption privileges with respect to your account if the name(s) or the address on the account has been changed within the previous 30 days. Neither the Fund, the transfer agent, nor their respective affiliates will be liable for complying with telephone instructions they reasonably believe to be genuine or for any loss, damage, cost, or expenses in acting on such telephone instructions and you will be required to bear the risk of any such loss. The Fund or the transfer agent, or both, will employ reasonable procedures to determine that telephone instructions are genuine. If the Fund and/or the transfer agent do not employ these procedures, they may be liable to you for losses due to unauthorized or fraudulent instructions. These procedures may include, among others, requiring forms of personal identification prior to acting upon telephone instructions, providing written confirmation of the transactions and/or tape-recording telephone instructions.

*Redemptions through Broker:* If shares of the Fund are held by a broker-dealer, financial institution, or other servicing agent, you must contact that servicing agent to redeem shares of the Fund. The servicing agent may charge a fee for this service.

Redemptions by Wire: You may request that your redemption proceeds be wired directly to your bank account. The Fund's transfer agent imposes a \$15 fee for each wire redemption and deducts the fee directly from your account. Your bank may also impose a fee for the incoming wire.

Redemptions of Retirement Plans: If you own an IRA or other retirement plan, you must indicate on your redemption request whether the Fund should withhold federal income tax. Unless you elect in your redemption request that you do not want to have federal tax withheld, the redemption will be subject to withholding.

Systematic Withdrawal Plan: If your individual accounts, IRA, or other qualified plan account have a current account value of at least \$10,000, you may participate in the Fund's Systematic Withdrawal Plan, an investment plan that automatically moves money to your bank account from the Fund through the use of electronic funds transfers. You may elect to make subsequent withdrawals by transfers of a minimum of \$1,000 on a periodic basis into your established bank account. Please contact the Fund toll-free at 1-855-650-QGLD (7453) for more information about the Fund's Systematic Withdrawal Plan.

**Redemptions in Kind:** The Fund reserves the right to honor requests for redemption or repurchase orders by making payment in whole or in part in readily marketable securities ("redemption in kind") if the amount is greater than (the lesser of) \$250,000 or 1% of the Fund's assets. The Fund may also use redemption in kind for certain Fund shares held by ReFlow. The securities will be chosen by the Fund and valued at the Fund's NAV. A shareholder will be exposed to market risk until these securities are converted to cash and may incur transaction expenses in converting these securities to cash.

When Redemptions are Sent: Once the Fund receives your redemption request in "good order" as described below, it will issue a check based on the next determined NAV following your redemption request. The redemption proceeds normally will be sent by mail or by wire within three business days after receipt of a request in "good order." If you purchase shares using a check and soon after request a redemption, your redemption proceeds will not be sent until the check used for your purchase has cleared your bank (usually within 10 days of the purchase date).

The Fund typically expects that it will take up to seven days following the receipt of your redemption request to pay out redemption proceeds by check or electronic transfer, except as noted above. The Fund typically expects to pay redemptions from cash, cash equivalents, proceeds from the sale of fund shares including ReFlow, and then from the sale of portfolio securities. Under certain circumstances, as described immediately above, redemption proceeds may be paid in kind rather than in cash. All the redemption payment methods will be used in regular and stressed market conditions.

**Good Order:** Your redemption request will be processed if it is in "good order." To be in good order, the following conditions must be satisfied:

- The request should be in writing, unless redeeming by telephone, indicating the number of shares or dollar amount to be redeemed;
- The request must identify your account number;
- The request should be signed by you and any other person listed on the account, exactly as the shares are registered; and
- If you request that the redemption proceeds be sent to a person, bank or an address other than that of record or paid to someone other than the record owner(s), or if the address was changed within the last 30 days, or if the proceeds of a requested redemption exceed \$50,000, the signature(s) on the request must be medallion signature guaranteed by an eligible signature guarantor.

When You Need Medallion Signature Guarantees: If you wish to change the bank or brokerage account that you have designated on your account, you may do so at any time by writing to the Fund with your signature guaranteed. A medallion signature guarantee assures that a signature is genuine and protects you from unauthorized account transfers. You will need your signature guaranteed if:

- You request a redemption to be made payable to a person not on record with the Fund;
- You request that a redemption be mailed to an address other than that on record with the Fund;
- The proceeds of a requested redemption exceed \$50,000;
- Any redemption is transmitted to a bank other than the bank of record; or
- Your address was changed within 30 days of your redemption request.

Signatures may be guaranteed by any eligible guarantor institution (including banks, brokers and dealers, credit unions, national securities exchanges, registered securities associations, clearing agencies and savings associations). Further documentation will be required to change the designated account if shares are held by a corporation, fiduciary, or other organization. *A notary public cannot guarantee signatures*.

**Low Balances:** If at any time your Class A account balance in the Fund falls below \$1,000, the Fund may notify you that, unless the account is brought up to at least \$1,000 within 60 days of the notice, your account could be closed. After the notice period, the Fund may redeem all of your shares and close your account by sending you a check to the address of record. Your account will not be closed if the account balance drops below the levels above due to a decline in NAV.

**Special Situations:** There are certain times when you may be unable to sell shares of the Fund or proceeds may be delayed. This may occur during emergencies, unusual market conditions or when a Fund cannot determine the value of its assets or sell its holdings. The Fund reserves the right to reject any purchase order or suspend offering of its shares. Generally, a Fund may reject a purchase if it is disruptive to the efficient management of the Fund. The Fund may also refuse purchase requests from individuals or groups who have not been approved by the Fund's Sub-Adviser.

**Unclaimed Property:** An account may be turned over as unclaimed property to the investor's last knows state of tax resident if the account is deemed "inactive" or lost" during the time frame specified within the applicable state's unclaimed property laws. Investors who are residents of the state of Texas may designate a representative to receive legislatively required unclaimed property due to diligence notifications. A Texas Designation of Representative Form is available for making such an election.

Financial Intermediaries: Certain transactions through a financial intermediary may not be deemed in good form if such financial intermediary failed to notify the Fund of such trade or trades before 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time. In particular, financial intermediaries that transact in shares of the Fund through the Fund/SERV® system (a system used by mutual funds to settle purchases and redemptions of mutual fund shares) must, in many cases, notify the Fund of trades before placing them in the Fund/SERV® system. In the event that a financial intermediary transacts in shares of the Fund through the Fund/SERV® system without notifying the Fund of such trades in advance, such transaction may be deemed not to have been received in good order. In practice, this means that confirmation from a financial intermediary is not binding on the Fund. In the event that a trade is deemed not to have been received in good form, for whatever reason, a purchase, redemption, or exchange request may be rejected or canceled and, in the event of a redemption which is canceled, the Fund shall have a right to a return of proceeds. Cancellation of a trade is processed at the NAV at which the trade was originally received and is completed as soon as practical, ordinarily the next business day. Please contact your financial intermediary to determine how it processes transactions in shares of the Fund.

## FREQUENT PURCHASES AND REDEMPTIONS OF FUND SHARES

The Fund discourages and does not accommodate market timing that it considers abusive. Frequent trading into and out of the Fund can harm all Fund shareholders by disrupting the Fund's investment strategies, increasing Fund expenses, decreasing tax efficiency, and diluting the value of shares held by long-term shareholders. The Fund is designed for long-term investors and is not intended for market timing or other disruptive trading activities. Accordingly, the Fund's Board has approved policies that seek to curb these disruptive activities while recognizing that shareholders may have a legitimate need to adjust their Fund investments as their financial needs or circumstances change or in response to perceived market conditions. The Fund currently uses several methods to reduce the risk of abusive market timing. These methods include:

- Committing staff to review, on a continuous basis, recent trading activity in order to identify trading activity that may be contrary to the Fund's "Market Timing Trading Policy;" and
- Rejecting or limiting specific purchase requests; and
- Rejecting purchase requests from certain investors.

Though these methods involve judgments that are inherently subjective and involve some selectivity in their application, the Fund seeks to make judgments and applications that are consistent with the interests of the Fund's shareholders.

Based on the frequency of redemptions in your account, the Adviser, Sub-Adviser or transfer agent may in its sole discretion determine that your trading activity is detrimental to the Fund as described in the Fund's Market Timing Trading Policy and elect to (i) reject or limit the amount, number, frequency or method for requesting future purchases into the Fund and/or (ii) reject or limit the amount, number, frequency or method for requesting future exchanges out of the Fund.

The Fund reserves the right to reject or restrict purchase requests for any reason, particularly when the shareholder's trading activity suggests that the shareholder may be engaged in abusive market timing or other disruptive trading activities. Neither the Fund nor the Adviser nor Sub-Adviser will be liable for any losses resulting from rejected purchase orders. The Adviser or Sub-Adviser may also bar an investor who has violated these policies (and the investor's financial advisor) from opening new accounts with the Fund.

Although the Fund attempts to limit disruptive trading activities, some investors use a variety of strategies to hide their identities and their trading practices. There can be no guarantee that the Fund will be able to identify or limit these activities. Omnibus account arrangements are common forms of holding shares of the Fund. While the Fund will encourage financial intermediaries to apply the Fund's Market Timing Trading Policy to their customers who invest indirectly in the Fund, the Fund is limited in its ability to monitor the trading activity or enforce the Fund's Market Timing Trading Policy with respect to customers of financial intermediaries. For example, should it occur, the Fund may not be able to detect abusive market timing that may be facilitated by financial intermediaries or made difficult to identify in the omnibus accounts used by those intermediaries for aggregated purchases, exchanges, and redemptions on behalf of all their customers. More specifically, unless the financial intermediaries have the ability to apply the Fund's Market Timing Trading Policy to their customers through such methods as implementing short-term trading limitations or restrictions and monitoring trading activity for what might be market timing, the Fund may not be able to determine whether trading by customers of financial intermediaries is contrary to the Fund's Market Timing Trading Policy. Brokers maintaining omnibus accounts with the Fund have agreed to provide shareholder transaction information to the extent known to the broker to the Fund upon request. If the Fund or its transfer agent or shareholder servicing agent suspects there is market timing activity in the account, the Fund will seek full cooperation from the service provider maintaining the account to identify the underlying participant. At the request of the Adviser or Sub-Adviser, the service providers may take immediate action to stop any further short-term trading by such participants. The ReFlow liquidity program is not subject to the market timing limits described above.

#### TAX STATUS, DIVIDENDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS

Any sale or exchange of the Fund's shares may generate tax liability (unless you are a tax-exempt investor, or your investment is in a qualified retirement account). When you redeem your shares, you may realize a taxable gain or loss. This is measured by the difference between the proceeds of the sale and the tax basis for the shares you sold. (To aid in computing your tax basis, you generally should retain your account statements for the period that you hold shares in the Fund.)

The Fund intends to distribute substantially all of its net investment income quarterly and net capital gains annually. Both distributions will be reinvested in shares of the Fund unless you elect to receive cash. Dividends from net investment income (including any excess of net short-term capital gain over net long-term capital loss) are taxable to investors as ordinary income, while distributions of net capital gain (the excess of net long-term capital gain over net short-term capital loss) are generally taxable as long-term capital gain, regardless of your holding period for the shares. Any dividends or capital gain distributions you receive from the Fund will normally be taxable to you when made, regardless of whether you reinvest dividends or capital gain distributions or receive them in cash. Certain dividends or distributions declared in October, November or December will be taxed to shareholders as if received in December if they are paid during the following January. Each year the Fund will inform you of the amount and type of your distributions. IRAs and other qualified retirement plans are exempt from federal income taxation until retirement proceeds are paid out to the participant.

Your redemption may result in a capital gain or loss for federal tax purposes. A capital gain or loss on your investment is the difference between the cost of your shares, including any sales charges, and the amount you receive when you sell them.

The Fund must report to the IRS and furnish to shareholders the cost basis information for shares purchased and sold. The Fund has chosen average cost as its standing (default) tax lot identification method for all shareholders, which means this is the method the Fund will use to determine which specific shares are deemed to be sold when there are multiple purchases on different dates at differing NAVs, and the entire position is not sold at one time. Shareholders may, however, choose a method other than the Fund's standing method at the time of their purchase or upon sale of covered shares. Shareholders should consult their tax advisors to determine the best IRS-accepted cost basis method for their tax situation and to obtain more information about how cost basis reporting applies to them. Shareholders also should carefully review the cost basis information provided to them by the Fund and make any additional basis, holding period or other adjustments that are required when reporting these amounts on their federal income tax returns.

On the account application, you will be asked to certify that your social security number or taxpayer identification number is correct and that you are not subject to backup withholding for failing to report income to the IRS. If you are subject to backup withholding or you did not certify your taxpayer identification number, the IRS requires the Fund to withhold a percentage of any dividend, redemption, or exchange proceeds. The Fund reserves the right to reject any application that does not include a certified social security or taxpayer identification number. If you do not have a social security number, you should indicate on the purchase form that your application to obtain a number is pending. The Fund is required to withhold taxes if a number is not delivered to the Fund within seven days.

This summary is not intended to be and should not be construed to be legal or tax advice. You should consult your own tax advisers to determine the tax consequences of owning the Fund's shares.

## **DISTRIBUTION OF SHARES**

**Distributor:** Ceros Financial Services, Inc. ("Ceros"), 1445 Research Blvd., Suite 530, Rockville, MD 20850, is the distributor for the shares of the Fund. Ceros is a registered broker-dealer and member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA"). Ceros and the Adviser are affiliates because they are under common control. Shares of the Fund are offered on a continuous basis.

**Distribution Fees:** The Fund has adopted a Distribution Plan pursuant to Rule 12b-1 (a "Plan") under the 1940 Act with respect to the sale and distribution of Class A shares of the Fund. Pursuant to the Plan the Fund pays the Fund's distributor an annual fee for distribution and shareholder servicing expenses of 0.25% of the Fund's average daily net assets attributable to the Class A shares. A portion of the fee payable pursuant to the Plan, equal to up to 0.25% of the average daily net assets, may be characterized as a service fee as such term is defined under Rule 2341 of the FINRA Conduct Rules. A service fee includes payment made for personal service and/or the maintenance of shareholder accounts. Because 12b-1 fees are paid out of the Fund's assets on an on-going basis, over time these fees will increase the cost of your investment and may cost you more than paying other types of sales charges.

Additional Compensation to Financial Intermediaries: The Fund's distributor, its affiliates, and the Fund's Adviser and Sub-Adviser and their affiliates may each, at their own expense and out of their own assets including their legitimate profits from Fund-related activities, provide additional cash payments to financial intermediaries who sell shares of the Fund. Financial intermediaries include brokers, financial planners, banks, insurance companies, retirement or 401(k) plan administrators and others. These payments are generally made to financial intermediaries that provide shareholder or administrative services, or marketing support. Marketing support may include access to sales meetings, sales representatives and financial intermediary management representatives, inclusion of the Fund on a sales list, including a preferred or select sales list, or other sales programs. These payments also may be made as an expense reimbursement in cases where the financial intermediary provides shareholder services to Fund shareholders. The distributor may, from time to time, provide promotional incentives to certain investment firms. Such incentives may, at the distributor's discretion, be limited to investment firms who allow their individual selling representatives to participate in such additional compensation.

**Householding:** To reduce expenses, the Fund mails only one copy of the Summary Prospectus and TSR to those addresses shared by two or more accounts. If you wish to receive individual copies of these documents, please call the Fund toll-free at 1-855-650-QGLD (7453) on days the Fund is open for business or contact your financial institution. The Fund will begin sending you individual copies thirty days after receiving your request. Copies of the Prospectus, SAI and annual and semi-annual financials are available by phone.

## **CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

The consolidated financial highlights table is intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the past five years. The table below reflects information for the Fund's Investor Class shares. Certain information reflects financial results for a single Investor Class share, and such information would differ for Class A shares to the extent expenses of this class differ from those of Investor Class shares. The total returns in the table represent the rate that an investor would have earned (or lost) on an investment in the Fund (assuming reinvestment of all dividends and distributions). This information for the Fund has been derived from the consolidated financial statements audited by the Fund's Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm, Cohen & Company, Ltd., whose report, along with the Fund's consolidated financial statements, are included in the Fund's December 31, 2024 annual report, which is available upon request and is incorporated by reference in the SAI.

Per Share Data and Ratios for a Share of Beneficial Interest Outstanding Throughout Each Year

_	Investor Class Shares				
_	Year Ended December 31,				
<u> </u>	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Net asset value, beginning of year	\$21.20	\$21.19	\$22.21	\$23.69	\$21.86
Income (loss) from investment operations:					
Net investment income (loss) (a)	0.69	0.46	(0.02)	(0.15)	(0.04)
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	4.44	1.71	(1.00)	(1.33)	4.22
Total income (loss) from investment operations	5.13	2.17	(1.02)	(1.48)	4.18
Less distributions:					
Distributions from net investment income	(5.87)	(2.16)	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	(2.35)
Total distributions	(5.87)	(2.16)			(2.35)
Net asset value, end of year	\$20.46	\$21.20	\$21.19	\$22.21	\$23.69
Total return (b)	24.17%	10.32%	(4.59)%	(6.25)%	19.28%
Net assets, end of year (in 000s)	\$102,907	\$115,008	\$128,654	\$129,065	\$123,107
Ratios/Supplemental Data:					
Ratio of net expenses to average net assets (c) Ratios of net investment income (loss) to average net	1.35%	1.34%	1.31%	1.35%	1.43%
assets (c,d)	2.87%	2.09%	(0.11)%	(0.67)%	(0.17)%
Portfolio turnover rate	77%	26%	143%	162%	229%

<sup>(</sup>a) Per share amounts calculated using the average shares method, which more appropriately presents the per share data for the year.

<sup>(</sup>b) Total return assumes reinvestment of all distributions.

<sup>(</sup>c) The ratios of expenses to average net assets and net investment income (loss) to average net assets do not reflect the expenses of the underlying investment companies in which the Fund invests.

<sup>(</sup>d) Recognition of net investment income (loss) by the Fund is affected by the timing and declaration of dividends by the underlying investment companies in which the Fund invests.

## **FACTS**

## WHAT DOES ADVISORS PREFERRED TRUST DO WITH YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION?

# Why?

Financial companies choose how they share your personal information. Federal law gives consumers the right to limit some but not all sharing. Federal law also requires us to tell you how we collect, share, and protect your personal information. Please read this notice carefully to understand what we do.

## What?

The types of personal information we collect and share depend on the product or service you have with us. This information can include:

- Social Security number
- Assets
- Retirement Assets
- Transaction History
- Checking Account Information
- Purchase History
- Account Balances
- Account Transactions
- Wire Transfer Instructions

When you are *no longer* our customer, we continue to share your information as described in this notice.

# How?

All financial companies need to share customers' personal information to run their everyday business. In the section below, we list the reasons financial companies can share their customers' personal information; the reasons Advisors Preferred Trust chooses to share; and whether you can limit this sharing.

Reasons we can share your personal information	Does Advisors Preferred Trust share?	Can you limit this sharing?
For our everyday business purposes – such as to process your transactions, maintain your account(s), respond to court orders and legal investigations, or report to credit bureaus	Yes	No
For our marketing purposes – to offer our products and services to you	No	We don't share
For joint marketing with other financial companies	No	We don't share
For our affiliates' everyday business purposes – information about your transactions and experiences	No	We don't share
For our affiliates' everyday business purposes – information about your creditworthiness	No	We don't share
For nonaffiliates to market to you	No	We don't share

Who we are	
Who is providing this notice?	Advisors Preferred Trust
What we do	
How does Advisors Preferred Trust protect my personal information?	To protect your personal information from unauthorized access and use, we use security measures that comply with federal law. These measures include computer safeguards and secured files and buildings.
	Our service providers are held accountable for adhering to strict policies and procedures to prevent any misuse of your nonpublic personal information.
<b>How does Advisors</b>	We collect your personal information, for example, when you
Preferred Trust collect my personal information?	<ul> <li>Open an account</li> </ul>
personal information.	<ul> <li>Provide account information</li> </ul>
	Give us your contact information
	<ul> <li>Make deposits or withdrawals from your account</li> <li>Make a wire transfer</li> </ul>
	Tell us where to send the money
	<ul> <li>Tells us who receives the money</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Show your government-issued ID</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Show your driver's license</li> </ul>
	We also collect your personal information from other companies.
Why can't I limit all	Federal law gives you the right to limit only
sharing?	<ul> <li>Sharing for affiliates' everyday business purposes – information about your creditworthiness</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Affiliates from using your information to market to you</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Sharing for nonaffiliates to market to you</li> </ul>
	State laws and individual companies may give you additional rights to limit sharing.
Definitions	
Affiliates	Companies related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies.
	<ul> <li>Advisors Preferred Trust does not share with our affiliates.</li> </ul>
Nonaffiliates	Companies not related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies.
	<ul> <li>Advisors Preferred Trust does not share with nonaffiliates so they can market to you.</li> </ul>
Joint marketing	A formal agreement between nonaffiliated financial companies that together market financial products or services to you.
	<ul> <li>Advisors Preferred Trust doesn't jointly market.</li> </ul>

1-855-650-QGLD (7453)

**Questions?** 



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Additional information about the Fund is included in the Fund's SAI dated May 1, 2025 and is incorporated into this Prospectus by reference (i.e., legally made a part of this Prospectus). The SAI provides more details about the Fund's policies and management. Additional information about the Fund's investments is available in the Fund's TSR, Annual and Semi-Annual Financial Reports. In the Fund's N-CSR, you will find a discussion of the market conditions and investment strategies that significantly affected the Fund's performance during its last fiscal year.

To obtain a free copy of the SAI, the Fund's TSR and Annual and Semi-Annual Financials Reports, or other information about the Fund, or to make shareholder inquiries about the Fund, please call toll-free 1-855-650-QGLD (7453) or visit <a href="https://www.advisorspreferred.com/gold-bullion-fund">https://www.advisorspreferred.com/gold-bullion-fund</a>. You may also write to:

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