



Letting go of everything at once was both painful and terrifying. I could never have accomplished this alone. It took the help, understanding and wonderful companionship that was given so freely to me by my ex-alkie friends. This and the program of recovery embodied in the Twelve Steps. In learning to practice these steps in my daily living, I began to acquire faith and a philosophy to live by. Whole new vistas were opened up for me, new avenues of experience to be explored, and life began to take on color and interest.
c. 2001 AAWS, Big Book, p. 275

2024 WAIA GALA - Save the Date!

Join us on this road of new-found hope and endless possibilities...

Date: Saturday, May 11th 2024, Doors at 6PM, Dancing until 11PM

Location: AR Grand Hall (Saints Constantine & Helen Greek Orthodox Church), 721 Norwood Road, Silver Spring, MD 20905

Attire: Dress to Impress

Dinner: Italian Fare

Tickets: \$50. Will be on sale in March.

Program

Fellowship, Dinner, Sobriety Countdown, Keynote AA Speaker, Live DJ / Dancing

Plenty of free, on-site parking

Questions? Email :gala@aa-dc.org

WAIA is looking for a new Sponsorship chair to help put on the 5th annual Sponsorship conference.

Though sponsorship is not mentioned anywhere in the Big Book, many AAs feel working the steps with a sponsor is a key cornerstone of sobriety. WAIA sponsored the first conference in the Washington region in 2019 as a forum to foster discussion about the many different approaches to sponsorship within the fellowship, and included a wide range of topics:

We aim to have panels staffed with a moderator and 3-4 panelists to share their experience, strength, and hope through the lens of sponsorship. We also need volunteers who could help manage reservations and secure a location.

If you (or your home group!) is interested in spearheading the conference or leading a panel, please contact Will R. at will.r@aa-dc.org or sponsorshipconference@aa-dc.org to find out more about how you can be of [service](#).

Calls for Service

Office and HelpChat Volunteers Needed!

Available In Person Shifts: Monday 1-4, Wednesday 4-7 PM

(Email help@aa-dc.org for more information or call 202-966-9783; ask for Luella or Clo'via).

Please share these announcements with your group and encourage people to sign up directly for the New Reporter to receive local AA news directly!

January 25, 2024

Dear A.A. Friends,

On behalf of the General Service Office, I wish you a very Happy New Year! Although we A.A.s strive to live one day at a time, for many of us the new year brings a spirit of renewal and an added spark of hope. I share this spirit for A.A.'s future as well!

I want to provide an update to my most recent letter regarding A.A.'s finances in which I shared details of the challenges we've been facing and the need for sustained increases in contributions. The response from the Fellowship in the last two months has been extremely heartwarming. We have heard from many of you expressing your support, concerns, and understanding in the form of heartfelt messages and generous contributions to the General Service Board. I want to personally express my deep gratitude and sincere thanks to each and every one of you.

I'm very encouraged and happy to share that we have seen recent increases in both the number of contributions received as well as total dollar amounts. In fact, in December, we received contributions from more than 9,000 groups and members. The average we typically receive in December is 6,900. This increased participation has resulted in the highest amount ever received in the month of December, just over \$1.65 million. We also saw an increase in participation in November just following the call for help. On a year-to-date basis, contributions to the General Service Board also have exceeded the highest ever received at over \$10.8 million. This amount also exceeds the amount budgeted for 2023, which was \$10.5 million.

Your positive response and increases in participation and dollar amounts have been very helpful to operations in the last few months, however, we are still facing difficulties meeting expenses. Gross literature sales in December were strong, but profits for 2023 will be below budget. As I mentioned in my November message, the reduction in literature sales and profits has been the driving factor in the loss in income. Although contributions have increased post-pandemic, literature profits have dropped at a higher rate. Our literature is a vital spiritual tool and service to our Fellowship. The volume in which it is purchased is based on the needs of the Fellowship. It is very important to keep it affordable so it can be distributed as widely as possible and assuring it finds its way into the hands of those who need it. But we cannot rely on increased literature profits to solve our financial challenges.

In addition, the ability to rebuild the Reserve Fund is also challenging. As of December year end, the balance is sufficient to cover approximately 7.28 months' operating expenses, which is less than

the general expectation of 9 to 12 months.

Your overwhelming response also brings to mind the principle of participation that resides within our Seventh Tradition. Even more significant than financial contributions is our participation, which fills us with the spirit of belonging and connection to A.A. This is in line with the overarching goal to meet and overcome our financial challenges in the long term. That is, more frequent and sustained contributions but also from a larger representation of our groups and members.

Bill W.'s insights on the Seventh Tradition reinforce the answer to our financial challenges:

"But this leaves us with a responsibility — one that every member ought to understand. We cannot skim when the treasurer of our group passes the hat. Our groups, our areas, and A.A. as a whole will not function unless our services are sufficient and their bills are paid. "When we meet and defeat the temptation to take large gifts, we are only being prudent. But when we are generous with the hat we give a token that we are grateful for our blessings and evidence that we are eager to share what we have found with all those who still suffer." (The Language of the Heart, p. 221)

The AAWS and AA Grapevine Boards, in strong collaboration with the office, have been working very hard for the last several months preparing the 2024 budget.

The General Service Board will review, discuss, and finalize the budget during their next scheduled quarterly Board Weekend at the end of this month. Several projects and items have been deferred in order to present a balanced budget.

So let's keep it going—continued participation! Perhaps your group, or you personally, may consider setting up a reoccurring contribution to the General Service Board. It's very simple to set up through our online contributions site, which can be accessed through [AA.org](https://aa.org) or by clicking [here](#). There are options to make a one-time, weekly, monthly, quarterly, or yearly contribution.

Thank you again for your participation not only with our Seventh Tradition but with all each and every one of you do for our beloved Fellowship. Your participation is the very best investment in A.A.'s future and keeps Alcoholics Anonymous vibrant and available for all who need it today, tomorrow, and beyond.

With gratitude for all the sacrifices you make for A.A.,



Bob W., General Manager, G.S.O.

"... we were at Step Three, which is that we decided to turn our will and our life over to God as we understood Him. Just what do we mean by that, and just what do we do?"

The first requirement is that we be convinced that any life run on self-will can hardly be a success. On that basis we are almost always in collision with something or somebody, even though our motives are good. Most people try to live by self-propulsion."

*Alcoholics Anonymous, 4th Edition
How It Works, pg. 60*



After twenty-eight years of mind-obliterating alcoholism, I finally attended my first A.A. meeting. Within a few weeks, I became capable of memorizing the Third Step Prayer that I had positioned on my refrigerator door. I would repeat it quite often throughout the day. My idea was that in so doing, I was turning my will, and my life, over to God . . . then, He would remove my problem—and that would be that!

This erroneous notion was justified by an overwhelming new happiness—please spell that (A.

A. h-o-n-e-y-m-o-o-n). After all, my phone was ringing off the hook and I had new A.A. friends galore! Of course, I was surviving on the fellowship by keeping my telephone real hot and attending meetings every chance I had (I believe that was necessary because, otherwise, I would have headed right back to the bar room).

I thought this groovy-groovy (that was an expression back then) feeling was going to provide permanent protection from king alcohol, so I had sort of short-shrumped the rest of the steps and waited for that persistent nagging mental obsession to disappear. Well, it didn't! I was six-months sober and just after a parade on Hollywood Blvd, I marched into a bar and almost ordered a drink! I didn't, but I was so terrified that I found a new sponsor to take me through the rest of the steps, el pronto.

The Big Book speaks of the Great Reality (God) deep within (p. 55). I believe this means I need to delve deep into my subconscious self by working the rest of the Twelve Steps with a sponsor. I believe that Step Three was only a beginning. This was only carried out by learning to do steps Four through Nine with my heart (not just my head), then continuing to put these directions into action by living in the spirit of Steps Ten, Eleven and Twelve. By the bye, the last three steps include the essential elements of the first nines.

At some point during the first year or so of my new-found sobriety, I experienced a release from all obsession to drink; inexplicably it no longer exists in my emotional vocabulary! However, I am convinced that if I lose contact with the "Great Reality deep within," I will be back where I started—or wore!

By Bob S., Richmond, IN (Taken from the Cleveland Alcoholics Anonymous web site)

Terence Gorski on Step Three (From *Understanding the Twelve Steps*)

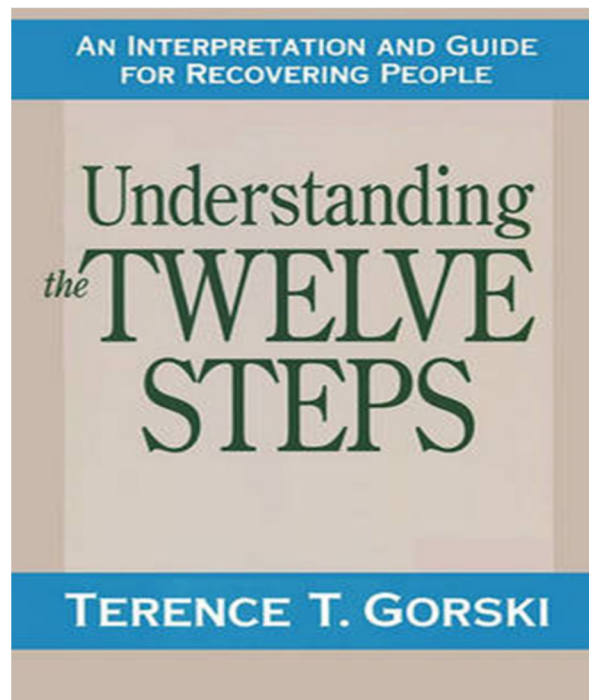
Step Three tells recovering people to trust in a Higher Power. In other words, find some expert advice and follow it. They must become willing to take direction from their newfound Higher Power and see what happens.

But who or what is the Higher Power? A.A. states very clearly that it is up to you to find your own Higher Power. Notice that the terms *Higher Power* and *God* are used interchangeably. A.A. does not prescribe a specific concept of God, but rather instructs its members to find a God of their own understanding.

In my understanding, the Higher Power serves two functions. The first is emotional—it gives people the courage, strength, and hope to move ahead in recovery. The second is intellectual—it gives them the knowledge about what they need to do and then motivates them to do it. If they have chosen their Higher Power correctly, when they connect with it, they will become motivated to learn what they need to do to recover. When they do it, it works, and when it works, they will become encouraged to do more.

You can select God as your Higher Power, but many members, especially new members, do not. They use their Twelve Step group as their initial Higher Power. The group meets all of the criteria. By going to meetings and talking honestly with group members, you can tap into a strong belief that recovery is possible. You can develop the courage, strength, and hope to go on. By listening to the stories of your group members, you can learn what to do in order to get well. As you work at your recovery, you can share your progress and problems with other people who will listen to you, understand your struggles, and take seriously what you are saying.

In Step One you said, “I can’t” In Step Two you said, “Somebody else can!” Now, in Step Three you say, I’m going to let them!”



Surrender

Such is the paradox of A.A. regeneration: strength arising out of complete defeat and weakness, the loss of one's old life as a condition for finding a new one. But we of A.A. do not have to understand that paradox; we have only to be grateful for it.

Bill W.

c. 1957, 1985 AAWS Alcoholics Anonymous Comes of Age, p. 46

Street Tough,
Growing up in DC, he learned to drink and fight, but in A.A., he learned to surrender (from the Grapevine)

I was born the oldest of three boys in Ledroit Park neighborhood of Northwest Washington, DC.

I was told that when I was a baby, my grandma would feed me beer when I stayed with her, which was seen as an innocent indulgence at the time.

Somewhere around 14, I had my first drunk. I was in the basement of my uncle's home with my cousin's boyfriend, Melvin, who was a few years older than me and was known as a street fighter. I wanted to be just like him.

I remember sneaking drinks from my parents' liquor cabinet. I was a fighting drunk who never won a fight.

I went to college in Rochester, Minnesota, where I saw my first keg, and, because it was so damned cold, I didn't do much other than drink and get high. It was there that I met Laura, who would become my wife of more than 35 years now.

My drinking, drugging, violence, wasting of money, and finally adultery took my wife to the breaking point. She asked me to leave.

A series of newspaper articles came out chronicling the substance abuse and violence occurring in D.C.



One of the stories featured a picture of a guy who was a member of A.A. By the Grace of God, he had visited my apartment building. I saw him on the street one day and I approached him. He said when I was ready, he would pick me up and take me to detox.

Some weeks later, I would do just that. At my bottom, I said the most sincere prayer I had ever said. 'God, I can't do this anymore. Help me please.' Soon, I was in the detox at the hospital.

After treatment, my wife allowed me to return home temporarily. She heard I was planning to live in my father's house where there was still plenty of drinking going on, and she said I could come home until I found a recovery house. It's now 27 years later and I have yet to find one! My wife and I are still married.

Here's an example of how much my life changed in A.A. You remember the son who once told me that things were so peaceful without me? When I had about 10 years sober and he was in college, one day I arrived at work to a voice mail message from him. It said, 'Dad, it's 3:00 in the morning and I'm studying. I just wanted to tell you that I love you, I'm proud of you and thank you for making me the man I am today.'

Lonnie D.

WILLINGNESS IS THE KEY

You would think that after years of being mangled by alcoholism anyone would be willing to do almost anything for relief! Why does it take us so long to give up that fight?

Perhaps I could not believe that there was an alternative, one that I could achieve. Page 44 of the Big Book has a statement that really makes sense: "To be doomed to an alcoholic death or to live to live on a spiritual basis are not always easy alternatives to face." It took some time for me to be convinced that I suffer from a fatal malady, a soul sickness that requires a spiritual answer and daily spiritual maintenance.

For me, it eventually came down to the Third Step and complete surrender to a Power and a Process that I was incapable of understanding. I could clearly see that the spiritual folks were peaceful, grateful, and above all usefully sober. On the other hand I couldn't help but notice that rebellious and closed-minded people were literally dying from this disease. Resistance is futile!

What keeps me willing today is that combination of pain and pleasure. The pain of my beginnings I clearly wish not to repeat. When the routine of going to regular meetings gets irritating, I can easily remember the physical and mental misery. It often occurs to me that I could find the bare minimum of that recovery routine that would keep me sober, but that experiment caused a near-deadly relapse some years ago. Not worth the risk! The pleasure part of the equation is that, as I make progress in recovery, I feel comfortable in my own skin and with all of you. What a great feeling! This helps me develop a quiet mind and an open heart. After all, peace is the end result of a successful spiritual path.

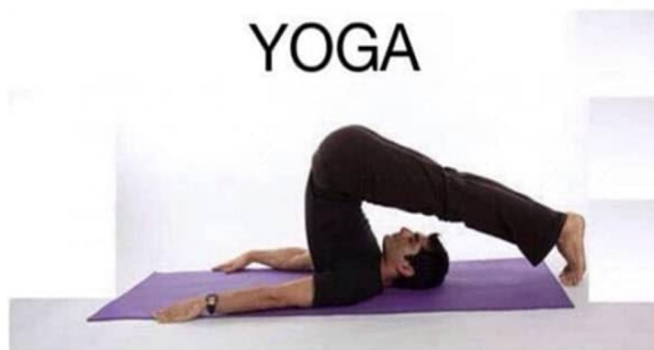
~Anonymous



Found this pic of me in a Christmas play and realized my parents gave me a bong to take as a gift for baby Jesus



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Near East Group Anniversary

The NEAR EAST GROUP will be celebrating its 53rd. or 54th. Group Anniversary

March 11, 2014 – 7:00PM – 9:30 PM

Eating will begin at 7:00 PM

AA Meeting at 8:30 PM

SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH

917 N. ST. NW.

Washington DC

Parking is available on the church parking lot.

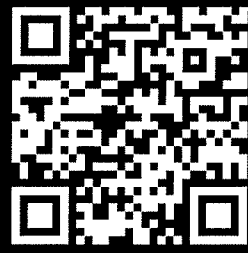
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Rockville, Maryland 20852
RockvilleMetroClub.org
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Washington Area General Service Assembly (Area 13)

Annual Mini-Conference

Saturday, March 23, 2024

Join us from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm Eastern Time

Virtual Platform

ZOOM ID: 811 4405 0828, Password: 6970mc

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81144050828?pwd=TDJR2Nlhb3NTR2YxWGFSQVA3anI3UT09>

Dial-in Number: (301) 715-8592, Password: 354160 to discuss

Connecting with Love, Unity, and Service

Fellowship begins at 8:30

Guest Speaker for the 51st Mini Conference will be:

Mike L.

Interim Chair, General Service Board

The Area 13 Mini-Conference provides the opportunity for our GSRs, DCMs, Area officers, Committee members, and ALL others who are interested in service to discuss the General Service Conference agenda items and related issues and concerns affecting AA as a whole.

Held annually, a Mini Conference informs our Delegate to the Conference of the Area's group conscience and provides an opportunity for every group in Area 13 to fulfill its responsibility to the future of AA by exercising its Right of Participation.

Bring your Sponsors and Sponsees

All are Welcome!

Washington Área General Servicio Asamblea (Área 13)

Anual Miniconferencia

Sábado, 23 de Marzo de 2024

Unirse a nosotros de 8:30 soy a 3:00 pm Oriental Tiempo

Virtual Plataforma

ZOOM IDENTIFICACIÓN: 811 4405 0828 Passcode: 6970mc

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81144050828?pwd=TDR2NlJhb3NTR2YxWGFSQVA3anI3UT09>

Marcar _ Número: (301) 715-8592 , Contraseña: 354160 para discutir

Conectando con Amor, Unidad y Servicio

Compañerismo comienza en 8:30

Invitado Vocero para el 5 1º – Mini Conferencia voluntad ser:

Mike L.

Presidente interino, Junta de Servicios Generales

El Área 13 Miniconferencia _ proporciona el oportunidad para nuestro RSG, MCD, Área oficiales, Comité miembros, y TODO otros OMS son interesado en servicio a conversar el General Servicio Conferencia elementos de la agenda y relacionado asuntos y preocupaciones que afectan Automóvil club británico como a entero. Sostuvo anualmente, a Mini Conferencia informa nuestro Delegar a el Conferencia de el Área grupo conciencia y proporciona un oportunidad para cada grupo en Área 13 a realizar es responsabilidad a el futuro de Automóvil club británico por haciendo ejercicio es Derecho de Participación.

Traer su Patrocinadores y Todos los apadrinados son ¡Bienvenido!

Yay! Finally returning to the full weekend version of Happy Destiny!



Happy Destiny 12-Step Retreat 5 pm Friday - 11 am Sunday April 19-21, 2024

Camp Round Meadow
14840 Manahan Road, Sabillasville, MD

<https://www.nps.gov/ato/planyourvisit/round-meadow-directions.htm>

\$115 Registration Fee Includes:

- Delicious Meals and Snacks
- Heated Cabin Lodging
- Sober Fellowship
- Open AA Meetings
- Al-Anon Participation
- Activities and Workshops

Service Work Will Be
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Space is Limited!



Register Online OR Mail Form Below

Register and pay online (\$3.00 Service Fee)
www.happydestinyretreat.org



Payment in full preferred OR deposit of \$50 by March 21 and balance due by April 12.

One Registrant's Name and Information Per Form

Name _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

T-Shirt Size: ☐ S ☐ M ☐ L ☐ XL ☐ XXL ☐ XXXL

T-Shirt Style: ☐ Men's ☐ Women's

Ride Sharing Connection:

Offer a Ride: ☐ Yes ☐ No Need a Ride: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Anonymous scholarship contribution so others may attend:

☐ \$10 ☐ \$20 ☐ \$30 ☐ \$40 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$ _____
(Other Amount)

Dietary Preferences - Check All That Apply*

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(Other)

Mail Registration & Payment to:

Happy Destiny Retreat
c/o Mike Krieg
13014 Turkey Branch Pkwy
Rockville, MD 20853

For more information:

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www.happydestinyretreat.org

Email
happydestinyretreat@gmail.com

Phone Contact
Rachel Altman 240-728-9874

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* While we strive to accommodate a variety of food preferences, if you have allergies, or a specialized diet, you are welcome to bring your own food and store it in the kitchen. Please contact us if you have any questions.



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of new-found hope
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79th Annual

WAIA Gala

Saturday, May 11th, 2024

6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

AR Grand Hall

Saints Constantine & Helen

Greek Orthodox Church

721 Norwood Road, Silver Spring, MD 20905

Tickets \$50

(tickets will be available in March)

Come dressed to impress

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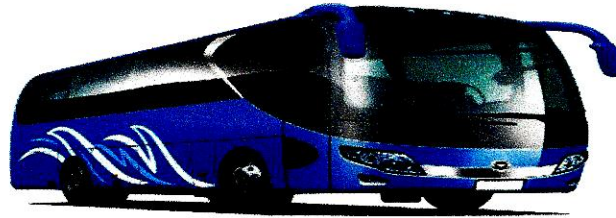
Live DJ

Plenty of free parking

*Tickets will go on sale in March. Purchasing info and additional information at

www.aa-dc.org/2024-gala

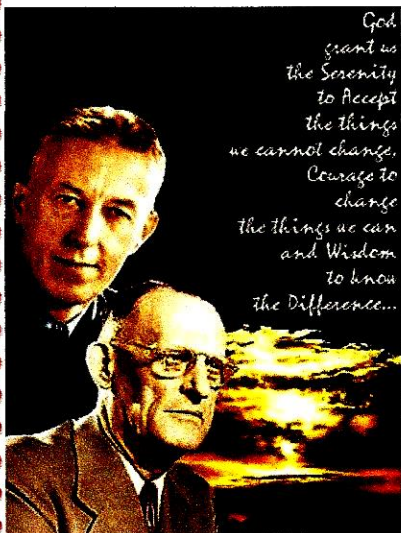
Get On The Bus



To The 89th Founders Day In Akron, Ohio

Three Days of Inspiration, Fellowship, And Fun

June 7 – 9, 2024



Founders Day marks the anniversary of Bill W.'s first meeting with Dr. Bob and the birth of our Society in 1935. Members and their families and friends from around the globe attend the event. People attend meetings, workshops, dances and events. A highlight is the traditional *Motorcycle procession and graveside memorial tribute to Dr. Bob & Anne*

Depart: 4:00 AM, June 7, 2024, Exodus Missionary Baptist Church, 901 Rittenhouse St., NW Washington. DC 20011

Breakfast (on your own) in Breezewood, PA – Bob Evans Restaurant
Lots of fun on the bus with movies, games, music and giveaways. Also planned rest stop to stretch legs, restrooms, smoke break.

Arrival: Approx. 11:00 AM: University of Akron (lodging is on the campus) Cost includes round trip via deluxe motor coach with restroom, wifi equipped, refreshments, and beverages enroute both ways, choice of campus housing with or without meals, (see highlight below) visit to the National Football League Hall of Fame (optional) (entrance fee not included), visit to Dr. Bob's home, and to the grave site for the memorial speakers meeting.

Housing plus meals \$449.00 per person (double occupancy only)

Housing without meals \$389.00 per person (double occupancy only)

Deposit \$99.00 due ASAP and final payment due NLT April 5, 2024

All payments are NON-REFUNDABLE (unless there's someone to take your place)

If the event is cancelled all monies will be returned

Depart: June 9, 2024 immediately after grave site meeting for home with a meal stop enroute

Arrival Home: Approx. 6:00 PM

For more information please contact Paulette Johnson cell 202-215-9291 / Paulette_114@verizon.net or Kenneth Ford cell 202-439-2620 / kennyken30@aol.com

Payments may be made by check /money order to Paulette Johnson 635 Edgewood St NE, Washington, DC 20017 or Kenneth Ford 4603 Mary Beth Blvd. Clinton, MD. 20735

Payments may also be made via Zelle or PayPal to Kenneth Ford 202-439-2620

This trip will fill up fast so please make your deposit ASAP so you won't miss the bus 😊

Area 13 WAGSA Special Assembly—HYBRID

Monday, March 11, 2024

6:00 PM New GSR Orientation

7:00 Committee Meeting

Silver Spring United Methodist Church

8900 Georgia Ave

Silver Spring MD 20910

Join Zoom Meeting

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Meeting ID: 835 6563 8123

Passcode: 6970mc

For more information, please visit: area13aa.org or email:
chair@area13aa.org

WAIA Monthly Board of Directors Meeting

Tuesday March 12, 2024—7:00 PM (2nd Tuesday of the month except August)

Join Zoom Meeting:

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Rockville Metro Club Game Night

Every Saturday

8:30 PM—9:30 PM—Meeting
9:45 PM-10:30 PM—Game Night
11:00 PM –12:00 AM—Meeting
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Sunday Social Pizza Party

1st Sunday of Every Month

12:00 PM—2:00 PM

\$5.00 suggested donation

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CHECK OUT OUR EVENTS CALENDAR

<https://aa-dc.org/events>

Events are updated
regularly!

If you would like to
submit an event, send an
email to events@aa-dc.org.

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| 40 As Bill Sees It NW | 67 Quince Orchard |
| 179 Aspen Hill 5th Chapter | 500 Rarely Have Seen P'r Fail |
| 50 Aspen Hill Phoenix Fri | 60 Read & Speak |
| 187 Attitude & Action | 20 Serenity House |
| 302 Back to Basics | 120 Shepherders |
| 313 Burtonsville Big Book | 233 Sil Spring Beginners BB |
| 380 Cedar Lane Women | 60 Sober Living Group |
| 30 Clinton Day | 150 St. Francis Group |
| 50 Clinton Sun Nite | 400 Sunshine Group G'burg |
| 989 Cosmopolitan Group | 700 Sunrise Zoom |
| 25 Daily Reflection-UP | 195 Terrapin Thanksgiving |
| 1200 Darnestown Men | 131 T.G.I.F. |
| 238 Deanwood Step Group | 610 Thursday Nigth Mens BS |
| 52 Double Recovery | 15 The Way Group |
| 300 DCC Noon | 179 Uptown Group |
| 104 Dunrobbin Group | 159 Village Idiots |
| 60 Free Spirits | 28 Virtually Sober |
| 356 Georgetown Group | 292 We Are All Berginners |
| 112 Glen Echo Group | 51 Westmoreland Women |
| 220 Good News Beginners | 158 Westside Women |
| 914 Greenbelt Step Club | 448 Westside Club |
| 233 Grupo Virtual Wash'tonia | 1200 Yacht Club |
| 895 Haven At Last | |
| 44 Hyattsville Hope Live | |
| 130 Informed Group | |
| 172 Kid Friendly TP Women | |
| 100 Last Stop Group | |
| 53 Lawyers Group | 50 Birthday |
| 25 Let Go Let God | 120 Faithful Fivers |
| 57 Lit Womxn | 6702 Individuals |
| 50 Make It Happen | Memorial |
| 240 Messengers | |
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| 100 Montgomery Cty Women | |
| 480 Montrose Gay | |
| 135 Oasis Women Big Book | |
| 14 On Awakening | |
| 952 Olney Stag Rap | |
| 200 Open Arms | |
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