

Literature Coordinator AWSC Area 9 August 18, 2018

New Releases:

P-94 Hope & Understanding for Parents & Grandparents

B-33 Intimacy in Alcoholic Relationships

B-6-50 50th Anniversary edition of One Day at a Time in Al-Anon.

Book Report:

I'm completely enjoying the newest book, *Intimacy in Alcoholic Relationships* (B-33) It is full of many member's sharings on different aspects of intimacy. Many shared a lack of real intimacy as a child leading them to have little or no understanding of it in their adult lives. Another common theme is that of learning real intimacy through a new found relationship with their sponsor. Each Chapter ends with a list of questions designed to help you understand your own feelings and behaviors of Intimacy.

Most of all I'm grateful for a deeper understanding of what intimacy is to me and how it can grow in many areas of my life. It already has and I have a desire to welcome even more of it.

I hope you enjoy your newest piece of C.A.L. (Conference Approved Literature) Please consider writing your thoughts and submitting it for our new Daily Reader still being written.

Contest:

For this contest all the work comes after you win! I'm offering to each District the chance to win the newest piece of C.A.L. (Conference Approved Literature).

INTIMACY IN ALCOHOLIC RELATIONSHIPS

The winning District takes the book back, raffles it off in your District and brings from the local winner a book report about the newly won literature. This we will share at the next Assembly. Nothing fancy is required, anyone can write down what they think of this new book.



Invite us for a writing workshop! Elsa and I are available and willing, I don't mind driving, the last one was a blast! We need an invitation to visit your district. Let's have a Writing Adventure!

Daily Reader in the works:

2014 World conference gave us conceptual permission to write "a new daily reader that reflects the diversity of the Al-Anon fellowship."

Sharings Are Still Needed!

On our 3 legacies the Steps, Traditions and Concepts, and also

Sharings that exemplify the wide variety of relationships and backgrounds of Al-Anon members.

We are not only the wives of AA members anymore. We are the children of, the employees of, the husbands of, the friends and siblings of people who drink often problematically. Please allow your voice to be heard and identified with.