

Rule 63

The task ahead of us is never as great as the Power behind us.

When I defend my mistakes, I lose my serenity.

Willingness without action is fantasy.

Every alcoholic gets sober – some of us do it before we die.

WAIA October 2024 Announcements

WAIA Board Meeting, October 8, 2024, Hybrid

Come for Pizza and Salad and Gratitude Box decorating; Stay for the meeting! All AAs are welcome, not just Intergroup Reps

St. Luke's Episcopal Church

6030 Grosvenor Ln

Bethesda MD 20814 (Ample street parking & parking lot behind the church is available)

7:00—8:00 PM— Pizza, Salad and decorate your group's Gratitude Box for November. Markers and stickers will be available but you may bring crafting supplies to use and share. Completed boxes will also be available for pick up.

8:00— 9:00 PM—Hybrid WAIA monthly business meeting. The WAIA Finance committee will present the draft 2025 WAIA Budget to be approved no later than the November 2024 Board Meeting, per WAIA's by laws. Group Reps will have the opportunity to ask questions and take the budget back to their groups for discussion.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83460598434?pwd=VVBEK2FNSzcxS3VXZDFVOXhMa1oxZz09>

Meeting ID: 834 6059 8434

Passcode: 819862

Dial-In: 301-715-8592, Passcode: 819862

Calls for Service

OFFICE and HELPCHAT Volunteers Needed!

Available In Person Shifts: Sunday 1-4, Wednesday 4-7 PM, Saturday 1-4 PM. Email help@aa-dc.org for more information or call 202-966-9783; ask for Luella or Clo'via

NIGHTWATCH Volunteers Needed (1 Year Sobriety Requested)

email Nightwatch@aa-dc.org to volunteer.

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



The Wreckage of the Present by Preston B, Walt Lake Central Office newsletter

Over the years I have witnessed people who seem to have been solid members of the program go out and drink again. The reasoning is inconsequential, because if they are real alcoholic, the only actual reasoning for them drinking again is that the obsession returned and they, once again, became powerless over alcohol. Many of these people had become my friends over the years, because we did service, sponsored new people and naturally bonds were created. I can only wish they had stayed.

The tenth step is the beginning of an ongoing effort to clean up the wreckage of the present. After taking the first nine steps, it is apparent to me when I become resentful, afraid, or when I arouse bitterness in others with my actions. This is true, because I don't regularly feel discontented and when I do it is an abnormal feeling. The big book says, "when these crop up", meaning that is going to happen. So, what am I supposed to do about maintaining a fit spiritual condition?

First of all, it was important for me to not blame my disease for the actions I take and the repercussions of such actions. I went a long time pointing the finger and not taking responsibility for my own life. Oh, what a victim I was. It was a big step for me to realize that I had character defects that continued on. I felt as though when people shared in meetings and talked about how well their lives were going after they took the steps, that there was something wrong with me. Because I still developed problems. These problems are nothing more than a manifestation of my character defects. It is up to me to recognize these and make effort to grow toward something better.

God plays a huge part in dealing with my character defects. I want to be as useful as possible, but my experience has proven to me that I cannot fix my character defects no matter how well I arrange my life and walk on eggshells. It is not only no way to live and enjoy life, it's practically impossible to ac-

complish. Considering this, I am convinced the Higher Power is the one who has removed those more severe defects. Hiding from people was never the answer, because sooner or later, I was going to have to deal with the world and its people. I'm grateful that I have this program so I can minimize the damage I cause as I go along.

I was about two years sober and making many mistakes in my life. One day I was reading Bill's story, and I saw towards the end that he wrote a passage about how when he was around that same time sober, he was also plagued by waves of self-pity and resentment. The Big Book is so good, and Bill's writings were so on point that when he describes a problem, he doesn't just leave you paralyzed and without a solution. Continuing to take inventory was a good step in understanding problems as they come and making amends quickly if I had harmed anyone. In that particular passage he stated the "when all other measures failed, work with another alcoholic would save the day" Needless to say, that I have worked with newcomers over the years could very well be characterized as intensive and frantic.

I didn't know why I was, for some reason, under the impression that practicing the first nine steps of the program would render me a perfect person. Ultimately, I realized that the best I will ever be is a flawed human being. Everyone has character defects whether they are alcoholic or not, but if my character defects run awry, and I don't take the necessary steps to hold them in check, then something will happen for that won't happen for normal people and that is I could run the risk of the insanity of alcohol retuning and drinking again, like may I have known. I am happy to have found a power in which I can live. I am happy to recovered from the hopeless condition and am receiving the promises of the tenth step, which is to have a daily reprieve, so long as I persevere in maintaining a fit spiritual condition through the practice of the tenth step.

Seeking New Teachers (Reprinted from Akron Intergroup News-September 2015)

I wouldn't be surprised if the phrase "We never graduate" is used numerous times in this issue. Recovery is a way of life in which we have to continue to grow, or we wither away. Sometimes quickly, sometimes slowly can work in the opposite direction as well. Despite the warning against resting on our laurels, many of us do just that, including myself. I was sober 13 years and things just seemed ... flat. I was going to the same meetings, hanging with the same people, not going out of my way to be available to help anyone. I just wasn't enjoying sobriety. Something needed to change. I drive a truck and spend a lot of time alone. So, I started downloading leads to my phone and listening at work. If I enjoyed the speaker, and they mentioned their sponsor's name, I would try to find a talk from their sponsor, and then their sponsor, etc. This eventually led me to a group in Denver. They used a prayer called the "Set Aside Prayer". I thought it sounded like a great prayer for where I was. I wrote it down and added it to my daily prayers. It goes like this ...

*"God please help me to set aside everything I think I know
About myself, the Twelve Steps, this book, the meetings, my disease and
You God, so I may have an open mind and a new experience with all
these things. Please help me to see the truth."*

A day came when I was on the phone with a friend of mine. I had started to debate with him about something (I don't remember what), and something extremely stupid left my mouth. I had heard a lead say that *'the Power of God alone wasn't enough to keep him sober'*; he needed the power of alcohol to push him toward God. What I said was *"The Power of God isn't enough to keep me sober."* There was dead silence on the other end of the phone. Finally, he said "God can't do What?!!" Then he laid into me. He told me everything was in my head. If I could just make the trip from head to heart some amazing things could happen. It was my father telling me about all the potential I had when I was younger. I used to take pride in that, until an AA told me that just means you haven't done anything yet. What an ego-deflator that was. I realized I couldn't fix the problem with the problem. I couldn't think my way out of it. The prayer had come true. I had to set aside everything ... not discard, just set aside. I needed experience, not knowledge. I started to share this prayer with my friends and one of them said she knew the prayer. She said that some folks in the Cuyahoga Valley put on a weekend twice a year and they use it. She found a registration for me, and I attended the retreat. I looked at it like God was putting people in my path that had personal experience with this prayer, rather than just some voices coming out of my truck speakers. It was AWESOME! These people showed me so much. I got to participate in a Step workshop, where you go through the Steps in a group setting. There is a Power that is present when people gather to seek spiritual growth, and God certainly showed up there. To see people that are open to being challenged to dig deeper, reach new levels of understanding about themselves is a privilege. It showed me that vulnerability is not a bad thing, in fact it is vital to the formation of true relationships. I cannot hide behind my pride and my intellect. I need to let you in. I need to share the real me because I'm really not that different from you. By sharing our flaws, our mistakes, our triumphs with those around us, we find out we are not alone. That we can stay sober through good times and tough times. That the brotherhood of man is real and that we are all worth loving. As a result, my spirit blossomed. I felt alive again. Life had a purpose once more. I am grateful that God "doesn't make too hard terms with those that seek Him". Going back to school, not for knowledge, but for experience, made all the difference in the world.

Whoever told me to leave my car at the pub and take the bus home... well, it turns out I was in no shape to drive it either!



A horse walks into a bar and orders a pint. The barkeep says, "You're in here pretty often. Do you think you might be an alcoholic?"

The horse replies, "I don't think I am," and vanishes from existence.

See, the joke is about Descartes' famous philosophy of 'I think; therefore, I am', but to explain that part before the rest of the joke would be putting Descartes before the horse.

Why I was fired...

Well, For the company picnic, management decided that, due to liability issues, we could have alcohol, but only one drink per person.

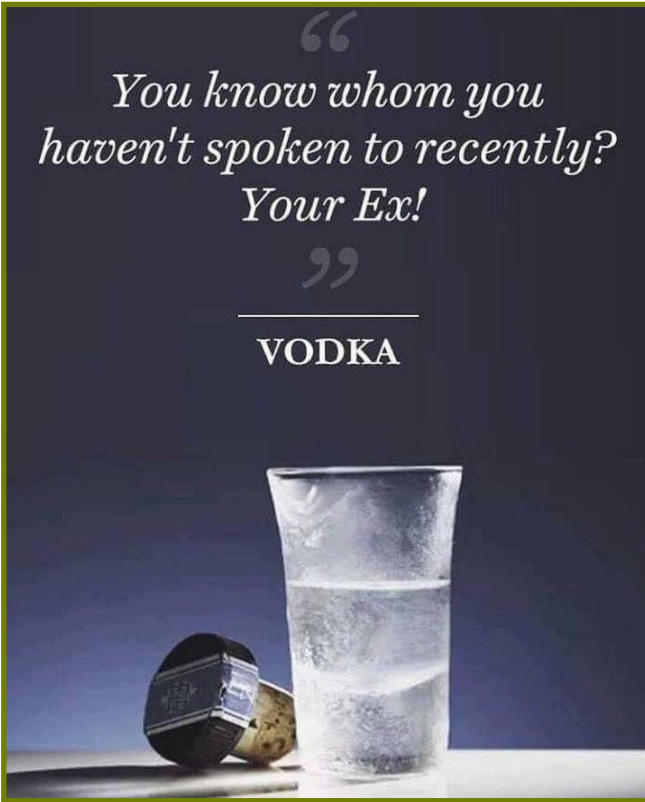
I was fired for ordering the cups.



If alcohol could talk...

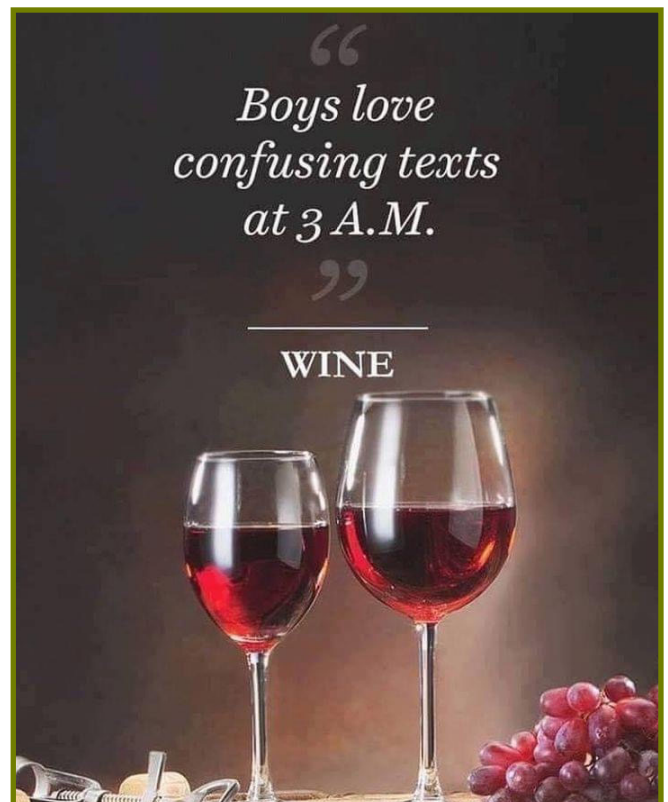
“
*You know whom you
haven't spoken to recently?
Your Ex!*
”

VODKA



“
*Boys love
confusing texts
at 3 A.M.*
”

WINE



Word of advice: never buy
a dog when you're drunk.



Announcing: a new book from AAWS on sale November 1, 2024

PLAIN LANGUAGE BIG BOOK

A Tool for Reading
Alcoholics Anonymous

This is A.A. General Service Conference-approved literature

The *Plain Language Big Book* is a tool to help readers understand the book *Alcoholics Anonymous*, which was first published in 1939. This new book is designed so that the A.A. Twelve Step program of recovery from alcoholism may be easily understood and accessible by all people who have a desire to stop drinking.

Members of A.A. fondly call the original book *Alcoholics Anonymous* “the Big Book.” It is the basic text of the A.A. program. The *Plain Language Big Book* has been written to present the original ideas and same spiritual message of the Big Book, *Alcoholics Anonymous*.

This new text is not intended to replace the much beloved Big Book. Rather, the *Plain Language Big Book* is a book crafted over several years by A.A. members and publishing professionals to support alcoholics on the path to recovery. The book is intended to help people who have a problem with alcohol gain access to A.A.’s lifesaving message.

For years, A.A. members have expressed a need for a *Plain Language Big Book*. Based on the shared experience of A.A. members, some people may not have regular contact with other A.A. members to help them understand the A.A. program of recovery and the specific vocabulary as it is used throughout the original book *Alcoholics Anonymous*. Other people have a hard time reading, especially books that were written long ago. This *Plain Language Big Book* is written in simpler language to support readers in their recovery.

This book is published in accordance with Advisory Actions passed by substantial unanimity of the General Service Conference (GSC) of Alcoholics Anonymous. In 2021, the 71st GSC advised that this book be developed. Progress reports, then sample chapters were reviewed at the 72nd and 73rd GSCs. The final draft of the *Plain Language Big Book* was reviewed and approved by substantial unanimity at the 74th GSC, in April 2024. This process and outcome adopts this text as Conference Approved Literature.

The *Plain Language Big Book* covers the core content of what is the “abridged version” (the edition without personal stories) of the original Big Book.

Readers are also encouraged to seek out the current edition of the book *Alcoholics Anonymous* and meet with A.A. members to support their own individual paths of recovery from alcoholism.

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PLAIN LANGUAGE BIG BOOK: A Tool for Reading *Alcoholics Anonymous*

- **Publication (on-sale) date: November 1, 2024**
- **List Price \$11.**
- **Item B-90**
- **192 pages; 8 ½' x 11"**
- **Softcover format with flaps**

Fall Back to Basics

Back To Basics

The Alcoholics Anonymous
Beginners' Meetings

"Here are the steps we took . . ."
in Four One-Hour
Sessions



Wally P.

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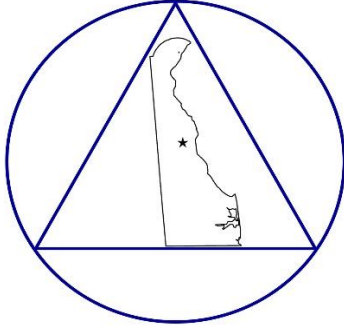
Saturday Mornings in October

@ 10:00 AM

5, 12, 19, 26

368 Main Street Laurel MD 20707

LaurelRecovery.Org



14th Annual
Blue Hen Roundup
Hosted By Central Delaware Intergroup

Date: Saturday, October 5, 2024 (*Lunch Included*)
Location: St. Andrew's Lutheran Church - Great Hall
425 North DuPont Hwy Dover, DE

Schedule

- 8:00 am Registration, coffee, donuts, fellowship
- 9:00 am AI-Anon Speaker: Jannette S. Poughkeepsie, NY
- 10:00 am AA Speaker: Nelson S. Poughkeepsie, NY
- 11:30 am Break
- Noon Invocation - Lunch and music
- 2:00 pm AA Speaker: Rocco P. Youngstown, OH
- 3:30 pm Break
- 4:00 pm Sobriety Countdown AA and AI-Anon
- 4:30 pm Ticket Drawing for Gifts

Blue Hen Roundup Conference Registration for Saturday, October 5, 2024
Cost: \$25.00

Send payment via Zelle! to cdiaacs@gmail.com
Provide name(s) of guest(s) and your name, telephone number, and email address in the "memo" box,
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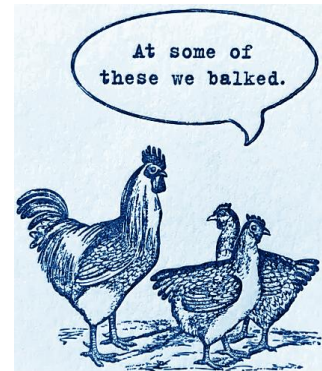
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Address: _____ Phone: _____

City _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

\$25.00 per person. Mail registration form and check or money order payable to:
Central Delaware Intergroup
PO Box 853
Dover, DE 19901

Please include your phone number on your check or money order.
For additional info/special requests, please email us at support@cdiaa-de.org
Please remember that all children require adult supervision.





Happy Destiny Retreat
Presents The 17th Annual

Fall Bonfire and Potluck

Saturday, October 19, 2024

If Weather is Bad Check Website to
Confirm Event is Still Happening

**Suggested Donation is
\$10 per Adult**

- Live Music
- Cake Walk
- 50/50 Raffle
- Fun for the Whole Family
- Coffee, Tea, and Water Provided

**4:00 pm - Dinner, Music,
Fellowship & Festivities**

7:00 pm - AA Meeting

For More Info or Service Opportunities:
Email: happydestinyretreat@gmail.org
Call or Text: Rachel 240-728-9874
Website: happydestinyretreat.org

WHAT TO BRING

- A Potluck Dish to Share
- Chair/Blanket/Flashlight
- Warm Clothes/Jacket for
After Dark
- A Newcomer
- Pre-carved pumpkin for
competition

NO PETS PERMITTED

Located at:

6501 Griffith Road
Gaithersburg, MD 20882



26TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S WEEKEND

October 18-20, 2024

Camp Wabanna- 101 Likes Road, Edgewater, MD 21037

Women+ share a weekend of fellowship, 12 step study with speaker Sandy B, and a sense of belonging.

The cost for the weekend is:

\$190 for Lodge accommodations

\$170 for the Farmhouse

\$150 for Dorm accommodations

Please keep in mind that the facility is not handicap accessible and the Farmhouse and Dorms have bunkbeds.

Deposit of \$50 due at time of registration to reserve your spot. Lodge spaces are first come first serve.

All meals, excluding Friday, are included in the cost for the weekend (vegetarian options available).

Balances are due in full by September 15th.

Register by scanning the Registration QR code below.

T-shirts are available for purchase and will be handed out upon check-in at Camp Wabanna.

You can purchase t-shirts with the T-Shirt Order QR code below.

Scholarships are available. Please contact Sarah K. or Chrissy M. for information.

Venmo, Cash and Checks are accepted. Please make checks payable to Women's Weekend.

T-Shirt Order



[Click here to order shirt](#)



Rachel K- 608.295.2279



@stephanie-devlin-gill



Lindsay A - 202.459.7364

Registration



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Chrissy M-240.751.2943
Sarah K- 316.841.4545



CAMPING !!!



2024 MONTHLY

April 12-14 (MD)
Milburn Landing SP

August 16-18. (MD)
Tuckahoe SP

May 10-12 (PA)
Caledonia SP

September 20-22 (MD)
Greenbriar SP

June 21-23 (VA)
Westmoreland SP

October 18-20 (MD)
Shad Landing SP

July 26-28. (MD)
Susquehanna SP

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Spanish, Portuguese
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W A I A P R E S E N T S

46TH ANNUAL

OLD TIMER'S MEETING

TO BENEFIT HOSPITALS AND
INSTITUTIONS COMMITTEE

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 8 2024

DOORS OPEN AT 7 PM

MEETING STARTS AT 8 PM

NORTH CHEVY CHASE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

8814 KENSINGTON PKWY

CHEVY CHASE, MD 20815

**ZOOM ID & PASSCODE:
CHECK WAIA EVENT PAGE
FOR UPDATE**

**CALL ERYN C
FOR SERVICE
301-651-4942**

FREE ENTRY

The 40th Annual Terrapin Thanksgiving Gratitude Meeting & Breakfast is on for **Thursday, 11/28** in the usual Kensington location, with the babysitting room available. Address:

Christ Church Kensington
4001 Franklin St
Kensington, MD 20895
(Entrance on Everett St)

Schedule:

7:45am Set-up

8:30am Food drop-off

9:00am Breakfast

10:30am Meeting

11:45am Clean-up

Questions? Want to help with service? Please text Maura at 301-580-6454.

SOUTHERN MARYLAND'S 14TH ANNUAL ROUNDUP

with Al-Anon Participation



WE ARE NOT SAINTS

March 14-16, 2025

DoubleTree by Hilton Annapolis, Maryland

Registration Opens
August 15, 2024

To register and for lodging information, visit
www.southernmarylandroundup.org
Email Questions to
info@southernmarylandroundup.org



SCHEDULE

Peter M.	Ft. Lauderdale, FL	Friday Night Steps 1, 2 & 3; Sunday Morning Step 12
Don L.	Bellingham, WA	Saturday Morning Steps 4 & 5; Saturday Afternoon Steps 8 & 9
Jennifer H-K.	Plano, TX	Saturday Afternoon Steps 6 & 7; Sunday Morning Steps 10 & 11
Tina A.	Hollister, CA	Saturday Night AA Keynote Speaker
Larcine G.	Hawthorne, CA	Saturday Afternoon Al-Anon Keynote Speaker

“THE POINT IS, THAT WE ARE WILLING TO GROW ALONG SPIRITUAL LINES.”

~ BB, pg. 60

Area 13 WAGSA Area Committee Meeting

Monday, October 14, 2024

6:00 PM —9:00 PM

6:00 PM—New GSR/DCM orientation

7:00 PM—Area Committee Meeting

n Person Only

5656a 3rd St NE, Washington, DC 20011

For more info: area13aa.org or email: chair@area13aa.org

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.

WAIA Monthly Board Meeting

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8000 8AM Men's Big Book	500 Georgetown Group	300 Olney New Times
1049 9:30 Club Online	121 Glen Echo Group	952 Olney Stag Rap
180 180 Degree Club	200 Goldsboro Group	5 On the Hill
120 14 Promises	220 Good News Beginners	200 Open Arms
1490 AA @ CUA	1356 Greenbelt Step Club	50 Out of the Woods
66 Anacostia Group	153 Growing Group	127 Out to Lunch Group
766 Andrew Armed Forces	878 Grupo Virtual Wasingtoniano	606 P Street
225 Any Lengths	904 Haven At Last	42 Pit Stop
169 As Bill Sees It NW	207 Heliotrope Men's Stag	300 Potomac High Noon
179 Aspen Hill 5th Chapter	120 High Sobriety	295 Potomac Oaks
165 Aspen Hill Phoenix Fri	234 How It Works, G'town	576 Progress Not Perfection
187 Attitude & Action	44 Hyattsville Hope Live	74 Prospect Group
604 Back to Basics	124 Hyattsville Hope Online	191 Quince Orchard
60 Beginners R Winners-Live	444 Informed Group	690 Radicals
400 Bethesda Youth	2000 Into Action Group	500 Rarely Have Seen P'r Fail
10 Brightwood	101 Kensington Big Book	120 Read & Speak
660 Broad Highway	172 Kid Friendly TP Women	600 Room With A View
1547 Burtonsville Big Book	100 Last Stop Group	245 Rosedale Sobriety
550 B.Y.O.L.	53 Lawyers Group	29 Sat. Afternoon UP
800 BYOL Non-Smokers	25 Let Go Let God	240 Saturday Morn Steps
1804 Capitol Hill Group	190 Leisure World Noon	120 Sat. Night Happy Hour
380 Cedar Lane Women	63 Lit Hoppers	100 Serenity Group
120 Chinatown Big Book	264 Lit Womxn	184 Serenity House
113 Chinatown Men's	50 Make It Happen	210 Serious Business
100 Cigar Smokers	245 Men's Adhoc Group	264 Shepherders
125 Clinton 6:30	1000 Men of Dupont	397 Sil Spring Beginners BB
30 Clinton Day	217 Men in Recovery	1400 Silver spring Group
80 Coffee & Donuts	256 Merry Miracles	90 Simply Sober
300 College Park Group	660 Messengers	100 Singleness of Purpose
100 Colesville Sun Night	94 Mideast	714 Six & Seven Step Live
1935 Cosmopolitan Group	1458 Midtown	432 Six & Seven Step Online
37 Daily Reflection SW	30 Monday Winners Online	390 Sober Living Group
75 Daily Reflection-UP	100 Montgomery Cty Women	312 St. Barnabas Women
1734 Darnestown Men's	720 Montrose Gay	1480 St. Francis Group
320 Darnestown Men's Online	732 More Peace of Mind	1386 Sun Morn Breakfast Club
375 DCC 9:30 Club	400 Moving Into Solution	321 Sun. Morn Break'f Outdoors
225 DC Men's Adhoc	84 Mt. Rainier Group	200 Sunday Morn Joy
489 DCC Noon Group	269 Nativity	56 Sunrise Sobriety
238 Deanwood Step Group	90 Never Walk Alone	700 Sunrise Zoom
85 Deanwood Women Rap	84 New Beginners SW	1414 Sunshine Group G'burg
250 District 2	100 New Unity Gay	540 Takoma Pk Necessity
360 Downtown Sil Spring	360 N.E. Sunrise	195 Terrapin Thanksgiving B'fast
52 Double Recovery	453 Norbeck Women Fri	131 T.G.I.F.
104 Dunrobbin Group	200 Norbeck Women-Wedn	166 Tenely-Keep Coming Back
20 Easy Does It	125 N.W. Metro	610 Thursday Night Men's BS
1200 Epiphanies	435 Oasis Women Big Book	15 The Way Group
5 Ex-Libris	20 Old Fashion Group	251 Triangle Club
500 Foggy Bottom Group	68 On Awakening	350 Twelve Point Bucks
325 Free Spirits	1800 Olney Farm Group	

286 Uptown Group
400 Victory Lights
159 Village Idiots
28 Virtually Sober
543 We Are All Beginners
300 We Care
25 West Side Beginners
190 Wenes. Night Winners
543 Westmoreland Women
453 Westside Women
448 Westside Club
407 What's Happening Now
125 Women's AA Meeting
215 Women's Grapevine
84 Women's Happier Hour
240 Women Living Sober
1200 Yacht Club

292 Birthday
1096 Faithful Fivers
24144 Individuals
100 Memorial

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newreporter@aa-dc.org



Day

October 24

Mark B.

Progress Not Perfection

15 years

THINGS WE CANNOT CHANGE

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