

Literature Report



Assembly June 7-9, 2019

Cheerleader



This session I'm a team player, a cheerleader. There has been lots of new stuff in my Literature corner for the first year. This year the excitement comes from helping other Coordinators with their stuff. Our Literature plays a role in almost every corner of Al-Anon.



What did you read in CAL today?

Just for Tonight Bookmark (M-81)

Our new bookmark is available as of April 2019 as M-81, it is \$0.10 / each Whoop Whoop! I'm very excited about this one! Great for outreach, it may become my new favorite!

This bookmark was conceived as a Forum article in the August 2016 Edition.

JUST FOR TONIGHT

Just her treeight, I will be granted, I will give there's for the part day—its factors or well as its tractories, its hadrens or well as its joy and its pair as well as its pleasure. I will take confort or knowing flot every event and circumstance that occurred lodge can be used for my good and the good of others.

Just for treight, I will along that I have done the best trouds, remembering that my goal is sportual progress and her perfection. I will let go if any expectation I had for the they, as well as any disappromised, shame or got I that he not being perfect techni-

Just for tanight, I will be hundle. I will give my sharponings to a Power greater from injust. Surface that doing so can bring about changes in me that I sould not bring about to moved.

And the transplat, I will not arturned to rectify today's evidence or solve tenomous's problems. I will symbol deposit that I am better active to recome gustaince when my niest and body are rested and refreshold.

Just fact height, I will set solds my have, hustrations and agriculture and take a him counter to review the abandance that askets in my life today. I will pleas my fates in the care of a leving God of my over entirethicking, trusting my reads will be met at a time and in a way that is best for all concerned.



New Daily Reader

Our new daily reader is still being written. Please consider writing your experience of using a specific Step, Tradition or Concept in a sharing for this new dynamic publication.

Quoting our WSO counterpart, Tom C.: "Sharings that exemplify the wide variety of relationships and backgrounds of Al-Anon members are also particularly welcome." Here is a link to a guideline for this writing:

https://al-anori.org/for-members/members-resources/literature/literature-resources/send-your-sharing/

Spanish & French

Our newest book, Intimacy in Alcoholic Relationships, (B-33) has been translated and is now available in English, Spanish and French.

Our Service Manual (P-24/27) is well underway with its translation but we do not yet have a date for its release. We will keep you updated.



Alateen Talk



This amazing publication is intended to reach our teens. It's been redesigned and a whole year's subscription is only \$2.50!

You can even buy an annual subscription of 10 copies of each quarterly mailing for only \$7.50! Certainly, a great idea if you work with any teens.

I recommend you ask your group to subscribe and send home the Alateen Talk to group members with children. Get yours here:

https://al-anon.org/pdf/AlateenTalk_orderform.pdf

The Forum

We need your journey sharings for the Forum. We had a writing workshop in the Barron room at lunchtime. You still may participate at home, in your home group, or even a small group of 2. You may use the same power point presentation found on the Literature page of our Area website:

https://www.afgarea9.org/literature-coordinator.html

"What's your Story?"

It's now very easy to submit your sharing on line at the WSO website: https://al-anon.org/for-members/members-resources/literature-literature-resources/send-your-sharing/

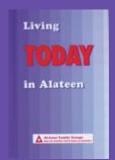
CAL Corner

Thanks for all the support in assisting the Forum in representing our many pieces of literature. By asking for sharings from one or two at a time, it allows us to put a spotlight on them to show just how much they have helped us.

Next Up

- Intimacy in Alcoholic Relationships (B-33)
- Hope and Understanding for Parents & Grandparents (P-94)
- In All Our Affairs (B-15)
- Living Today in Alateen (B-26)
- As We Understood (B-11)



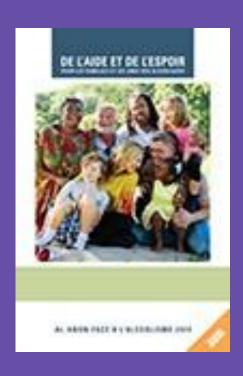








Al-Anon Faces Alcoholism



GREAT BIG NEWS!

YOU MAY NOW PURCHASE AFA's

ALL YEAR LONG!

As always from our WSO website or from your District literature chairperson.

This makes our outreach downright reachable!

Updated Fact Sheet

OUR LITERATURE ROCKS!

This is another great outreach item already prepared for our use. This handy fact sheet for professionals (S-37) is perfect size for mailing. They are bilingual with English and Spanish or French at .15 cents each.

F A C T S H E E T FOR PROFESSIONALS

Information about Al-Anon & Alateen

Al-Anox Femily Occups in a community resource that provides support to anyone affected by a relative or friend's drinking. Currently, there are over 24,000 Al-Anox groups and nearly 1,500 Mattern groups meeting in 118 countries.

Al-Amon

- Has only one requirement for membership—that each member has been affected by someone else's drinking.
- Is a metual support group for those affected by a loved one's addiction to alcohol. Members meet to share their experiences and apply the Ai-Anon program to their lives. Spouses, partners, adult children of alcoholics, parents, and coworkers can all find help in Ai-Anon.
- Is a separate organization from Alcoholics Anonymous (A.A.).
 Al-Anon is, however, based on Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions that have been adapted from A.A.
- Is nonprofessional, self-supporting, spiritually based, and apolitical. It welcomes all cultures and is available almost anywhere.

Alatoon

- Is part of Al-Anon Family Groups and is designed for the teenagers who are affected by a relative or friend's misuse of or addiction to alcohol.
- Members conduct their own meetings with the guidance of adult Al-Anon members who are certified by their state or province to act as Alatsen Group Sponsors.
- Follows the same principles, Twelve Steps, and Twelve Traditions as Al-Anon.

DISCONTINUED ITEMS

Al-Anon Family Groups
Welcomes Gays and Lesbians.
S-70

If Your Parents Drink Too Much, P-22

Please hold the Alateen Newcomer Packets, K-18 as well, they are not currently available from WSO.



Wrap - Up

So I've mentioned, the new bookmark: Just for Tonight, M-81

Our availability of B-33 in Spanish & French





Our Alateen Talk subscriptions

What's most needed for the Forum Cal Corner & Your story

The Updated Fact Sheet for Professionals, S-37

The constant availability of AFA's

Discontinued P-22 & S-70 (Please pull from your inventory.)