



Literature Coordinator

Area 9 Florida North - Panel 58 - May 4-6, 2018

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Hello fellow Panel 58 members;

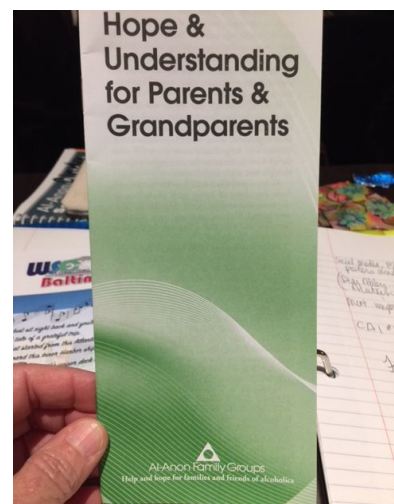
Our 2018-2021 Service Manual is printed and I have some you may purchase at Assembly. The Service Manual (P-24/27) Spiral bound is \$5 and the smaller booklet, Groups At Work (P-24) is \$1 each. The Service Manual is available in PDF form on our main al-anon website: <http://al-anon.org/for-members/> by following this link you can:



- 1) View or download our Service Manual.
- 2) Submit a sharing for the newest Daily Reader.
- 3) Register for the International Convention.
- 4) Subscribe to *In the Loop*, a newsletter from WSO
- 5) Download and Purchase any other Literature.
- 6) Innumerable other things to explore.

Watch for our newest pamphlet: *Understanding & Hope for Parents & Grandparents* (P-94). It is planned to be released in April at the World Service Conference. I got word just the other day, it is on time! As many of us did, we got a wonderful sneak peek from our Delegate, Cindy J. Thanks Cindy!

It is planned to be available later this month for purchase. I'll update you through your local LDC as soon as I hear it is ready.



The WSO (World Service Office) needs many more member's sharings about the Conference Approved Literature (CAL) and how it has been helpful in their recovery. These sharings would be used in upcoming issues of the Forum and "CAL Corner." Please consider writing especially if you were helped by:

One Day at a Time in Al-Anon(B-6) ----- **50th Anniversary this year!** -----

Discovering Choices (B-30)

In All Our Affairs (B-15)



The newest Daily Reader is still being written, your sharing on a step, tradition or concept could be the piece it needs to get finished. Write your piece and submit it online. You can always write it down anyway you're comfortable and drop it in the mail. If you need some assistance, simply ask.

Celebrating One Day at a Time

Al-Anon's International Convention 2018

Intimacy in Alcoholic Relationships - A collection of Al-Anon personal stories: As

quoted from the Feb 2018 Literature Coordinator Update: "This highly anticipated new book is expected to be introduced in Baltimore at the 2018 Al-Anon International Convention in July." As soon as I hear anything more I'll send out an update. I've registered to go, and reserved my room. I hope to see you there!

The newest books will be included in the **2019 CAL Catalog** (S-15) and the CAL order Form (S-16). I'll get that information to you as soon as it becomes available to me. We are expecting those out this Summer, I'm guessing after the International Convention.



All the quotes for a 2019 Calendar Project are available. I have them printed in English, Spanish and French for you to review at the Literature Display. This year the quotes are all focused on the steps for each month. January's quote is: "Step One puts the focus back on me, not on the alcoholic. My attempts to control others makes

my life crazy, but by letting go, I become free. Those around me find freedom to make their own mistakes and face their own consequences."

Reaching for Personal Freedom - Living the Legacies (P-92), page 11

One of our other Literature Coordinators from the other side of our Country shared a book report on **Lois Remembers (B-7)** copyright 1979. It's a wonderful writing I have one printed at the Literature display. If you'd be interested in reading the whole thing, email me a request and I'll send you the attachment: Literature58@AFGare9.org

Here is a tidbit:

"What was surprising to me is how much I liked her--Lois. As though she were a person sitting next to me in a meeting, and maybe someone I might ask to be my sponsor. Because she was alive when she wrote the book, she seems alive to me now. That surprised me."

Kory S. Phoenix, Oregon

I'm blessed to have access to **AFG Connects for Literature Coordinators**. That means if you need a skit or a workshop and you don't feel particularly creative, or you run out of time and the date is approaching fast. Who knows, this could be your idea of fun! You can put on a great, already written skit. All you would need to do is ask a few others to read their parts too. I have access so I will share!

These are the currently **featured books** on the WSO website:

<https://al-anon.org/for-members/members-resources/literature/feature-publications/>



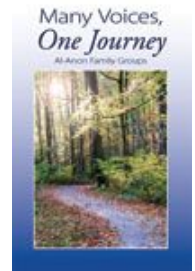
[Courage to Change: One Day at a Time in Al-Anon II \(B-16\)](#)

[Paths To Recovery Set \(K-31\)](#)



[Courage to Change \(Large print\) \(B-17\)](#)

[Many Voices, One Journey \(B-31\)](#)



AREA 9 Writing Workshop:

Our first for this panel will be held in District 10 on June 9, 2018 with Mary as our Hostess from 10-12pm. Elsa C. our Alternate Delegate will be co-chairing this maiden voyage with me. Come attend, schedule your own for your District and watch for the results in our upcoming literature!

I've brought our Literature Coordinator Emeritus, **Pat A's great displays** with me for our first Assembly. I hope to have wonderful creations for you too, they are just beginning to develop. I consider Pat's work a blessing and would like to turn her display boards into Archives. I'm open to suggestions and collaboration for the next "Results of Looking in the Indexes". I looked up "reaching out" for this example. I'd love your suggestions for the next topic to explore through our many pieces of Conference Approved Literature.