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## The 10th Step

“Continued to take personal inventory  
and when we were wrong  
promptly admitted it”

*How has the 10th Step  
changed your life?*

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**The COIN Team**  
**Editor Toni F.**

### **Upcoming COIN Deadline**

November 2018 Issue: October 17<sup>th</sup>

Topics: Step Eleven, Tradition Eleven, Eleventh Step Principle (Spiritual Awareness)

Please email all submissions to [coin@aasanjose.org](mailto:coin@aasanjose.org).

## AA and the Redemptive Power of Love

At 44 years old, I was a broken man. Alcohol and my own destructive behavior had left me and many around me nothing but wreckage and hopelessness. I could not stop drinking and to continue could only lead to complete madness and death. In October of 1984, I attended my first meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous. This began a process which gave me back my life...a life worth living. A major aspect of this has been Love and Redemption.

AA fosters this in many ways. First is the 12 Step Program of Recovery. This is the foundation upon which all else follows. It is a very specific set of simple suggestions. These, when followed, open the path to sobriety, forgiveness and personal redemption. Many experience serenity for the first time in their lives. Millions of suffering alcoholics have followed this path.

Second is the fellowship itself. Thousands of local AA groups hold meetings every week in almost every corner of the world. There, members gather to share their stories, and introduce newcomers to the program of Alcoholics Anonymous. Close personal friendships, some lasting the remainder of our lives, are formed in the groups. A very real community is formed. Love creates redemption. We are genuinely friendly, and a community is created where members consciously work to promote the well-being of others. We also work to

recognize and alleviate the personal suffering of our fellows. There is something more. We learn to practice these principles in all our affairs...not just in AA, but in our relationships with the world outside AA.

Finally there is the world-wide fellowship. When we travel we are confident that there are AA members almost everywhere. They welcome us and introduce us to their communities. They help us to feel comfortable there. Love has blossomed out of our common distress and formed a great universal bond. Redeemed, we have been shown "the language of the heart". This is the real fellowship. No surprise that we are suffused with gratitude.

Our commitment continues: "I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of A.A. always to be there. And for that: I am responsible."

Bob (80 years old, Sunnyvale, CA)



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## The Tenth Step and its Promises

There are many different ways to work the steps. Assuming we get a sponsor, go to meetings, don't drink and get into service we are well on our way to a better life. But, 'on our way' is a long way away from becoming 'happy, joyous and free'. Having worked with people over the course of two decades, as well as experiencing my own journey, some things have become clear. I've seen many newcomers get sober, get involved, get stuck, then get drunk. For those of us whose drinking became a nightmare, the idea of going back to that life is scary. Hopefully, it scares me into action. There is even a chapter in our Big Book with that name (wink, wink), focused on steps 5 through 11.

When I was new, I got a sponsor and began working the steps. Each step helped me to feel more like a part of AA and this fellowship. Although I did my best, I'm sure that I did not work the steps as well as I could have, and know I'm not alone. What is the solution? I hear some people talk about working the steps multiple times. Some say they work them annually. But, did Bill, Dr. Bob and the other founding AA's really mean we should keep working the steps over again ourselves? I've heard other people ask rhetorically, "Where in the Big Book does it say 'lather, rinse, & repeat'?"

My sponsor tells me that it's dangerous to convey to newcomers that we do the steps 'over and over again' for one primary reason. When people share about working the steps again for the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th time, the message sent to newcomers is that they don't have to be "...fearless and thorough from the very start". The message new-

comers receive is that they don't need to share everything in their 5th step with their sponsor. People often talk about how critical a thorough 4 & 5 is to long term sobriety. I know I left one thing off of my 5th step. However, God had a way of making sure I quickly shared that with my sponsor. What a blessing! Yes, throughout our journey there is more to be revealed, but doesn't that come through steps 10, 11 & 12?

Of course, there is always the need for formal inventories; digging deeper into our character defects and motivation. I'm not suggesting regular inventories aren't appropriate, but they aren't 'working the steps again'.

I'm so glad when I was new that I didn't hear working the steps multiple times was an option. If I had, I doubt I would have come clean. I'm sure I would have convinced myself that I would share it with my sponsor 'the next time I go through the steps.' The information I didn't want to share was exactly the type of thing we alcoholics drink over. As people say, you are only as sick as your secrets. Steps 1 through 9 are what we need to do to become comfortable not drinking and get right with the rest of the world. Steps 10, 11 and 12 are what we need to do to continue to grow, on a daily basis. These are what are often called 'the maintenance steps'. Whatever you want to call them, I believe that our founding members were really clear that in steps 10, 11 and 12, we recovering alcoholics will find what we need to stay comfortably sober.

In step 10, the first half, "Continued to take personal inventory..." is a

combined 4th and 5th step. We take our own inventory at the end of the day, noting what we could have done better. Then step 10, second half, "... and when we were wrong promptly admitted it." is a combined 8th and 9th step. We need to own up to the things we did wrong. If we've treated someone poorly or have injured them, we must repair those things which can be repaired. Of course, 'promptly' means that we do it as soon as we realize we've harmed someone. I sometimes hear people talk about the '10th step challenge' – great encouragement to focus on this vitally important step!

Assuming that we have thoroughly done our 5th step, the 10th step becomes a working part of our sober life. The Big Book also states that we need to do this step daily, and for the rest of our lives. "...grow in understanding and effectiveness...not an overnight matter. It should continue for our lifetime." Then, step 11 incorporates both steps 2 and 3 "...improve our conscious contact with God..." along with steps 6 and 7, seeking humility and praying for "... knowledge of His will for us..."

Of course, we have our 12th step which encourages us to get involved in service to others and to carry the message to those who are still suffering. I know that each time I take a newcomer through the steps, my understanding of all 12 steps improves. I also believe that I've dug a little deeper into my past, my behaviors and the things which motivate me each and every time I guide another through these steps. That is part of the beauty of 'working with others'. Some think of step 12 as just sponsorship, but in reality it encompasses so much more. I have yet to find in the Big Book or the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions any reference to doing the steps more than once. The secret is ten, eleven and twelve on a daily basis!

'The promises' is a common topic in meetings, though some newcomers think only of the 9th step promises. Many are offered throughout the steps and the Big Book (3rd, 5th, 9th & 10th). My favorites are the 10th step Promises. They can be found beginning at the bottom of page 84... Enjoy!

Anonymous

## LOCAL EVENTS

October 5	77th Anniversary Celebration - Palo Alto Group Doors Open 7pm Meeting @ 7:30pm
October 5-7	Livin' the Dream, South Lake Tahoe, <a href="http://www.laketahoeallfestival.net">www.laketahoeallfestival.net</a>
October 5-7	NCCAA 71st Fall Conference, Fresno, Pre-register <a href="http://www.norcalaa.org">http://www.norcalaa.org</a>
October 6	Sponsor Brunch, 11am - 2pm, Lincoln Glen Church, 2700 Booksin Ave., SJ
October 21	Sober & Free Silent Auction, 2pm, 1625 Patio Dr., SJ
October 27	Early Bird Group Presents—Stayin Alive #11, 6pm to 11 pm, Calvary United Church
November 11	Sponsorship a How to Discussion, 1pm, Los Gatos Rec Ctr., 208 E. Main St., Los Gatos

## The Wreckage of the Past Desperation Outweighed the Denial

Coming from a life that was anything but normal to the life I live today was difficult to imagine at the point when I became desperate enough to consider the possibility that could salvage what time I had left on this planet. The life I led before I entered the A.A. program was like a ball in a pinball machine bouncing from one issue to another and trying to survive the endless pursuit of success but always ending in defeat and going down the drain only to wake up the next morning and starting the same game all over again.

They say that insanity is doing the same thing over and over expecting a different result. Running from the realities of life was easy with the help of John Barleycorn. It gave me that brief feeling of peace that I got about half way through my second drink, which quickly lead to "oblivion and the awful awakening to face The hideous Four Horsemen-- Terror, Bewilderment, Frustration and Despair" (B.B. Ch. 11). Not understanding how the obsession to drink, and the relief that it gave me, had ruled out any kind of inquiry into the idea of quitting drinking until desperation outweighed the denial and I sought out Alcoholics Anonymous.

As I look back on my journey through the A.A. program, and all of the mental relearning that has been involved, I can only say that if I could relive it all over again, the only thing I would change is the doubts I had at every level of development. Arriving with a skeptical mind, I had a slow but determined attitude from the very start. I think that it has served me well, but in hind sight, it was the unlearning of the ego driven habits that had been the source of all of my misguided mentality and a failed, selfish way of life. If, however, I hadn't

experienced it in the way it evolved for me, I would not be capable of passing it on to the next person that enters this process with all of the doubts that seem to be so common to the recovery process.

The one thing that I can say for sure is that knowing what I know today, and what I have experienced up to this point, if I had the opportunity to do it all over again, the only thing I would change, would be, the speed at which I let go of all of my selfish, fearful and skeptical way of accepting the simplicity of the of the program and I would cut to the chase. In a nut shell I might explain it like this:

- Be accountable by doing the best I can to clean up the wreckage of the past and making restitution,
- Adopt and apply unselfish principles and motives in all of the decision making process and,
- Accept every human being I know, exactly as they are with love and compassion.

This understanding of life has evolved for me over the past forty eight years in the A.A. program and has provided a peace of mind that is well above anything that I could have contemplated. Without peace of mind there can be little happiness. Today, there is very little conflict in my life. The only discomfort I feel is when I am in a situation that I cannot remove myself from. That is rare and completely resolved as the time comes when I can detach myself without being judgmental and critical as I move on. That pinball machine is quiet, as is my heart, and the principles I live by today make it so. Who could ask for more?

Rick R.

*Do you enjoy reading The COIN?*

*Consider writing for us...*

The pages of *The COIN* don't fill themselves.

Lately, we're finding it a challenge to fill the pages, and we'd love to hear more about the experience, strength, and hope of our local membership.

We appreciate articles with divergent viewpoints and ask that they be kept to more more than 500 words. It is, of course, editorial policy.

*Email your contribution to [coin@aasanjose.org](mailto:coin@aasanjose.org) today!*

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### Birthday Contribution

**CELEBRANT:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Sobriety Date \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of contribution: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**CONTRIBUTOR:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

We would like to print this information in the **COIN**, unless you indicate otherwise below:

Print celebrant name?      Yes      No

Print contributor name?      Yes      No

**We truly appreciate this contribution and celebrating this milestone.**

**Thank you!**

October 2018

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	1	2 SOUTH COUNTY GENERAL SERVICE WORKSHOP: 7pm, 1st Congregational Church, 1980 Hamilton Ave., SJ	3 OUTREACH MEETING: 6:45pm INTERGROUP MEETING: 7:30pm ELECTRONIC BASKET COMMITTEE 6:30 P.M. Trinity Church, 3151 Union Ave., SJ	4	5	6 SECRETARY'S WORKSHOP: 10am, Central Office, 274 E. Hamilton Ave., Suite D, Campbell
7 PI/CPC WORKSHOP: 5:30pm, PI/CPC MEETING: 6pm, Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1224 N. Winchester Blvd. at Tulip, SC	8	9	10 NORTH COUNTY GENERAL SERVICE MTG: 7:30pm Trinity United Methodist Church 583 E. Fremont Ave., Sunnyvale	11	12	13 SCOPAA BUSI MTG: 12-1pm, Calvary Church, Brick House, Los Gatos
14	15 BRIDGING THE GAP MTG: 7pm, 1st Congregational Church, 1980 Hamilton Ave. at Leigh, SJ	16 SOUTH COUNTY GENERAL SERVICE MEETING: 7pm, 1st Congregational Church, 1980 Hamilton Ave., SJ	17	18	19	20 DIVERIER/12 <sup>TH</sup> STEPPERS WORKSHOP: 10am, Central Office, 274 E. Hamilton Ave., Suite D., Campbell
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## August 2018 Statistics

Daytime Phone Calls to Central Office....169

Daytime 12-Step Calls.....3

(Evening 12-Step call information is not available.)

The Central Office website  
receives an average of  
15,000 hits each month!

**I AM RESPONSIBLE...  
WHEN ANYONE, ANYWHERE,  
REACHES OUT FOR HELP,  
I WANT THE HAND OF AA  
ALWAYS TO BE THERE.  
AND FOR THAT:  
I AM RESPONSIBLE.**

To all the members and groups who support us,  
WE THANK YOU!

## MEETING CHANGES

### New Meetings

**Reflection and Meditation:** Tue, 12:30 pm, St. Lukes 20 University Ave., Los Gatos

### Changed Meetings

**12x12 Women's Discussion:** Wed., 7pm, Leverton Masonic Center 380 W. Dunne, Morgan Hill  
Use to be in Gilroy at the Foothill Church at 10:30am

### **Please be responsible:**

**If there are any changes to your meeting, location, format, or your meeting is discontinued, please contact Central Office ASAP and update your information. Don't send a newcomer to an empty room!**



## Birthday Contributions

Birthday Celebrant	Years	Contributions	Birthday
Jerry C.	38	Sheila T-C	Not Given
Sheila T-C	35	Sheila T-C.	Not Given
Kathy S.	31	Anonymous	9/05/1987
Stephen T.	26	Anonymous	9/9/1992
Marianne G.	32	Carol B., Marianne G.	09/21/1986
Eric L.	9	Eric L.	9/23/2009

### *190 Years of Sobriety!*

If you would like to participate or to honor a friend, please use the birthday forms at your meeting or at Central Office. Birthdays are listed in recognition of contributions made to Central Office on a member's behalf for a sobriety milestone, either by themselves or for a friend, and will be listed in this section unless requested otherwise.

## INTERGOUP MEETING MINUTES September 5, 2018

- Robby W. Intergroup Chairperson, opened the meeting at 7:30 pm followed by a moment of silence and the Serenity Prayer. The definition of Intergroup (T.J.) & Twelve Traditions (Richard) was read.
- New Intergroup Reps: (New IG Rep meeting tonight by Alt Chair Francis - Thanks!)
  - T.J. - Women on the Move, Wednesday, 6:00pm, San Jose
  - Susan- ABC Women's Group, Monday, 7:30pm, Los Altos
  - Rich - Men's Single Problem Study, Monday, 8:00pm, San Jose
- Visitors – Gavin
- Birthdays: Mary, 8/25, 3 years; Jaye, 8/31, 4 years; Julie, 8/8, 5 years; Susan, 8/16, 8 years; Jane, 8/8, 24 years; Bonnie, 8/9, 33 years
- Observation of 7th Tradition – \$110.32 tonight
- Corrections or Additions to the Agenda – (none)
- Tonight's Voting Member Count is 39

### Reports

#### **Intergroup Chair - Robby W.**

- Thank you to Larry and team for setting up our PA system. Tonight, I have added our Nominating Committee to the Agenda. The committee will be presenting us with their nominees for the service positions within Intergroup as well as the Central Service Board.
- If you are a Committee member presenting your report tonight, please line up 3 deep, and highlight your "Take Away".

#### **Central Service Board - Carol B.**

- The Board of Directors met August 23rd.
- The Treasurer's Report as of July 31, 2018 was as follows:
  - Group Contributions for July 2018 were \$22,781.17, up 113% compared to June 2018. Group contributions YTD were \$121,873.75, up 17% over last year. Overall this year we are doing well compared with 2017.
  - Total Ordinary Income YTD was \$169,822.42, up 9.9% over the same period last year.
  - Gross Profit YTD was \$145,077.44, up 13.5% over the same period last year.
  - Total Expenses YTD were \$119,028.77, up 3.8% over the same period last year.
  - Total Interest income YTD was \$395.99, up 150% over the same period last year.
  - Net Income YTD was \$26,738.36, up 61% over the same period last year.
- Our Prudent Reserve is fully funded (6 months operating expense) at \$98,753.76.
- The Board completed Bruce's performance review.
- The Board was brought up to date re our Diverter program and options for implementing a new service.

#### **Central Office – Bruce K.**

- First and foremost, you may have heard that we're having trouble getting our Diverter system back up and running, this time with AT & T since Comcast no longer supports the call forwarding feature we use, and AT & T does. It is our hope that AT & T will be out tomorrow morning and we can be back in business. Meanwhile, Louie and his intrepid volunteers have been taking extra-long shifts and the calls have been covered.

- We're receiving many kudos for the new office decor. There have also been some frowns, but we want you to come down and see for yourself.
- The Pacific Regional Forum is coming to town this weekend and this is something we strongly recommend. This is your chance to see "A.A. as a whole", how it operates throughout the United States and Canada, as well as the rest of the world. Meet G.S.O. staff, officers, Trustees of the General Service Board, Delegates, and others. Ask the questions you always wanted to ask. And, by the way, this is so important that Central Office will be closed on Saturday, so staff can attend.
- Did you know, Central Office now has the Big Book on CD in the Navajo language, as they have no written language.
- And Central Office fairs well.

### **Website - Josh R.**

- After over 4 years, Josh is moving. We would like to thank him for his service, help with the website - 170 groups use our app, and 93,000 people used ours in the last 30 days. We need a new web servant. WordPress skills are a plus!

### **Activities Committee - Carole**

- We had about 330 people show up to the Old Timer's Meeting. Took in over \$500, and \$74 profit. The biggest turnout was from Spiritual Progress. The CD from this event will be made soon.
- The Sponsor Brunch is coming up on October 6th, at Lincoln Glen Church in San Jose, from 11:00am-2:00pm. Tickets are on sale now at Central Office, and if you buy presale, you get early admission! There are many service opportunities, email aasanjose@comcast.net or call Central Office and leave a message for Carole R.

### **Twelfth Step - Alex S.**

- We are still looking for more volunteers. To make this service more accessible to members I offer my service to come and meet members to orientate them. I can be contacted by phone and time can be arranged. Six months of sobriety is required. Thank you and I hope we can get some new volunteers.

### **Day Time Office – Joe (no report)**

### **Nights and Weekends Diverter Coordinator – Louie**

- We have a new Wednesday Diverter Coordinator, Cathyann C. She has been working the Diverter for about 8 years, and like our other Daily Coordinator, Carol B. she has long term sobriety and is very service oriented. I would like to welcome her.
- We currently have only one shift available. It is an overnight shift from midnight to 6:00am the 4th Friday of each month. Keep in mind that while specific shifts come and go quickly, if you want to be a diverter and the specific day and/or time you like is not currently available, please take the Diverter Workshop anyway. Note your preferences on the Workshop Form and we will try to let you know when something matching is available.
- The Diverter Workshop will be held at its monthly scheduled time of the 3rd Saturday, which this month is September 15th, at 10:00am, at the Intergroup Central Office. No appointment needed, just show up. Sobriety requirement for the Diverter is 1 year and a working knowledge of the 12 Steps and 12 Traditions.
- Takeaway: Please encourage your groups to attend Service Workshops, regardless of their current service interests. It enhances their horizons and helps them understand all the

things that Intergroup does for A.A. and the alcoholic that is still suffering.

### **Secretary Workshop – Kathy R.**

- The Secretary Workshop is the first Saturday of the month at 10am at Central Office. The purpose of the Workshop is to discuss the Secretary's role as the facilitator of the meeting, making sure it starts and ends on time. He or she chooses the chairperson and often greets newcomers.
- We discuss how to handle difficult situations as they come up, and how to deal with disruptive people, etc. We go over the Twelve Traditions, discuss how they are to the meeting what the Twelve Steps are to an individual. Without them there wouldn't be meetings.
- TAKE AWAY: Encourage new secretaries or those wishing to become secretaries to come to the workshop the first Saturday of the month, 10:00am at Central Office

### **Outreach Committee - Kevin**

- The purpose of the committee is to serve as the ambassadors for Intergroup. We do this by the following:
- Educate local AA groups about the purpose, activities and service opportunities of Intergroup and Central Office.
- Encourage all AA groups to participate in Intergroup.
- Ensure the accuracy of Santa Clara County AA Meeting Directory.
- We visited several meetings last month from Palo Alto down to San Jose encouraging intergroup representation and checking that the meeting guide is correct. We are looking for more volunteers to go to meetings.
- I have flyers at the table please bring these to your groups. Thank you.
- We meet at 6:45 the 1<sup>st</sup> weds of the month here before intergroup if someone is interested but cannot come to the meeting I am willing to meet with them privately. My name and number are on the agenda. Any questions?
- Take Away. Looking for volunteers who would like to attend different meetings.

### **Newsletter Committee – Toni**

- The deadline for the October issue (topics: Step 10, Tradition 10, Perseverance) is Sept. 19. Anyone interested should email [coin@aaasanjose.org](mailto:coin@aaasanjose.org). We are interested in recovery articles.

### **Nominating Committee – Kathy R.**

- We are proud to present the following members for nomination to open positions for the October 2018 elections for Intergroup and Central Service Board:
  - ◇ Nominee for Intergroup Chair:
    - \* Frances C., 10/25/09, homegroup is Veterans of A.A., Intergroup Rep, Intergroup Alternate Chair 2, project manager at design company
  - ◇ Nominees for Intergroup Alternate Chair:
    - \* Mary S., 8/25/15, homegroup is Spiritual Progress, Intergroup Rep, Intergroup Recording Secretary
    - \* Jaye S., 8/31/14, homegroup is Ladies Amethyst, been meeting secretary, literature, chip chick, greeter, coffee, snacks, Intergroup Rep, alt recording secretary, and Intergroup recording secretary, kitchen admin manager at corporate catering company.
  - ◇ Nominee for Recording Secretary:
    - \* Pam S., 9/30/06, Intergroup Rep, Phone List Coordinator, Meeting Secretary, Alt

Recording Secretary, oversees research at a university, listens by taking notes, anxious to learn and be engaged.

◇ Nominee for Alternate Recording Secretary:

- \* Tamlyn R.

◇ Nominees for Central Service Board:

- \* Mary M., 1/06/84, Intergroup Rep, Yes Woman, involved in H & I, Elmwood, management
- \* Susan P., 8/16/10, homegroup is Ladies Amethyst, secretary, Intergroup Rep, GSR, Outreach, Bridging the Gap,
- \* Jon M., 1/11/13, homegroup is Spiritual Progress, Intergroup Rep, secretary, greeter, setup, cleanup, BBQ volunteer, General Manager of a scrap metal facility for 32 years.
- \* Rob W., 4/09/08, homegroup is Gay & Lesbian Sober Experience, Intergroup Rep 8 years, Intergroup Alternate Chair, Intergroup Chair, service for the Billy De Frank Center, various service for the Sober and Free group, business partner in a salon, and mortgage underwriter
- \* Debbie H., 11/25/08, on the Boxer rescue board, meeting secretary, formed meeting, event sales director, has accounting degree
- \* Joey N., 12/30/11, homegroup is Strong Desire, GSR, PICPC, is on the board at Stanford
- \* Chris W., 9/03/09, secretary, Intergroup Rep, H & I, service at the VA Hospital, Director of Operations at an ecommerce company

◇ 2018 Nominating Committee Members:

- \* Kathy R., Chair
- \* Mary Pat P.
- \* Darcy S.
- \* Bob E.

### **Old/Ongoing Business**

- More discussion about the Sponsorship Workshop.
  - ◇ Jacob brought up that it should be a panel, Q & A session, Naan agrees.
  - ◇ Dan says it should not be regimented, more casual.
  - ◇ Sarah brought up that if it's a small group, we may not get all the different ways of sponsorship, and it should be a monthly workshop.
  - ◇ Bill said he was never comfortable sponsoring because he didn't know how and would love this to pass. Several intergroup reps had the same feeling.
  - ◇ Alex says it should be more of a "one-off" to be better formatted. He was concerned that it would be too regimented. Robby stated that it would be more like the secretary workshop, organic in nature with suggested formats from sponsorship brochure and aa big book.
  - ◇ Motion that a committee be formed, with a 2nd and 3rd.
  - ◇ Voted by show of hands. 37 yay, 2 opposed, no comments from those who opposed. The motion passed.
  - ◇ Sara volunteered to form the committee with several members agreeing to help.

### **New Business**

**North County General Service - Jacob S.**

- We just got back from our General Service summer assembly in Fortuna California. It was awesome! We discussed more about whether it is time for a 5th edition of The Big Book and if literature on meditation be helpful for the fellowship.
- On a local note, we had our 2018 Pacific Regional forum in San Jose last week it was great also. The general service board is intensively working on how we can better our communication through the conference all the way down to the groups. Please ask your G.S.R. what they thought.
- Our district is in the process of electing new servants to follow the spirit of rotation.
- You're always welcome to come out and see what we do anytime. The address is on page 9 of your meeting guide. Hope to see you there.

### **South County General Service - Nicolas G.**

- This is an exciting time because this weekend we will have the Pacific Regional Forum. This is when our workers from New York come and have some fun with the Fellowship and where you can ask about certain topics or anything directly. It comes about every 30 years so if you have a chance, stop by.
- Our District meeting is every 3rd Tuesday of the month. We just passed a motion to adopt Venmo as an option for 7 traditions.

### **Hospitals & Institutions - Tommy O. (no report)**

#### **Bridging the Gap - Jane**

- Bridging the Gap 7pm the 3rd Monday on Hamilton & Leigh, needs volunteers and committee members.

#### **PI/CPC – Louisa**

- For September, PI/CPC is honoring National Recovery Month by having members post AA approved flyers on public bulletin boards to inform the public of our website and phone information. Flyers say: If you want to drink that's your business. If you want to stop that's ours. A tear sheet with the AA diverter number is on the flyer. See your Intergroup Rep. for the flyers.
- Discussions around promotion versus attraction arouse. This flyer is from NYC office and already in use. The spirit of attraction is to get word out if you want to stop we are here. Robby states that Louisa called them before the meeting to ask if she could present this information and he had same question. We also are conducting an information table for the Cupertino City Employee Health Fair.
- We welcome new committee members. We meet the first Sunday of every month at 5:30, workshop 6 pm meeting at Our Savior's Lutheran Church on Winchester and Tulip in Santa Clara.

#### **SCCYPA – Emily (no report)**

#### **Sober and Free - Heather**

- Dates for the Sober & Free Conference next year are May 3-4, at the Billy De Frank Center.
- There is a movie night, Grease, Saturday Sept 22, at 6:00pm, doors open at 5:30pm. There will also be a 20 min A.A. speaker, and a 20 min Alanon speaker. The cost is \$15 donation. Go to [soberandfree.org](http://soberandfree.org) for more information.

#### **Open Forum – (no report)**



# Sponsorship

*a how-to discussion*

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Sunday, November 11th, 2018

- Seven Styles of Sponsorship -

Time: 1:00-2:30pm

Spiritual Progress Group

Los Gatos Adult Recreation Center

208 East Main Street

Los Gatos, CA

## Roundtable sharing of sponsorship experience

*on topics including:*

- ✓ Preparing to Sponsor
- ✓ Finding Sponsees
- ✓ The First 30 Days
- ✓ The First Year
- ✓ Long-term "Maintenance" Sponsorship
- ✓ Common Challenges
- ✓ Changing Sponsors

*Seven Speakers!*

*Learn from the experience of others!*

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Newcomers & oldtimers are welcome

**SOBER & FREE  
SILENT AUCTION  
TICKETS ONLY \$5!**

**CONTACT**

**INFO@SOBERANDFREE.ORG**

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**SUNDAY**

**OCTOBER 21, 2018**

**2-4 PM**

**1625 PATIO DRIVE**

**SAN JOSE**



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# 77th Anniversary Celebration



*Palo Alto Group*

*at the*

*Lucie Stern Community Center*

*Come Celebrate the Oldest Surviving Meeting on the Peninsula*



**October 5, 2018**

Main Speaker Raymundo L

Doors Open 7:00

Meeting Starts 7:30

Dance / Potluck Dinner 9:00

Music by DJ Yung Spliff

Suggested Donation \$10

1305 Middlefield Rd, Palo Alto, CA 94301

# FEBRUARY 1-3, 2019 SYMPOSIUM ON A.A. HISTORY

**SAN FRANCISCO  
BAY AREA**

El Retiro San Iñigo  
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Los Altos, California



*A weekend gathering that brings together researchers and lovers of A.A. history to share the experience, strength and hope of the members and groups who came before us.*

All Inclusive Registration  
**Shared Room \$325 / Private \$400**  
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A.A. on Reservations  
San Quentin Group  
Bill's "Spook" Sessions  
Debate over Special Purpose Groups  
The Spanish Big Book  
Al-Anon Pioneers

**AND A SPECIAL  
PRESENTATION BY THE  
G.S.O. ARCHIVIST**

SANTA CLARA COUNTY INTERGROUP PRESENTS the  
**12<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL**  
**SPONSOR BRUNCH**

**Take your sponsor to brunch**

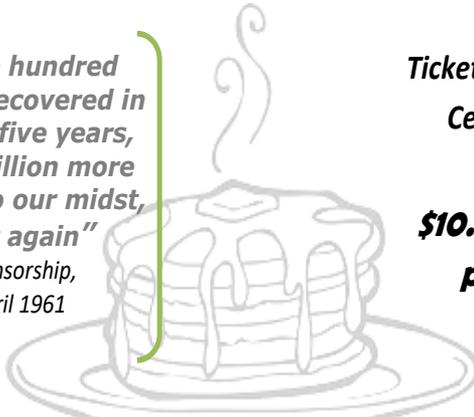
**Saturday OCT 6, 2018**

**brunch served 11-2pm**

No flour, sugar and vegan options available.

*"Though three hundred thousand have recovered in the last twenty five years, maybe half a million more have walked into our midst, and then out again"*

*—Bill W. on Sponsorship,  
Grapevine, April 1961*



*Tickets are on sale at  
Central Office!*

***\$10.00 donation  
per person***

**LOCATION: LINCOLN GLEN CHURCH - 2700 BOOKSIN AVENUE, SAN JOSE, CA**

**Recovery Meeting at 1PM \* Raffle following the speaker!**

**Get out of self and into service**...volunteer to help at the event or donate your craft item, jewelry, art, gift cards for the raffle. Presale tickets are available with your Intergroup rep after Sept 5 and at Central Office.

**To get involved contact us at:**

Central Office (408) 374-8511 [aasanjose@comcast.net](mailto:aasanjose@comcast.net)

Leave a message for: Carole R., Activities Chair '18-19

## INTERGROUP CENTRAL OFFICE OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY, INC.

### Profit & Loss

September 2018

	Sep 18	Sep 17	Jan - Sep 18
<b>Ordinary Income/Expense</b>			
<b>Income</b>			
3030 · Contributions-General	9,281.56	12,440.48	140,742.39
3050 · Group Insurance (Group premium payments)	25.00	0.00	4,970.00
8010 · Literature Sales	3,252.50	3,569.98	35,588.15
8020 · Meeting Guide Sales	221.50	699.50	3,495.50
8050 · Activities Committee	360.00	490.00	7,601.27
8055 · Central Office Events	0.00	0.00	3,670.00
8060 · Newsletter	189.60	223.10	2,432.10
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>13,330.16</b>	<b>17,423.06</b>	<b>198,499.41</b>
<b>Cost of Goods Sold</b>			
5000 · Cost of Goods Sold	3,171.38	3,145.47	32,359.64
<b>Total COGS</b>	<b>3,171.38</b>	<b>3,145.47</b>	<b>32,359.64</b>
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>10,158.78</b>	<b>14,277.59</b>	<b>166,139.77</b>
<b>Expense</b>			
6015 · Activities Committee Expense	1,000.00	956.47	5,059.87
6030 · Accounting and Legal Fee	0.00	0.00	1,500.00
6140 · Conferences	0.00	1,071.81	2,173.68
6190 · Depreciation Expense	1,199.25	1,199.25	3,597.75
6220 · Insurance - Worker Compensation	0.00	170.75	377.04
6225 · Insurance - Em p. Health Plan	600.59	552.52	5,213.03
6230 · Insurance - General Liability	1,209.25	0.00	3,661.75
6240 · Em ployee HRA Plan	1,397.41	775.40	5,809.21
6330 · Office Expense	2,011.49	2,143.67	18,086.20
6380 · Payroll Taxes	341.58	698.46	6,542.05
6480 · Rent	3,384.50	2,537.95	23,117.95
6540 · Salaries - Office	3,722.13	9,370.70	78,859.93
6560 · Payroll Expenses	237.51	118.49	1,294.49
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>15,103.71</b>	<b>19,595.47</b>	<b>155,292.95</b>
<b>Net Ordinary Income</b>	<b>-4,944.93</b>	<b>-5,317.88</b>	<b>10,846.82</b>
<b>Other Income/Expense</b>			
<b>Other Income</b>			
8025 · Rebate	0.00	97.45	459.09
8030 · Interest Income	10.37	57.54	562.01
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<b>10.37</b>	<b>154.99</b>	<b>1,021.10</b>
<b>Net Other Income</b>	<b>10.37</b>	<b>154.99</b>	<b>1,021.10</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>-4,934.56</b>	<b>-5,162.89</b>	<b>11,867.92</b>

## INTERGROUP CENTRAL OFFICE OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY, INC.

## Balance Sheet

As of September 30, 2018

	Sep 30, 18
<b>ASSETS</b>	
<b>Current Assets</b>	
<b>Checking/Savings</b>	
1010 · Petty Cash	172.13
1020 · First Republic Bank (Checking account)	34,911.70
1021 · (PR) First Rep. Bank CD 0429 (12 Mo. CD @ .6%, 08/12/17)	17,967.03
1023 · (PR) First Rep. Bank CD 3228 (12 Mo. CD @ .6%, 02/05/18)	16,784.70
1027 · (PR) First Rep. Bank CD 7681 (12 Mo. CD @ .3%, 4/29/17)	15,261.30
1028 · (PR) First Rep. Bank CD 6955 (8 Mo. CD @ .6%, 01/02/18)	20,353.95
1029 · (PR) First Rep. Bank CD 8182 (10 Mo. CD @ 1.0%, 12/08/17)	15,238.78
1031 · (PR) First Rep. Bank CD 9158 (20 Mo. @ 2%, 3/7/18)	13,308.56
<b>Total Checking/Savings</b>	<b>133,998.15</b>
<b>Accounts Receivable</b>	
1110 · Accounts Rec - Group Deposits	-1,839.16
<b>Total Accounts Receivable</b>	<b>-1,839.16</b>
<b>Other Current Assets</b>	
1250 · Literature Inventory	15,798.91
1310 · Prepaid Insurance	2,418.50
13700 · Payroll Service Customer Asset (Payroll Service Customer Asset)	-0.01
1499 · Undeposited Funds	784.60
<b>Total Other Current Assets</b>	<b>19,002.00</b>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>151,160.99</b>
<b>Fixed Assets</b>	
1630 · Office Equipment	33,821.66
1640 · Office Furnishings - Asset	7,757.80
1641 · Less Accumulated Depreciation	-31,489.72
1680 · Leasehold Improvements	300.00
1681 · Less Accumulated Am ortization	-300.00
<b>Total Fixed Assets</b>	<b>10,089.74</b>
<b>Other Assets</b>	
1860 · Deposits	1,993.85
<b>Total Other Assets</b>	<b>1,993.85</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>163,244.58</b>
<b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	
<b>Liabilities</b>	
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
<b>Credit Cards</b>	
2075 · American Express	403.69
<b>Total Credit Cards</b>	<b>403.69</b>
<b>Other Current Liabilities</b>	
2100 · Payroll Liabilities (Payroll Liabilities)	-2,213.96
2111 · Direct Deposit Liabilities	-3,699.10
2240 · Sales Tax Payable (due quarterly)	1,061.33
2340 · Accrued Vacation	9,811.90
2600 · Unity Day	3,921.28
<b>Total Other Current Liabilities</b>	<b>8,881.45</b>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b>9,285.14</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>9,285.14</b>
<b>Equity</b>	
3100 · Prior period adj. - vacation	-11,704.67
3900 · Unrestricted Funds	153,796.19
Net Income	11,867.92
<b>Total Equity</b>	<b>153,959.44</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	<b>163,244.58</b>

INTERGROUP CENTRAL OFFICE OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY, INC.

Group Contributions

September 2018

	Sept 18	Jan - Sept 18
1 Inv Freedom Fellowship /0940	0.00	6,256.26
1 INV Fremont & Hollenbeck Group /0940	0.00	471.72
1 INV Fremont & Manet Group 70975	0.00	2,025.00
1 INV Gilroy Groups /0906	0.00	602.00
1 INV Men Seeking Guidance Group	0.00	350.00
1 INV One Day at a Time 70903	0.00	7,591.00
1 INV Rand B Group /0972	0.00	2,414.51
1 INV Serenity Discussion 210 (Wed.)	0.00	1,500.00
1 INV South County Fellowship 70954	300.00	4,500.00
1 INV Spiritual Progress Group /0979	0.00	2,960.00
1 INV Sufficient Substitute 313	1,130.00	3,395.00
1 INV Winchester Fellowship /0960	0.00	1,910.85
12 Steps at Noon 303 (Fri.)	0.00	185.50
3rd Steppers Book Study (Wom) 610 (1	0.00	557.73
A Vision For You 687 (Sat.)	732.99	1,684.99
A Vision for You Women's 802 (Tues.)	0.00	340.00
A.B.C. Women's Group 58 (Mon.)	174.90	279.90
Almaden Valley Discussion 30 (Sun.)	0.00	89.18
B.F.E.	484.00	484.00
Back to Basics Saratoga Noon 151 (Tue	0.00	606.00
Basic Big Book /10 (1hur.)	0.00	70.00
Beginners & Beyond LG 345 (Sat.)	0.00	211.43
Better Way of Living 197 (Wed.)	0.00	283.50
Big Book 103 (1hours.) 455	0.00	245.00
Big Book First Meeting /13 (Fri.)	0.00	400.00
Big Book Men's Group (Men) 106 (Tue	210.00	210.00
Big Book Speakers Group 289 (Fri.)	0.00	264.64
Big Book Step Study (Men) 325 (Fri.)	0.00	300.00
Big Book Study Mipets 347 (Sat.)	0.00	294.00
Bill's Basement 384 (Fri.)	0.00	223.00
Birthday Contribution 00951	257.00	2,685.00
Boiled Owls (Men's) 816 (Wed)	0.00	1,909.00
Bowers Fellowship 46 (Sun.)	0.00	945.09
California Ave. Supper Group /15 (Thu	0.00	424.90
Cambrian Saturday Night (Chips) 376 (S	0.00	460.00
Campus Group 234 (1hur.)	0.00	102.31
Character Defect Freedom 201 (Tues.)	0.00	1,038.00
Chip Winners (Chips) 168 (Wed.)	0.00	212.70
Chips and Dyps (Chips) 559 (1ues.)	0.00	396.90
CNCA 06	182.40	182.40
Courage to Change (Women) 145 (W	0.00	464.32
D.J.V.A 830 (Wed)	0.00	122.50
Daily Reflections 432 (Thur.)	0.00	130.00
Desi's in Recovery /723	0.00	120.00
Design for Living 200 (1ues.)	0.00	264.60
Early Tuesday Group 119 (1ues.)	0.00	1,189.56
Easier Way Group 290 (Fri.)	0.00	1,137.66
East Enders Group /20 (1hur.)	0.00	22.48
East Valley Group 322 (Fri.)	0.00	168.00
End of the Line Men's Group 147 (Tue	0.00	207.20
Entire Abstinence 467 (Mon.)	0.00	100.00
Evergreen Group 884 (1hur.)	20.00	160.00
Hireside Big Book Study 809 (1ues.)	0.00	205.00
Firing Line (The) 404 (Mon.)	0.00	1,915.30
Hying Monkeys 422 (Fri)	0.00	250.00

	Sept 18	Jan - Sept 18
Free to Be Me SJ (Women) /36 (1ues)	0.00	778.40
Friday Big Book Study /02 (Fri)	0.00	246.45
Friday Freedom 898 (Fri.)	0.00	38.00
G 10 10 Group /0951	0.00	1,292.89
G 4@4 Group /0925	0.00	210.00
G Attitude Adjustment Hour (965)	0.00	2,884.45
G Cornerstone Fellowship Group /091	180.00	2,120.00
G Fair Avenue Fellowship /0901	0.00	632.95
G Forged From Adversity Group 70957	0.00	492.98
G Higher Power Hour /0952	0.00	1,270.00
G Serenity at Noon (Tka Agnew) /0921	0.00	280.00
G Sunrise Group of Palo Alto /0963	0.00	2,187.42
G Sunrises Group/Dennys 70932	604.77	4,895.28
G Third Tradition (906)	0.00	20.00
G Third Tradition Group	0.00	30.00
G Third Tradition Women's Gp, The 70	0.00	1,402.16
G We Care Group /0934	0.00	420.00
G West Valley Fellowship /0942	0.00	522.00
Gathered Together for Sobriety 43 (Sun	0.00	61.00
Gay & Lesbian AA Big Book Disc146 (Tu	0.00	140.00
Gay & Lesbian Sober Experience 896 (N	0.00	315.00
Gay & Lesbian Step & Irad GP 221 (Fri	0.00	243.35
Gay & Lesbian Topic Disc 516 (Sat.)	0.00	276.00
Gay Living Sober Group /21 (Sun.)	0.00	140.00
Gay Men's Freedom /262 (1hur.)	0.00	420.00
Gay Reflections on the Solution 841(We	0.00	280.00
Get Up and Go (Women) 187 (Sat.)	0.00	2,861.19
Get Well Group 17 (Sun.)	0.00	145.07
Grateful Live Group 535 (Mon.)	0.00	396.90
Happy Reflections on the Solution 841(We	0.00	280.00
Happy Destiny (Women) 109 (Tues.)	560.00	2,620.00
Happy Hour WG 652 (Fri.)	0.00	720.00
High Hope (Men's) 239 (Sat.)	0.00	1,451.00
Higher Power Hr BB (Chips) 871 (Thur	0.00	1,612.33
HOW Group /1 (Mon.)	0.00	844.20
Humbly Asked 87 (Sun.)	0.00	280.00
In the Basement 645 (Sun.)	0.00	245.00
In the Solution 547 (Sat.)	0.00	415.80
Intergroup Council 80909	112.00	407.00
Invaders Group 44 (Sun.)	0.00	514.00
Joy of Living Group 92 (Mon.)	0.00	396.90
Just for Today 238 PA (1hur.)	0.00	396.89
Ladies Amethyst AA Study Group /49 (	0.00	314.12
Lesbians Living the Promises 349 (Fri	0.00	105.00
LGBT Happy Destiny Group 621 (Sat.)	0.00	541.30
Live and Let Live 85 (Mon.)	0.00	219.37
Living in the 12 & 12 851 (Mon.)	0.00	81.25
Living in the Solution MH (W) 33 (Sat.)	50.00	50.00
Living Solutions /28 (Fri.)	0.00	1,022.00
Living with Serenity (Chips) 599 (Wed.	0.00	691.59
Los Altos Big Book 860 (Thurs.)	0.00	811.17
Los Altos Group 225 (1hur.)	0.00	313.28
Los Altos Men's Group 59 (Mon.)	0.00	540.00
Men's 4th Step Group 320 (Fri.)	0.00	113.00
Men's Basic Step Study Group 891 (Thu	0.00	108.64
Men's Big Book (Caveman Gp) 659 (Su	1,142.00	1,857.80

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## Group Contributions

September 2018

	Sep 18	Jan - Sep 18
Men's Freedom from Alcohol 606 (Wed)	0.00	100.00
Men's Group 97 (Mon.)	0.00	534.80
Men's Honesty Group 26 (Sat.)	0.00	420.00
Men's Single Problem Study 89 (Mon)	0.00	500.00
Men's Single Problem Study Gp 220 (Thu)	0.00	1,368.63
Men's Topic Meeting 137 (Tues.)	0.00	115.50
Midday Women's Group 91 (Mon.)	0.00	1,135.21
Monday at a Lime 208 (Mon.)	0.00	396.00
Mountain Miracles 882 (Thur.)	0.00	195.30
Mountain View Group 350 (Sat.)	0.00	459.89
New Nooners 808 (Mon.)	100.00	230.00
No Bull Big Book 655 (Fri.)	315.00	697.00
Off the Top 371 (Thur.)	0.00	623.69
Open AA Tues. (00/94)	0.00	140.00
Other Wednesday Nite, The (Men) 209 (Thu)	0.00	630.00
Palo Alto E-Z Does It 042 (Fri.)	0.00	400.00
Pass It On Group 418 (Sun.)	0.00	746.00
Personal 00911	37.00	5,712.76
Phoenix Group 623 (Sun.)	0.00	142.90
Plaza Del Rey Group (Sun) 052	83.30	1,316.30
Primary Purpose Beginners Big Book 100	0.00	100.00
Queer and Sober 671 (Sat.)	0.00	80.50
San Martin Candlelighters 378 (Sat.)	0.00	100.00
Saturday's Reflections 622 (Sat.)	0.00	247.36
Saturday Morning Los Gatos 777 (Sat)	0.00	1,122.00
Saturday Night Promises 847 (Sat.)	0.00	616.33
SCCYPAA	0.00	137.42
Second Tradition Group Spkr 721 (Sat)	0.00	729.26
Serenity Saturday 899 (Sat.)	0.00	83.00
Serenity Speaker Meeting 533 (Sun.)	0.00	946.00
Shared Gift, The (Women) 61 (Mon.)	588.00	2,222.40
Simply AA 301 (Tues.)	0.00	179.26
Single Problem Topic (Men's) 582 (Mon)	0.00	1,414.00
Sisters Seeking Serenity 858 (Wed.)	0.00	131.00
Sizzler Group 27 (Sun.)	0.00	371.00
Sober and Free Convention 70928	0.00	151.20
Sober in the Park 688 (Sun.)	0.00	308.00
Sober Matia 204 (Sun.)	0.00	420.00
Sober Thoughts 499 (Wed.)	0.00	590.10
Solutions for Gay Women 870 (Thur)	0.00	70.00
South Valley Men's 845 (Thur.)	0.00	332.00
South Valley Women's Surrender 88 (Thu)	0.00	210.00
Spiritual Awakening 813 (Tues.)	0.00	514.37
Spiritual Step Study 233 (Sun.)	0.00	835.12
St. Luke's Group 113 (Tues.)	0.00	623.70
St. Mark's Group 270 (Thur.)	0.00	1,200.00
Starting the Steps 753 (Fri.)	0.00	508.16
Step Along (Women) 638 (Wed.)	487.00	487.00
Step Study (Women) LG 820 (Wed.)	0.00	314.04
Strong Desire 68 (Mon.)	0.00	206.50
Sunday Night Recovery 23 (Sun.)	0.00	350.00
Sundowner's Dinner Mtg (Chips) 768 (Thu)	0.00	625.61
Sunshine Group noon 243 (Thur.)	0.00	100.00
T.G.I.F. Speaker/Discussion 298 (Fri.)	0.00	396.89
There is a Solution (Men) MH 732 (Thu)	0.00	1,277.65
Think Tank (Men's) 361 (Sat.)	0.00	1,136.80
Too Early Big Book Stud 172 (Sat)	0.00	299.08

	Sep 18	Jan - Sep 18
Trinity Group 370 (Sat.)	0.00	50.00
Tuesday Night Men's Mtg 525 (Tues)	0.00	1,009.92
Tuesday Noon Step Study 556 (Tues)	0.00	622.00
Unknown	616.00	1,836.00
Veterans of AA 040 (Tues)	75.00	75.00
Villages Group of AA, The 406 (Mon.)	215.00	493.00
Waves of Healing 525 (Mon.)	0.00	140.00
We Care Step Study 128 (Tues.)	0.00	100.00
Wednesday Night Big Book 576 (Wed)	281.20	281.20
When All Else Fails 047 (Sat.)	0.00	55.56
Winchester Mystery Meeting 102 (Thu)	0.00	330.00
Wisdom to Know 651 (Mon.)	0.00	445.07
Women's Brunch 640 (Sat.)	0.00	912.08
Women's Candlelight Big Book Disc. 81	0.00	318.50
Women's Step Topics 597 (Thurs.)	0.00	70.00
Women on the Move 570 (Wed.)	0.00	792.67
women to women 704 (Sat.)	344.00	716.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9,281.56</b>	<b>140,737.39</b>

EARLY BIRD GROUP OF AA PRESENTS:

# STAYIN ALIVE #11

OCTOBER 27TH, 2018

Speaker: Robert P.

POTLUCK...Mystery and Regular Food Appreciated

## MURDER MYSTERY DINNER THEATER WHO DUNE IT?

Everyone gets to play...

DJ • Dancing • Costume Contest

Raffle with awesome prizes: 1/\$1.00 or 7/\$5.00

**TICKET DONATION: \$5.00 PRE-SALE OR \$100 AT THE DOOR**

AGE RESTRICTION: 12 years and older

LOCATION:

Calvary United Methodist Church, 729 Morse Street, San Jose CA 95126

TIME: 6 - 11 p.m. (FREE Speaker meeting: 6 p.m.)

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL:

Francis

or Ed



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