### FINANCIAL INVESTORS TRUST

### **ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income**

# SUPPLEMENT DATED JUNE 17, 2025, TO THE STATUTORY PROSPECTUS DATED FEBRUARY 28, 2025, AS SUPPLEMENTED

Effective immediately, the "Appendix A – Intermediary Sales Charge Waivers and Discounts" section in the Statutory Prospectus is hereby updated to include the following:

The following information is provided by Wells Fargo Advisors Financial Network, LLC (collectively, "Wells Fargo Advisors")

# Wells Fargo Clearing Services, LLC operates a First Clearing business, but these rules are not intended to include First Clearing firms.

Effective October 1, 2025, Clients of Wells Fargo Advisors purchasing fund shares through Wells Fargo Advisors are eligible for the following sales charge discounts (also referred to as "breakpoints") and waivers, which can differ from discounts and waivers described elsewhere in the prospectus or statement of additional information ("SAI"). In all instances, it is the investor's responsibility to inform Wells Fargo Advisors at the time of purchase of any relationship, holdings, or other facts qualifying the investor for discounts or waivers. Wells Fargo Advisors can ask for documentation supporting the qualification.

# Wells Fargo Advisors Class A share front-end sales charge waivers information.

Wells Fargo Advisors clients purchasing or converting to Class A shares of the fund in a Wells Fargo Advisors brokerage account are entitled to a waiver of the front-end load in the following circumstances:

- Wells Fargo Advisors employee and employee-related accounts according to Wells Fargo Advisor's employee account linking rules. Legacy accounts and positions receiving affiliate discounts prior to the effective date will continue to receive discounts. Going forward employees of affiliate businesses will not be offered NAV.
- Shares purchased through reinvestment of dividends and capital gains distributions when purchasing shares of the same fund.

WellsTrade, the firm's online self-directed brokerage account, generally offers no-load share classes but there could be instances where a Class A share is offered without a front-end sales charge.

# Wells Fargo Advisors Class 529-A share front-end sales charge waivers information.

Wells Fargo Advisors clients purchasing or converting to Class 529-A shares of the fund through Wells Fargo Advisors transactional brokerage accounts are entitled to a waiver of the front-end load in the following circumstances:

- Shares purchased through a rollover from another 529 plan.
- Recontribution(s) of distributed funds are only allowed during the NAV reinstatement period as dictated by the sponsor's specifications outlined by the plan.

Wells Fargo Advisors is not able to apply the NAV Reinstatement privilege for 529 Plan account purchases placed directly at the fund company. Investors wishing to utilize this privilege outside of Wells Fargo systems will need to do so directly with the Plan or a financial intermediary that supports this feature.

Unless specifically described above, other front-end load waivers are not available on mutual fund purchases through Wells Fargo Advisors.

# Wells Fargo Advisors Contingent Deferred Sales Charge information.

• Contingent deferred sales charges (CDSC) imposed on fund redemptions will not be rebated based on future purchases.

# Wells Fargo Advisors Class A front-end load discounts

Wells Fargo Advisors Clients purchasing Class A shares of the fund through Wells Fargo Advisors brokerage accounts will follow the following aggregation rules for breakpoint discounts:

- As of the effective date, SEP or SIMPLE IRAs will not be aggregated as a group plan. They will aggregate with the client's personal accounts based on Social Security Number. Previously established SEP and SIMPLE IRAs may still be aggregated as a group plan.
- Effective October 1, 2025, Employer-sponsored retirement plan (e.g., 401(k) plans, 457 plans, employer-sponsored 403(b) plans, profit sharing and money purchase pension plans and defined benefit plans). For purposes of this provision, employer-sponsored retirement plans do not include SEP IRAs, SIMPLE IRAs, SAR-SEPs or Keogh plans.
- Gift of shares will not be considered when determining breakpoint discounts

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Please retain this supplement for future reference.



# February 28, 2025

	Investor Class	Class A	Class C	Class I
ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income (formerly, RiverFront Asset Allocation Growth & Income)	RLGAX	RAGIX	RLGCX	RLIIX

# An ALPS Advisors Solution

The Securities and Exchange Commission has not approved or disapproved these securities or passed upon the accuracy or adequacy of this Prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.



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### SUMMARY SECTION

ALPS ASSET ALLOCATION GROWTH & INCOME (THE "FUND") (FORMERLY, RIVERFRONT ASSET ALLOCATION GROWTH & INCOME)

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Fund seeks to achieve long-term growth and income.

### 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 tables and examples below. You may qualify for certain sales charge discounts if you and your family invest, or agree to invest in the future, at least \$50,000 in the Fund. More information about these and other discounts is available from your financial professional and in "BUYING, EXCHANGING AND REDEEMING SHARES" at page 15 of the Prospectus and "PURCHASE, EXCHANGE & REDEMPTION OF SHARES" at page 51 of the Fund's statement of additional information. Descriptions of sales charge waivers and/or discounts for Class A Shares with respect to certain financial intermediaries are reproduced in "Appendix A - Intermediary-Specific Sales Charge Waivers and Discounts" to this prospectus based on information provided by the financial intermediary.

Shareholder Fees (fees paid directly from your investment)

	Investor Class	Class A	Class C	Class I
Maximum sales charge (load) imposed on purchases	None	3.25%	None	None
Maximum deferred sales charge (as a percentage of the lower of original purchase price or redemption proceeds)	None	None	1.00%	None

Annual Fund Operating Expenses (expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)

	Investor Class	Class A	Class C	Class I
Management Fees <sup>(1)</sup>	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Distribution and Service (12b-1) Fees	0.25%	0.25%	1.00%(2)	0.00%
Other Expenses	0.20%	0.20%	0.20%	0.20%
Shareholder Services Fees	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%(2)	0.00%
Total Other Expenses	0.20%	0.20%	0.20%	0.20%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses <sup>(3)</sup>	0.27%	0.27%	0.27%	0.27%
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses <sup>(4)</sup>	0.72%	0.72%	1.47%	0.47%

- (1) Pursuant to the Fund's advisory agreement, ALPS Advisors, Inc. (the "Adviser" or "AAI") does not receive a management fee from the Fund. However, the Adviser will indirectly derive management fees to the extent the Fund invests in an ETF or other fund managed by the Adviser.
- (2) Per the Distribution and Services Plan (the "Plan"), the Plan allows up to an annual rate of 0.75% for distribution and marketing and up to 0.25% as a service fee.
- (3) The operating expenses in this fee table will not correlate to the expense ratio in the Portfolio's financial statements (or the financial highlights in its prospectus) because the financial statements include only the direct operating expenses incurred by the Portfolio, not the indirect costs of investing in the acquired funds.
- (4) Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses have been restated to reflect current fees.

### Example

This example is intended to help you compare the costs 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 on these assumptions your cost would be:	1	Year	3	Years	5.	Years	10 Years	8
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Investor Class Shares	\$	74	\$	230	\$	400	\$ 894	
Class A Shares	\$	396	\$	548	\$	712	\$1,190	
Class C Shares	\$	250	\$	465	\$	802	\$1,755	,
Class I Shares	\$	48	\$	151	\$	263	\$ 591	
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Class C Shares	\$	150	\$	465	\$	802	\$1,755	

The Example does not reflect sales charges (loads) on reinvested dividends and other distributions. If these sales charges (loads) were included, your costs would be higher. The



expenses that would be paid for Investor Class, Class A, and Class I shares, if a shareholder did not redeem shares, would be the same.

### 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 rate may indicate higher transaction costs. These costs, which are not reflected in annual fund operating expenses or in the Example, affect the Fund's performance. A higher portfolio turnover rate may also result in higher taxes when Fund shares are held in a taxable account. During the fiscal year ended October 31, 2024, the Fund's portfolio turnover rate was 36% of the average value of its portfolio.

# PRINCIPAL INVESTMENT STRATEGIES OF THE FUND

ALPS Advisors, Inc. (the "Adviser" or "AAI") seeks to achieve the Fund's investment objective by strategically investing in, and tactically adjusting allocations to, exchange-traded funds ("ETFs") that, under normal market conditions, are expected to consist of ETFs advised by the Adviser ("AAI ETFs"), as well as unaffiliated ETFs. The ETFs in which the Fund may invest consist of ETFs that are listed on U.S. exchanges and may have exposure to international securities. The Fund also seeks, under normal market conditions, a target asset allocation, on a look-through basis, of 60% to equities and 40% to fixed-income securities, subject to the variations described below. The Fund's strategic allocation refers to the Adviser's long-term, macroview targeted allocation of asset class exposure that takes into consideration the Fund's particular investment objective and risk limitations. The Fund's tactical adjustments refer to the Adviser's periodic modifications of the Fund's allocation in response to prevailing market conditions, to seek to emphasize asset classes that are perceived to have a higher probability of relative outperformance.

The Fund is designed for investors seeking current income and capital appreciation while also seeking to manage risk. The Fund will typically have an allocation to global equities and therefore, investors in this Fund should be able to assume a certain degree of portfolio volatility. Variations of up to 20% in the target asset allocation between equities and fixed income securities are permitted. Therefore, under normal conditions, the equity/fixed income allocation in the Fund may range from 40%/60% to 80%/20% instead of the 60%/40% target. The Fund is expected to invest between 40% and 80% of its assets primarily in ETFs with exposure to a globally diversified basket of equities (which may include common and preferred stock of issuers located in emerging markets). The balance of the Fund is expected to be invested primarily in various other incomepaying ETFs, the assets of which may include corporate debt. The fixed income ETFs included in the portfolio may hold fixed income instruments, including government bonds, corporate bonds, and U.S. municipal bonds, of any credit quality, including "junk" bonds, and of any duration. The Adviser may tactically depart from the targeted allocations when certain sectors appear to be over- or under-valued. The equity issuers to which the Fund will have exposure may be issuers of any market capitalization.

In making strategic asset allocation decisions for the Fund, the Adviser seeks to identify various equity and other asset classes or market sectors that appear to present attractive relative long-term value and capital growth opportunities over a three-to ten-year period, and to position the Fund's portfolio across asset classes that offer the optimal combination of risk and long-term return potential. After determining the strategic asset allocation for the Fund, the Adviser applies tactical allocation that incorporates price, economic and earnings momentum, and other variables into the asset allocation decisions. Tactical allocation combines mathematical valuation models with market judgment and technical analysis in making risk-controlled adjustments to the strategic asset allocation in order to take advantage of short-term opportunities.

Certain of the AAI ETFs that invest in securities of non-U.S. companies may seek to hedge their currency exposure by entering into currency forward contracts or futures contracts. The Adviser considers a company to be economically tied to a country if at least one of the following attributes exists: the company (1) is organized in such country, (2) is headquartered in such country, (3) has its primary stock exchange listing in a market located in such country, or (4) during the company's most recent fiscal year, derived at least 50% of its revenues or profits from goods produced or sold, investments made, or services performed in such country or has at least 50% of its assets in such country.

Each ETF may also invest in common and preferred shares of real estate investment trusts (or REITs), which are companies that invest in real estate, mortgages, and/or construction loans.

Under normal circumstances, the Fund may invest at least 25% of its portfolio holdings in Alerian Energy Infrastructure ETF, ALPS Active Equity Opportunity ETF, ALPS Active REIT ETF, ALPS Clean Energy ETF, ALPS Emerging Sector Dividend Dogs ETF, ALPS International Sector Dividend Dogs ETF, ALPS Sector Dividend Dogs ETF, ALPS CoreCommodity Natural Resources ETF, ALPS O'Shares Europe Quality Dividend ETF, ALPS O'Shares Global Internet Giants ETF, ALPS O'Shares U.S. Quality Dividend ETF, ALPS O'Shares U.S. Small-Cap Quality Dividend ETF, ALPS Smith Core Plus Bond ETF, and Level Four Large Cap Growth Active ETF. The portion of the Fund's portfolio invested in AAI ETFs will vary from time to time. There is no minimum or maximum amount of the Fund's portfolio that may be invested in AAI ETFs at any given time.

### PRINCIPAL RISKS OF THE FUND

The following is a description of the principal risks of the Fund's portfolio, which may adversely affect its net asset value and total return. It is important to read all the disclosure information provided and to understand that you may lose money by investing in the Fund.

- Affiliated ETF Risk. The Adviser receives advisory fees from underlying AAI ETFs that are payable to it pursuant to the advisory agreements of those underlying AAI ETFs. It is possible that a conflict of interest among the Fund and the AAI ETFs could affect how the Adviser fulfills its fiduciary duties to the Fund and the AAI ETFs. The Adviser may have an incentive to take into account the effect on an AAI ETF in which the Fund may invest in determining whether, and under what circumstances, to purchase or sell shares in that AAI ETF. To seek to mitigate risks of conflicts of interest arising from investments in affiliated investment companies, the Fund has adopted an expense structure under which the Fund does not pay advisory fees to the Adviser. For non-advisory services, the Fund pays an administrative fee to the administrator in addition to other expenses described in the Fund's fees and expenses table. These services include general fund administration services, transfer agency services, as well as bookkeeping and accounting services. There is no assurance that these measures will completely mitigate conflicts of interest in the selection of AAI ETFs.
- ETF Investment Risk. Each of the underlying ETFs in which the Fund invests will be subject to its own principal risks, depending on the investment objective, investment strategy, and other characteristics of such underlying ETFs. Those underlying ETF risks may in turn become principal risks of an investment in the Fund. To the extent the Fund invests in other ETFs. including AAI ETFs, the Fund's shareholders will indirectly incur certain fees and expenses of that ETF, including investment advisory fees. The return on such investments will be reduced by the operating expenses, including investment advisory and administration fees. of such ETFs, and will be further reduced by the Fund's own expenses, including the Fund's administrative fees. ETFs are investment companies that are bought and sold on a securities exchange. The Fund could lose money by investing in an ETF including if the value of the ETF's investments go down. In addition, the market price of an ETF's shares may trade at a premium or discount to their net asset value, meaning that the Fund could pay more to purchase shares of an ETF, or receive less in a sale of shares of an ETF, than the net asset value of the ETF. ETFs are also subject to potential liquidity risk because an active trading market for an ETF's shares may not develop or be maintained, trading of an ETF's shares may be halted from time to time, or the shares may be de-listed from the exchange. Where all or a portion of an underlying ETF's underlying

- securities trade on a foreign market, there may be differences between the price of the underlying ETF's shares and the shares of the underlying securities due to differences in the opening and closing times of such foreign markets.
- Active Management Risk. The portfolio managers'
  judgments about the attractiveness, value and potential
  appreciation of particular asset classes, securities or
  sectors may prove to be incorrect. Such errors could
  result in a negative return and a loss to you.
- Allocation Risk. The performance of the Fund will depend largely on the investment decisions of AAI as to strategic asset allocation and tactical adjustments made to the asset allocation. At times, AAI's judgments may prove to be wrong from time to time or for extended periods of time and the Fund may lose money.
- EquitySecuritiesRisk.Equitysecuritiesmayexperience sudden, unpredictable drops in value or long periods of decline in value. This may occur because of factors that affect securities markets generally or factors affecting specific industries, sectors or companies in which an underlying ETF invests, such as inflation, supply chain disruptions, real or perceived adverse economic or political conditions throughout the world, war or political unrest, changes in the general outlook for corporate earnings, changes in interest or currency rates, natural disasters, the spread of infectious illness, including COVID-19 and its variants, or other public issues or adverse investor sentiment generally. The market value of a security or instrument also may decline because of factors that affect a particular industry or industries, such as labor shortages or increased production costs and competitive conditions within an industry, including tariffs and other similar economic arrangements.
- Style Investing Risk. To the extent an underlying ETF focuses on a particular style of stocks (such as growth or value), its performance may at times be better or worse than the performance of funds that focus on other types of stocks or that have a broader investment style. Growth stocks, which are characterized by high price-to- earnings ratios, may be more volatile than value stocks with lower price-to-earnings ratios.
- Sector and Securities Selection Risk. The performance of an underlying ETF is related to the economic sectors that AAI may choose to emphasize or deemphasize from time to time, as well as to the individual securities selected by AAI within those sectors. The investment returns for particular economic sectors will fluctuate and may be lower than other sectors. In addition, the individual securities chosen for investment within a particular sector may underperform other securities within that same sector.



- Fixed Income Securities Risk. The Fund's investments. through an underlying ETF, in fixed-income securities and positions in fixed-income derivatives may decline in value because of changes in interest rates. As nominal interest rates rise, the value of fixed-income securities and any long positions in fixed-income derivatives held by the Fund are likely to decrease, whereas the value of its short positions in fixed-income derivatives is likely to increase. Additionally, the Fund's investments in fixed income securities may underperform due to inflation (or the expectation of inflation). Inflation may reduce the intrinsic value of increases in the value of the Fund. Inflation risk is the risk that the value of assets or income from investments will be less in the future as inflation decreases the value of money. As inflation increases, the value of the Fund's assets can decline.
- Corporate Debt Risk. Corporate debt securities in which the Fund may invest, through an underlying ETF, are taxable debt obligations issued by corporations, are subject to the risk of the issuer's inability to meet principal and interest payments on the obligations and may also be subject to price volatility due to factors such as market interest rates, market perception of the creditworthiness of the issuer and general market liquidity. The market value of a debt security generally reacts inversely to interest rate changes. When prevailing interest rates decline, the price of the debt obligation usually rises, and when prevailing interest rates rise, the price usually declines.
- Interest Rate Risk. The fixed-income securities in which an underlying ETF may invest may be of any credit quality or duration. Duration is a weighted measure of the length of time a bond will pay out and takes into account interest payments that occur throughout the course of holding the bond. In general, the longer the bond's duration, the more its price will drop as interest rates go up. When interest rates rise, the value of the underlying ETF's investments in fixed-income securities will generally decrease, which means the Fund's NAV will likewise decrease.
- Credit Risk. The companies in which an underlying ETF may invest may have their credit rating downgraded, fail financially or be unwilling or unable to make timely payments of interest or principal, thereby reducing the value of the underlying ETF's portfolio and its income.
- Liquidity and Valuation Risk. Liquidity risk is the
  risk that fixed-income securities may be difficult or
  impossible to sell at the time that the portfolio manager
  would like or at the price the portfolio manager believes
  the security is currently worth. Liquidity risk may be
  increased to the extent that the Fund invests in Rule
  144A and restricted securities. Valuation risk is the risk
  that one or more of the fixed-income securities in which

- the Fund invests are priced differently than the value realized upon such security's sale. In times of market instability, valuation may be more difficult.
- Small-, Mid-, and Large-sized Companies Risk. The Fund's investments, through an underlying ETF, in securities issued by small- and mid-sized companies, which can include companies that may involve greater risks than are customarily associated with larger, more established companies. Securities issued by small-and mid-sized companies tend to be more volatile and somewhat more speculative than securities issued by larger or more established companies and may underperform as compared to the securities of larger companies. Companies with large market capitalizations may have less growth potential than smaller companies and may not be able to react as quickly to changes in the marketplace.
- High Yield Securities Risk. An underlying ETF may invest in high yield securities. High yield securities generally offer a higher current yield than that available from higher grade issues, but typically involve greater risk. Securities rated below investment grade are commonly referred to as "junk bonds." The ability of issuers of high yield securities to make timely payments of interest and principal may be adversely impacted by adverse changes in general economic conditions, changes in the financial condition of the issuers and price fluctuations in response to changes in interest rates. High yield securities are less liquid than investment grade securities and may be difficult to price or sell.
- Prepayment and Extension Risk. An underlying ETF may invest in securities that are exposed to prepayment and/or extension risk. When interest rates fall, issuers of high interest debt obligations in which an underlying ETF invest may pay off the debts earlier than expected (prepayment risk), and an underlying ETF may have to reinvest the proceeds at lower yields. When interest rates rise, issuers of lower interest debt obligations may pay off the debts later than expected (extension risk), thus keeping an underlying ETF's assets tied up in lower interest debt obligations. Ultimately, any unexpected behavior in interest rates could increase the volatility of an underlying ETF's share price and yield and could hurt the Fund's performance. Prepayments could also create capital gains tax liability in some instances.
- **Limited Investments Risk.** The Fund may invest in a limited number of ETFs, and as a consequence, will be more susceptible to fluctuations in performance of, and risks associated with, those ETFs within its portfolio than a similar Fund with a greater number of ETFs within its portfolio.

- Non-U.S. Securities Risk. Non-U.S. securities, in which an underlying ETF could invest, are subject to the risks of foreign currency fluctuations, generally higher volatility and lower liquidity than U.S. securities, less developed securities markets and economic systems and political and economic instability.
- Emerging Markets Risk. An underlying ETF may invest in securities of foreign issuers, which are subject to certain inherent risks, such as political or economic disruptions or instability of the country of issue, the difficulty of predicting international trade patterns, foreign currency fluctuations, and the possibility of imposition of exchange controls. Such securities may also be subject to greater variations in price than securities of domestic corporations. Foreign securities may be less liquid and involve higher transaction costs, as foreign securities markets may be less efficient than U.S. markets. In addition, there may be less publicly available information about a foreign company than about a domestic company.
- **Currency Risk.** The value of the Fund's investments may fall as a result of changes in exchange rates.
- Conflicts of Interest Risk. The Fund is subject to certain potential conflicts of interest arising out of the activities of its service providers. For example, the Fund's distributor, ALPS Portfolio Solutions Distributor, Inc., or its affiliates, currently provide distribution services to certain ETFs which could be purchased by the Fund.
- Income Generation Risk. An underlying ETF may fail
  to generate anticipated levels of income due to, among
  other factors, unanticipated market conditions or the
  materialization of risks associated with the securities
  owned by an underlying ETF, which failure in turn could
  negatively impact the underlying ETF's ability to meet
  its stated investment objective.
- Hedging Risk. Although derivative instruments may be used to offset or hedge against losses on an opposite position, such hedges can also potentially offset any gains on the opposite position. An underlying ETF may seek to hedge currency exposure through forward currency contracts and/or futures contracts (which are described under "Futures Contract Risk"). A forward contract on foreign currency is an obligation to purchase or sell a specific currency at a future date. Contracts to sell foreign currency will generally be expected to limit any potential gain that might be realized by the Fund if the value of the hedged currency increases. In addition, the use of currency hedging will not necessarily eliminate exposure to all currency fluctuations. Hedging against a decline in the value of a currency does not eliminate fluctuations in the value of a portfolio security traded in that currency or prevent a loss if the value of the security declines.

- Futures Contract Risk. Futures contracts provide for the future sale by one party and purchase by another party of a specified amount of an underlying asset at a price, date and time specified when the contract is made. Futures contracts traded in the over-the-counter markets are frequently referred to as forward contracts. Entering into a contract to buy is commonly referred to as buying or purchasing a contract or holding a long position. Entering into a contract to sell is commonly referred to as selling a contract or holding a short position. The Fund can buy or sell futures contracts on portfolio securities or indexes and engage in foreign currency forward contracts. To the extent the Fund uses futures contracts, which are a type of derivative, it is subject to the risk of loss caused by unanticipated market movements. In addition, there may at times be an imperfect correlation between the movement in the prices of futures contracts and the value of their underlying instruments or indexes and there may at times not be a liquid secondary market for certain futures contracts.
- Real Estate Investment Trust ("REIT") Risk. Investing
  in REITs may subject an underlying ETF to risks similar
  to those associated with the direct ownership of real
  estate, including losses from casualty or condemnation,
  changes in local and general economic conditions,
  supply and demand, interest rates, zoning laws,
  regulatory limitations on rents, property taxes, and
  operating expenses in addition to terrorist attacks, war,
  or other acts that destroy real property.
- Credit Rating Agency Risk. Credit ratings are determined by credit rating agencies such as S&P Global Ratings, Moody's Investors Services, Inc. and Fitch Inc., and are only the opinions of such entities. Ratings assigned by a rating agency are not absolute standards of credit quality and do not evaluate market risk or the liquidity of securities. The Fund makes no warranty whatsoever regarding the ability of such ratings to accurately reflect the creditworthiness of an issuer. Any shortcomings, changes to or inefficiencies in credit rating agencies' processes for determining credit ratings may adversely affect the credit ratings of securities held by the Fund or securities in which the Fund would otherwise invest and, as a result, may adversely affect those securities' perceived or actual credit risk, as well as the Fund's performance.

### PERFORMANCE INFORMATION

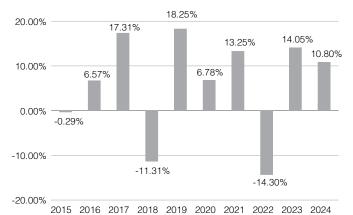
The following information provides some indication of the risks of investing in the Fund by showing how the Fund's performance has varied over time. Class A shares of the Fund commenced operations on June 12, 2018. The performance shown in the table below for periods prior to June 12, 2018 for Class A shares reflects the performance of the Fund's Investor Class shares, the initial share class, calculated using the fees



and expenses of Class A shares. If Class A shares of the Fund had been available during periods prior to June 12, 2018, the performance shown may have been different.

The bar chart depicts the change in performance from year to year during the periods indicated. The bar chart figures do not include any applicable sales charges that an investor may pay when they buy or sell shares of the Fund. If sales charges were included, the returns would be lower. The table compares the Fund's average annual returns for the periods indicated to a broad-based securities market index and additional indices. The indices are not actively managed and are not available for direct investment. The bar charts and performance tables assume reinvestment of dividends and distributions. The Fund's past performance (before and after taxes) does not necessarily indicate how it will perform in the future. Updated performance information is available on the Fund's website at www.alpsfunds.com or by calling 866.759.5679.

# Annual Total Return (for calendar years ended 12/31) Investor Class Shares



Best Quarter: June 30, 2020 14.26% Worst Quarter: March 31, 2020 -18.39%

The Fund's Investor Class share year-to-date return as of December 31, 2024 was 10.80%.

After-tax returns are calculated using the historically highest individual U.S. federal marginal income tax rates and do not reflect the impact of state and local taxes. Actual after-tax returns depend on your individual tax situation and may differ from those shown in the table below. The after-tax return information shown below does not apply to Fund shares held through a tax-qualified account, such as a 401(k) plan or an IRA.

After-tax returns are only shown for Investor Class shares of the Fund. After-tax returns for Class A shares, Class C shares and Class I shares will vary from those shown for Investor Class shares due to varying sales charges and expenses among the classes.

# Average Annual Total Returns (for periods ended December 31, 2024)

	1 Year	5 Years	10 Years
Investor Class Shares			
Return Before Taxes	10.80%	5.54%	5.52%
Return After Taxes on Distributions	9.38%	4.49%	4.30%
Return After Taxes on Distributions and Sale of Fund Shares	6.39%	3.96%	4.02%
Class A Shares			
Return Before Taxes	4.67%	4.36%	4.93%
Class C Shares			
Return Before Taxes	8.89%	4.75%	4.73%
Class I Shares			
Return Before Taxes	11.10%	5.82%	5.79%
Morningstar Global Markets Index (reflects no deduction for fees, expenses or taxes)*	16.31%	9.56%	8.97%
Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index (reflects no deduction for fees, expenses or taxes)**	1.25%	-0.33%	1.35%
60% Morningstar Global Markets Index and 40% Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index (reflects no deduction for fees, expenses or taxes)**	10.10%	5.78%	6.10%

- \* Broad-based securities market index.
- \*\* Additional index.

# **INVESTMENT ADVISER**

ALPS Advisors, Inc. is the investment adviser to the Fund.

### **PORTFOLIO MANAGERS**

Laton Spahr, President of ALPS Advisors, and Eric Hewitt, Director of Research of ALPS Advisors, have been portfolio managers of the Fund since February 28, 2025. Messrs. Spahr and Hewitt have joint and primary responsibility for the day-to-day management of the Fund's portfolio.

# PURCHASE AND SALE OF FUND SHARES

The Fund offers investors four classes of shares: Investor Class. Class A, Class C and Class I. The minimum investment in Investor Class shares, Class A shares and Class C shares is \$500 for tax-qualified accounts and \$2,500 for other accounts. The minimum investment in Class I shares is \$100,000.

Investors generally may meet the minimum investment amount by aggregating multiple accounts within the Fund. There is no subsequent investment minimum.

Purchases, exchanges and redemptions can generally be made only through institutional channels, such as financial intermediaries and retirement platforms. You should contact your financial intermediary or refer to your plan documents for information on how to invest in the Fund. The Fund will redeem all full and fractional shares of the Fund upon request on any business day at the applicable net asset value determined after a redemption request has been received in good order.

### TAX INFORMATION

For U.S. federal income tax purposes, the Fund's distributions may be taxable as ordinary income, capital gains, qualified dividend income, or section 199A dividends, except when your investment is held in an IRA, 401(k) or other tax-qualified investment plan. Withdrawals from such a tax-qualified investment plan will be subject to special tax rules. Special rules will apply to distributions paid to foreign shareholders.

# 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 Web site for more information.



# INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES AND PRINCIPAL INVESTMENT STRATEGIES

This section describes the Fund's investment objectives and principal investment strategies. See "More on the Fund's Investments and Related Risks" in this Prospectus and the Statement of Additional Information about the Fund's investments and the risks of investing.

### What is the Fund's Investment Objective?

Fund	Investment Objective				
ALPS Asset Allocation	The Fund seeks to achieve long-				
Growth & Income	term growth and income.				

While there is no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objective, the Fund endeavors to do so by following the strategies and policies described in this prospectus.

The Fund's Board of Trustees (the "Board") may change this objective or the Fund's principal investment strategies without a shareholder vote. If there is a material change to the Fund's objective or principal investment strategies, you should consider whether the Fund remains an appropriate investment for you.

ALPS Advisors, Inc. ("ALPS Advisors," or the "Adviser"), is the investment adviser of the Fund.

### What are the Fund's Principal Investment Strategies?

The Adviser seeks to achieve the Fund's investment objective by strategically investing in, and tactically adjusting allocations to, exchange-traded funds ("ETFs") that, under normal market conditions, are expected to consist of ETFs advised by the Adviser ("AAI ETFs"), as well as unaffiliated ETFs. The ETFs in which the Fund may invest consist of ETFs that are listed on U.S. exchanges and may have exposure to international securities. The Fund also seeks, under normal market conditions, a target asset allocation, on a look-through basis, of 60% to equities and 40% to fixed-income securities, subject to the variations described below. The Fund's strategic allocation refers to the Adviser's long-term, macro-view targeted allocation of asset class exposure that takes into consideration the Fund's particular investment objective and risk limitations. The Fund's tactical adjustments refer to the Adviser's periodic modifications of the Fund's allocation in response to prevailing market conditions, to seek to emphasize asset classes that are perceived to have a higher probability of relative outperformance.

The Fund is designed for investors seeking current income and capital appreciation, while also seeking to manage risk. The Fund will typically have an allocation to global equities; and therefore, investors in this Fund should be able to assume a certain degree of portfolio volatility. Variations of up to 20% in the target asset allocation between equities and fixed income securities are permitted. Therefore, under normal conditions, the equity/fixed income allocation in the Fund may range from

40%/60% to 80%/20% instead of the 60%/40% target. The Fund is expected to invest between 40% and 80% of its assets primarily in ETFs with exposure to a globally diversified basket of equities (which may include common and preferred stock of issuers located in emerging markets). The balance of the Fund is expected to be invested primarily in various other incomepaying ETFs, the assets of which may include corporate debt. The fixed income ETFs included in the portfolio may hold fixed income instruments, including government bonds, corporate bonds, and U.S. municipal bonds, of any credit quality, including "junk" bonds, and of any duration. Duration is a weighted measure of the length of time a bond will pay out and takes into account interest payments that occur throughout the course of holding the bond. In general, the longer the bond's duration, the more its price will drop as interest rates go up. The Adviser may tactically depart from the targeted allocations when certain sectors appear to be over- or under-valued. The equity issuers to which the Fund will have exposure may be issuers of any market capitalization.

In making strategic asset allocation decisions for the Fund, the Adviser seeks to identify various equity and other asset classes or market sectors that appear to present attractive relative long-term value and capital growth opportunities over a three-to ten-year period, and to position the Fund's portfolio across asset classes that offer the optimal combination of risk and long-term return potential. After determining the strategic asset allocation for the Fund, the Adviser applies tactical allocation that incorporates price, economic and earnings momentum, and other variables into the asset allocation decisions. Tactical allocation combines mathematical valuation models with market judgment and technical analysis in making risk-controlled adjustments to the strategic asset allocation in order to take advantage of short-term opportunities.

The Fund's investment in a particular AAI ETF may, depending on market conditions, from time to time constitute 25% or more of the Fund's portfolio. These AAI ETFs include the Alerian Energy Infrastructure ETF, ALPS Active Equity Opportunity ETF, ALPS Active REIT ETF, ALPS Clean Energy ETF, ALPS Emerging Sector Dividend Dogs ETF, ALPS Intermediate Municipal Bond ETF, ALPS International Sector Dividend Dogs ETF, ALPS Sector Dividend Dogs ETF, ALPS | CoreCommodity Natural Resources ETF, ALPS | O'Shares Europe Quality Dividend ETF, ALPS | O'Shares Global Internet Giants ETF, ALPS | O'Shares U.S. Quality Dividend ETF, ALPS | O'Shares U.S. Small-Cap Quality Dividend ETF, ALPS | Smith Core Plus Bond ETF, and Level Four Large Cap Growth Active ETF. The portion of the Fund's portfolio invested in AAI ETFs will vary from time to time. There is no minimum or maximum amount of the Fund's portfolio that may be invested in AAI ETFs at any given time.

### **Affiliated ETF Structure**

The Fund intends, under normal market conditions, to invest in AAI ETFs. To seek to mitigate risks of conflicts of interest arising from investments in affiliated investment companies, the Fund has adopted an expense structure under which the Fund does not pay advisory fees to the Adviser. For non-

advisory services, the Fund pays an administrative fee in addition to other expenses described in the Fund's fees and expenses table. The fee, which is calculated at an annual rate of 0.20% of the Fund's average daily net assets, covers Fund expenses including the costs of transfer agency, custody, fund administration, legal, bookkeeping, audit, and other expenses, but does not cover fees or distribution and service (Rule 12b-1) fees, which are borne separately by the Fund, and which are described in greater detail under the heading "Administrator, Distributor and Transfer Agent".

### **Risk Management**

The Adviser utilizes risk management techniques in its investment process. Those techniques include understanding the risks being assumed, monitoring the impact of those risks on performance, and promptly addressing those asset classes that are not performing.

The Adviser portfolio management team meets from time to time as required to review holdings, evaluate their risks, assess the portfolio managers' conviction levels on the holdings, and determine decision points for the sale of holdings. The Adviser will sell positions in ETFs when it no longer believes they present attractive long-term growth opportunities relative to other possible investments in that asset class or when the Adviser changes its strategic asset allocation or makes tactical adjustments to address underperforming asset classes.

### **Market Capitalization Strategy**

The Fund will generally invest in ETFs with exposure to companies of various market capitalizations but will typically seek to have exposure to domestic companies within any single market capitalization category to no more than 50% of its total assets, on a look-through basis, for large-cap or mid-cap and no more than 35% for small-cap. The Adviser uses the data from the CRSP (Center for Research in Securities Pricing) as a general guideline for defining market caps.

### **Investment Selection Process**

In constructing the Fund's portfolio, the Adviser employs a multi-dimensional investment discipline, involving:

- Strategic asset allocation
- Tactical adjustments, sector strategy and optimized security selection
- Disciplined risk management

### **Strategic Asset Allocation**

In making strategic asset allocation decisions for the Fund, the Adviser seeks to identify various equity and other asset classes or market sectors that appear to present attractive relative long-term value and capital growth opportunities over a three- to ten-year period, and to position the Fund's portfolio across asset classes that offer the optimal combination of risk and long-term return potential. Equity asset classes or market sectors may include various combinations of equity securities of companies across the market capitalization spectrum, growth and value stocks, U.S. stocks and foreign equities (e.g., large-cap growth,

mid-cap value, small-cap value, foreign developed country and emerging markets). Based on an analysis of historical returns, the Adviser believes that a strong relationship exists between the price paid for an asset and asset's subsequent longer-term return, and looks for asset classes that offer good relative values. The Adviser applies sophisticated mathematical models to various asset classes to produce forward-looking estimates of their potential long-term returns based upon whether the asset class is priced above or below its historical long-term average, and combines those estimates with volatility and correlation assumptions to select asset classes with long-term growth potential and determine the percentage each asset class will represent of the entire portfolio.

### **Tactical Adjustments**

After determining the strategic asset allocation for the Fund, the Adviser applies tactical allocation that incorporates price, economic and earnings momentum into the asset allocation decisions. Tactical allocation combines mathematical valuation models with market judgment and technical analysis in making risk-controlled adjustments to the strategic asset allocation in order to take advantage of short-term opportunities. The most significant tactical adjustments are made to markets in which investor sentiment has driven valuations to an extreme, the trend in those markets is showing signs of turning, and the Federal Reserve policy is clearly supportive of the market's new direction. The maximum tactical adjustment to the percentage represented by a particular asset class relative to the strategic asset allocation is normally 10%. The allocation among the asset classes may vary substantially over time.

#### **Futures Contracts**

Certain of the AAI ETFs that invest in securities of non-U.S. companies may seek to hedge their currency exposure by entering into currency forward contracts or futures contracts. The Adviser considers a company to be economically tied to a country if at least one of the following attributes exists: the company (1) is organized in such country, (2) is headquartered in such country, (3) has its primary stock exchange listing in a market located in such country, or (4) during the company's most recent fiscal year, derived at least 50% of its revenues or profits from goods produced or sold, investments made, or services performed in such country or has at least 50% of its assets in such country.

### **REITs**

Each ETF may also invest in common and preferred shares of real estate investment trusts (or REITs), which are companies that invest in real estate, mortgages, and/or construction loans.

# MORE ON THE FUND'S INVESTMENTS AND RELATED RISKS

The Fund's investment objective and its principal investment strategies are described above under "Investment Objective and Principal Investment Strategies." This section provides additional information about the Fund's investment strategies



and certain portfolio management techniques the Fund may use, as well as the principal risks that may affect the Fund's portfolio. Additional information about some of these investments and portfolio management techniques and their associated risks is included in the Fund's Statement of Additional Information ("SAI"), which is available without charge upon request (see back cover).

#### **Other Investment Practices**

### **Illiquid Investments**

The Fund may invest up to 15% of its net assets in illiquid investments. An illiquid investment is a security or other position that cannot be disposed of quickly in the normal course of business (within seven days). For example, some securities are not registered under U.S. securities laws and cannot be sold to the U.S. public because of SEC regulations (these are known as "restricted securities"). Under procedures adopted by the Fund's Board, certain restricted securities may be deemed liquid and will not be counted toward this 15% limit.

### **Changes of Investment Restrictions**

Certain of the Fund's investment policies are also "non-fundamental" investment restrictions of the Fund. This means that such non-fundamental investment restrictions may be changed at any time without shareholder approval by the Board of Trustees. Unless expressly stated otherwise in the Prospectus or the Statement of Additional Information, any investment policies or restrictions contained in the Prospectus or Statement of Additional Information are non-fundamental.

#### Investment Limitations

Except with respect to the illiquid investment restrictions set forth above and as otherwise required by the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, (the "1940 Act") and the rules and regulations thereunder, all limitations on the Fund's investments listed in this Prospectus will apply at the time of investment. The Fund would not violate these limitations unless an excess or deficiency occurs or exists immediately after and as a result of an investment. Unless otherwise indicated, references to assets in the percentage limitations on the Fund's investments refer to total assets.

### **Temporary Defensive Investments**

The Fund may depart from its principal investment strategies in response to adverse market, economic or political conditions by taking temporary defensive positions which in the case of the Fund may constitute up to one hundred percent (100%) of the Fund's total assets, in short-term debt securities, derivatives, cash and cash equivalents, shares of money market mutual funds, commercial paper, certificates of deposit, bankers' acceptances, U.S. Government securities and repurchase agreements. Under such circumstances, the Fund may not achieve its investment objective. 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.

### **Cash Position**

The Fund may not always stay fully invested. For example, when the portfolio manager believes that market conditions are unfavorable for profitable investing, or when he is otherwise unable to locate attractive investment opportunities, the Fund's cash or similar investments may increase. In other words, cash or similar investments generally are a residual – they represent the assets that remain after the Fund has committed available assets to desirable investment opportunities. When the Fund's investments in cash or similar investments increase, it may not participate in market advance or declines to the same extent that it would if the Fund remained more fully invested. The Fund's portfolio managers will typically seek to keep a small portion of its assets (approximately 2%) in a cash position during normal market conditions.

### DISCUSSION OF PRINCIPAL RISKS

There are inherent risks associated with the Fund's principal investment strategies. The factors that are most likely to have a material effect on the Fund's investment portfolio as a whole are called "principal risks." The principal risks of the Fund are summarized in the Fund's "Fund Summary" section above and further described below. Because the Fund invests in other investment companies, the Fund will be subject to the same risks of the other investment companies to the extent of the Fund's investment. For additional information regarding risks of investing in the Fund, please see the SAI.

### **Active Management Risk**

The portfolio managers' judgments about the attractiveness, value and potential appreciation of particular asset classes, securities or sectors may prove to be incorrect. Such errors could result in a negative return and a loss to you.

### **Affiliated ETF Risk**

The Adviser receives advisory fees from an underlying ETF for which the Adviser serves as the investment adviser (an "AAI ETF") that are payable to it pursuant to the advisory agreements of those underlying AAI ETFs. It is possible that a conflict of interest among the Fund and the AAI ETFs could affect how the Adviser fulfills its fiduciary duties to the Fund and the AAI ETFs. The Adviser may have an incentive to take into account the effect on an AAI ETF in which the Fund may invest in determining whether, and under what circumstances, to purchase or sell shares in that AAI ETF. To seek to mitigate risks of conflicts of interest arising from investments in affiliated investment companies, the Fund has adopted an expense structure under which the Fund does not pay advisory fees to the Adviser. For non-advisory services, the Fund pays an administrative fee to the administrator in addition to other expenses described in the Fund's fees and expenses table. These services include general fund administration services, transfer agency services, as well as bookkeeping and accounting services. There is no assurance that these measures will completely mitigate conflicts of interest in the selection of AAI ETFs.

### **Allocation Risk**

The performance of the Fund will depend largely on the decisions of the Adviser as to strategic asset allocation and tactical adjustments made to the asset allocation. At times, the Adviser's judgments as to the asset classes in which the Fund should invest may prove to be wrong, as some asset classes may perform poorly in relation to other asset classes or in relation to the equity markets generally from time to time or for extended periods of time.

### **Conflicts of Interest Risk**

The Fund is subject to certain potential conflicts of interest arising out of the activities of its service providers. For example, the Fund's distributor, ALPS Portfolio Solutions Distributor, Inc., or its affiliates, currently provide distribution services to certain ETFs which could be purchased by the Fund.

### **Corporate Debt Risk**

Corporate debt securities are taxable debt obligations issued by corporations, are subject to the risk of the issuer's inability to meet principal and interest payments on the obligations and may also be subject to price volatility due to factors such as market interest rates, market perception of the creditworthiness of the issuer and general market liquidity. The market value of a debt security generally reacts inversely to interest rate changes. When prevailing interest rates decline, the price of the debt obligation usually rises, and when prevailing interest rates rise, the price usually declines.

### **Credit Risk**

There is a risk that issuers will not make payments on securities held by the Fund or an underlying ETF, resulting in losses. In addition, the credit quality of securities held by the Fund or an underlying ETF may be lowered if an issuer's financial condition changes. Because the issuers of high-yield debt securities or junk bonds (debt securities rated below the fourth highest category) may be in uncertain financial health, the prices of their debt securities can be more vulnerable to bad economic news or even the expectation of bad news, than investmentgrade debt securities. Lower credit quality may lead to greater volatility in the price of a security and in shares of the Fund or the underlying ETF. Lower credit quality also may affect liquidity and make it difficult for the Fund or the underlying ETF to sell the security. Default, or the market's perception that an issuer is likely to default, could reduce the value and liquidity of securities held by the Fund or the underlying ETF, thereby indirectly reducing the value of your investment in Fund shares. In addition, default may cause the Fund or the underlying ETF to incur expenses in seeking recovery of principal or interest on its portfolio holdings. Credit risk also exists whenever the Fund or an underlying ETF enters into a foreign exchange or derivative contract, because the counterparty may not be able or may choose not to perform under the contract. When the Fund or an underlying ETF invests in foreign currency contracts, or other

over-the-counter derivative instruments (including options or repurchase agreements), it is assuming a credit risk with regard to the party with which it trades and also bears the risk of settlement default. These risks may differ materially from risks associated with transactions effected on an exchange, which generally are backed by clearing organization guarantees, daily mark-to-market and settlement, segregation and minimum capital requirements applicable to intermediaries.

Transactions entered into directly between two counterparties generally do not benefit from such protections. Relying on a counterparty exposes the Fund or the underlying ETF to the risk that a counterparty will not settle a transaction in accordance with its terms and conditions because of a dispute over the terms of the contract (whether or not bona fide) or because of a credit or liquidity problem, thus causing a loss. If a counterparty defaults on its payment obligations, this default will cause the value of an investment to decrease. In addition, to the extent the Fund or the underlying ETF deals with a limited number of counterparties, it will be more susceptible to the credit risks associated with those counterparties.

### **Currency Risk**

Fluctuations in exchange rates between the U.S. dollar and non-U.S. currencies may cause the value of the Fund's investments to decline in terms of U.S. dollars. Additionally, certain foreign currency transactions may give rise to ordinary income or loss to the extent such income or loss results from fluctuations in the value of the foreign currency. See "TAXES" below. The Fund or the underlying ETFs that may invest in securities denominated in, or which receive revenues in, non-U.S. currencies are subject to this risk.

### **Credit Rating Agency Risk**

Credit ratings are determined by credit rating agencies such as S&P Global Ratings, Moody's Investors Services, Inc. and Fitch Inc., and are only the opinions of such entities. Ratings assigned by a rating agency are not absolute standards of credit quality and do not evaluate market risk or the liquidity of securities. The Fund makes no warranty whatsoever regarding the ability of such ratings to accurately reflect the creditworthiness of an issuer. Any shortcomings, changes to or inefficiencies in credit rating agencies' processes for determining credit ratings may adversely affect the credit ratings of securities held by the Fund or securities in which the Fund would otherwise invest and, as a result, may adversely affect those securities' perceived or actual credit risk, as well as the Fund's performance.

### **Emerging Markets Risk**

To the extent that the Fund or an underlying ETF invests in issuers located in emerging markets, the risk may be heightened by political changes, changes in taxation or currency controls that could adversely affect the values of these investments. Emerging markets have been more volatile than the markets of developed countries with more mature economies.



### **Equity Securities Risk**

The values of equity securities, such as common stocks and preferred stock, may decline due to general market conditions that are not specifically related to a particular company, such as real or perceived adverse economic conditions, changes in the general outlook for corporate earnings, changes in interest or currency rates or adverse investor sentiment generally. Equity securities generally have greater price volatility than fixedincome securities. Equity securities may experience sudden, unpredictable drops in value or long periods of decline in value. This may occur because of factors that affect securities markets generally or factors affecting specific industries, sectors or companies in which the Fund invests, such as inflation, supply chain disruptions, real or perceived adverse economic or political conditions throughout the world, war or political unrest, changes in the general outlook for corporate earnings, changes in interest or currency rates, natural disasters, the spread of infectious illness, including COVID-19 and its variants, or other public issues or adverse investor sentiment generally. The market value of a security or instrument also may decline because of factors that affect a particular industry or industries, such as labor shortages or increased production costs and competitive conditions within an industry, including tariffs and other similar economic arrangements. The impact of any of these occurrences may exacerbate other pre-existing political. social, financial, and economic risks in certain countries or the market in general and may last for an extended period of time.

### **ETF Investment Risk**

Each of the underlying ETFs in which the Fund invests will be subject to its own principal risks, depending on the investment objective, investment strategy, and other characteristics of such underlying ETFs. Those underlying ETF risks may in turn become principal risks of an investment in the Fund. To the extent the Fund invests in other ETFs, including AAI ETFs, the Fund's shareholders will indirectly incur certain fees and expenses of that ETF, including investment advisory fees. The return on such investments will be reduced by the operating expenses, including investment advisory and administration fees, of such ETFs, and will be further reduced by the Fund's own expenses, including the Fund's administrative fees. ETFs are investment companies that are bought and sold on a securities exchange. The Fund could lose money by investing in an ETF including if the value of the ETF's investments go down. In addition, the market price of an ETF's shares may trade at a premium or discount to their net asset value, meaning that the Fund could pay more to purchase shares of an ETF, or receive less in a sale of shares of an ETF, than the net asset value of the ETF. ETFs are also subject to potential liquidity risk because an active trading market for an ETF's shares may not develop or be maintained, trading of an ETF's shares may be halted from time to time, or the shares may be de-listed from the exchange. Where all or a portion of an underlying ETF's underlying securities trade on a foreign market, there may be differences between the price of the underlying ETF's shares and the shares of the underlying securities due to differences in the opening and closing times of such foreign markets.

### **Fixed Income Securities Risk**

A rise in interest rates typically causes bond prices to fall. The longer the duration of the bonds held by a fund, the more sensitive it will likely be to interest rate fluctuations. Duration measures the weighted average term to maturity of a bond's expected cash flows. Duration also represents the approximate percentage change that the price of a bond would experience for a 1% change in yield. For example: the price of a bond with a duration of 5 years would change approximately 5% for a 1% change in yield. The price of a bond with a duration of 10 years would be expected to decline by approximately 10% if its yield was to rise by +1%. Bond yields tend to fluctuate in response to changes in market levels of interest rates. Generally, if interest rates rise, a bond's yield will also rise in response; the duration of the bond will determine how much the price of the bond will change in response to the change in yield.

The Fund's investments, through an underlying ETF, in fixed-income securities and positions in fixed-income derivatives may decline in value because of changes in interest rates. As nominal interest rates rise, the value of fixed-income securities and any long positions in fixed-income derivatives held by the Fund are likely to decrease, whereas the value of its short positions in fixed-income derivatives is likely to increase. Additionally, the Fund's investments in fixed income securities may underperform due to inflation (or the expectation of inflation). Inflation may reduce the intrinsic value of increases in the value of the Fund. Inflation risk is the risk that the value of assets or income from investments will be less in the future as inflation decreases the value of money. As inflation increases, the value of the Fund's assets can decline.

### **Futures Contract Risk**

Futures contracts provide for the future sale by one party and purchase by another party of a specified amount of an underlying asset at a price, date and time specified when the contract is made. Futures contracts traded in the over-the-counter markets are frequently referred to as forward contracts. Entering into a contract to buy is commonly referred to as buying or purchasing a contract or holding a long position. Entering into a contract to sell is commonly referred to as selling a contract or holding a short position. The Fund can buy or sell futures contracts on portfolio securities or indexes and engage in foreign currency forward contracts.

Funds that use futures contracts, which are a type of derivative, are subject to the risk of loss caused by unanticipated market movements. In addition, there may at times be an imperfect correlation between the movement in the prices of futures contracts and the value of their underlying instruments or indexes and there may at times not be a liquid secondary market for certain futures contracts.

# **Hedging Risk**

Although derivative instruments may be used to offset or hedge against losses on an opposite position, such hedges can also potentially offset any gains on the opposite position. An underlying ETF may seek to hedge currency exposure through forward currency contracts and/or futures contracts (which are described under "Futures Contract Risk"). A forward contract on foreign currency is an obligation to purchase or sell a specific currency at a future date. Contracts to sell foreign currency will generally be expected to limit any potential gain that might be realized by the Fund if the value of the hedged currency increases. In addition, the use of currency hedging will not necessarily eliminate exposure to all currency fluctuations. Hedging against a decline in the value of a currency does not eliminate fluctuations in the value of a portfolio security traded in that currency or prevent a loss if the value of the security declines.

# High Yield/High-Risk Bond Risk

The Fund or an underlying ETF may invest in high yield securities. High-vield/high-risk bonds, or "junk" bonds, are bonds rated below investment-grade by the primary rating agencies, such as Standard & Poor's, Fitch and Moody's, or are unrated bonds of similar quality. The value of lower quality bonds generally is more dependent on credit risk than investment-grade bonds. Issuers of high-yield/high-risk bonds may not be as strong financially as those issuing bonds with higher credit ratings and are more vulnerable to real or perceived economic changes, political changes or adverse developments specific to the issuer. In addition, the junk bond market can experience sudden and sharp price swings. Further, secondary markets for highyield securities are less liquid than the market for investmentgrade securities. Therefore, it may be more difficult to value the securities because valuation may require more research, and elements of judgment may play a larger role in the valuation because there is less reliable, objective data available.

### **Income Generation Risk**

The Fund or an underlying ETF may fail to generate anticipated levels of income due to, among other factors, unanticipated market conditions or the materialization of risks associated with certain instruments described below, which failure in turn could negatively impact the Fund's or the underlying ETF's ability to meet its income level objectives.

# **Interest Rate Risk**

Interest rate risk is the risk that fixed income securities will decline in value because of changes in interest rates. As nominal interest rates rise, the value of fixed income securities held by the Fund or an underlying ETF are likely to decrease. Securities with longer durations tend to be more sensitive to changes in interest rates, and are usually more volatile than securities with shorter durations. For example, if an instrument has an average duration of five years, a 1% increase in interest rates generally

would result in a 5% decrease in the instrument's value. A nominal interest rate can be described as the sum of a real interest rate and an expected inflation rate. Inflation-protected securities, including TIPS, decline in value when real interest rates rise. In certain interest rate environments, such as when real interest rates are rising faster than nominal interest rates, inflation-indexed securities may experience greater losses than other fixed income securities with similar durations, and in turn, may negatively impact the performance of the Fund.

### **Limited Investments Risk**

The Fund may invest in a limited number of ETFs, and as a consequence, will be more susceptible to fluctuations in performance of, and risks associated with, those ETFs within its portfolio than a similar Fund with a greater number of ETFs within its portfolio.

### Liquidity and Valuation Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that fixed-income securities may be difficult or impossible to sell at the time that the portfolio manager would like or at the price the portfolio manager believes the security is currently worth. Certain of the Fund's or an underlying ETF's investments may be exposed to liquidity risk due to low trading volume, lack of a market maker or legal restrictions limiting the ability of the Fund or the underlying ETF to sell particular securities at an advantageous price and/or time. As a result, these securities may be more difficult to value. Derivatives and securities that involve substantial interest rate or credit risk tend to involve greater liquidity risk. In addition, liquidity and valuation risk tends to increase to the extent the Fund or an underlying ETF invests in securities whose sale may be restricted by law or by contract, such as Rule 144A securities and foreign securities, particularly those of issuers located in emerging markets. In times of market instability, valuation may be more difficult.

### Non-U.S. Securities Risk

Investments in non-U.S. securities may experience additional risks compared to investments in securities of U.S. companies. Non-U.S. securities are subject to the risks of foreign currency fluctuations, generally higher volatility and lower liquidity than U.S. securities, less developed securities markets and economic systems and political and economic instability.

Furthermore, non-U.S. taxes also could detract from performance of the non-U.S. securities in which an underlying ETF invests and in turn could negatively impact the performance of an underlying ETF. Companies based in non-U.S. countries may not be subject to accounting, auditing and financial reporting standards and practices as stringent as those in the United States. Therefore, their financial reports may present an incomplete, untimely or misleading picture of a non-U.S. company, as compared to the financial reports of U.S. companies. To the extent the Fund invests in foreign debt securities, such investments are sensitive to changes in



interest rates. Additionally, investments in securities of foreign governments involve the risk that a foreign government may not be willing or able to pay interest or repay principal when due.

# **Prepayment and Extension Risk**

When interest rates fall, issuers of high interest debt obligations may pay off the debts earlier than expected (prepayment risk), and the Fund or an underlying ETF may have to reinvest the proceeds at lower yields. When interest rates rise, issuers of lower interest debt obligations may pay off the debts later than expected (extension risk), thus keeping the Fund's or an underlying ETF's assets tied up in lower interest debt obligations. Ultimately, any unexpected behavior in interest rates could increase the volatility of the Fund's or an underlying ETF's share price and yield and could hurt the Fund's or an underlying ETF's performance. Prepayments could also create capital gains tax liability in some instances.

### Real Estate Investment Trust ("REIT") Risk

Investing in REITs may subject the Fund or an underlying ETF to risks similar to those associated with the direct ownership of real estate, including losses from casualty or condemnation, changes in local and general economic conditions, supply and demand, interest rates, zoning laws, regulatory limitations on rents, property taxes, and operating expenses in addition to terrorist attacks, war, or other acts that destroy real property.

### **Sector and Securities Selection Risk**

Companies in which an underlying ETF may invest with similar characteristics may be grouped together in broad categories called sectors. The performance of the Fund is related to the economic sectors that the Adviser may choose to emphasize or deemphasize from time to time, as well as to the individual securities within those sectors held by the Fund or the underlying ETF. The investment returns for particular economic sectors will fluctuate and may be lower than other sectors. In addition, the individual securities chosen for investment within a particular sector may underperform other securities within that same sector.

### Small-, Mid-, and Large-sized Companies Risk

The Fund's investments, through an underlying ETF, in securities issued by small- and mid-sized companies, which can include companies that may involve greater risks than are customarily associated with larger, more established companies. The frequency and volume of trading in securities of smaller and mid-size companies may be substantially less than is typical of larger companies. In addition, smaller and mid-size companies may lack the management experience, financial resources and product diversification of larger companies, making them more susceptible to market pressures and business failure. Securities issued by small- and mid-sized companies tend to be more volatile and somewhat more speculative than securities issued by larger or more established companies and may underperform as compared to the securities of larger

companies. Investments in larger capitalization companies, like those with small market capitalizations, can be negatively impacted by poor overall market and economic conditions. Companies with large market capitalizations may also have less growth potential than smaller companies and may not be able to react as quickly to changes in the marketplace.

# Style Investing Risk

To the extent the Fund or an underlying Fund focuses on a particular style of stocks (such as growth or value), its performance may at times be better or worse than the performance of funds that focus on other types of stocks or that have a broader investment style. Growth stocks, which are characterized by high price-to-earnings ratios, may be more volatile than value stocks with lower price-to-earnings ratios.

### DISCLOSURE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS

The Trust's policies and procedures with respect to the disclosure of the Fund's portfolio securities are described in the Fund's SAI.

### **MANAGEMENT**

ALPS Advisors, subject to the authority of the Board of Trustees, is responsible for the overall management and administration of the Fund's business affairs. The Adviser commenced business operations in December 2006 upon the acquisition of an existing investment advisory operation and is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission as an investment adviser. The Adviser's principal address is 1290 Broadway, Suite 1000, Denver, Colorado 80203.

ALPS Advisors has received "manager of managers" exemptive relief from the SEC (the "Order") that permits ALPS Advisors, subject to the approval of the Trust's Board (including a majority of Trustees who are not "interested persons," as defined in Section 2(a)(19) of the 1940 Act, of the Trust, ALPS Advisors or any sub-adviser) to select certain wholly-owned and nonaffiliated investment sub-advisers (each a "Sub-Adviser" and collectively, the "Sub-Advisers") to manage all or a portion of the assets of a sub-advised series and enter into investment sub-advisory agreements with the Sub-Advisers (each, a Sub-Advisory Agreement") and (ii) materially amend Sub-Advisory Agreements with the Sub- Advisers without first obtaining shareholder approval (except if the change results in an increase in the aggregate advisory fee payable by the Fund). Prior to relying on the Order, the Fund must receive approval of its shareholders. Shareholders of the Fund have approved the use of the Order. The Order permits the Fund to add or to change Sub-Advisers or to change the fees paid to such Sub-Advisers from time to time without the expense and delays associated with obtaining shareholder approval of the change. Under the Order, ALPS Advisors has the ultimate responsibility (subject to oversight by the Trust's Board) to oversee any Sub-Adviser and recommend their hiring, termination and replacement, and ALPS Advisors may, at times, recommend

to the Board that the Fund change, add or terminate its Sub-Adviser; continue to retain its Sub-Adviser even though the Sub-Adviser's ownership or corporate structure has changed; or materially change the Sub-Advisory Agreement with its Sub-Adviser. The Fund will notify shareholders of any change in the identity of a Sub-Adviser or the addition of a Sub-Adviser to the Fund.

The Trust, on behalf of the Fund, has entered into an Investment Advisory Agreement (the "Advisory Agreement") with the Adviser. The Adviser does not receive a management fee for its services under the Advisory Agreement. The Fund intends to invest, however, in ETFs that are advised by the Adviser. The Adviser will not waive any portion of the management fees payable by or in connection with such underlying ETFs, and as a consequence the Fund indirectly bears a portion of the management fees charged by the Adviser to such underlying ETFs.

The current term of the Advisory Agreement is one year. The Board may extend the Advisory Agreement for additional one-year terms. The Board, shareholders of the Fund or the Adviser may terminate the Advisory Agreement upon sixty (60) days' notice. A discussion regarding the basis for the Board's approval of the renewal of the ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income's Advisory Agreement is provided in the Fund's annual Form N-CSR for the period ended October 31, 2024.

### **Advisory Fees**

During the most recent fiscal year ended October 31, 2024, the Fund paid the following annual advisory fee as a percentage of daily net assets (net of waivers) to the Fund's investment adviser. Daily investment decisions are made by the Adviser, whose investment experience is described below under the heading "Portfolio Managers."

	Contractual Annual Advisory Fee (as a percentage of	Effective Annual Advisory Fee (as a percentage of
Fund Name	daily net assets)	daily net assets)
ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income Fund	0.00%	0.00%

### THE PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

The portfolio managers jointly and primarily are responsible for the day-to-day operation of the Fund. Each of the persons listed below has served as the Fund's portfolio manager since February 28, 2025.

More information about each manager's compensation, other accounts managed by each manager and each manager's ownership of securities in the Fund is included in the SAI.

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Portfolio Managers	Past 5 Years' Business Experience
Laton Spahr	Mr. Spahr is the President of ALPS Advisors, and has served as portfolio manager of the ALPS Balanced Opportunity Fund since its inception in 2020, ALPS Active Equity Opportunity ETF since June 2023, and ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income since February 2025. Prior to his association with ALPS Advisors, Mr. Spahr was a Senior Vice President and Strategy Leader of the Value & Income Team for OppenheimerFunds from 2013 to 2019. Mr. Spahr holds an MS from the University of Wisconsin.
Eric Hewitt	Mr. Hewitt is the Director of Research of ALPS Advisors and has served as portfolio manager of the ALPS Balanced Opportunity Fund since its inception in 2020, ALPS Active Equity Opportunity ETF since June 2023, and ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income since February 2025. Prior to his association with ALPS Advisors, Mr. Hewitt was a Senior Portfolio Manager for OppenheimerFunds from 2013 to 2019 on the Value & Income Team. Mr. Hewitt holds an MBA in Finance from the University of Minnesota.

# ADMINISTRATOR, DISTRIBUTOR, AND TRANSFER AGENT OF THE FUND

ALPS Fund Services, Inc. (the "Transfer Agent") serves as the Fund's administrator, fund accounting agent and transfer agent. ALPS Portfolio Solutions Distributor, Inc. (the "Distributor") serves as the Fund's distributor.

# BUYING, EXCHANGING, AND REDEEMING SHARES

This Prospectus only offers Investor Class, Class A, Class C and Class I shares of the Fund. Each share class of the Fund represents an investment in the same portfolio of securities, but each share class has its own sales charge and expense structure, allowing you to choose the class that best meets your situation. When you purchase shares of the Fund, you must choose a share class.

Factors you should consider in choosing a class of shares include:

- how long you expect to own the shares;
- how much you intend to invest;
- total expenses associated with owning shares of each class; and



 whether you qualify for any reduction or waiver of sales charges (for example, Investor Class and Class A shares may be a less expensive option over time if you qualify for a sales charge reduction or waiver).

Investor Class, Class A, and Class C shares are generally available only in connection with financial intermediaries. The Class I shares are offered only through certain types of financial intermediaries and to certain institutional investors. Institutional investors may include, but are not limited to, corporations, retirement plans, public plans and foundations/ endowments. Class I shares are not offered directly to individual investors.

Each investor's financial considerations are different. You should speak with your financial advisor to help you decide which share class is best for you. If your financial intermediary offers more than one class of shares, you should carefully consider which class of shares to purchase. Certain classes have higher expenses than other classes, which may lower the return on your investment.

# Distribution and Services (12b-1) Plan for Investor Class, Class A, and Class C Shares

The Fund has adopted a separate plan of distribution for Investor Class, Class A and Class C shares, pursuant to Rule 12b-1 under the 1940 Act (each, a "Plan" and collectively, the "Plans").

The Plans allow the Fund to use Investor Class, Class A, and/or Class C assets to pay fees in connection with the distribution and marketing of, and/or ongoing shareholder services to Investor Class, Class A or Class C shareholders. Each Plan permits payment for services in connection with the administration of plans or programs that use Investor Class, Class A, and/or Class C shares of the Fund as their funding medium and for related expenses.

The Plans permit the Fund to make total payments at an annual rate of up to 0.25% of the Fund's average daily net assets attributable to its Investor Class and Class A shares, and 1.00% of the Fund's average daily net assets attributable to its Class C shares, comprised of 0.75% for distribution and marketing and up to 0.25% as a servicing fee. Because these fees are paid out of the Fund's Investor Class, Class A, or Class C assets on an ongoing basis, over time they will increase the cost of an investment in Investor Class, Class A. or Class C shares, and Plan fees may cost an investor more than other types of sales charges.

Under the terms of the Plans, the Trust is authorized to make payments to the Distributor for remittance to financial intermediaries, as compensation for distribution and/or shareholder ongoing services performed by such entities for beneficial shareholders of the Fund. Distributor is entitled to retain some or all fees payable under the Plans in certain circumstances, including when there is no broker of record or when certain qualification standards have not been met by the broker of record.

The Distributor is entitled to retain all fees paid under the Class C Plan for the first 12 months on any investment in Class C Shares to recoup the payment of commissions on sales of Class C Shares. Financial intermediaries will become eligible for compensation under the Class C Plan beginning in the 13th month following the purchase of Class C Shares. The Distributor may, pursuant to a written agreement between Distributor and a particular financial intermediary, pay such financial intermediary 12b-1 fees prior to the 13th month following the purchase of Class C Shares should the financial intermediary forgo the commission.

### **Payments to Financial Intermediaries**

The Fund's Adviser and/or its affiliates may also make payments for distribution and/or shareholder servicing activities for out of their own resources. The Adviser may also make payments for marketing, promotional or related expenses to financial intermediaries out of their own resources. The amount of these payments is determined by the adviser and may be substantial. These payments are often referred to as "revenue sharing payments." In some circumstances, such payments may create an incentive for a financial intermediary or its employees or associated persons to recommend or offer shares of the Fund to you, rather than shares of another mutual fund. Please contact your financial intermediary for details about revenue sharing payments it may receive.

### Networking, Sub-Accounting, and Administrative Fees

Certain financial intermediaries may contract with the Fund, or its designees, to perform certain shareholder services, such as networking, recordkeeping, sub-accounting and/ or administrative services for shareholders of the Fund. In consideration for providing these services, the financial intermediaries will receive compensation, which is typically paid by the Fund. Any such payment by the Fund to a financial intermediary for networking, recordkeeping, sub-accounting and/or administrative services are in addition to any 12b-1 related services provided to shareholders.

In addition to these fees, Class I shares may also be available on certain brokerage platforms. An investor transacting in Class I shares through a broker acting as an agent for the investor may be required to pay a commission and/or other forms of compensation to the broker. The nature and amount of such commission or other compensation for your purchases is determined solely by your broker or financial intermediary; for more information please contact your broker or financial intermediary representative.

#### **Investment Minimums**

The Fund offers investors four Classes of shares in this Prospectus: Classes Investor, A, C, and I. The minimum investment in Investor Class shares, Class A shares and Class C shares is \$500 for tax-qualified accounts and \$2,500 for other accounts. The minimum investment in Class I shares

is \$100,000. Investors generally may meet the minimum investment amount by aggregating multiple accounts within the Fund. There is no subsequent investment minimum.

The Fund reserves the right to waive or change investment minimums. For accounts sold through financial intermediaries, it is the primary responsibility of the financial intermediary to ensure compliance with investment minimums.

# **Buying Shares**

In order to buy, redeem, or exchange shares at that day's price, you must place your order with the Fund or its agent by the time the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") closes (normally, 4 p.m. Eastern time). If the NYSE closes early, you must place your order by the actual closing time. Any such orders for purchases of the Fund's shares must be received in good order. A purchase, exchange or redemption order is in "good order" when the Fund or its agent (financial intermediary or plan sponsor, if applicable), receives all required information, including properly completed and signed documents. Orders received by financial intermediaries by the close of trading on the NYSE will be confirmed at the offering price computed as of the close of the trading on the NYSE.

Investors may not purchase, exchange or redeem shares of the Fund directly. Shares may be purchased, exchanged or redeemed only through retirement plans, broker-dealers, bank trust departments, financial advisers or other financial intermediaries. Shares made available through full service broker-dealers may be available through wrap accounts under which such broker-dealers impose additional fees for services connected to the wrap account. Contact your financial intermediary or refer to your plan documents for instructions on how to purchase, exchange or redeem shares.

Investors may be charged a fee if they effect transactions through broker or agent. The Fund has authorized one or more brokers to receive on its behalf purchase and redemption orders. 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, if applicable, a broker's authorized designee, receives the order. Customer orders will be priced at the Fund's Net Asset Value next computed after they are received by an authorized broker or the broker's authorized designee.

With certain limited exceptions, the Fund is available only to U.S. citizens or residents.

Sales Charge When You Purchase Investor Class, Class A, or Class C shares

Below is a summary of certain features of Investor Class, Class A, and Class C shares:

	Investor Class	Class A	Class C
Initial Sales Charge	None	Up to 3.25% (1)	None
Contingent Deferred Sales Charge ("CDSC")	None	None (except on redemptions of certain large purchases held for less than 12 months)	1.00% on redemptions within 12 months
Distribution and Service Fees	Up to 0.40% <sup>(2)</sup>	Up to 0.40%	1.00%
Dividends	Generally higher than Class C due to lower annual expenses	Generally higher than Class C due to lower annual expenses	Generally lower than Investor Class due to higher annual expenses
Typical Shareholder	Generally more appropriate for long-term investors	Generally more appropriate for long-term investors	Generally more appropriate for short-term investors

<sup>(1)</sup> Depending on the total assets you invest, a CDSC of 1.00% may apply to Class A shares redeemed within the first 12 months after a purchase in excess of \$1 million. See Section titled "Contingent Deferred Sales Charge" below.

### Class A Shares

The following table lists the sales charges that will be applied to your purchase of Class A shares, subject to the breakpoint discounts indicated in the tables and described below.

Applicable to the Fund:

Purchase Amount	Sales Charge as a Percentage of Offering Price	a Percentage	Dealer Concession as a Percentage of Offering Price*
Less than \$100,000	3.25%	3.36%	3.00%
\$100,000- \$249,999	3.00%	3.09%	2.75%
\$250,000- \$4,999,999	0.00%	0.00%	1.00%
\$5,000,000- \$9,999,999	0.00%	0.00%	0.50%



Purchase Amount	a Percentage of	Sales Charge as a Percentage of Investment	Dealer Concession as a Percentage of Offering Price*
\$10,000,000- \$49,999,999	0.00%	0.00%	0.25%
\$50,000,000 or greater	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

<sup>\*</sup> Offering Price" includes the front-end sales load.

The Investor Class, Class C, and Class I shares do not charge an initial sales load.

# Qualifying For A Reduction Or Waiver Of Class A Shares Sales Charge

You may be able to lower your Class A shares initial sales charge under certain circumstances. You can combine Class A shares you already own with your current purchase of Class A shares of the Fund to take advantage of the breakpoints in the sales charge schedule as set forth above. Certain circumstances under which you may combine such ownership of shares and purchases are described below. Contact your financial intermediary for more information.

In order to obtain a sales charge discount, you should inform your financial intermediary of other accounts in which there are Fund holdings eligible to be aggregated to meet a sales charge breakpoint. These other accounts may include the accounts described below in "Aggregating Accounts." You may need to provide documents such as account statements or confirmation statements to prove that the accounts are eligible for aggregation. The Letter of Intent described below requires historical cost information in certain circumstances. You should retain records necessary to show the price you paid to purchase Fund shares, as the Fund, its agents, or your financial intermediary may not retain this information.

The Fund may waive Class A sales charges on investor purchases including shares purchased by:

- Officers, directors, trustees and employees of the adviser and its respective affiliates;
- Registered representatives and employees of financial intermediaries with a current selling agreement with the Distributor or the adviser;
- Immediate family members of all such persons as described above;
- Financial intermediary supermarkets and fee-based platforms; and
- Financial intermediaries who have entered into an agreement with the Principal Underwriter/Distributor/ the fund's distributor to offer shares to self-directed investment brokerage accounts that may or may not charge a transaction fee to its customers.

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.

Descriptions of sales charge waivers and/or discounts for Class A Shares with respect to certain financial intermediaries are reproduced in "Appendix A – Intermediary-Specific Sales Charge Waivers and Discounts" to this prospectus based on information provided by the financial intermediary.

### Right of Accumulation

You may purchase Class A shares at a reduced initial sales charge determined by aggregating the dollar amount of the new purchase (measured by the offering price) and the total prior days net asset value (net amount invested) of all Class A shares of the Fund and the shares of all other share classes of the Fund then held by you, or held in accounts identified under "Aggregating Accounts," and applying the sales charge applicable to such aggregate amount. In order to obtain such discount, you must provide sufficient information to your financial intermediary at the time of purchase to permit verification that the purchase qualifies for the reduced sales charge. The right of accumulation is subject to modification or discontinuance at any time with respect to all shares purchased thereafter.

#### Letter of Intent

You may obtain a reduced initial sales charge on Class A shares by signing a Letter of Intent indicating your intention to purchase \$50,000 or more of Class A shares over a 13-month period. The term of the Letter of Intent will commence upon the date you sign the Letter of Intent. You must refer to such Letter of Intent when placing orders. With regard to a Letter of Intent, the amount of investment for purposes of applying the sales load schedule includes (i) the historical cost (what you actually paid for the shares at the time of purchase, including any sales charges) of all Class A shares acquired during the term of the Letter of Intent, minus (ii) the value of any redemptions of Class A shares made during the term of the Letter of Intent. Each investment made during the period receives the reduced sales charge applicable to the total amount of the investment goal. A portion of shares purchased may be held in escrow to pay for any sales charge that may be applicable. If the goal is not achieved within the period, you must pay the difference between the sales charges applicable to the purchases made and the charges previously paid, or an appropriate number of escrowed shares will be redeemed. Please contact your financial intermediary to obtain a Letter of Intent application.

### Aggregating Accounts

To take advantage of lower Class A shares initial sales charges on large purchases or through the exercise of a Letter of Intent or right of accumulation, investments made by you, your spouse and your children under age 21 may be aggregated if made for your own account(s) and/or certain other accounts such as:

- trust accounts established by the above individuals (or the accounts of the primary beneficiary of the trust if the person who established the trust is deceased);
- solely controlled business accounts; and
- single participant retirement plans.

To receive a reduced sales charge under rights of accumulation or a Letter of Intent, you must notify your financial intermediary of any eligible accounts that you, your spouse and your children under age 21 have at the time of your purchase.

### **Contingent Deferred Sales Charge**

### Class A Shares

If you invest \$250,000, or more, either as a lump sum or through the Fund's accumulation or letter of intent programs, you can purchase Class A shares without an initial sales charge. However, a contingent deferred sales charge ("CDSC") of 1% may apply to Class A shares redeemed within the first 12 months after a purchase in excess of \$250,000. The CDSC will be based on the lower of the original purchase price or the value of the redemption of the Class A Shares redeemed.

### Class C Shares

There is a 1% CDSC on any Class C shares you sell within 12 months of purchase. The CDSC will be based on the lower of the original purchase price or the value of the redemption of the Class C Shares redeemed.

#### Waiver of CDSC

The Fund may waive the imposition of a CDSC on redemption of Fund shares under the following circumstances and conditions:

- redemptions following the death or permanent disability
   (as defined by Section 72(m)(7) of the Internal Revenue
   Code) of a shareholder if made within one year of death
   or the initial determination of permanent disability. The
   waiver is available only for shares held at the time of
   death or initial determination of permanent disability;
   and
- required minimum distributions from a tax-qualified retirement plan or an individual retirement account (IRA) as required under the Internal Revenue Code. The waiver of the CDSC for required distributions will be as a percentage of assets held in the Fund.

If you think you may be eligible for a CDSC waiver, contact your financial intermediary. You must notify the Fund prior to the redemption request to ensure your receipt of the waiver.

### **Exchanging Shares**

### **Exchanging Shares of ALPS-Advised Funds**

You may exchange shares in the Fund for shares of the same class of any of the following funds (each, an "ALPS-Advised Fund"), if such ALPS-Advised Fund is available for sale in your state and meets the investment criteria of the investor:

- ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income
- ALPS Balanced Opportunity Fund
- ALPS Global Opportunity Fund
- ALPS | CoreCommodity Management CompleteCommodities Strategy Fund
- ALPS | Kotak India ESG Fund
- ALPS | Smith Total Return Bond Fund
- ALPS | Smith Short Duration Bond Fund
- ALPS | Smith Credit Opportunities Fund

If you are an existing shareholder of the Fund or of an ALPS-Advised Fund, you may exchange into a new account copying your existing account registration and options. Exchanges between accounts will be accepted only if registrations are identical. Any new account established through an exchange will be subject to all minimum requirements applicable to the shares acquired described in "Investment Minimums" above. The exchange privilege may only be exercised in those states where the class of shares being acquired legally may be sold.

You may also transfer between classes of the Fund if you meet the minimum investment requirements for the class into which you would like to transfer. Before effecting an exchange, you should read the prospectus for the Fund into which you are exchanging.

# Automatic Conversion of Class C Shares to Class A Shares After 8-Year Holding Period

The Fund has adopted an automatic conversion feature for Class C Shares, whereby each Class C Share of the Fund will automatically convert to Class A Shares of the Fund with equivalent aggregate value, approximately eight (8) years after the date of purchase of such Class C Share ("Auto Conversion").

Certain Financial Intermediaries, including group retirement recordkeeping platforms, may not have been tracking such holding periods for Class C Shares and therefore may not be able to process such conversion for Class C Shares held prior to the Effective Date. In these instances, each Class C Share held as of the Effective Date will automatically convert to Class A Shares with equivalent aggregate value approximately eight (8) years after the Effective Date. If you have any questions regarding your Financial Intermediary's ability to implement the Auto Conversion feature please contact an authorized agent of your Financial Intermediary for additional information.



# Conversion of Advisory Share Class Shares to non-Advisory Share Class Shares

A shareholder holding the Fund's advisory share class shares through an investment advisory account with an omnibus intermediary will have their shares converted at net asset value and without an additional sales load to shares of a non-advisory share class of the Fund upon the Fund's transfer agent having received notice of the termination of such shareholder's investment advisory account.

### **Additional Information About Exchanges**

An exchange represents the sale of shares from one fund and the purchase of shares of another fund. Under the U.S. federal income tax law, this may produce a taxable gain or loss in your non-tax-qualified account. Transfers between classes of the same fund are generally not taxable transactions but may create reporting obligations for certain significant holders of Fund shares in the year of the exchange. See the SAI under "TAXES-Special Tax Considerations-Transfers between Classes of a Single Fund."

The exchange privilege may be modified or terminated upon sixty (60) days' written notice to shareholders. Although initially there will be no limit on the number of times you may exercise the exchange privilege, the Fund reserves the right to impose such a limitation. Call or write the Fund for further details.

Descriptions of sales charge waivers and/or discounts for Class A Shares with respect to certain financial intermediaries are reproduced in "Appendix A – Intermediary-Specific Sales Charge Waivers and Discounts" to this prospectus based on information provided by the financial intermediary.

### Redeeming Shares

Redemptions, like purchases, may generally be effected only through retirement plans, broker-dealers and financial intermediaries. Please contact your financial intermediary or refer to the appropriate plan documents for details. Your financial intermediary may charge a processing or service fee in connection with the redemption of shares.

The Fund will redeem all full and fractional shares of the Fund upon request on any business day at the applicable net asset value determined after a redemption request has been received in good order. A purchase, exchange or redemption order is in "good order" when the Fund or its agent (financial intermediary or plan sponsor, if applicable), receives all required information, including properly completed and signed documents. Shareholders liquidating their holdings will receive upon redemption all dividends reinvested through the date of redemption. If notice of redemption is received on any business day, the redemption will be effective on the date of receipt. Payment will ordinarily be made on the next business day, but, in any case, within no more than seven business days from the date of receipt. If notice of a redemption request received on a day that is not a business day, the redemption notice will be deemed received as of the next business day. If notice of a redemption request is received on a business day, but after

the close of regularly scheduled trading on the NYSE (normally, 4 p.m. Eastern time), the redemption notice will be deemed received as of the next business day. The value of shares at the time of redemption may be more or less than the shareholder's cost

It is anticipated that the Fund will meet redemption requests through the sale of portfolio assets or from its holdings in cash or cash equivalents. The Fund may use the proceeds from the sale of portfolio assets to meet redemption requests if consistent with the management of the Fund. These redemption methods will be used regularly and may also be used in stressed or abnormal market conditions, including circumstances adversely affecting the liquidity of the Fund's investments, in which case the Fund may be more likely to be forced to sell its holdings to meet redemptions than under normal market conditions. The Fund reserves the right to redeem in kind. Redemptions in kind typically are used to meet redemption requests that represent a large percentage of the Fund's net assets in order to limit the impact of a large redemption on the Fund and its remaining shareholders. Redemptions in kind may be used in normal as well as in stressed market conditions. The Fund may also borrow, or draw on lines of credit that may be available to the Fund individually or to the Trust, in order to meet redemption requests during stressed market conditions. Under the 1940 Act, the Fund is limited as to the amount that it may borrow and accordingly, borrowings (including those made under a line of credit) might be insufficient to meet redemption requests.

### **Redemption Payments**

In all cases, your redemption price is the net asset value per share next determined after your request is received in good order. A purchase, exchange or redemption order is in "good order" when the Fund or its agent (financial intermediary or plan sponsor, if applicable), receives all required information, including properly completed and signed documents. Payment of redemption proceeds will ordinarily be made on the next business day following the date of redemption, but, in any case, within no more than seven business days from the date of redemption. If a redemption notice is received on a day that is not a business day or after the close of regularly scheduled trading on the NYSE (normally, 4 p.m. Eastern time), the redemption notice will be deemed received as of the next business day. However, if you recently purchased your shares by check, your redemption proceeds will not be sent to you until your original check clears, which may take up to ten business days. Your redemption proceeds can be sent by check to your address of record or by wire transfer to your bank account of record. The Fund or your bank may charge you a fee for wire transfers. Any request that your redemption proceeds be sent to a destination other than your bank account or address of record must be in writing.

The Fund is not responsible for losses or fees resulting from posting delays or non-receipt of redemption payments when shareholder payment instructions are followed.

### Redemptions In-Kind

The Fund reserves the right to make payment in securities rather than cash. If the Fund deems it advisable for the benefit of all shareholders that a redemption payment wholly or partly in-kind would be in the best interests of the Fund's remaining shareholders, the Fund may pay redemption proceeds to you in whole or in part with securities held by the Fund. A redemption in-kind could occur under extraordinary circumstances, such as a very large redemption that could affect the Fund's operations (for example, more than 1% of the Fund's net assets). However, the Fund is required to redeem shares solely for cash up to the lesser of \$250,000 or 1% of the NAV of the Fund during any 90-calendar day period for any one shareholder. Should redemptions by any shareholder exceed such limitation, the Fund will have the option of redeeming the excess in cash or in-kind. Securities used to redeem Fund shares will be valued as described in "How Fund Shares are Priced" below. A shareholder may pay brokerage charges on the sale of any securities received as a result of a redemption in-kind. Redemptions in-kind may take longer than other redemption payments because the payment will be made at least in part in securities rather than cash, and will ordinarily be made within no more than seven business days from the date of redemption.

In most situations where the Fund distributes securities to meet a redemption request, the Fund expects to distribute a pro rata slice of the Fund's portfolio securities, subject to certain limitations relating to odd-lot amounts of securities and securities subject to transfer restrictions. The Fund reserves the right, however, to distribute individual securities (which may not be representative of the portfolio as a whole) in consultation with, or at the recommendation of, the Adviser.

Note: The Fund has the right to suspend or postpone redemptions of shares for any period (i) during which the NYSE is closed, other than customary weekend and holiday closings; (ii) during which trading on the NYSE is restricted; or (iii) during which (as determined by the SEC by rule or regulation) an emergency exists as a result of which disposal or valuation of portfolio securities is not reasonably practicable, or as otherwise permitted by the SEC.

### SHARE TRANSACTIONS

### **Small Account Balances/Mandatory Redemptions**

The Fund does not currently impose an account minimum. The Fund may adopt other policies from time to time requiring mandatory redemption of shares in certain circumstances, such as to comply with new regulatory requirements.

### **Share Certificates**

The Fund does not issue share certificates.

### Frequent Purchases and Sales of Fund Shares

The Fund does not permit market timing or other abusive trading practices. The Fund reserves the right, but does not have the obligation, to reject any purchase or exchange transaction at any time. In addition, the Fund reserves the right to suspend its offering of shares or to impose restrictions on purchases or exchanges at any time that are more restrictive than those that are otherwise stated in this Prospectus with respect to disruptive, excessive or short-term trading.

Excessive short-term trading or other abusive trading practices may disrupt portfolio management strategies, increase brokerage and administrative costs and hurt Fund performance. The Board has adopted policies and procedures designed to deter frequent purchases, exchanges and redemptions and to seek to prevent market timing. To minimize harm to the Fund and its shareholders, the Fund reserves the right to reject, in its sole discretion, any purchase order from any investor it believes has a history of abusive trading or whose trading, in its judgment, has been or may be disruptive to the Fund. The Fund may also refuse purchase and exchange transactions from Fund intermediaries it believes may be facilitating or have facilitated abusive trading practices. In making this judgment, the Fund may consider trading done in multiple accounts under common ownership or control.

On a periodic basis, the Transfer Agent will review transaction history reports and will identify redemptions that are within a specific time period from a previous purchase or exchange in the same account(s) in the Fund, or in multiple accounts that are known to be under common control. Redemptions meeting the criteria will be investigated for possible inappropriate trading.

Certain accounts, in particular omnibus accounts, include multiple investors and such accounts typically provide the Fund with a net purchase or redemption request on any given day. In these cases, purchases, exchanges and redemptions of Fund shares are netted against one another and the identity of individual purchasers and redeemers whose orders are aggregated may not be known by the Fund. Therefore, it becomes more difficult for the Fund to identify market timing or other abusive trading activities in these accounts, and the Fund may be unable to eliminate abusive traders in these accounts from the Fund. Further, identification of abusive traders may also be limited by operational systems and technical limitations. To the extent abusive or disruptive trading is identified, the Fund will encourage omnibus account intermediaries to address such trading activity in a manner consistent with how the Fund would address such activity directly, if it were able to do so.

Due to the complexity and subjectivity involved in identifying market timing and other abusive trading practices, there can be no assurance that the Fund's efforts will identify all market timing or abusive trading activities. Therefore, investors should not assume that the Fund will be able to detect or prevent all practices that may disadvantage the Fund.



### **How Fund Shares are Priced**

The Board has approved procedures to be used to value the Fund's assets for the purposes of determining the Fund's NAV. The valuation of the securities of the Fund is determined in good faith by or under the direction of the Adviser as the valuation designee selected by the Board. The Board has delegated certain valuation functions for the Fund to the Administrator.

The Fund generally values its securities based on market prices determined at the close of regular trading on the NYSE (normally, 4 p.m. Eastern time) on each business day (Monday through Friday). The Fund will not value its securities on any day that the NYSE is closed, including the following observed holidays: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Presidents' Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Juneteenth, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. The Fund's currency valuations, if any, are done as of the close of regular trading on the NYSE (normally, 4 p.m. Eastern time). For equity securities that are traded on an exchange, the market price is usually the closing sale or official closing price on that exchange. In the case of securities not traded on an exchange, or if such closing prices are not otherwise available, the market price is typically determined by independent third party pricing vendors using a variety of pricing techniques and methodologies. The market price for debt obligations is generally the price supplied by an independent third-party pricing service, which may use a matrix, formula or other objective method that takes into consideration market indices, yield curves and other specific adjustments. Debt securities, including short-term debt obligations that will mature in 60 days or less, will generally be valued at the price supplied by an independent third-party pricing service, which may use a matrix, formula or other objective method that takes into consideration market indices, yield curves and other specific adjustments. If vendors are unable to supply a price, or if the price supplied is deemed to be unreliable, the market price may be determined using quotations received from one or more brokers/dealers that make a market in the security.

When such prices or quotations are not available, or when the Fund's adviser believes that they are unreliable, securities may be priced using fair value procedures approved by the Board.

The Fund may determine the fair value of investments based on information provided by pricing services and other third-party vendors, which may recommend fair value prices or adjustments with reference to other securities, indices or assets. In considering whether fair value pricing is required and in determining fair values, the Fund may, among other things, consider significant events (which may be considered to include changes in the value of U.S. securities or securities indices) that occur after the close of the relevant market and before the Fund values its securities.

Valuing securities at fair value involves greater reliance on judgment than valuation of securities based on readily available market quotations. A fund that uses fair value to price securities may value those securities higher or lower than another fund using market quotations or its own fair value methodologies to

price the same securities. There can be no assurance that the Fund could obtain the fair value assigned to a security if it were to sell the security at approximately the time at which the Fund determines its net asset value.

The Fund invests, or may invest, in securities that are traded on foreign exchanges or markets, which may be open when the NYSE is closed. As a result, the value of your investment in the Fund may change on days when you are unable to purchase or redeem shares.

# **Customer Identification Program**

To help the government fight the funding of terrorism and money laundering activities, federal law requires the Fund's Transfer Agent to obtain certain personal information from you (or persons acting on your behalf) in order to verify your (or such person's) identity when you open an account, including name, address, date of birth and other information (which may include certain documents) that will allow the Transfer Agent to verify your identity. If this information is not provided, the Transfer Agent may not be able to open your account. Effective May 11, 2018, if you are opening an account in the name of a legal entity (e.g., a partnership, business trust, limited liability company, corporation, etc.), you may be required to supply the identity of the beneficial owner or controlling person(s) of the legal entity prior to the opening of your account. The Fund may request additional information about you (which may include certain documents, such as articles of incorporation for companies) to help the Transfer Agent verify your identity. If the Transfer Agent is unable to verify your identity (or that of another person authorized to act on your behalf, or an individual listed as an underlying beneficial owner) shortly after your account is opened, or believes it has identified potentially criminal activity, the Fund, the Distributor and the Transfer Agent each reserve the right to reject further purchase orders from you or to take such other action as they deem reasonable or required by law, including closing your account and redeeming your shares at their NAV at the time of redemption.

# **DIVIDENDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS**

The Fund declares and distributes dividends, if any, on a quarterly basis. The Fund distributes capital gains, if any, on an annual basis.

Income dividend distributions are derived from interest and other income the Fund receives from its investments and include distributions of short-term capital gains. Capital gain distributions are derived from gains realized when the Fund sells a security it has owned for more than a year.

The Trust is an open-end registered investment company under the 1940 Act. As such, the Fund is generally limited under the 1940 Act to one distribution in any one taxable year of longterm capital gains realized by the Fund. The Fund may make additional distributions and dividends at other times if the manager believes doing so may be necessary for the Fund to avoid or reduce taxes. Distributions and dividends are reinvested in additional Fund shares unless you instruct the Transfer Agent to have your distributions and/ or dividends paid by check mailed to the address of record or transferred through an Automated Clearing House to the bank of your choice. You can change your choice at any time to be effective as of the next distribution or dividend, except that any change given to the Transfer Agent less than five days before the payment date will not be effective until the next distribution or dividend is made. Distribution checks will only be issued for payments greater than \$25.00. Distributions will automatically be reinvested in shares of the fund(s) generating the distribution if under \$25.00. Un-cashed distribution checks will be canceled and proceeds reinvested at the then current net asset value. for any shareholder who chooses to receive distributions in cash, if distribution checks: (1) are returned and marked as "undeliverable" or (2) remain un-cashed for six months after the date of issuance. If distribution checks are canceled and reinvested, your account election may also be changed so that all future distributions are reinvested rather than paid in cash. Interest will not accrue on uncashed distribution checks.

### **TAXES**

Except where otherwise noted, this discussion below addresses the U.S. federal income tax consequences of an investment in the Fund only for U.S. persons and does not address any foreign, state, or local tax consequences. For purposes of this discussion, U.S. persons are:

- (i) U.S. citizens or residents;
- (ii) U.S. corporations;
- (iii) an estate whose income is subject to U.S. federal income taxation regardless of its source; or
- (iv) a trust, if a court within the United States is able to exercise primary supervision over its administration and one or more U.S. persons have the authority to control all of its substantial decisions, or if the trust has a valid election in effect under applicable Treasury regulations to be treated as a U.S. person.

Except where otherwise noted, this discussion does not address issues of significance to U.S. persons in special situations such as: (i) tax-exempt organizations, (ii) shareholders holding shares through tax-qualified accounts (such as 401(k) plan accounts or individual retirement accounts), (iii) shareholders holding investments through foreign institutions (financial and non-financial), (iv) financial institutions, (v) broker-dealers, (vi) entities not organized under the laws of the United States or a political subdivision thereof,

(vii) shareholders holding shares as part of a hedge, straddle or conversion transaction, and (viii) shareholders who are subject to the U.S. federal alternative minimum tax or the corporate alternative minimum tax, and (ix) shareholders that are pass-through entities. If an entity treated as a pass-through entity

for U.S. federal income tax purposes (including an entity classified as a partnership or S corporation for federal income tax purposes) is a beneficial owner of Fund shares, the tax treatment of an owner in the pass-through entity will generally depend upon the status of the owner and the activities of the entity. For further information regarding the U.S. federal income tax consequences of an investment in the Fund, investors should see the SAI under "TAXES – Taxation of the Fund."

All persons that are considering the purchase of shares should consult with their tax advisers regarding the U.S. federal, foreign, state and local tax consequences of the purchase, ownership and disposition of shares in the Fund.

The Fund intends to meet all requirements under Subchapter M of the Code necessary to qualify for treatment as a RIC and thus do not expect to pay any U.S. federal income tax on income and capital gains distributed to shareholders. The Fund also intends to distribute its net investment income and any net capital gains (in excess of any capital loss carryovers) so that the Fund is not subject to U.S. federal income tax in general. If the Fund does not meet certain distribution requirements, the Fund may be subject to significant excise taxes. This discussion assumes that the Fund will qualify as a RIC and will satisfy these distribution requirements. There can be no guarantee that these assumptions will be correct.

### **Taxation of Fund Distributions**

For U.S. federal income tax purposes, shareholders of RICs are generally subject to taxation based on the underlying character of the income and gain recognized by the RIC and distributed to shareholders.

Distributions of net capital gains that are properly reported by the Fund as capital gain dividends ("capital gain dividends") will be taxable to Fund shareholders as long-term capital gains regardless of how long the shares of the Fund are held. The Fund may realize long-term capital gains when it sells or redeems a security that it has owned for more than one year when it receives capital gain distributions from exchange-traded funds ("ETFs") in which the Fund owns investments.

A portion of the Fund's distributions may be derived from "qualified dividend income," which would be taxed at favorable rates applicable to long-term capital gains so long as certain requirements are met. Corporate shareholders may be able to take a 50% dividends-received deduction for a portion of the dividends received by the Fund; to the extent such dividends are received by the Fund or are identified by an ETF as received from a domestic corporation and to the extent a portion of interest paid or accrued on certain high yield discount obligations owned by the Fund or an underlying ETF are treated as dividends, provided certain holding period and other requirements are satisfied.

Generally, distributions of earnings derived from ordinary income and short-term capital gains will be taxable to shareholders as ordinary income. The Fund may realize short-term capital



gains when it sells or redeems a security that it has owned for one year or less. The Fund may realize ordinary income from certain distributions from ETFs, from foreign currency gains, from interest on indebtedness owned by the Fund and from other sources.

Section 1256 contracts owned by an underlying ETF, including certain option transactions, certain foreign currency contracts and certain futures transactions, generally will be treated for income tax purposes as if sold for their fair market values (i.e., "marked to market") on an annual basis, and resulting gains or losses generally are treated as sixty percent long-term capital gains or losses and forty percent short-term capital gains or losses.

Distributions paid by the Fund that are designated as "section 199A dividends" may be taxed to individual and other noncorporate shareholders at a reduced effective federal income tax rate for taxable years beginning before 2026, provided that certain holding period requirements and other conditions are satisfied. Distributions paid by the Fund that are eligible to be treated as section 199A dividends for a taxable year may not exceed the "qualified REIT dividends" received by the Fund from REITs or from underlying ETFs that receive distribution from REITs for the year reduced by the Fund's allocable expenses. For more information, see the discussion in the SAI under "TAXES-Special Tax Considerations-Real Estate Investment Trusts."

Distributions of earnings are taxable whether you receive them in cash or reinvest them in additional shares. If a dividend or distribution is made shortly after you purchase shares of the Fund, while in effect a return of capital to you, the dividend or distribution is still taxable. An investor can avoid this result by investing soon after the Fund has paid a dividend.

Distributions made by the Fund to shareholders who own their shares through tax-qualified retirement accounts are generally not taxable. Distributions from such accounts are subject to special tax rules.

The maximum long-term capital gain rate applicable to individuals is 20%, in addition to the 3.8% surtax on net investment income described under "Surtax on Net Investment Income," below. For more information, see the SAI under "TAXES – Taxation of Fund Distributions."

### Sale or Redemption of Fund Shares

A shareholder who sells or redeems shares of the Fund generally will recognize a gain or a loss. The gain or loss will be equal to the difference between the amount received in the sale or redemption and the shareholder's aggregate adjusted basis in the shares surrendered. A shareholder who receives securities in redemption of shares of the Fund will generally recognize a gain or loss equal to the difference between the shareholder's adjusted basis in the shares redeemed and the aggregate fair market value of the securities plus the amount of any cash received (net of any applicable fees). Any loss realized on a

disposition of shares of the Fund may be disallowed under "wash sale" rules to the extent that the shares disposed of are replaced with other substantially identical shares of the same Fund within a period of 61 days beginning 30 days before the shares are disposed of, such as pursuant to a dividend reinvestment in shares of the Fund.

Any capital gain or loss realized upon the sale or redemption of shares of the Fund is generally treated as long term capital gain or loss if the shares have been held for more than one year and as a short-term capital gain or loss if the shares have been held for one year or less. In certain situations, a loss on the sale or redemption of shares held for six months or less will be a long-term loss. The deductibility of capital losses is subject to significant limitations.

#### **Taxation of Certain Investments**

The Fund's investments, through underlying ETFs, in foreign securities may be subject to foreign withholding or other taxes, which would reduce the Fund's yield on those securities. Shareholders generally will not be entitled to claim a foreign tax credit or deduction with respect to foreign taxes, although it is possible that the Fund may be able to elect to pass through foreign tax credits or deductions to its shareholders. The Fund does not make any assurances regarding its ability or willingness to so elect. In addition, the Fund's investments, through underlying ETFs, in foreign securities or foreign currencies may increase or accelerate the Fund's recognition of ordinary income and may affect the timing or amount of the Fund's distributions. The Fund may, through underlying ETFs, invest in securities that are passive foreign investment companies for U.S. federal income tax purposes. For more information, see the SAI under "TAXES - Special Tax Considerations."

An underlying ETF may at times buy newly issued debt obligations at a price lower than their stated redemption price at maturity ("original issue discount"), especially during periods of rising interest rates. For U.S. federal income tax purposes, original issue discount will be included in the underlying ETF's ordinary income as the original issue discount accrues over the term of the instrument. Even though payment of that amount is not received until a later time (and might never be received), the amount of an underlying ETF's accrued original issue document will be distributed to the underlying ETF's shareholders, including the Fund as taxable dividends over the term of the instrument.

An underlying ETF may also buy investments in the secondary market which are treated as having market discount. Market discount is the excess of a debt obligation's stated redemption price at maturity over the basis of the obligation immediately atter acquisition by the taxpayer. Generally, gain recognized on the disposition of such an investment is treated as ordinary income for U.S. federal income tax purposes to the extent of the accrued market discount, but an underlying ETF may elect instead to include the amount of market discount as

ordinary income over the term of the instrument even though the underlying ETF will not yet have received payment of such amounts.

An underlying ETF's investments in certain debt obligations, mortgage-backed securities, asset-backed securities and derivatives may cause an underlying ETF to recognize taxable income in excess of the cash generated by such obligations. Thus, an underlying ETF could be required at times to liquidate other investments in order to satisfy its distribution requirements, potentially increasing the amount of capital gain dividends made to shareholders.

### **Surtax on Net Investment Income**

A surtax of 3.8% applies to net investment income of a taxpayer that is an individual, and on the undistributed net investment income of certain trusts and estates to the extent that the taxpayer's gross income as adjusted exceeds a threshold amount for a year. Net investment income will include, among other types of income, ordinary income dividends and capital gain distributions received from the Fund, as well as net gains from redemptions or other taxable disposition of the Fund's shares, in each case net of deductions properly allocable to such income. For information regarding the surtax on net investment income, See the SAI under "TAXES – Surtax on Net Investment Income."

### **Backup Withholding**

The Fund is also required in certain circumstances to backup withhold on taxable dividends, redemption proceeds and certain other payments that are paid to any shareholder who

(i) has failed to provide a correct taxpayer identification number or (ii) is identified by the IRS as otherwise subject to backup withholding, or (iii) has failed to certify that the shareholder is a U.S. person who is not subject to backup withholding. The backup withholding tax rate is currently 24% for tax years beginning before 2026. For more information regarding backup withholding, see the SAI under "TAXES – Backup Withholding."

### **Foreign Shareholders**

Distributions paid by the Fund to a shareholder that is not a U.S. person (a "foreign shareholder") that are properly reported as capital gain dividends, short-term capital gain dividends, or interest-related dividends, will not be subject to withholding of U.S. federal income tax, provided certain conditions are met as described in the SAI under "TAXES - Foreign Shareholders." Other ordinary income dividends will generally be subject to withholding of U.S. federal income tax at a rate of 30% (or a lower applicable treaty rate).

A foreign shareholder is generally not subject to U.S. federal income tax on gains (and is not allowed a deduction for losses) realized on the sale of shares of the Fund, on capital gain

dividends or on short-term capital gain dividends or interestrelated dividends, except in certain circumstances described in the SAI.

As described in the SAI, special rules would apply to foreign shareholders if shares of the Fund were to constitute "U.S. real property interests" ("USRPIs") as defined in the Code, or, in certain cases, if the Fund's distributions are attributable to gain from the sale or exchange of a USRPI.

To qualify for the exemption from U.S. withholding taxes on interest related dividends or short-term capital gains dividends, or for a reduced rate of withholding taxes under a U.S. income tax treaty on distributions from the Fund, a foreign shareholder must generally deliver to the withholding agent a properly executed form (generally, an applicable IRS Form W-8). A foreign shareholder may also be subject to backup withholding (as described above) unless the foreign shareholder certifies its non-U.S. status (generally on an applicable IRS Form W-8) under penalties of perjury or otherwise establishes an exemption from backup withholding.

### **Shares Held Through Foreign Accounts**

Shareholders that invest in the Fund through a foreign financial institution or entity may be subject to a 30% withholding tax on certain distributions paid by the Fund. This withholding tax generally may be avoided if such institution or entity satisfies certain registration, certification and reporting requirements. For more information regarding withholding with respect to foreign accounts, see the SAI under "TAXES – Withholding on Shares Held in Foreign Accounts."

You should also consult with your tax advisor regarding the U.S. federal, foreign, state and local tax consequences of an investment in the Fund.

### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The financial highlights tables are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for each fiscal period shown. Certain information reflects financial results for a single Fund share. 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). The information presented for the fiscal years ended October 31, 2024, October 31, 2023, and October 31, 2022 has been audited by Cohen & Company, Ltd., the Fund's Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm, whose reports, along with the Fund's financial statements, are included in the Fund's annual report, which is available by calling 866-759-5679. The information for the fiscal years ended October 31, 2021 and prior, was audited by another auditor.

### ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income - Investor Class

	For the Year Ended October 31, 2024	Ended	For the Year Ended October 31, 2022	For the Year Ended October 31, 2021	For the Year Ended October 31, 2020
Net asset value, beginning of period	\$11.66	\$12.00	\$14.45	\$11.84	\$12.02
INCOME/(LOSS) FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS:					
Net investment income <sup>(a)</sup>	0.40	0.40	0.37	0.14	0.18
Net realized and unrealized gain/(loss)	2.35	0.14	(2.49)	2.62	(0.16)
Total from investment operations	2.75	0.54	(2.12)	2.76	0.02
DISTRIBUTIONS:					
From net investment income	(0.43)	(0.42)	(0.33)	(0.14)	(0.20)
From net realized gains	_	(0.46)	_	_	_
Tax return of capital	_	_	_	(0.01)	_
Total distributions	(0.43)	(0.88)	(0.33)	(0.15)	(0.20)
Net increase/(decrease) in net asset value	2.32	(0.34)	(2.45)	2.61	(0.18)
Net asset value, end of year	\$13.98	\$11.66	\$12.00	\$14.45	\$11.84
TOTAL RETURN <sup>(b)</sup>	23.67%	4.53%	(14.82)%	23.40%	0.27%
RATIOS/SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:					
Net assets, end of year (000s)	\$8,380	\$7,687	\$9,269	\$6,921	\$6,802
Ratio of expenses to average net assets excluding fee waivers and reimbursements <sup>(c)</sup>	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%
Ratio of expenses to average net assets including fee waivers and reimbursements <sup>(c)</sup>	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets(c)(d)	3.01%	3.29%	2.84%	1.04%	1.57%
Portfolio turnover rate	36%	13%	127%	13%	33%

<sup>(</sup>a) Calculated using the average shares method.

<sup>(</sup>b) Total returns are for the period indicated. Total returns would have been lower had certain expenses not been waived during the period. Returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on Fund distributions or the redemption of Fund shares.

<sup>(</sup>c) Does not include expenses of the investment companies in which the Fund invests.

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

### **ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income - Class A**

	For the Year Ended October 31, 2024	For the Year Ended October 31, 2023	For the Year Ended October 31, 2022	Ended	For the Year Ended October 31, 2020
Net asset value, beginning of period	\$11.65	\$11.99	\$14.43	\$11.83	\$12.01
INCOME FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS:					
Net investment income <sup>(a)</sup>	0.40	0.40	0.37	0.14	0.18
Net realized and unrealized gain/(loss)	2.34	0.14	(2.48)	2.61	(0.16)
Total from investment operations	2.74	0.54	(2.11)	2.75	0.02
DISTRIBUTIONS:					
From net investment income	(0.43)	(0.42)	(0.33)	(0.14)	(0.20)
From net realized gains	_	(0.46)	_	_	_
From tax return of capital	_	_	_	(0.01)	_
Total distributions	(0.43)	(0.88)	(0.33)	(0.15)	(0.20)
Net increase/(decrease) in net asset value	2.31	(0.34)	(2.44)	2.60	(0.18)
Net asset value, end of year	\$13.96	\$11.65	\$11.99	\$14.43	\$11.83
TOTAL RETURN(b)	23.60%	4.54%	(14.76)%	23.34%	0.28%
RATIOS/SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:					
Net assets, end of year (000s)	\$21,604	\$19,110	\$18,794	\$6,139	\$4,489
Ratio of expenses to average net assets excluding fee waivers and reimbursements <sup>(c)</sup>	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%
Ratio of expenses to average net assets including fee waivers and reimbursements <sup>(c)</sup>	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%	0.50%
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets <sup>(c)(d)</sup>	3.00%	3.26%	2.89%	1.05%	1.52%
Portfolio turnover rate	36%	13%	127%	13%	33%

<sup>(</sup>a) Calculated using the average shares method.

<sup>(</sup>b) Total returns are for the period indicated. Total returns would have been lower had certain expenses not been waived during the period. Returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on Fund distributions or the redemption of Fund shares. Returns shown exclude any applicable sales charges.

<sup>(</sup>c) Does not include expenses of the investment companies in which the Fund invests.

The recognition of net investment income is affected by the timing and declaration of dividends by the investment companies in which the Fund invests.

### **ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income - Class C**

	For the Year Ended October 31, 2024	For the Year Ended October 31, 2023	For the Year Ended October 31, 2022	Ended	Ended
Net asset value, beginning of period	\$11.20	\$11.57	\$13.94	\$11.45	\$11.65
INCOME/(LOSS) FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS:					
Net investment income <sup>(a)</sup>	0.29	0.31	0.26	0.04	0.09
Net realized and unrealized gain/(loss)	2.25	0.11	(2.39)	2.52	(0.15)
Total from investment operations	2.54	0.42	(2.13)	2.56	(0.06)
DISTRIBUTIONS:					
From net investment income	(0.33)	(0.33)	(0.24)	(0.06)	(0.14)
From net realized gains	_	(0.46)	_	_	_
Tax return of capital	_	_	_	(0.01)	_
Total distributions	(0.33)	(0.79)	(0.24)	(0.07)	(0.14)
Net increase/(decrease) in net asset value	2.21	(0.37)	(2.37)	2.49	(0.20)
Net asset value, end of year	\$13.41	\$11.20	\$11.57	\$13.94	\$11.45
TOTAL RETURN <sup>(b)</sup>	22.77%	3.68%	(15.39)%	22.44%	(0.44)%
RATIOS/SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:					
Net assets, end of year (000s)	\$4,820	\$7,118	\$13,432	\$11,049	\$13,642
Ratio of expenses to average net assets excluding fee waivers and reimbursements <sup>(c)</sup>	1.25%	1.25%	1.25%	1.25%	1.25%
Ratio of expenses to average net assets including fee waivers and reimbursements <sup>(c)</sup>	1.25%	1.25%	1.25%	1.25%	1.25%
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets(c)(d)	2.24%	2.60%	2.03%	0.29%	0.82%
Portfolio turnover rate	36%	13%	127%	13%	33%

<sup>(</sup>a) Calculated using the average shares method.

<sup>(</sup>b) Total returns are for the period indicated. Total returns would have been lower had certain expenses not been waived during the period. Returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on Fund distributions or the redemption of Fund shares. Returns shown exclude any applicable sales charges.

<sup>(</sup>c) Does not include expenses of the investment companies in which the Fund invests.

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

### **ALPS Asset Allocation Growth & Income - Class I**

	For the Year Ended October 31, 2024	Ended	Ended	For the Year Ended October 31, 2021	Ended
Net asset value, beginning of period	\$11.62	\$11.96	\$14.40	\$11.79	\$11.97
INCOME/(LOSS) FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS:					
Net investment income <sup>(a)</sup>	0.43	0.43	0.40	0.18	0.22
Net realized and unrealized gain/(loss)	2.34	0.14	(2.48)	2.61	(0.18)
Total from investment operations	2.77	0.57	(2.08)	2.79	0.04
DISTRIBUTIONS:					
From net investment income	(0.46)	(0.45)	(0.36)	(0.16)	(0.22)
From net realized gains	_	(0.46)	_	_	_
Tax return of capital	_	_	_	(0.02)	_
Total distributions	(0.46)	(0.91)	(0.36)	(0.18)	(0.22)
Net increase/(decrease) in net asset value	2.31	(0.34)	(2.44)	2.61	(0.18)
Net asset value, end of year	\$13.93	\$11.62	\$11.96	\$14.40	\$11.79
TOTAL RETURN <sup>(b)</sup>	23.94%	4.80%	(14.60)%	23.79%	0.46%
RATIOS/SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:					
Net assets, end of year (000s)	\$42,740	\$40,057	\$47,655	\$40,106	\$34,529
Ratio of expenses to average net assets excluding fee waivers and reimbursements <sup>(c)</sup>	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%
Ratio of expenses to average net assets including fee waivers and reimbursements <sup>(c)</sup>	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%	0.25%
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets(c)(d)	3.25%	3.54%	3.06%	1.29%	1.83%
Portfolio turnover rate	36%	13%	127%	13%	33%

<sup>(</sup>a) Calculated using the average shares method.

<sup>(</sup>b) Total returns are for the period indicated. Total returns would have been lower had certain expenses not been waived during the period. Returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on Fund distributions or the redemption of Fund shares.

<sup>(</sup>c) Does not include expenses of the investment companies in which the Fund invests.

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



The following information is provided by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated ("Merrill Lynch"):

Purchases or sales of front-end (i.e. Class A) or level-load (i.e., Class C) mutual fund shares through a Merrill platform or account will be eligible only for the following sales load waivers (front-end, contingent deferred, or back-end waivers) and discounts, which differ from those disclosed elsewhere in this Fund's prospectus. Purchasers will have to buy mutual fund shares directly from the mutual fund company or through another intermediary to be eligible for waivers or discounts not listed below.

It is the client's responsibility to notify Merrill at the time of purchase or sale of any relationship or other facts that qualify the transaction for a waiver or discount. A Merrill representative may ask for reasonable documentation of such facts and Merrill may condition the granting of a waiver or discount on the timely receipt of such documentation.

Additional information on waivers and discounts is available in the Merrill Sales Load Waiver and Discounts Supplement (the "Merrill SLWD Supplement") and in the Mutual Fund Investing at Merrill pamphlet at ml.com/funds. Clients are encouraged to review these documents and speak with their financial advisor to determine whether a transaction is eligible for a waiver or discount.

#### Front-end Load Waivers Available at Merrill

Shares of mutual funds available for purchase by employer-sponsored retirement, deferred compensation, and employee benefit plans (including health savings accounts) and trusts used to fund those plans provided the shares are not held in a commission-based brokerage account and shares are held for the benefit of the plan. For purposes of this provision, employer-sponsored retirement plans do not include SEP IRAs, Simple IRAs, SAR-SEPs or Keogh plans

Shares purchased through a Merrill investment advisory program

Brokerage class shares exchanged from advisory class shares due to the holdings moving from a Merrill investment advisory program to a Merrill brokerage account

Shares purchased through the Merrill Edge Self-Directed platform

Shares purchased through the systematic reinvestment of capital gains distributions and dividend reinvestment when purchasing shares of the same mutual fund in the same account

Shares exchanged from level-load shares to front-end load shares of the same mutual fund in accordance with the description in the Merrill SLWD Supplement

Shares purchased by eligible employees of Merrill or its affiliates and their family members who purchase shares in accounts within the employee's Merrill Household (as defined in the Merrill SLWD Supplement)

Shares purchased by eligible persons associated with the fund as defined in this prospectus (e.g. the fund's officers or trustees)

Shares purchased from the proceeds of a mutual fund redemption in front-end load shares provided (1) the repurchase is in a mutual fund within the same fund family; (2) the repurchase occurs within 90 calendar days from the redemption trade date, and (3) the redemption and purchase occur in the same account (known as Rights of Reinstatement). Automated transactions (i.e. systematic purchases and withdrawals) and purchases made after shares are automatically sold to pay Merrill's account maintenance fees are not eligible for Rights of Reinstatement

### Contingent Deferred Sales Charge ("CDSC") Waivers on Front-end, Back-end, and Level Load Shares Available at Merrill

Shares sold due to the client's death or disability (as defined by Internal Revenue Code Section 22e(3))

Shares sold pursuant to a systematic withdrawal program subject to Merrill's maximum systematic withdrawal limits as described in the Merrill SLWD Supplement

Shares sold due to return of excess contributions from an IRA account

Shares sold as part of a required minimum distribution for IRA and retirement accounts due to the investor reaching the qualified age based on applicable IRS regulation

Front-end or level-load shares held in commission-based, non-taxable retirement brokerage accounts (e.g. traditional, Roth, rollover, SEP IRAs, Simple IRAs, SAR-SEPs or Keogh plans) that are transferred to fee-based accounts or platforms and exchanged for a lower cost share class of the same mutual fund

### Front-end Load Discounts Available at Merrill: Breakpoints, Rights of Accumulation & Letters of Intent

Breakpoint discounts, as described in this prospectus, where the sales load is at or below the maximum sales load that Merrill permits to be assessed to a front-end load purchase, as described in the Merrill SLWD Supplement

Rights of Accumulation (ROA), as described in the Merrill SLWD Supplement, which entitle clients to breakpoint discounts based on the aggregated holdings of mutual fund family assets held in accounts in their Merrill Household

Letters of Intent (LOI), which allow for breakpoint discounts on eligible new purchases based on anticipated future eligible purchases within a fund family at Merrill, in accounts within your Merrill Household, as further described in the Merrill SLWD Supplement

The following information is provided by Morgan Stanley Smith Barney, LLC ("Morgan Stanley"):

Effective July 1, 2018, shareholders purchasing Fund shares through a Morgan Stanley Wealth Management transactional brokerage account will be eligible only for the following front-end sales charge waivers with respect to Class A shares, which may differ from and may be more limited than those disclosed elsewhere in this Fund's Prospectus or SAI.

### Front-end Sales Charge Waivers on Class A Shares available at Morgan Stanley Wealth Management

- Employer-sponsored retirement plans (e.g., 401(k) plans, 457 plans, employer-sponsored 403(b) plans, profit sharing and money purchase pension plans and defined benefit plans). For purposes of this provision, employer-sponsored retirement plans do not include SEP IRAs, Simple IRAs, SAR-SEPs or Keogh plans
- Morgan Stanley employee and employee-related accounts according to Morgan Stanley's account linking rules
- Shares purchased through reinvestment of dividends and capital gains distributions when purchasing shares of the same fund
- Shares purchased through a Morgan Stanley self-directed brokerage account
- Class C (i.e., level-load) shares that are no longer subject to a contingent deferred sales charge and are converted to Class A shares of the same fund pursuant to Morgan Stanley Wealth Management's share class conversion program
- Shares purchased from the proceeds of redemptions within the same fund family, provided (i) the repurchase occurs within 90 days following the redemption, (ii) the redemption and purchase occur in the same account, and (iii) redeemed shares were subject to a front-end or deferred sales charge.

The following information is provided by Raymond James & Associates, Inc., Raymond James Financial Services, Inc., & each entity's affiliates ("Raymond James"):

### **Intermediary-Defined Sales Charge Waiver Policies**

The availability of certain initial or deferred sales charge waivers and discounts may depend on the particular financial intermediary or type of account through which you purchase or hold Fund shares.

Intermediaries may have different policies and procedures regarding the availability of front-end sales load waivers or contingent deferred (back-end) sales load ("CDSC") waivers, which are discussed below. In all instances, it is the purchaser's responsibility to notify the fund or the purchaser's financial intermediary at the time of purchase of any relationship or other facts qualifying the purchaser for sales charge waivers or discounts. For waivers and discounts not available through a particular intermediary, shareholders will have to purchase fund shares directly from the fund or through another intermediary to receive these waivers or discounts.



Shareholders purchasing fund shares through a Raymond James platform or account, or through an introducing broker-dealer or independent registered investment adviser for which Raymond James provides trade execution, clearance, and/or custody services, will be eligible only for the following load waivers (front-end sales charge waivers and contingent deferred, or back-end, sales charge waivers) and discounts, which may differ from those disclosed elsewhere in this fund's prospectus or SAI.

### Front-end sales load waivers on Class A shares available at Raymond James

- Shares purchased in an investment advisory program.
- Shares purchased within the same fund family through a systematic reinvestment of capital gains and dividend distributions.
- Employees and registered representatives of Raymond James or its affiliates and their family members as designated by Raymond James.
- Shares purchased from the proceeds of redemptions within the same fund family, provided (1) the repurchase occurs within 90 days following the redemption, (2) the redemption and purchase occur in the same account, and (3) redeemed shares were subject to a front-end or deferred sales load (known as Rights of Reinstatement).
- A shareholder in the Fund's Class C shares will have their shares converted at net asset value to Class A shares (or the appropriate share class) of the Fund if the shares are no longer subject to a CDSC and the conversion is in line with the policies and procedures of Raymond James.

### CDSC Waivers on Classes A, B and C shares available at Raymond James

- Death or disability of the shareholder.
- Shares sold as part of a systematic withdrawal plan as described in the fund's prospectus.
- Return of excess contributions from an IRA Account.
- Shares sold as part of a required minimum distribution for IRA and retirement accounts due to the shareholder reaching the
  qualified age based on applicable IRS regulation as described in the fund's prospectus.
- Shares sold to pay Raymond James fees but only if the transaction is initiated by Raymond James.
- Shares acquired through a right of reinstatement.

### Front-end load discounts available at Raymond James: breakpoints, and/or rights of accumulation, and/or letters of intent

- Breakpoints as described in this prospectus.
- Rights of accumulation which entitle shareholders to breakpoint discounts will be automatically calculated based on the
  aggregated holding of fund family assets held by accounts within the purchaser's household at Raymond James. Eligible fund
  family assets not held at Raymond James may be included in the calculation of rights of accumulation only if the shareholder
  notifies his or her financial advisor about such assets.
- Letters of intent which allow for breakpoint discounts based on anticipated purchases within a fund family, over a 13-month time
  period. Eligible fund family assets not held at Raymond James may be included in the calculation of letters of intent only if the
  shareholder notifies his or her financial advisor about such assets.

The following information is provided by Oppenheimer & Co. Inc. ("OPCO"):

Effective February 26, 2020, shareholders purchasing Fund shares through an OPCO platform or account are eligible only for the following load waivers (front-end sales charge waivers and contingent deferred, or back-end, sales charge waivers) and discounts, which may differ from those disclosed elsewhere in this Fund's prospectus or SAI.

### Front-end Sales Load Waivers on Class A Shares available at OPCO

- Employer-sponsored retirement, deferred compensation and employee benefit plans (including health savings accounts) and
  trusts used to fund those plans, provided that the shares are not held in a commission-based brokerage account and shares
  are held for the benefit of the plan
- Shares purchased by or through a 529 Plan
- Shares purchased through a OPCO affiliated investment advisory program
- Shares purchased through reinvestment of capital gains distributions and dividend reinvestment when purchasing shares of the same fund (but not any other fund within the fund family)
- Shares purchased form the proceeds of redemptions within the same fund family, provided (1) the repurchase occurs within 90 days following the redemption, (2) the redemption and purchase occur in the same amount, and (3) redeemed shares were subject to a front-end or deferred sales load (known as Rights of Restatement).

- A shareholder in the Fund's Class C shares will have their shares converted at net asset value to Class A shares (or the
  appropriate share class) of the Fund if the shares are no longer subject to a CDSC and the conversion is in line with the policies
  and procedures of OPCO
- Employees and registered representatives of OPCO or its affiliates and their family members
- Directors or Trustees of the Fund, and employees of the Fund's investment adviser or any of its affiliates, as described in this
  prospectus

### CDSC Waivers on A, B and C Shares available at OPCO

- Death or disability of the shareholder
- Shares sold as part of a systematic withdrawal plan as described in the Fund's prospectus
- Return of excess contributions from an IRA Account
- Shares sold as part of a required minimum distribution for IRA and retirement accounts due to the shareholder reaching age 70½ as described in the prospectus
- Shares sold to pay OPCO fees but only if the transaction is initiated by OPCO
- Shares acquired through a right of reinstatement

### Front-end load Discounts Available at OPCO: Breakpoints, Rights of Accumulation & Letters of Intent

- Breakpoints as described in this prospectus.
- Rights of Accumulation (ROA) which entitle shareholders to breakpoint discounts will be automatically calculated based on
  the aggregated holding of fund family assets held by accounts within the purchaser's household at OPCO. Eligible fund family
  assets not held at OPCO may be included in the ROA calculation only if the shareholder notifies his or her financial advisor
  about such assets

### Intermediary-Defined Sales Charge Waiver Policies for Robert W. Baird & Co. Incorporated ("Baird")

Effective June 15, 2020, shareholders purchasing fund shares through a Baird platform or account will only be eligible for the following sales charge waivers (front-end sales charge waivers and CDSC waivers) and discounts, which may differ from those disclosed elsewhere in this prospectus or the Statement of Additional Information.

### Front-End Sales Charge Waivers on Investors A-shares Available at Baird

- Shares purchased through reinvestment of capital gains distributions and dividend reinvestment when purchasing share of the same fund
- Shares purchased by employees and registered representatives of Baird or any of its affiliates and their family members, as designated by Baird
- Shares purchased from the proceeds of redemptions from another ALPS Advised Fund, provided (1) the repurchase occurs within 90 days following the redemption, (2) the redemption and purchase occur in the same accounts, and (3) redeemed shares were subject to a front-end or deferred sales charge (known as rights of reinstatement)
- A shareholder in an ALPS Advised Fund's Investor C Shares will have their shares converted at net asset value to Investor
  A shares of the same ALPS Advised Fund if the shares are no longer subject to CDSC and the conversion is in line with the
  policies and procedures of Baird
- Employer-sponsored retirement plans or charitable accounts in a transactional brokerage account at Baird, including 401(k) plans, 457 plans, employer-sponsored 403(b) plans, profit sharing and money purchase pension plans and defined benefit plans. For purposes of this provision, employer-sponsored retirement plans do not include SEP IRAs, Simple IRAs or SAR-SEPs

### CDSC Waivers on Investor A and C shares Available at Baird

- Shares sold due to death or disability of the shareholder
- Shares sold as part of a systematic withdrawal plan as described in the ALPS Advised Fund's Prospectus



- Shares bought due to returns of excess contributions from an IRA Account
- Shares sold as part of a required minimum distribution for IRA and retirement accounts due to the shareholder reaching age 72
  as described in the ALPS Advised Fund's prospectus
- Shares sold to pay Baird fees but only if the transaction is initiated by Baird
- Shares acquired through a right of reinstatement

### Front-End Sales Charge Discounts Available at Baird: Breakpoints and/or Rights of Accumulations

- Breakpoints as described in the ALPS Advised Fund's prospectus
- Rights of accumulations which entitles shareholders to breakpoint discounts will be automatically calculated based on the
  aggregated holdings of ALPS Advised Fund assets held by accounts within the purchaser's household at Baird. Eligible ALPS
  Advised Fund assets not held at Baird may be included in the rights of accumulations calculation only if the shareholder notifies
  his or her financial advisor about such assets
- Letters of Intent (LOI) allow for breakpoint discounts based on anticipated purchases of an ALPS Advised Fund through Baird, over a 13-month period of time

The following information provided by Stifel, Nicolaus & Company, Incorporated ("Stifel"):

Effective July 1, 2020, shareholders purchasing ALPS Advised Fund shares through a Stifel platform or account or who own shares for which Stifel or an affiliate is the broker-dealer of record are eligible for the following additional sales charge waiver.

#### Front-end Sales Load Waiver on Class A Shares

Class C shares that have been held for more than seven (7) years will be converted to Class A shares of the same ALPS
Advised Fund pursuant to Stifel's policies and procedures

All other sales charge waivers and reductions described elsewhere in the ALPS Advised Funds' Prospectus or SAI still apply.

The Fund is not sponsored, endorsed, sold or promoted by Morningstar, Inc., or any of its affiliated companies (all such entities, collectively, "Morningstar Entities"). The Morningstar Entities make no representation or warranty, express or implied, to the owners of the Fund or any member of the public regarding the advisability of investing in mutual funds generally or in the Fund in particular or the ability of the Morningstar Index Data to track general mutual fund performance. The Morningstar Entities' only relationship to ALPS Fund Services, Inc. is the licensing of certain service marks and service names of Morningstar and of the Morningstar Index Data which is determined, composed and calculated by the Morningstar Entities without regard to ALPS Fund Services, Inc. or the Fund. The Morningstar Entities have no obligation to take the needs of ALPS Fund Services, Inc. or the owners of the Fund into consideration in determining, composing or calculating the Morningstar Index Data. The Morningstar Entities are not responsible for and have not participated in the determination of the prices and amounts of the Fund or the timing of the issuance or sale of the Fund or in the determination or calculation of the equation by which the Fund are converted into cash. The Morningstar Entities have no obligation or liability in connection with the administration, marketing or trading of the Fund.

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### **Shareholder Reports**

Annual and semi-annual reports to shareholders provide additional information about the Fund's investments. These reports discuss the market conditions and investment strategies that significantly affected the Fund's performance during its last fiscal year.

### **Statement of Additional Information**

The statement of additional information provides more detailed information about the Fund. It is incorporated by reference into (is legally a part of) this Prospectus.

The Fund sends only one report to a household if more than one account has the same address. Contact the Transfer Agent if you do not want this policy to apply to you.

### **How to Obtain Additional Information**

You can obtain shareholder reports or the statement of additional information (without charge), make inquiries or request other information about the Fund by contacting the Transfer Agent at 866.759.5679, by writing the Fund at P.O. Box 219107 Kansas City, MO 64121-9107, or on the Fund's website at www. alpsfunds.com.

You can get copies of the Fund's shareholder reports, prospectus and statement of additional information after paying a fee by electronic request at the following e-mail address: publicinfo@sec.gov. You can get the same reports and information free from the EDGAR Database on the Commission's Internet web site at http://www.sec.gov.

If someone makes a statement about the Fund that is not in this Prospectus, you should not rely upon that information. Neither the Fund nor the Distributor is offering to sell shares of the Fund to any person to whom the Fund may not lawfully sell its shares.

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